

SOUTHERN GEORGIAN BAY REAL ESTATE MARKET REPORT

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OVERVIEW

AND THE BEAT GOES ON . . . RECORD AUGUST VOLUME AND UNIT SALES



RECORD YEAR-TO-DATE SALES VOLUME OF \$954,335,219

Up 29% from 2019's \$737,324,507, with units of 1452 up 6% from 2019's 1372. New listings of 2114 down 17%, with the sales/listings ratio of 69% up 15% from the 54% of one year ago.



RECORD AUGUST SALES VOLUME OF \$240,525,203

Up 114% from last August's \$112,592,077. Record August units of 346 up 62% from last year's 213. New listings of 315 down 5% from a year ago, with the sales/listing ratio of 110% up 46%.



RECORD YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGE SALE PRICE OF \$657,256

Up 22% from the \$537,409 of one year ago. Average days-on-market of 45 down 7 days.

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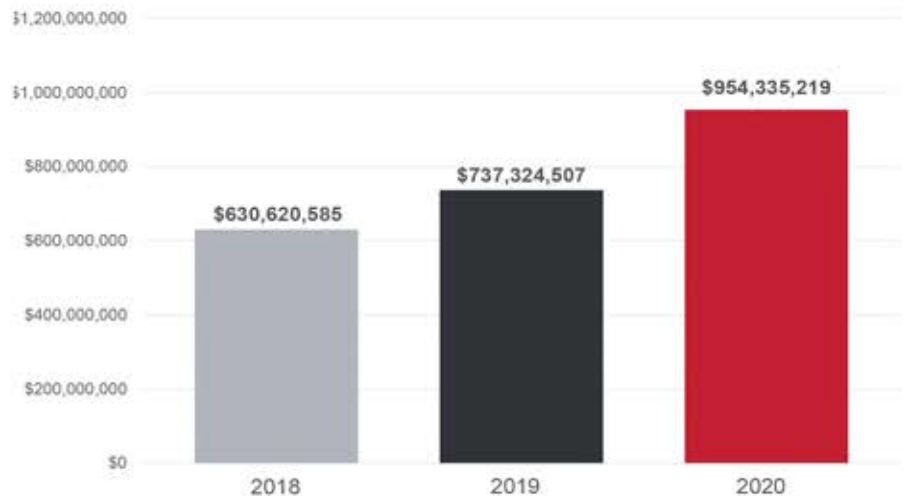


THE DEMAND FOR LISTINGS IS GREATER THAN THE SUPPLY

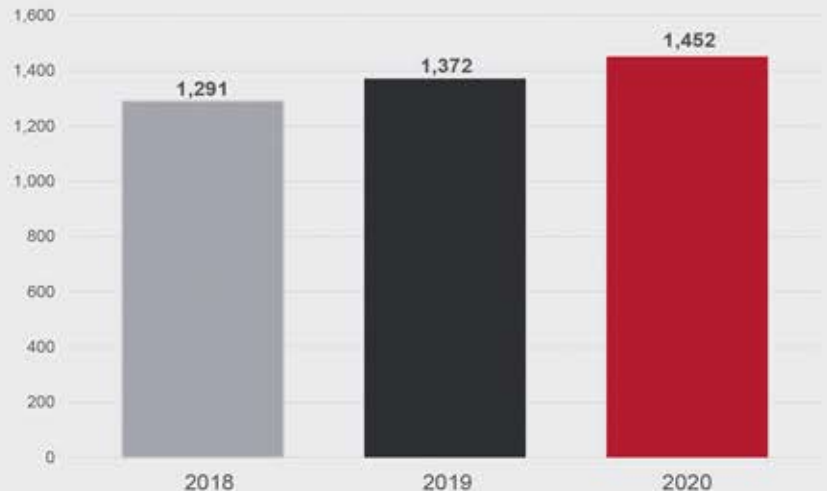
August's record volume and unit sales were accompanied by an all-time record average sale price of **\$695,160**, up a big **32%** from last August's **\$528,601**, and also up **6%** from 2020's overall average of **\$657,256**. With August's listings down **5%** from a year ago and its **110%** sales/listing ratio, the region currently has a strong **seller's market**.



Graph 1:
Southern Georgian Bay MLS® Sales
2018 vs. 2019 vs. 2020 (Volume)



Graph 2:
Southern Georgian Bay MLS® Sales
2018 vs. 2019 vs. 2020 (Units)



THE MARKET IN DETAIL



Table 1:
Southern Georgian Bay MLS® Sales And Listing Summary
 2018 vs. 2019 vs. 2020

	2018	2019	2020	2019-2020
Year-To-Date (YTD) Volume Sales	\$630,620,585	\$737,324,507	\$954,335,219	+29%
YTD Unit Sales	1291	1372	1452	+6%
YTD New Listings	2281	2546	2114	-17%
YTD Sales/Listings Ratio	57%	54%	69%	+15%
August Volume Sales	\$91,938,510	\$112,592,077	\$240,525,203	+114%
August Unit Sales	181	213	346	+62%
August New Listings	280	331	315	-5%
August Sales/Listing Ratio	65%	64%	110%	+46%
August Average Sale Price	\$507,948	\$528,601	\$695,160	+32%
YTD Sales: Under \$100K	7	7	1	-86%
YTD Sales: \$100K - \$299K	231	168	85	-49%
YTD Sales: \$300K - \$499K	616	616	518	-16%
YTD Sales: \$500K - \$799K	320	416	539	+30%
YTD Sales: \$800K - \$999K	61	78	121	+55%
YTD Sales: \$1M - \$1.499M	41	59	121	+105%
YTD Sales: \$1.5M - \$1.999M	7	20	45	+125%
YTD Sales: \$2M+	8	8	22	+175%
YTD Average Days-On-Market	46	52	45	-13%
YTD Average Sale Price	\$488,475	\$537,409	\$657,256	+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 Sept. 5, 2020. While deemed to be reliable, Royal LePage Locations North assumes no responsibility for errors and omissions.

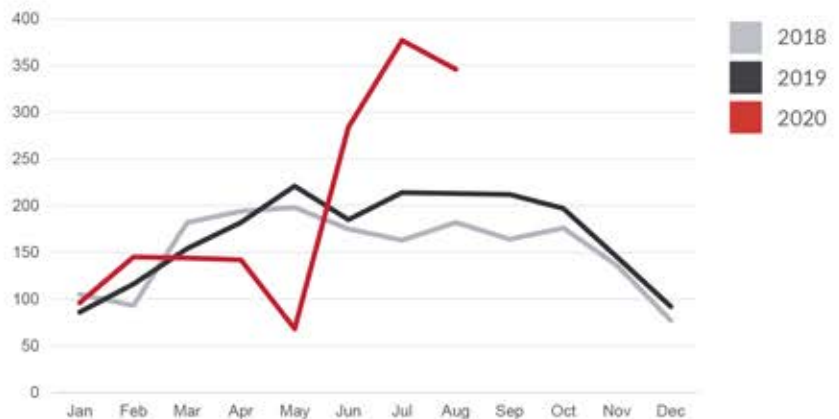
THE MARKET IN DETAIL (cont'd)

Well, the Southern Georgian Bay area registered yet another ginormous sales month. While not quite as big as July – which set new all-time volume and unit sale records – August was a close second, with just **7%** less volume and **9%** fewer units. Who could have imagined, – in the depths of the COVID-19-spooked April market – that by August our region would be on a record clip and close to \$1 billion in volume for 2020? While sales have been strong throughout Canada, there is no doubt that this area, with all it has to offer, is being recognized as a great place to live, and market demand is increasing accordingly. So are average sale prices: 2020's **\$657,256** is up **90%**, **75%**, **39%**, **35%** and **22%** from 2015-2019 respectively.

Graph 3:
Southern Georgian Bay Monthly MLS® Sales
 2018 vs. 2019 vs. 2020 (Volume)



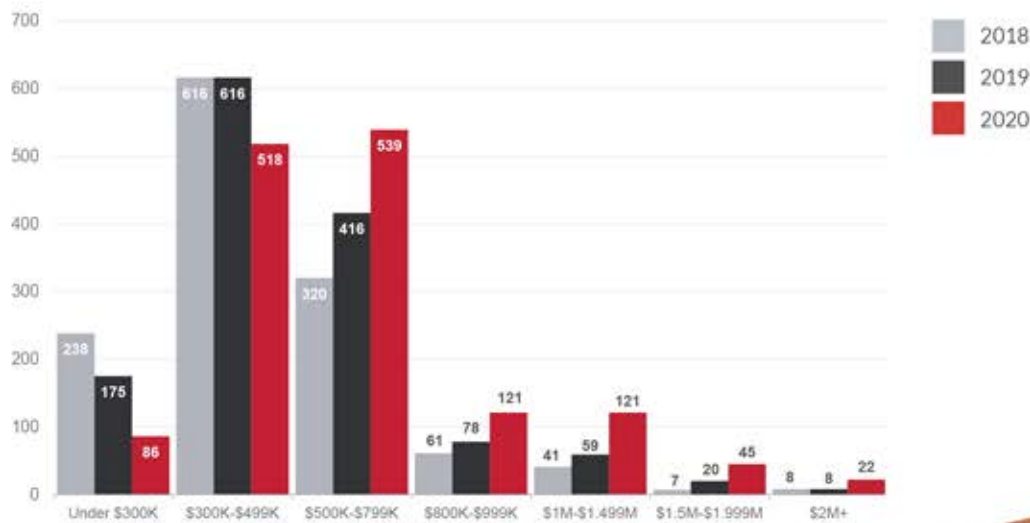
Graph 4:
Southern Georgian Bay Monthly MLS® Sales
 2018 vs. 2019 vs. 2020 (Units)



THE MARKET IN DETAIL (cont'd)

As **Graph 5** shows, 2020 unit sales are up from 2019 in five price ranges and down in two. The \$500K-\$799K, \$800K-\$999K, \$1M-\$1.499M, \$1.5M-\$1.999M and \$2M+ ranges are up **30%**, **55%**, **105%**, **125%** and **175%** respectively. The Under-\$300K and \$300K-\$499K ranges are down **51%** and **16%** respectively. More generally, the Under-\$500K bracket – which accounts for **42%** of 2020's sales – is down **24%** from a year ago. The \$500K-\$999K bracket – which accounts for **45%** of the sales – is up **34%**. And the \$1M+ bracket – which accounts for **13%** of the sales – is up **116%**.

Graph 5:
Southern Georgian Bay MLS® Sales By Price
 2018 vs. 2019 vs. 2020 (Units)

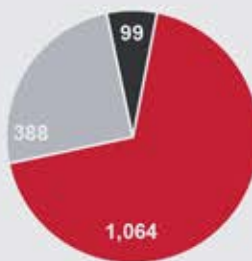
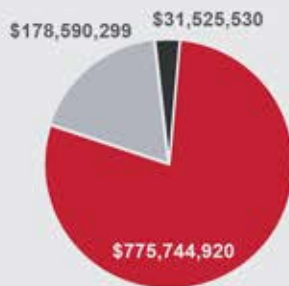


SALES BY PROPERTY TYPE

Graph 6:
Southern Georgian Bay MLS® Sales By Property Type
2018 vs. 2019 vs. 2020 (Dollars and Units)

2020 IN DETAIL

2020



SINGLE-FAMILY HOMES

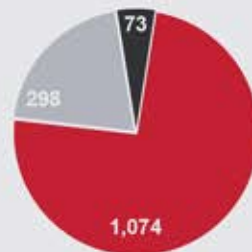
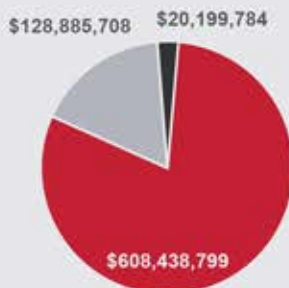
DOLLAR SALES: \$775,744,920
UP 27% from 2019

UNIT SALES: 1064
DOWN 1% from 2019

AV. DAYS-ON-MARKET: 53
UP 2 days from 2019

AV. SALE PRICE: \$729,084
UP 29% from 2019

2019



CONDOMINIUMS

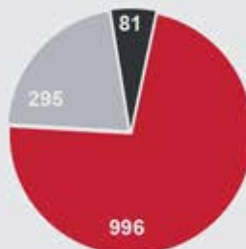
DOLLAR SALES: \$178,590,299
UP 39% from 2019

UNIT SALES: 388
UP 30% from 2019

AV. DAYS-ON-MARKET: 45
DOWN 11 days from 2019

AV. SALE PRICE: \$460,284
UP 6% from 2019

2018



VACANT LAND

DOLLAR SALES: \$31,525,530
UP 56% from 2019

UNIT SALES: 99
UP 37% from 2019

AV. DAYS-ON-MARKET: 96
UP 3 days from 2019

AV. SALE PRICE: \$318,440
UP 15% from 2019

■ Single Family ■ Condominium ■ Vacant Land

SOUTHERN GEORGIAN BAY'S #1 SELLING BROKERAGE

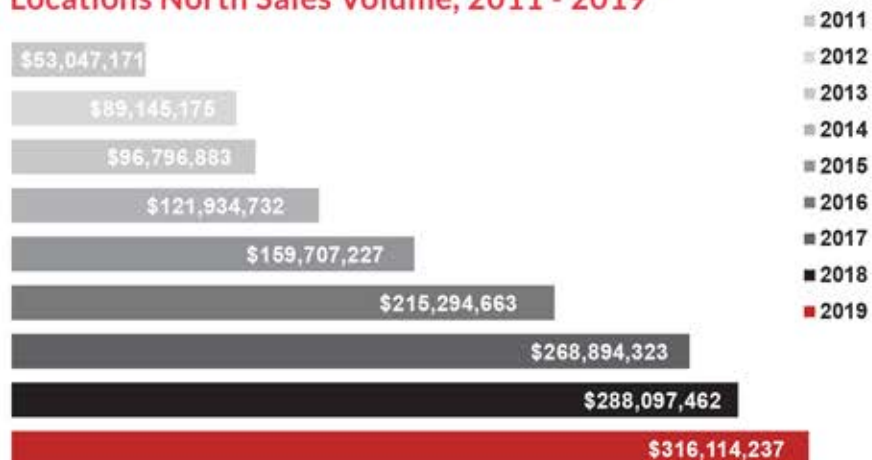
IN 2019:

- ↑ WE HAD OUR 7TH STRAIGHT RECORD YEAR FOR REGIONAL MLS SALES VOLUME
With \$316,114,237 - up 10% from 2018 and up nearly 500% from 2011!
- ↑ WE HAD NEARLY 3 TIMES THE SALES VOLUME, AND MORE THAN 2 TIMES THE SALES UNITS OF OUR CLOSEST REGIONAL COMPETITOR
- ↑ WE WERE #1 IN THE REGIONAL LUXURY HOME MARKET, WITH 2¼ TIMES THE VOLUME OF OUR CLOSEST COMPETITOR



	UNITS	PERCENTAGE	
Royal LePage Locations North	443.25	24.9%	
RE/MAX of Wasaga Beach	202.75	11.4%	
Royal LePage Trinity	153.75	8.6%	
RE/MAX Four Seasons	152.25	8.5%	
Century 21 Millenium	137.25	7.7%	
Chestnut Park	97.5	5.5%	
Clairwood	49	2.7%	
RE/MAX at Blue	46.5	2.6%	
Engel & Volkers	27	1.5%	
Other	473.75	26.6%	

Locations North Sales Volume, 2011 - 2019





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