CENTRAL OKANAGAN APRIL 2016

The first 4 months of 2016 have performed along with the real estate trend currently sweeping many parts of our province. This year to date there have been 2,139 sales compared to 1,664 sales last year. This is an increase of 28.5%. Close to \$1 Billion has traded hands in 2016 so far for an increase of 41% over last year's aggregate of \$702 Million. Single family detached homes showed a 19.5% increase in sales rising from 808 units to 966 units. Strata apartment sales total 446 this year to date which is up 45% from 307 units last year. Townhouse sales were up 24.5% from 252 units to 314 units in 2016.

Inventory is still declining as current units sit at 2,911 compared to 3,629 last year. As increased sales pressure absorbs new inventory, this is expected to continue, causing shortage of inventory in lower price ranges.

The median price for a detached single family home now sits at \$520,000 compared to \$470,000 last year. The average house price is \$560,000 compared to \$492,700 last year.

Our first quarter market survey revealed that 63% of the buyers in this market are local while 12% are from Vancouver and 6% from other parts of BC. Therefore, 81% of our buyers are from BC with only 8% coming from Alberta. The other parts of Canada, US and the rest of the world only make up 10% of our market.

Source: OMREB

Total Active Residential

Residential Units Sold

All Categories (Month)

Median House Price (YTD) \$520,000

Average House Price (YTD) \$559,500

Average Days to Sell (Res)

Listing Inventory

Number of Sales

Price Ratio

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Comparative Statistics Strata Properties

	APRIL 2016				
	<u>Apartment</u>		Townho	Townhouse	
	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>	
Listing Inventory	424	575	272	378	
Units Sold (Month)	162	102	105	81	
Av. Days to Sell (Y.T.D)	63	89	76	65	



Central Okanagan

Comparative Statistics

APRIL 2016

<u>2016</u>

878

383

58

97.9%

822

2015

1139

292

69

97.4%

556

\$470,000

\$492,700

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Central Okanagan Quick Summary

	April	March	April	
	<u>2016</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>	
otal Units Sold	822	636	556	
otal Sales Volume	\$395 Million	\$300 Million	\$240 Million	
esidential Units Sold	383	303	292	
es. Sales Volume	\$216 Million	\$172 Million	\$146 Million	
otal Listings Taken	1,054	1,133	1,006	
otal Listing Inventory	2,911	2,921	3,629	