# **Monthly Indicators**



### **August 2025**

Residential real estate activity in the counties of Grant, Otter Tail, Traverse and Wadena. composed of single-family properties, townhomes and condominiums combined. Percent changes are calculated using rounded figures.

### **Activity Snapshot**

- 6.8%	+ 15.3%	
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# **Activity Overview**

Key metrics by report month and for year-to-date (YTD) starting from the first of the year.

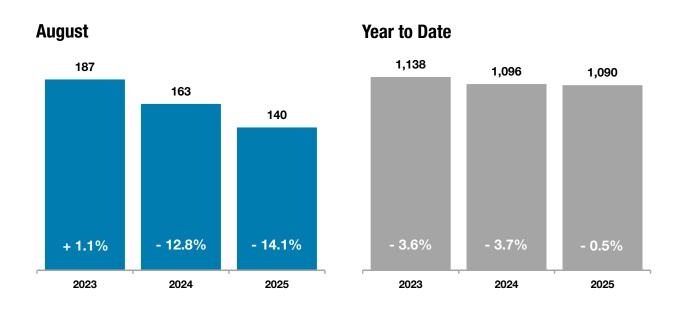


Key Metrics	Historical Sparkbars	8-2024	8-2025	Percent Change	YTD 2024	YTD 2025	Percent Change
New Listings	8-2022 8-2023 8-2024 8-2025	163	140	- 14.1%	1,096	1,090	- 0.5%
Pending Sales	8-2022 8-2023 8-2024 8-2025	105	108	+ 2.9%	764	705	- 7.7%
Closed Sales	8-2022 8-2023 8-2024 8-2025	133	124	- 6.8%	701	652	- 7.0%
Days on Market	8-2022 8-2023 8-2024 8-2025	46	61	+ 32.6%	61	69	+ 13.1%
Median Sales Price	8-2022 8-2023 8-2024 8-2025	\$255,000	\$294,000	+ 15.3%	\$248,000	\$285,000	+ 14.9%
Avg. Sales Price	8-2022 8-2023 8-2024 8-2025	\$341,563	\$352,538	+ 3.2%	\$320,009	\$344,922	+ 7.8%
Pct. of Orig. Price Received	8-2022 8-2023 8-2024 8-2025	95.3%	94.6%	- 0.7%	95.7%	95.2%	- 0.5%
Affordability Index	8-2022 8-2023 8-2024 8-2025	95	81	- 14.7%	97	84	- 13.4%
Homes for Sale	8-2022 8-2023 8-2024 8-2025	416	498	+ 19.7%			
Months Supply	8-2022 8-2023 8-2024 8-2025	4.6	6.1	+ 32.6%			

# **New Listings**

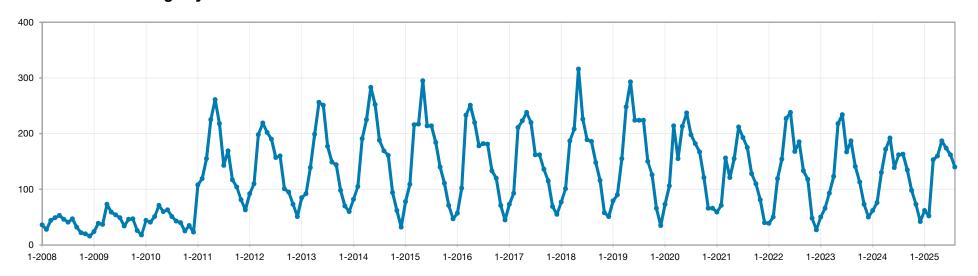
A count of the properties that have been newly listed on the market in a given month.





New Listings		Prior Year	Percent Change
September 2024	135	141	-4.3%
October 2024	98	113	-13.3%
November 2024	73	73	0.0%
December 2024	42	50	-16.0%
January 2025	62	62	0.0%
February 2025	52	76	-31.6%
March 2025	153	130	+17.7%
April 2025	160	172	-7.0%
May 2025	187	192	-2.6%
June 2025	174	139	+25.2%
July 2025	162	162	0.0%
August 2025	140	163	-14.1%
12-Month Avg	120	123	-2.4%

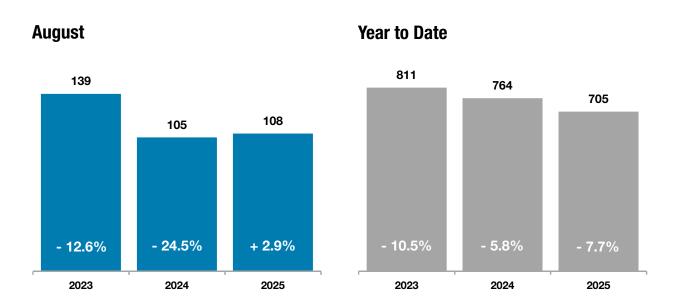
#### **Historical New Listings by Month**



# **Pending Sales**

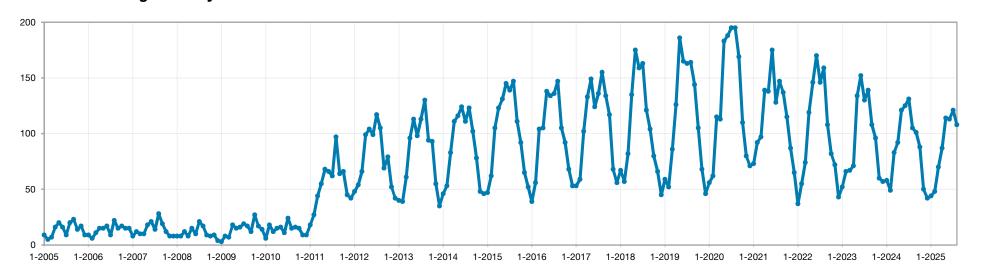
A count of the properties on which offers have been accepted in a given month.





Pending Sales		Prior Year	Percent Change
September 2024	101	108	-6.5%
October 2024	88	96	-8.3%
November 2024	50	60	-16.7%
December 2024	42	57	-26.3%
January 2025	44	58	-24.1%
February 2025	48	49	-2.0%
March 2025	70	83	-15.7%
April 2025	87	92	-5.4%
May 2025	114	121	-5.8%
June 2025	113	125	-9.6%
July 2025	121	131	-7.6%
August 2025	108	105	+2.9%
12-Month Avg	82	90	-8.9%

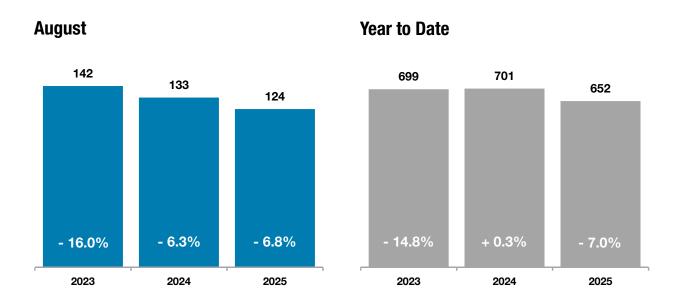
#### **Historical Pending Sales by Month**



### **Closed Sales**

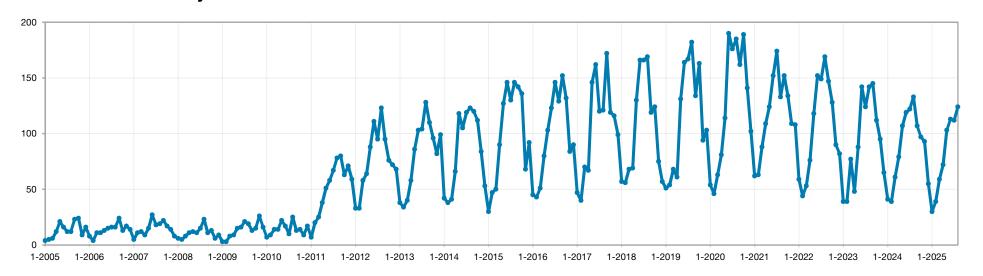
A count of the actual sales that closed in a given month.





Closed Sales		Prior Year	Percent Change
September 2024	107	145	-26.2%
October 2024	97	112	-13.4%
November 2024	93	95	-2.1%
December 2024	55	65	-15.4%
January 2025	30	41	-26.8%
February 2025	39	39	0.0%
March 2025	59	61	-3.3%
April 2025	72	79	-8.9%
May 2025	103	107	-3.7%
June 2025	113	119	-5.0%
July 2025	112	122	-8.2%
August 2025	124	133	-6.8%
12-Month Avg	84	93	-9.7%

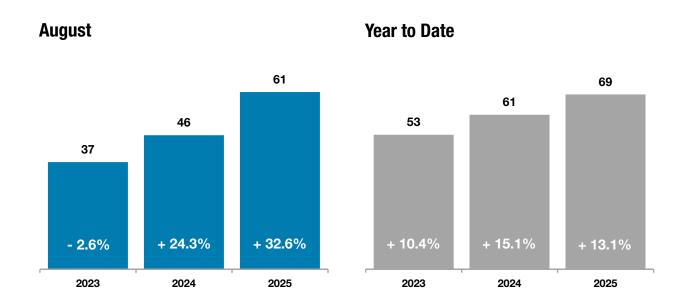
#### **Historical Closed Sales by Month**



### **Days on Market Until Sale**

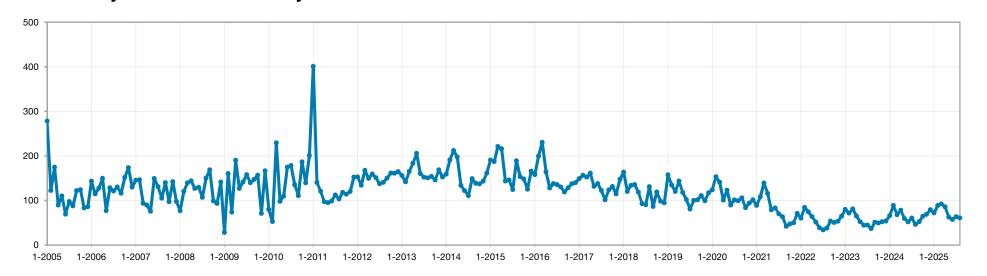
Average number of days between when a property is listed and when an offer is accepted in a given month.





Days on Market		Prior Year	Percent Change
September 2024	52	51	+2.0%
October 2024	65	49	+32.7%
November 2024	69	52	+32.7%
December 2024	79	54	+46.3%
January 2025	72	66	+9.1%
February 2025	88	89	-1.1%
March 2025	92	68	+35.3%
April 2025	86	78	+10.3%
May 2025	62	59	+5.1%
June 2025	57	52	+9.6%
July 2025	63	61	+3.3%
August 2025	61	46	+32.6%
12-Month Avg	71	60	+18.3%

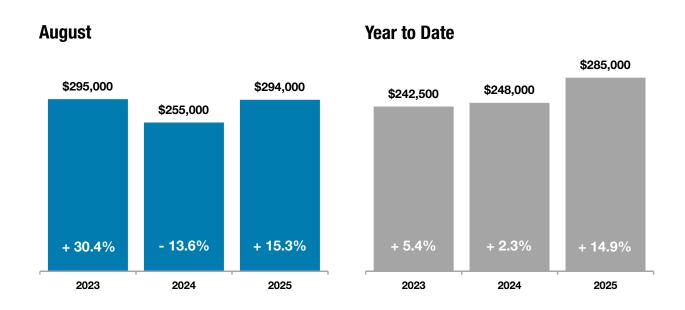
#### **Historical Days on Market Until Sale by Month**



### **Median Sales Price**

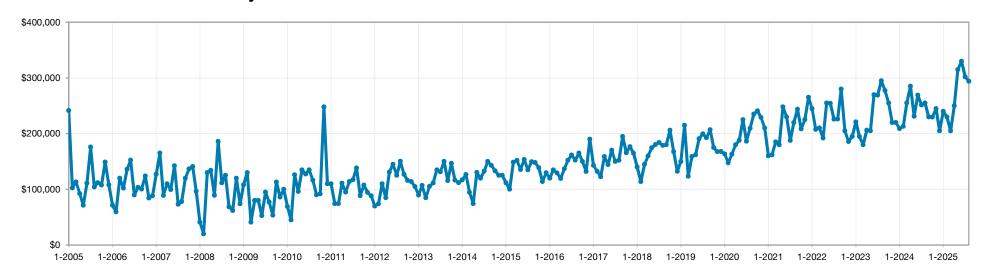






Median Sales Price		Prior Year	Percent Change
September 2024	\$230,000	\$277,500	-17.1%
October 2024	\$229,750	\$255,000	-9.9%
November 2024	\$245,000	\$219,950	+11.4%
December 2024	\$205,000	\$220,000	-6.8%
January 2025	\$239,900	\$209,000	+14.8%
February 2025	\$230,000	\$213,000	+8.0%
March 2025	\$205,000	\$255,000	-19.6%
April 2025	\$250,000	\$285,000	-12.3%
May 2025	\$315,000	\$231,050	+36.3%
June 2025	\$329,950	\$269,000	+22.7%
July 2025	\$302,000	\$251,625	+20.0%
August 2025	\$294,000	\$255,000	+15.3%
12-Month Avg	\$256,300	\$245,094	+4.6%

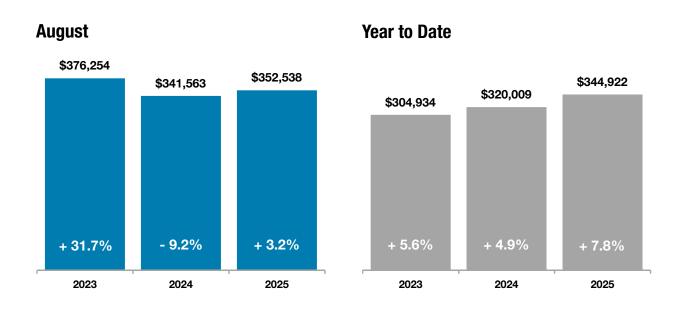
#### **Historical Median Sales Price by Month**



# **Average Sales Price**

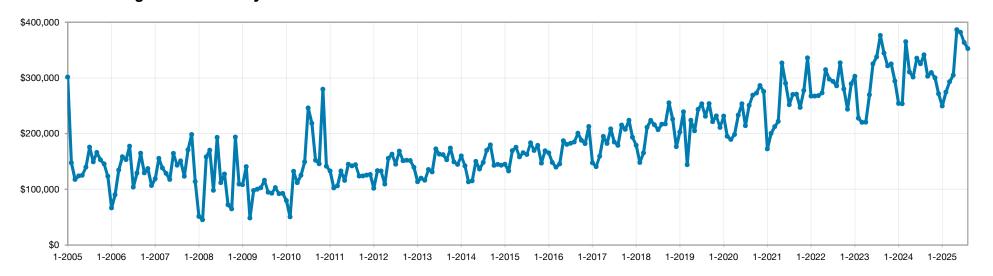
Average sales price for all closed sales, not accounting for seller concessions, in a given month.





Avg. Sales Price		Prior Year	Percent Change
September 2024	\$302,951	\$344,617	-12.1%
October 2024	\$309,610	\$321,712	-3.8%
November 2024	\$299,977	\$325,092	-7.7%
December 2024	\$271,648	\$294,323	-7.7%
January 2025	\$249,638	\$254,228	-1.8%
February 2025	\$274,409	\$253,551	+8.2%
March 2025	\$293,103	\$364,929	-19.7%
April 2025	\$305,082	\$310,623	-1.8%
May 2025	\$386,593	\$301,439	+28.2%
June 2025	\$382,070	\$335,287	+14.0%
July 2025	\$363,431	\$325,255	+11.7%
August 2025	\$352,538	\$341,563	+3.2%
12-Month Avg	\$315,921	\$314,385	+0.5%

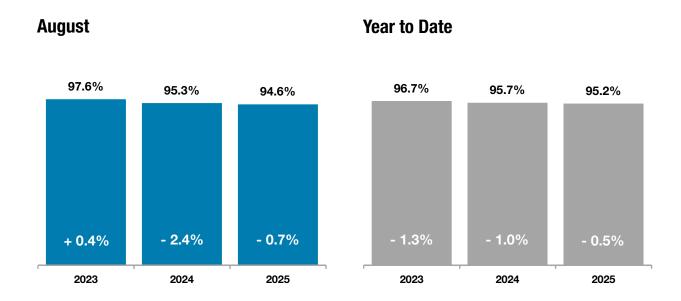
#### **Historical Average Sales Price by Month**



## **Percent of Original List Price Received**

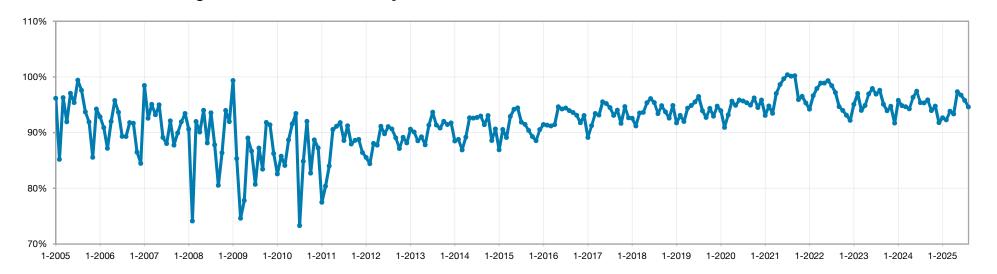


Percentage found when dividing a property's sales price by its original list price, then taking the average for all properties sold in a given month, not accounting for seller concessions.



Pct. of Orig. Price Received		Prior Year	Percent Change
September 2024	95.9%	95.1%	+0.8%
October 2024	94.0%	93.9%	+0.1%
November 2024	94.7%	94.7%	0.0%
December 2024	91.8%	91.7%	+0.1%
January 2025	92.6%	95.8%	-3.3%
February 2025	92.3%	94.8%	-2.6%
March 2025	93.8%	94.6%	-0.8%
April 2025	93.3%	94.3%	-1.1%
May 2025	97.3%	96.3%	+1.0%
June 2025	96.7%	97.4%	-0.7%
July 2025	95.8%	95.4%	+0.4%
August 2025	94.6%	95.3%	-0.7%
12-Month Avg	94.4%	95.0%	-0.6%

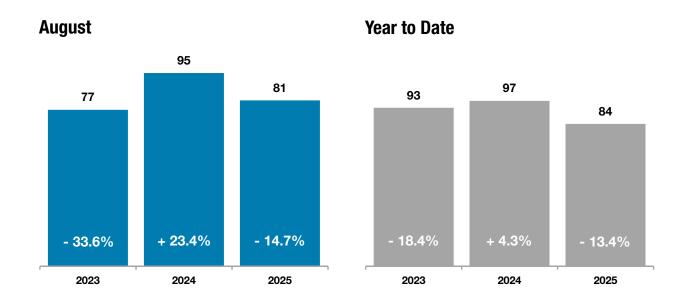
#### **Historical Percent of Original List Price Received by Month**



## **Housing Affordability Index**

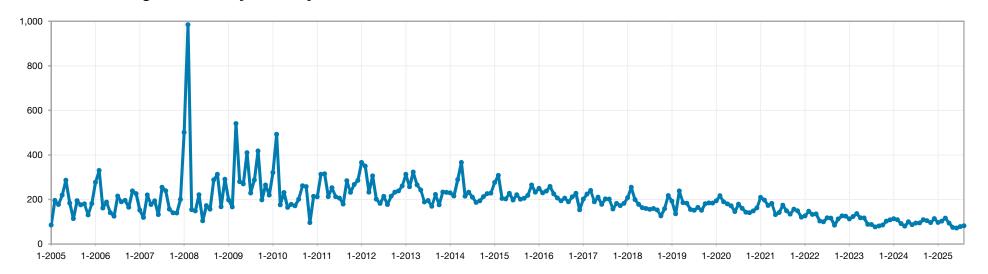


This index measures housing affordability for the region. For example, an index of 120 means the median household income is 120% of what is necessary to qualify for the median-priced home under prevailing interest rates. A higher number means greater affordability.



Affordability Index		Prior Year	Percent Change
September 2024	108	81	+33.3%
October 2024	104	85	+22.4%
November 2024	96	102	-5.9%
December 2024	114	108	+5.6%
January 2025	97	113	-14.2%
February 2025	102	109	-6.4%
March 2025	116	91	+27.5%
April 2025	94	80	+17.5%
May 2025	74	100	-26.0%
June 2025	71	87	-18.4%
July 2025	78	93	-16.1%
August 2025	81	95	-14.7%
12-Month Avg	95	95	0.0%

#### **Historical Housing Affordability Index by Month**

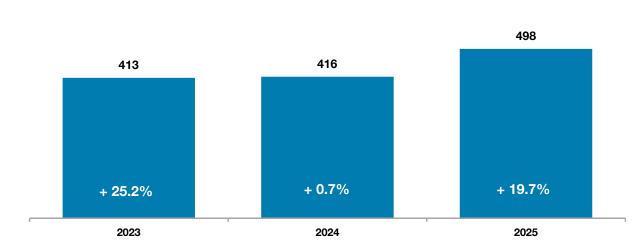


# **Inventory of Homes for Sale**

The number of properties available for sale in active status at the end of a given month.

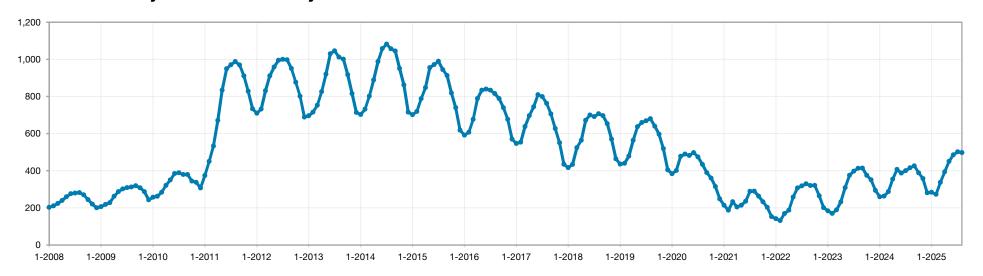


#### **August**



	Prior Year	Percent Change
426	414	+2.9%
389	375	+3.7%
358	351	+2.0%
281	294	-4.4%
284	260	+9.2%
273	263	+3.8%
337	287	+17.4%
394	355	+11.0%
450	407	+10.6%
486	387	+25.6%
502	400	+25.5%
498	416	+19.7%
390	351	+11.1%
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#### **Historical Inventory of Homes for Sale by Month**

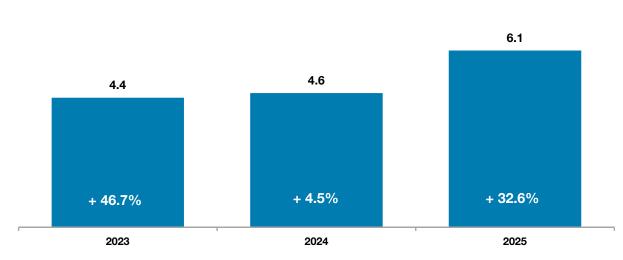


# **Months Supply of Inventory**



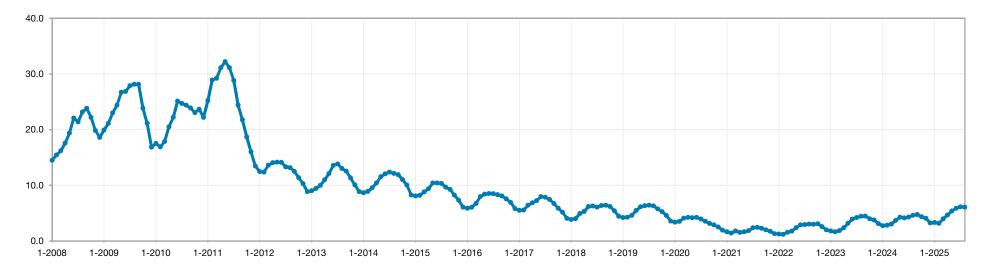






Months Supply		Prior Year	Percent Change
September 2024	4.7	4.5	+4.4%
October 2024	4.4	4.0	+10.0%
November 2024	4.1	3.8	+7.9%
December 2024	3.2	3.1	+3.2%
January 2025	3.3	2.7	+22.2%
February 2025	3.2	2.8	+14.3%
March 2025	4.0	3.0	+33.3%
April 2025	4.7	3.7	+27.0%
May 2025	5.4	4.3	+25.6%
June 2025	5.9	4.2	+40.5%
July 2025	6.1	4.3	+41.9%
August 2025	6.1	4.6	+32.6%
12-Month Avg	4.6	3.7	+24.3%

#### **Historical Months Supply of Inventory by Month**



### **Area Overview**



New Listings, Closed Sales, and Median Sales Price are based on year-to-date (YTD) figures. Homes for Sale and Months Supply are based on monthly figures.

	<b>New Listings</b>			<b>Closed Sales</b>			<b>Median Sales Price</b>			<b>Homes for Sale</b>			<b>Months Supply</b>		
	YTD 2024	YTD 2025	+/-	YTD 2024	YTD 2025	+/-	YTD 2024	YTD 2025	+/-	8-2024	8-2025	+/-	8-2024	8-2025	+/-
Ashby	15	17	+13.3%	9	12	+33.3%	\$300,000	\$283,750	-5.4%	7	5	-28.6%	4.0	2.8	-29.7%
Battle Lake	44	51	+15.9%	20	23	+15.0%	\$397,500	\$459,900	+15.7%	19	32	+68.4%	6.8	9.3	+36.5%
Dalton	6	9	+50.0%	4	5	+25.0%	\$202,500	\$374,900	+85.1%	2	5	+150.0%	2.0	3.6	+78.6%
Elbow Lake	20	24	+20.0%	17	18	+5.9%	\$195,000	\$166,950	-14.4%	7	7	0.0%	2.4	3.2	+33.3%
Fergus Falls	181	188	+3.9%	149	148	-0.7%	\$220,000	\$246,950	+12.3%	42	51	+21.4%	2.2	2.8	+25.3%
Henning	26	19	-26.9%	17	14	-17.6%	\$215,000	\$189,550	-11.8%	7	5	-28.6%	3.2	2.3	-28.6%
New York Mills	31	17	-45.2%	17	13	-23.5%	\$147,000	\$165,000	+12.2%	13	9	-30.8%	5.4	5.3	-2.3%
Ottertail	35	38	+8.6%	17	18	+5.9%	\$330,000	\$379,950	+15.1%	14	20	+42.9%	5.9	8.1	+37.6%
Perham	77	54	-29.9%	47	35	-25.5%	\$248,000	\$332,350	+34.0%	33	31	-6.1%	6.0	6.3	+5.1%
Wadena	60	50	-16.7%	47	38	-19.1%	\$196,450	\$162,500	-17.3%	19	22	+15.8%	3.4	3.9	+17.5%