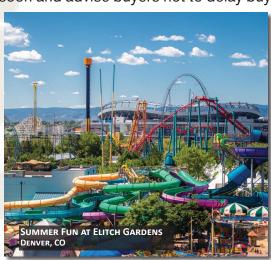


2023 Q2 Real Estate Market Update

DENVER METRO OVERVIEW

Homes appreciated 10% the first half of the year, bringing prices close to their peak, which occurred in April of 2022. As we enter the second half of the year, we expect price depreciation of 6%-7%, unless one or more significant market conditions change; including interest rate decreases or economic recession. Longer term trends of low inventory and a growing buyer pool highly favor moderate appreciation for the next couple years. To repeat, we DO NOT anticipate significant price declines anytime soon and advise buyers not to delay buying.





INTERESTING TRENDS IN THE DENVER MARKET

- Construction material prices are decreasing, including lumber, which is currently below pre-pandemic levels.
- Median property assessment increases across the Denver metro ranged from 33% (Denver County) to 47% (Douglas County) this isn't surprising, as the pandemic brought about a "flight" to the outer suburbs.
- Assessment increases for our clients ranged from 16% (a condo in Central Denver) to 68% (a cabin in Grand County).
- Historically, 25%-40% of property assessment appeals are successful across the Denver metro area.

SPOTLIGHT: A TALE OF TWO LISTINGS

There are a growing number of buyers waiting to enter the marketplace. These buyers desire to buy, but are hampered by current high interest rates. According to the National Association of Realtors, the "tipping point" for these buyers is an interest rate of 5.5%. Based on our opinion, once we hit this tipping point, we expect a 2%-5% increase in home prices as these buyers flood the market and snatch up the limited supply of homes that currently exist.

INTEREST RATE OUTLOOK

Currently, a 30-year fixed rate conventional mortgage for an owner-occupant single family home purchase with 20% down and a 740+ credit score is 6.75%. We continue to be optimistic that rates will come down – they simply haven't quite yet.

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