Ottawa ONTARIO



2020 MARKET OUTLOOK:

ESTIMATED AVERAGE RESIDENTIAL SALES PRICE IN 2020:

2019 (Jan-Oct): **\$393,978** 2020 (Forecast): **\$417,616**

16%

- The RE/MAX average residential sale price expectation for Ottawa in 2020 is +6% due to existing market momentum, despite being a more stable market in the past.
- Low inventory and high demand in Ottawa and surrounding communities is expected to have an impact on the market going into 2020.
- · Move-up, first-time and move-over homebuyers are expected to continue driving demand.









2019 MARKET OVERVIEW:

AVERAGE RESIDENTIAL SALES PRICE:

2018 (full year): **\$352,711** 2019 (Jan-Oct): **\$393,978** **★11.7%**

Ottawa is currently experiencing a seller's market due to its low inventory. While the city is generally affordable, low inventory is putting pressure on the market, affecting first-time homebuyers. The up-and-running LRT has resulted in surrounding residential development, particularly high-rise condominiums. Condominiums and townhomes tend to see the most activity in the region, due to their relative affordability compared to other property types.

FIRST-TIME BUYER



Typical Buyer: Single Millennials, young families and young couples Typical Property: Condos and townhomes Typical Price Range in 2019: \$350K-\$500K

LUXURY MARKET



Typical Buyer: Move-up buyers **Starting Price for a Luxury Home:** \$750K

CONDO MARKET



Typical Buyer: Single Millennials, young couples, retirees/downsizers **Typical Property:** 1 bedroom plus den **Average sale price for condos:** \$300K

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