2018 Market Report

Carmel, Carmel-by-the-Sea, Carmel Valley, Pebble Beach, Carmel Highlands, Big Sur & South Coast







Letter from Courtney

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Dear Friends,

Thope you enjoy this year's annual report. We sliced and diced the numbers and we are excited to share our findings in the coming pages. Overall, sales volume and prices were up in 2018, largely due to increased activity in the \$5M and over market. Although the actual number of sales declined from the previous year. However, if you look at just the \$5M and under market sales were completely flat. Nationally, the real estate outlook for 2019 is downbeat. Carmel seems to be humming along, but Pebble Beach has slowed, particularly in the last 6 months where we haven't seen any sales over \$8M.

We've also taken a close look as to where our buyers are coming from. There hasn't been a single buyer outside of the United States in Carmel or Pebble Beach who purchased a home over \$1.5M since June, 2017. Consistent with our findings from last year's study, the majority of buyers are still coming from the greater San Francisco Bay Area, while a smaller hand full are from the greater Los Angeles areas and Texas.

While Q4 was off about 30% from the rest of the year, it's too early to predict where 2019 is headed on the Monterey Peninsula. One thing is certain, however, accurately pricing new listings will be critical as we don't expect any price appreciation. A transitional marketplace stills presents many opportunities, and you can be certain that I'll work as intelligently as I can to help you navigate the changing environment.



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Best,

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3187 Cortez Road, Pebble Beach • \$7,500,000 Represented Buyer

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26 Village Drive, Carmel Valley • \$875,000 Represented Seller





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↑ 12% vs 2017



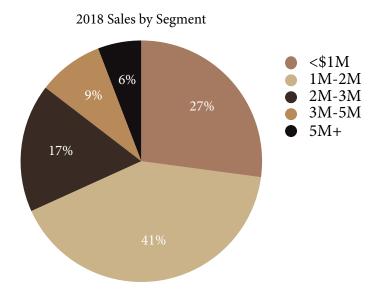
Average Selling Price

Sales Volume

\$1,863,863

About Carmel

The Carmel market saw a 12% increase in average sales price over 2017 and an increase in overall sales volume of 6%. The 2018 Carmel market was driven primarily by sales in the \$1M-2M range although the number of sales over \$5M nearly doubled from 11 in 2017 to 20 last year. Sales were fairly balanced throughout the year with a slight decline in Q4.



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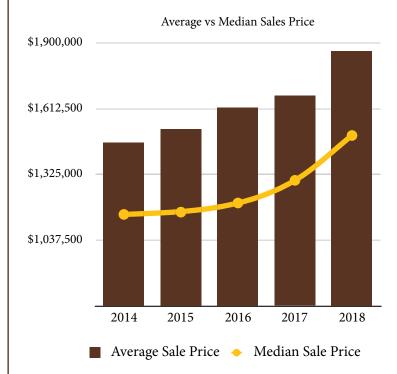


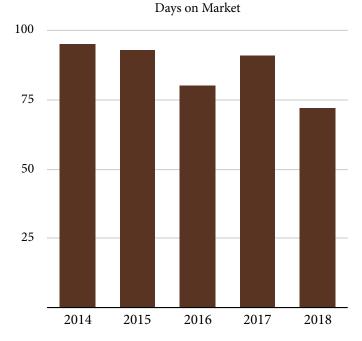


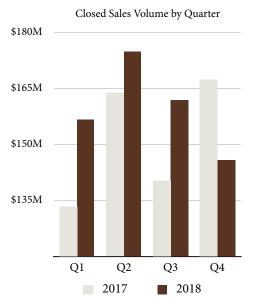


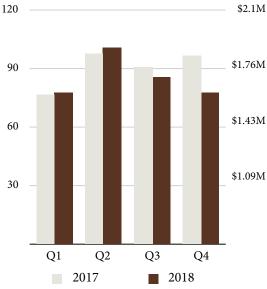
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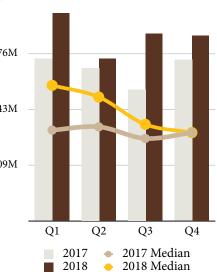






Closed Sales by Quarter

Average vs Median Sales Price by Quarter





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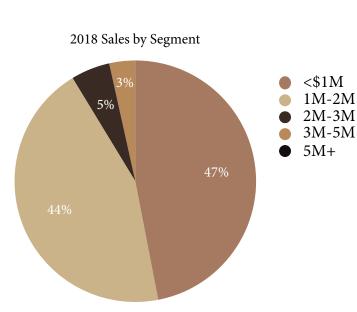
About Carmel Valley

Carmel Valley's average sales price increased by 18% to \$1,223,985. While there were 10 sales above \$2M in 2018 compared to 5 in 2017, 47% of all sales were under \$1M and 44% in \$1M-2M range. The majority of the sales took place in Q2 & Q3. Average Selling Price



\$140M

Sales Volume



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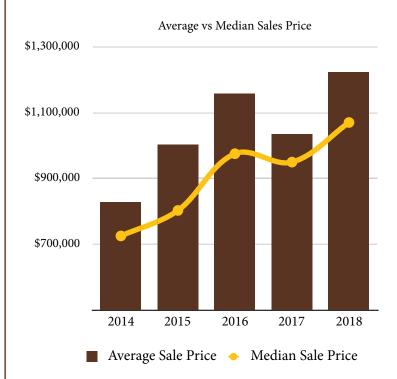
Days on Market **82**

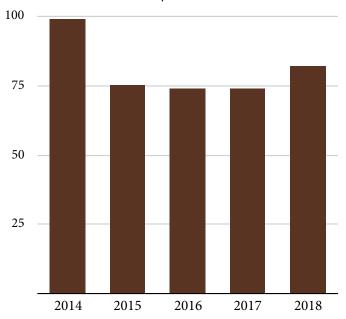


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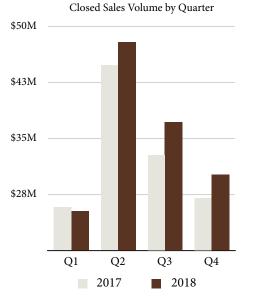
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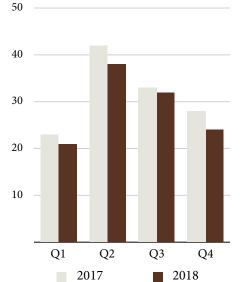
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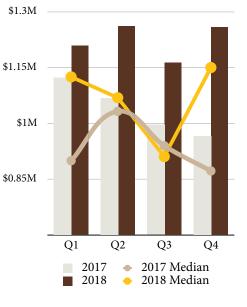
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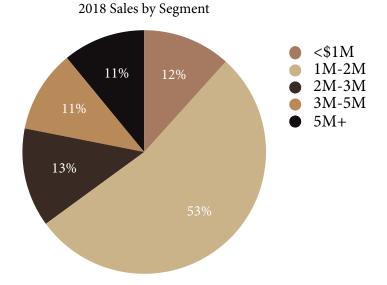
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About Pebble Beach

The average sales price in Pebble Beach was up an impressive 27% to \$2,763,957. This increase was driven by 15 sales above \$5M, two of which were above \$25M. Transactions in the \$1M-2M range were steady and represented 53% of the market. Total sales in Q4 accounted for only 11% of 2018 volume, driven primarily by a significant slowdown at the higher end price ranges.



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Average Selling Price



Sales Volume



Units Sold **137**

↑ <u>3%</u>_{vs 2017}

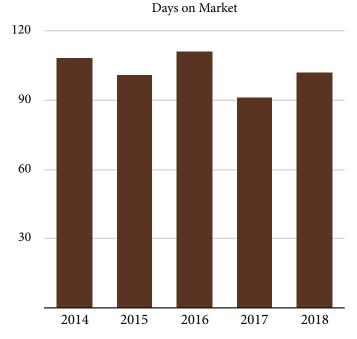


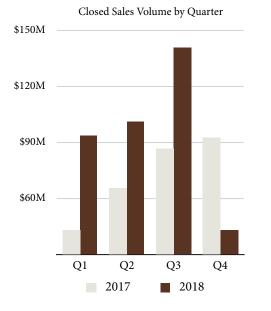


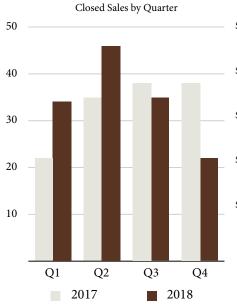
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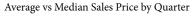
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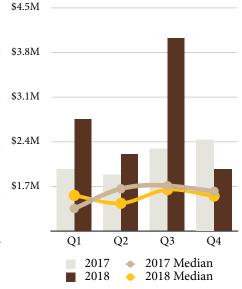














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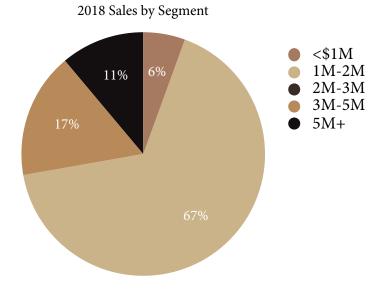
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About Carmel Highlands

The Carmel Highlands, South Coast and Big Sur markets experienced an increase of 38% in number of units sold from 13 to 18 sales. The average sales price in this market increased by almost 20% to \$2,938,700. The total sales volume increased over 50% to \$53M in 2018 versus the previous two years which were effected by limited access to those markets in 2016 and 2017.



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Average Selling Price \$2,938,700 ↑ 19% vs 2017

> Sales Volume \$53M \$65% vs 2017



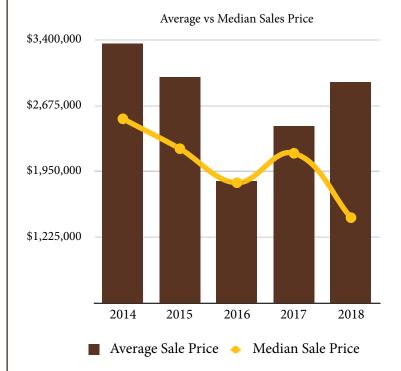
Days on Market **247**

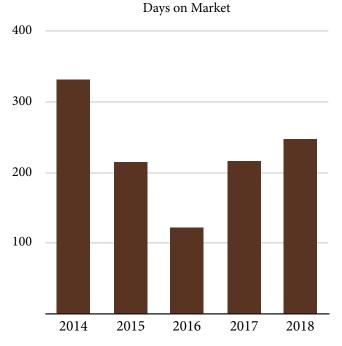


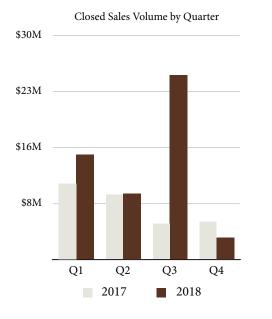


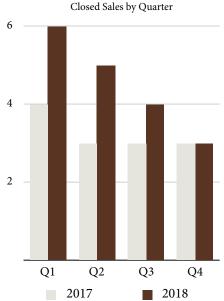
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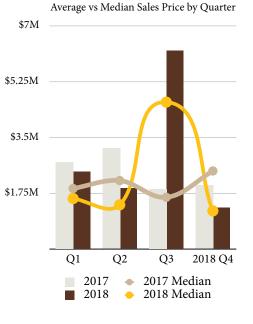
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