

NEWS RELEASE

GTA Listing Inventory Remained High, Providing Substantial Choice and Negotiating Power for Homebuyers

TORONTO, ONTARIO, March 5, 2025 – Homebuyers continued to benefit from substantial choice in the Greater Toronto Area (GTA) resale market in February 2025. Home sales last month were down compared to the same period last year, while listing inventory remained high, providing substantial negotiating power for homebuyers.

"Many households in the GTA are eager to purchase a home, but current mortgage rates make it difficult for the average household to comfortably afford monthly payments on a typical property. Fortunately, we anticipate a decline in borrowing costs in the coming months, which should improve affordability," said TRREB President Elechia Barry-Sproule.

"On top of lingering affordability concerns, homebuyers have arguably become less confident in the economy. Uncertainty about our trade relationship with the United States has likely prompted some households to take a wait-and-see attitude towards buying a home. If trade uncertainty is alleviated and borrowing costs continue to trend lower, we could see much stronger home sales activity in the second half of this year," said TRREB Chief Market Analyst Jason Mercer.

GTA REALTORS® reported 4,037 home sales through TRREB's MLS® System in February 2025 – down by 27.4 per cent compared to February 2024. New listings in the MLS® System amounted to 12,066 – up by 5.4 per cent year-over-year. On a seasonally adjusted basis, February sales were down month over month compared to January 2025.

The MLS® Home Price Index Composite benchmark was down by 1.8 per cent year over year in February 2025. The average selling price, at \$1,084,547, was down by 2.2 per cent compared to the February 2024. On a month-over-month basis, the MLS® HPI Composite and the average selling price edged lower after seasonal adjustment.

"With the Ontario provincial election just behind us and the federal political situation in flux, there is a lot to consider from a policy perspective when it comes to housing. Not only do policymakers and those vying for high public office need to make clear their direction on housing supply and affordability, but they also need to be clear on how they intend to tackle issues related to trade and the economy. Clear direction will go a long

way to strengthen consumer confidence," said TRREB Chief Executive Officer John DiMichele.

TRREB MLS® Sales and Average Price February 2							
		2025		2024			
	Sales	Average Price	New Listings	Sales	Average Price	New Listings	
City of Toronto (416)	1,540	\$1,087,077	4,641	1,955	\$1,074,106	4,361	
Rest of GTA (905)	2,497	\$1,082,986	7,425	3,607	\$1,128,605	7,082	
GTA	4,037	\$1,084,547	12,066	5,562	\$1,109,450	11,443	

TRREB MLS® HPI					February 2025
	Composite	Single Family Detached	Single Family Attached	Townhouse	Apartment
All TRREB Areas	1.77% ▼	1.85% ▼	1.11% ▼	1.16% ▼	3.24% ▼
Halton Region	3.59% ▼	2.29% ▼	3.10% ▼	2.02% ▼	1.99% ▼
Peel Region	0.94% ▼	0.46% ▼	1.85% ▼	1.83% ▼	3.29% ▼
City of Toronto	0.81% 🔻	2.02% ▼	1.06% ▲	1.29% 🛦	3.26% ▼
York Region	3.66% ▼	3.31% ▼	3.43% ▼	0.63% ▼	3.30% ▼
Durham Region	0.59% ▼	0.44% ▼	1.04% ▼	2.94% ▼	2.54% ▼
Orangeville	3.87% 🛕	4.68% ▲	3.83% ▲	3.31% ▼	5.20% ▼
South Simcoe County ²	0.90% ▼	0.88% ▼	2.01% 🛦	4.60% ▼	5.60% ▼

TRREB MLS® Sales and Average Price by Home Type February 20.							
		Sales		Average Price			
	416	905	Total	416	905	Total	
Detached	411 27.1% ▼	1,295 32.3% ▼	1,706 31.1% ▼	\$1,782,262 7.6% ▲	\$1,339,120 3.0% ▼	\$1,445,879 0.2% A	
Semi-Detached	145 19.4% ▼	211 24.1% ▼	356 22.3% ▼	\$1,275,214 3.5% ▼	\$945,841 5.3% ▼	\$1,079,996 4.0% ▼	
Townhouse	143	557 32.2% ▼	700 30.6% ▼	\$1,028,339 5.6% ▲	\$881,482 4.6% ▼	\$911,483 2.3% ▼	
Condo Apartment	830 17.4% ▼	395 30.2% ▼	1,225 22.0% ▼	\$724,632 0.5% ▼	\$611,198 4.7% ▼	\$688,055 1.3% ▼	

TRREB MLS® Sales and Average Price Year-to-Date 202								
		2025		2024				
	Sales	Average Price	New Listings	Sales	Average Price	New Listings		
City of Toronto (416)	2,919	\$1,039,397	9,381	3,409	\$1,024,323	7,826		
Rest of GTA (905)	4,952	\$1,077,692	15,080	6,330	\$1,099,717	11,954		
GTA	7,871	\$1,063,490	24,461	9,739	\$1,073,326	19,780		

TRREB MLS® Sales and Average Price by Home Type							
		Sales		Average Price			
	416	905	Total	416 905 Total			
Detached	760 15.7% ▼	2,520 23.6% ▼	3,280	\$1,690,473 4.3% A	\$1,330,142 1.1% ▼	\$1,413,633 0.6% A	
Semi-Detached	275 3.5% ▼	427 16.6% ▼	702 11.9% ▼	\$1,218,941 4.5% ▼	\$964,367 1.9% ▼	\$1,064,093 2.2% ▼	
Townhouse	290 7.9% ▼	1,135	1,425 19.3% ▼	\$984,520 4.5% ▲	\$888,673 2.3% ▼	\$908,179 0.8% ▼	
Condo Apartment	1,574 16.2% ▼	808 20.2% ▼	2,382	\$708,795 1.4% ▼	\$622,550 2.1% ▼	\$679,540 1.5% ▼	

TRREB MLS® S	easonally A	ljusted Stats¹						February 2025
	Sales	% Change	New Listings	% Change	Average Price	% Change	MLS® HPI ²	% Change
February 2024	5,838	13.7% ▼	12,512	0.0% —	\$1,093,717	1.8% 🛕	\$1,080,400	0.5% 🛦
March 2024	5,637	3.4% ▼	12,350	1.3% ▼	\$1,100,335	0.6% 🛦	\$1,086,800	0.6% 🛦
April 2024	5,023	10.9% ▼	13,132	6.3% ▲	\$1,111,647	1.0% 🛦	\$1,093,400	0.6% 🛦
May 2024	4,970	1.1% ▼	13,432	2.3% ▲	\$1,112,026	0.0% —	\$1,091,300	0.2% ▼
June 2024	5,308	6.8% ▲	14,521	8.1% 🛦	\$1,128,108	1.4% 🔺	\$1,094,400	0.3% 🛦
July 2024	5,253	1.0% ▼	14,369	1.0% ▼	\$1,126,872	0.1% ▼	\$1,094,800	0.0% —
August 2024	5,289	0.7% 🛦	14,035	2.3% ▼	\$1,115,688	1.0% ▼	\$1,092,900	0.2% ▼
September 2024	5,527	4.5% ▲	15,379	9.6% ▲	\$1,112,858	0.3% ▼	\$1,085,800	0.6% ▼
October 2024	6,314	14.2% 🛦	14,202	7.7% ▼	\$1,127,014	1.3% 🛦	\$1,082,700	0.3% ▼
November 2024	6,683	5.8% ▲	14,661	3.2% ▲	\$1,120,307	0.6% ▼	\$1,084,700	0.2% 🛦
December 2024	5,383	19.5% ▼	13,776	6.0% ▼	\$1,115,218	0.5% ▼	\$1,084,100	0.1% ▼
January 2025	6,052	12.4% 🛦	18,562	34.7% ▲	\$1,091,645	2.1% ▼	\$1,079,800	0.4% ▼
February 2025	4,326	28.5% ▼	14,053	24.3% ▼	\$1,072,123	1.8% ▼	\$1,063,300	1.5% ▼

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