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Ohio's June 2109 Home Sales RE:

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The number of homes sold across Ohio in June fell from the pace set during the month a year ago, posting a 5.6 percent decline, according to Ohio REALTORS.

"While activity levels cooled in June, overall our marketplace is keeping pace with the rate of home sales from a year ago," said Ohio REALTORS President Anjanette Frye.

"Equally important, the market posted a continued, steady rise in the average sale price, an indication that buyers understand that housing is a solid, long-term investment."

June's average home price of \$211,859 reflects a 7.2 percent increase from the \$197,680 mark posted during the month last year.

Sales in June reached 14,975, a 5.6 percent decline from the 15,858 sales recorded during the month a vear ago.

Around the state, 15 of the 18 markets tracked reported upswings in average sales price, while three posted gains or remained unchanged in sales activity.

Through the first half of 2019, sales have nearly matched the pace set during the six-month period a year ago. Sales during the January through June period in 2019 have reached 71,952, a negligible 0.7 percent decline from the 72,480 sales posted during the period last year. The year-to-date total dollar volume of \$13.8 billion is a 5.3 percent increase from the mark set during the period in 2018.

Data provided to Ohio REALTORS by Multiple Listing Services includes residential closings for new and existing single-family homes and condominiums/co-ops. Ohio REALTORS, with more than 33,000 members, is the largest professional trade association in Ohio.

Refer to the following pages for a market by market analysis of sales activity throughout Ohio and local contact information.

(NOTE: There might be a slight variance between the reported number of sales contained in this release and actual activity in the various markets due to Ohio REALTORS early reporting requirement. Check with contacts in the particular market.)



Ohio Local MLS Stats Report for June 2019

MLS	Number of Units Sold			Do	llar Volume		Average Sale Price			
	2018	2019	%Change	2018	2019	%Change	2018	2019	% Change	
Ashland	45	38	-15.6%	\$7,619,532	\$4,913,500	-35.5%	\$169,323	\$129,303	-23.6%	
Athens	76	61	-19.7%	\$12,997,996	\$10,078,500	-22.5%	\$171,026	\$165,221	-3.4%	
Cincinnati	2,821	2,670	-5.4%	\$658,001,071	\$653,581,290	-0.7%	\$233,251	\$244,787	4.9%	
Columbus	3,338	3,226	-3.4%	\$817,242,540	\$846,321,744	3.6%	\$244,830	\$262,344	7.2%	
Dayton	1,684	1529	-9.2%	\$309,647,478	\$298,618,817	-3.6%	\$183,876	\$195,303	6.2%	
Firelands	303	229	-24.4%	\$47,367,687	\$38,453,451	-18.8%	\$156,329	\$167,919	7.4%	
Greater Ports.	46	46	0.0%	\$4,818,350	\$5,499,559	14.1%	\$104,747	\$119,556	14.1%	
GuernsMusk.	121	126	4.1%	\$15,103,008	\$17,931,768	18.7%	\$124,818	\$142,316	14.0%	
Heartland	144	135	-6.3%	\$22,912,911	\$25,254,680	10.2%	\$159,117	\$187,072	17.6%	
Knox	73	44	-39.7%	\$13,675,578	\$8,575,200	-37.3%	\$187,337	\$194,891	4.0%	
Lancaster	48	40	-16.7%	\$7,209,456	\$6,524,560	-9.5%	\$150,197	\$163,114	8.6%	
Mansfield	172	182	5.8%	\$21,922,029	\$25,419,770	16.0%	\$127,454	\$139,669	9.6%	
Marion	63	44	-30.2%	\$8,977,156	\$5,286,500	-41.1%	\$142,495	\$120,148	-15.7%	
Scioto Valley	104	83	-20.2%	\$14,014,728	\$12,121,154	-13.5%	\$134,757	\$146,038	8.4%	
Toledo	1,021	946	-7.3%	\$161,324,721	\$157,751,936	-2.2%	\$158,007	\$166,757	5.5%	
West Central	192	166	-13.5%	\$26,460,365	\$24,699,240	-6.7%	\$137,814	\$148,791	8.0%	
WRIST*	564	525	-6.9%	\$86,806,932	\$87,321,675	0.6%	\$153,913	\$166,327	8.1%	
Yes-MLS*	5,043	4,885	-3.1%	\$898,710,862	\$944,228,893	5.1%	\$178,210	\$193,291	8.5%	
Statewide	15,858	14,975	-5.6%	\$3,134,812,400	\$3,172,582,237	1.2%	\$197,680	\$211,859	7.2%	

^{*} Yes-MLS: Summit, Portage, Trumbull, Stark, Mahoning, Columbiana, Carroll, Tuscarawas, Coshocton, Cuyahoga, Lake, Geauga, Medina, Ashtabula, Wayne, Holmes, Marietta, Lorain, Belmont, Harrison and Jefferson counties; WRIST (Western Regional Information Systems and Technology): Clark, Miami, Champaign, Logan, Shelby, Auglaize and Mercer Counties.

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Ohio Local MLS Stats Report for January through June 2019

MLS	Number of Units Sold			Dollar Volume			Average Sale Price		
	2018	2019	%Change	2018	2019	%Change	2018	2019	% Change
Ashland	187	173	-7.5%	\$25,507,579	\$26,210,702	2.8%	\$136,404	\$151,507	11.1%
Athens	319	276	-13.5%	\$48,858,942	\$42,544,128	-12.9%	\$153,163	\$154,145	0.6%
Cincinnati	12,606	12,366	-1.9%	\$2,689,705,506	\$2,758,965,894	2.6%	\$213,367	\$223,109	4.6%
Columbus	14,931	14,842	-0.6%	\$3,384,394,839	\$3,578,881,144	5.7%	\$226,669	\$241,132	6.4%
Dayton	7,796	7776	-0.3%	\$1,278,682,510	\$1,348,494,690	5.5%	\$164,018	\$173,418	5.7%
Firelands	1,512	1354	-10.4%	\$223,277,222	\$211,695,124	-5.2%	\$147,670	\$156,348	5.9%
Greater Ports.	257	277	7.8%	\$27,939,060	\$30,604,331	9.5%	\$108,712	\$110,485	1.6%
GuernsMusk.	610	649	6.4%	\$70,673,415	\$82,634,394	16.9%	\$115,858	\$127,326	9.9%
Heartland	713	813	14.0%	\$116,386,561	\$136,157,089	17.0%	\$163,235	\$167,475	2.6%
Knox	294	259	-11.9%	\$48,451,729	\$45,767,211	-5.5%	\$164,802	\$176,707	7.2%
Lancaster	267	208	-22.1%	\$40,055,859	\$31,747,456	-20.7%	\$150,022	\$152,632	1.7%
Mansfield	926	941	1.6%	\$110,074,086	\$121,721,307	10.6%	\$118,871	\$129,353	8.8%
Marion	319	287	-10.0%	\$38,769,023	\$32,362,847	-16.5%	\$121,533	\$112,763	-7.2%
Scioto Valley	475	484	1.9%	\$59,182,932	\$66,331,232	12.1%	\$124,596	\$137,048	10.0%
Toledo	4,669	4499	-3.6%	\$678,392,849	\$695,535,531	2.5%	\$145,297	\$154,598	6.4%
West Central	1,117	995	-10.9%	\$134,693,033	\$127,941,359	-5.0%	\$120,585	\$128,584	6.6%
WRIST*	2,680	2656	-0.9%	\$384,196,760	\$409,079,776	6.5%	\$143,357	\$154,021	7.4%
Yes-MLS*	22,802	23,097	1.3%	\$3,713,082,565	\$4,019,654,016	8.3%	\$162,840	\$174,034	6.9%
Statewide	72,480	71,952	-0.7%	\$13,072,324,470	\$13,766,328,231	5.3%	\$180,358	\$191,327	6.1%

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