

NORTH FORK 2nd Quarter 2008 Home Sales Report

Town and Country Real Estate monitors 4 North Fork markets and Riverhead quarterly, as well as a separate report on Hamptons Home Sales activity. Looking at the statistics for 2nd Quarter 2008 we note the deviations are more mild on the North Fork than on the South Fork, possibly an indication the North Fork markets will realize a balanced market soon.

JAMESPORT (which includes Aquebogue, Baiting Hollow and South Jamesport) saw the same Homes Sold (25) for the 1st Quarter 2008 as the same period last year, and the Median Sale Price rose 3.6% from \$429,510 in '07 to \$445,000 in 2008. It was a good Spring for Jamesport.

The North Fork market hit the hardest in 2nd Quarter 2008 was MATTITUCK (which includes Laurel and Cutchogue) with 21 Home Sales in 2008 vs. 57 in 2007, this is a drop of 63%. Furthermore, there was a 22% drop in Median Sale Price from \$592,000 in 2007 to \$460,000 in 2008. Also in MATTITUCK we note only 2 Home Sales Over \$1M for the entire 2nd Quarter 2008, off from the 6 posted in 2007.

SOUTHOLD (which includes New Suffolk and Peconic) saw a slowdown in the Number of Home Sales (-32.5%), yet the Median Sale Price rose a considerable 9.35% from \$535,000 in 2nd Quarter 2007 to \$585,000 in 2008.

A look at ALL NORTH FORK MARKETS COMBINED clearly demonstrates the Spring trend of fewer home sales with 134 in 2008 vs. 206 in 2007 or a 35% drop, yet only a slight dip in Median Sale Price from \$500,000 to \$468,750 2nd Quarter 2007 to 2nd Quarter 2008 respectively. In the 1st Quarter 2008 there were 97 Home Sales or 46% less than same period in 2007.

2nd Quarter 2008 also posted 7 Home Sales Over \$1M for a decline of 66% difference from the 21 in 2nd Quarter '07. This trend makes for many opportunities for a savvy investor.

The turning point is here. On July 30th, President Bush signed legislation injecting \$300 billion dollars aimed at rescueing homeowners facing possible foreclosure. This significant housing bill will help to stabilize the home sale market and become a platform for future growth. Read more on http://www.cnbc.com/id/25928370/for/cnbc/.

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North Fork 2008 Quarterly Statistics Jamesport (Includes Aquebogue, Baiting Hollow and South Jamesport)

Sales

Under 500K

14

-12.50%

16

Sales

Under 500K

13

-27.78%

18

Sales

Under 500K

-56.25%

16

Sales

Under 500K

17

+13.33%

15

Sales

Under 500K

26

-25.71%

35

Sales

Under 500K

77

-23.00%

100

All North Fork Markets Combined

Riverhead (Includes Calverton)

Orient
(Includes East Marion and Greenport)

Southold
(Includes New Suffolk and Peconic)

Mattituck (Includes Laurel and Cutchogue)

Total Sales

Volume

13,064,318

-16.00%

15,552,360

Total Sales

Volume

13,341,000

-67.29%

40,785,930

Total Sales

Volume

17,798,500

-36.03%

27,823,992

Total Sales

Volume

10,979,887

44.44%

19,760,850

Total Sales

Volume

19,069,110

-22.70%

24,669,771

Total Sales

Volume

74,252,815

-42.26%

128,592,903

of Sales

25

25

of Sales

21

-63.16%

57

of Sales

27

-32.50%

40

of Sales

24

-25.00%

32

of Sales

37

-28.85%

52

of Sales

134

-34.95%

206

2nd Q 2008

2nd Q 2007

2nd Q 2008

2nd Q 2008

2nd Q 2007

2nd Q 2008

2nd Q 2007

2nd Q 2008

2nd Q 2007

2nd Q 2008

Change 2nd Q 2007

Change

Change

Change

Change 2nd Q 2007

Change

Median Sales

Price

445,000

+3.61%

429,510

Median Sales

Price

460,000

-22.30%

592,000

Median Sales

Price

585,000

+9.35%

535,000

Median Sales

Price

436,500

-17.17%

527,000

Median Sales

Price

350,000

-5.06%

368,670

Median Sales

Price

468,750

-6.25%

500,000

Sales

\$500k to

\$999K

10

+42.86%

Sales

\$500k to

\$999K

6

-81.82%

33

Sales

\$500k to

\$999K

17

-5.56%

18

Sales

\$500k to

\$999K

7

-46.15%

13

Sales

\$500k to

\$999K

10

-28.57%

14

Sales

\$500k to

\$999K

50

-41.18%

85

Sales

\$3.5M to

4.99M

-100.00%

Sales

\$3.5M to

4.99M

1

Sales

\$3.5M to

4.99M

1

1

Sales

\$5M+

Sales \$1M # Sales \$2M

to 3.49M

Sales \$2M

to 3.49M

-100.00%

2

Sales \$2M

to 3.49M

-100.00%

Sales \$2M

to 3.49M

Sales \$2M

to 3.49M

Sales \$2M

to 3.49M

-100.00%

3

to 1.99M

Sales \$1M

to 1.99M

2

-50.00%

Sales \$1M

to 1.99M

3

-40.00%

Sales \$1M

to 1.99M

-100.00%

Sales \$1M

to 1.99M

-100.00%

Sales \$1MI

to 1.99M

6

-64.71%

17