

MEAFORD REAL ESTATE MARKET REPORT FIRST QUARTER 2019

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OVERVIEW

2ND BEST Q1 VOLUME SALES EVER, **AVERAGE PRICE UP, LISTINGS DOWN**

Q1-2019 SALES VOLUME OF \$14,112,900

Up 14% from Q1-2018's \$12,334,850, with units of 31 down 6% from Q1-2018's 33. New listings of 48 down 27% from a year ago, with the sales/listings ratio of 65% up 15%.

MARCH SALES VOLUME OF \$7,287,400

Up 29% from March 2018. Units of 15 up 7% from a year ago, with new listings of 23 down 23% and the sales/listings ratio of 70% up 25%.



Q1-2019 AVERAGE SALE PRICE OF \$455,255

Up 22% from the \$373,783 of Q1-2018, with the average days-on-market of 71 up 30 days.



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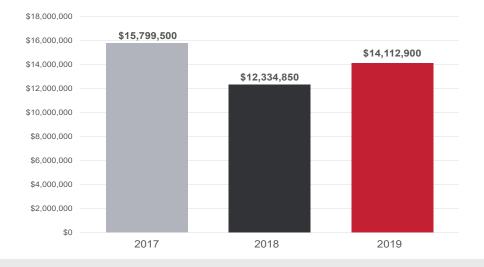
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THE DEMAND FOR LISTINGS IS GREATER THAN THE SUPPLY

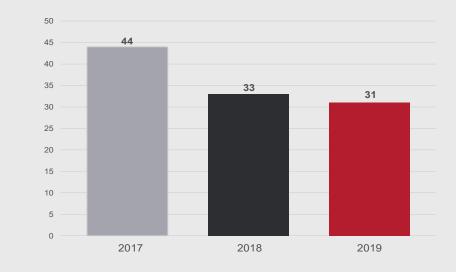
March's average sale price set a new monthly record of \$485,827, its volume sales were the second best ever, and its average sale time of 41 days was the second lowest after last March's 29. With its listings count down and a 70% sales/listings ratio, Meaford is enjoying a strong sellers' market.



Graph 1: Meaford MLS[®] Sales Q1 - 2017 vs. 2018 vs. 2019 (Volume)



Graph 2: **Meaford MLS® Sales** Q1 - 2017 vs. 2018 vs. 2019 (Units)





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THE MARKET IN DETAIL



Table 1:

Meaford MLS® Residential Sales And Listing Summary

Q1 - 2017 vs. 2018 vs. 2019

	2017	2018	2019	2018-2019
Volume Sales	\$15,799,500	\$12,334.850	\$14,112,900	+14%
Unit Sales	44	33	31	-6%
New Listings	72	66	48	-27%
Sales/Listings Ratio	61%	50%	65%	+15%
Expired Listings	4	7	4	-43%
Sales: Under \$100K	0	1	2	+100%
Sales: \$100K - \$299K	17	10	5	-50%
Sales: \$300K - \$499K	22	16	15	-6%
Sales: \$500K - \$799K	5	6	6	0%
Sales: \$800K - \$999K	0	0	1	+100%
Sales: \$1M - \$1.499M	0	0	2	+200%
Average Days-On-Market	65	41	71	+27%
Average Sale Price	\$359,080	\$373,783	\$455,255	+22%

NOTE: All MLS® sales data in this report comes from the Southern Georgian Bay Association Of REALTORS® and refers specifically to residential sales as of April 15, 2019.

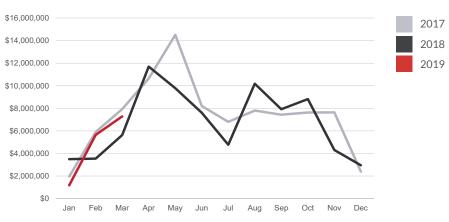
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As **Graph 3** shows, the Meaford market, after a slow January, rebounded with near record volume sales that resulted in the second best Q1 ever after 2017. That said, as **Graph 4** shows, Meaford's volume sales were not the result of correspondingly high unit sales, but of a significant increase in the average sale price. In fact, Q1-2019's average price of \$455,255 was up 22%, 27% and 53% from the Q1s of 2018, 2017 and 2016 respectively. And that big average price uptick, along with Q1-2018's 65% sales/listings ratio, indicates strong demand and a healthy market.

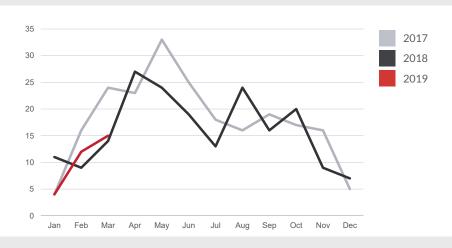


Graph 3: Meaford Monthly MLS[®] Sales 2017 vs. 2018 vs. 2019 (Volume)



Graph 4: Meaford Monthly MLS[®] Sales 2017 vs. 2018 vs. 2019 (Units)





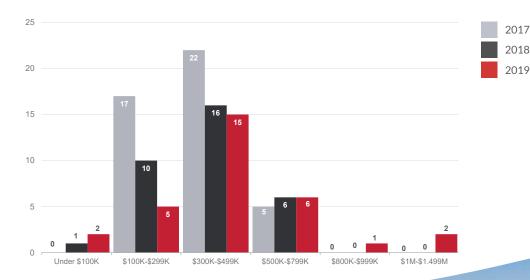
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As **Graph 5** shows, Q1-2019 units were up from Q1-2018 in three price ranges, down in two and even in one. And so, the Under-\$100K, \$800K-\$999K and \$1M-\$1.499M ranges were up 100%, 100% and 200% respectively; the \$100K-\$299K and \$300K-\$499K were down 50% and 6% respectively; and the \$500K- \$799K range was even. More generally, the high-volume, Under-\$500K bracket – which accounted for 71% of Meaford's sales in Q1-2019 – was down 19% from Q1-2018, while the high-end, \$800K+ bracket was up 300%.

Graph 5:

Meaford MLS[®] Sales By Price



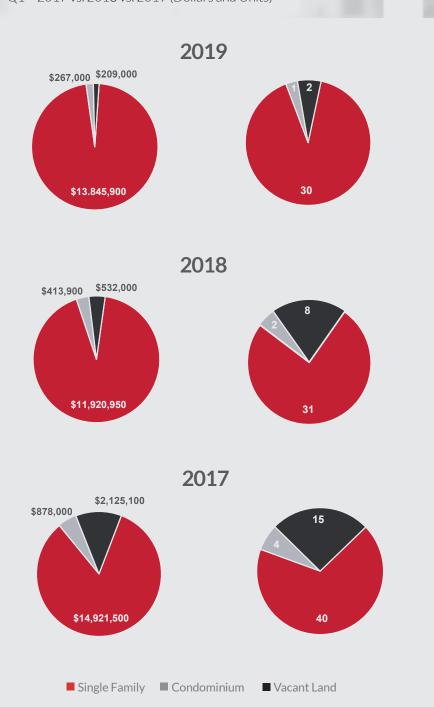
Q1 - 2017 vs. 2018 vs. 2019 (Units)





Graph 6:

Meaford MLS[®] Sales By Property Type Q1 – 2017 vs. 2018 vs. 2019 (Dollars and Units)



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SINGLE-FAMILY HOMES

DOLLAR SALES: \$13,845,900 UP 16% from 2018

UNIT SALES: 30 DOWN 3% from 2018

AV. DAYS-ON-MARKET: 73 UP 31 days from 2018

AV. SALE PRICE: \$461,530 UP 20% from 2018

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DOLLAR SALES: \$267,000 DOWN **35%** from 2018

UNIT SALES: 1 DOWN 100% from 2018

AV. DAYS-ON-MARKET: 14 DOWN **11** days from 2018

AV. SALE PRICE: \$267,000 UP 29% from 2018

VACANT LAND

DOLLAR SALES: \$209,000 DOWN 61% from 2018

UNIT SALES: 2 DOWN 75% from 2018

AV. DAYS-ON-MARKET: 252 UP **178** days from 2018

AV. SALE PRICE: \$104,500 UP 57% from 2018