

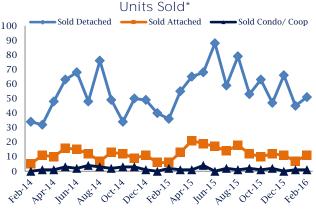


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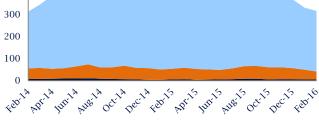


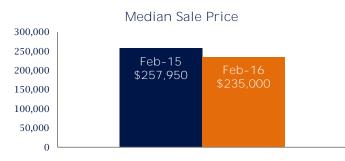
Units Sold

There was an increase in total units sold in February, with 63 sold this month in Westminster and Taneytown. This month's total units sold was higher than at this time last year.



Versus last year, the total number of homes available this month is lower by 94 units or 23%. The total number of active inventory this February was 316 compared to 410 in February 2015. This month's total of 316 is lower than the previous month's total supply of available inventory of 331, a decrease of 5%.





Median Sale Price

Last February, the median sale price for Westminster and Taneytown Homes was \$257,950. This February, the median sale price was \$235,000, a decrease of 9% or \$22,950 compared to last year. The current median sold price is 6% lower than in January.

Median sale price is the middle sale price in a given month. The same number of properties are above & below the median.

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Months of Supply

In February, there was 5.0 months of supply available in Westminster and Taneytown, compared to 9.3 in February 2015. That is a decrease of 46% versus a year ago.

Months of supply is calculated by dividing current inventory by current sales. It indicates how many months would be needed to sell all of the inventory available at the current rate of demand.



Westminster and Taneytown compared to 104 in February 2015, a decrease of 1%. There were 77 current contracts pending sale this February compared to 66 a year ago. The number of current contracts is 17% higher than last February.



New Listings & Current Contracts Number of New Listings Total Pending Total Pending

Sale Price to List Price Ratio

In February, the average sale price in Westminster and Taneytown was 98.1% of the average list price, which is similar compared to a year ago.

Days On Market

This month, the average number of days on market was 90, lower than the average last year, which was 107, a decrease of 16%.

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