North Central Virginia

July 2024 Housing Market Report

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Data as of August 6, 2024

Key Market Statistics	Jul 2024	Jul 2023	Change	YTD 2024	YTD 2023	Change
Closed Sales	1,587	1,452	+9.3%	9,869	9,701	+1.7%
Median Sold Price	\$490,000	\$469,999	+4.3%	\$484,000	\$450,625	+7.4%
Median Days on Market	9 days	7 days	+2 days	8 days	8 days	+0 days
New Pending Sales	1,614	1,604	+0.6%	10,599	10,490	+1.0%
New Listings	1,766	1,649	+7.1%	13,167	12,429	+5.9%
Active Listings	2,483	2,085	+19.1%	2,483	2,085	+19.1%
Months of Supply	1.83	1.45	+0.38 mos.	1.83	1.45	+0.38 mos.
Showings	24,225	26,825	-9.7%	180,359	194,362	-7.2%

Housing Market Trends

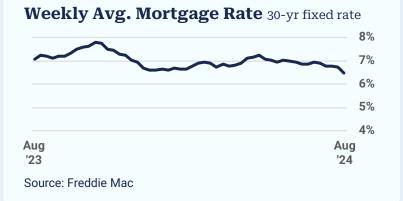
As inventory improves, closed sales activity beats out 2023. In North Central Virginia, sales activity in 2023 was hindered by higher mortgage rates and a lack of supply. In 2024, there have been gains in new listings compared to last year. The number of new listings coming onto the market is also higher than the number of new pending sales. As a result, inventory is on the rise, with 2,483 homes on the market at the end of July 2024, up 19.1% from July 2023.

Mortgage rates haven't changed much, lingering around 7% for much of 2024. Nonetheless, more buyers have been enticed into the market with the additional inventory. Closed sales were 9.3% higher in July 2024 and sales year-to-date are up slightly (+1.7%).

Prices continue to increase but buyers today are seeing small shifts as inventory grows. The median days on market was nine days in July 2024 compared to only seven days in July 2023. The market pace should continue to slow for the remainder of the year.

Market Outlook

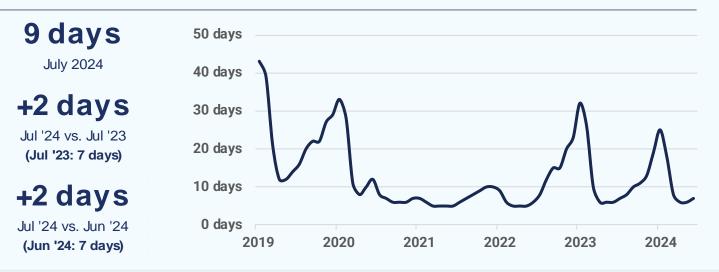
Declining mortgage rates in the fall will spur more activity in the North Central Virginia region, both from buyers and sellers. Closed sales at the end of 2024 should be higher than what was tallied for 2023, though activity gains will be modest. The market still faces a dearth of inventory, with current supply less than half of what was available pre-pandemic, and affordability challenges will continue to hinder some prospective homebuyers.



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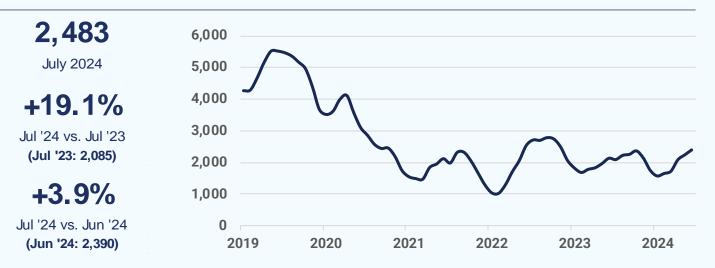


Median Days on Market





Active Listings



	Closed Sales		Median Sales Price		Median Days on Market	
Local Markets	Jul '24	vs. Jul '23	Jul '24	vs. Jul '23	Jul '24	vs. Jul '23
North Central VA	1,587	+9.3%	\$490,000	+4.3%	9 days	+2 days
Caroline County, VA	46	+0.0%	\$385,450	+0.1%	20 days	-1 day
Clarke County, VA	13	+30.0%	\$340,000	-29.2%	6 days	-2 days
Culpeper County, VA	69	+53.3%	\$462,000	+6.9%	18 days	+12 days
Fauquier County, VA	94	+34.3%	\$587,000	+1.2%	8 days	+3 days
Frederick County, VA	129	-5.1%	\$440,000	+13.1%	23 days	+15 days
Fredericksburg City, VA	26	-3.7%	\$497,450	-2.7%	16 days	+8 days
King George County, VA	38	+26.7%	\$499,200	+32.1%	9 days	+2 days
Madison County, VA	8	-27.3%	\$415,278	+0.1%	15 days	-9 days
Manassas City, VA	36	+2.9%	\$477,500	-2.6%	7 days	+1 day
Manassas Park City, VA	8	-63.6%	\$371,250	-9.7%	7 days	+1 day
Orange County, VA	57	+26.7%	\$405,000	-1.2%	17 days	+5 days
Page County, VA	26	+13.0%	\$267,000	-33.3%	21 days	+10 days
Prince William County, VA	522	+10.4%	\$591,740	+9.6%	6 days	+0 days
Rappahannock County, VA	4	-33.3%	\$1,050,000	+103.1%	58 days	+39 days
Shenandoah County, VA	48	-15.8%	\$312,500	+0.8%	11 days	+4 days
Spotsylvania County, VA	188	+17.5%	\$472,500	+5.6%	10 days	+0 days
Stafford County, VA	172	-11.3%	\$535,000	+5.2%	11 days	+4 days
Warren County, VA	70	+66.7%	\$384,250	+6.1%	19 days	+8 days
Winchester City, VA	33	+65.0%	\$365,000	+21.7%	11 days	-3 days

	New Pending Sales		New I	istings	Shov	vings
Local Markets	Jul '24	vs. Jul '23	Jul '24	vs. Jul '23	Jul '24	vs. Jul '23
North Central VA	1,614	+0.6%	1,766	+7.1%	24,225	-9.7%
Caroline County, VA	51	+10.9%	64	+8.5%	360	-29.1%
Clarke County, VA	10	-16.7%	22	+10.0%	127	-52.3%
Culpeper County, VA	60	+1.7%	52	-10.3%	650	+26.2%
Fauquier County, VA	81	+9.5%	79	-7.1%	1,093	-21.5%
Frederick County, VA	131	-4.4%	170	+15.6%	1,616	-10.1%
Fredericksburg City, VA	34	+17.2%	34	+3.0%	403	-10.8%
King George County, VA	26	-35.0%	28	-26.3%	385	-7.5%
Madison County, VA	18	+50.0%	17	+21.4%	129	+22.9%
Manassas City, VA	54	-8.5%	52	-10.3%	767	-37.3%
Manassas Park City, VA	17	-32.0%	14	-39.1%	222	-28.2%
Orange County, VA	57	-23.0%	84	+0.0%	604	-36.2%
Page County, VA	35	+34.6%	31	-13.9%	278	+6.1%
Prince William County, VA	502	-0.8%	512	+7.1%	9,752	-9.1%
Rappahannock County, VA	4	-33.3%	11	+83.3%	79	+0.0%
Shenandoah County, VA	60	+1.7%	57	+9.6%	628	-0.8%
Spotsylvania County, VA	185	+18.6%	196	+5.9%	2,632	-1.4%
Stafford County, VA	185	-4.6%	233	+23.9%	3,108	-1.1%
Warren County, VA	67	+8.1%	67	+13.6%	860	-19.9%
Winchester City, VA	37	+32.1%	43	+65.4%	532	+74.4%

	Active	Listings	Months of Supply		
Local Markets	Jul '24	vs. Jul '23	Jul '24	vs. Jul '23	
North Central VA	2,483	+19.1%	1.83	+0.38 months	
Caroline County, VA	79	-12.2%	1.98	-0.22 months	
Clarke County, VA	37	+5.7%	2.47	+0.14 months	
Culpeper County, VA	104	+7.2%	2.17	+0.01 months	
Fauquier County, VA	139	-19.7%	1.88	-0.56 months	
Frederick County, VA	289	+39.6%	2.49	+0.63 months	
Fredericksburg City, VA	52	+8.3%	2.36	+0.58 months	
King George County, VA	58	-12.1%	1.76	-0.44 months	
Madison County, VA	39	+18.2%	3.55	+0.25 months	
Manassas City, VA	41	+10.8%	1.05	+0.15 months	
Manassas Park City, VA	13	+0.0%	0.81	-0.12 months	
Orange County, VA	153	+17.7%	2.68	+0.18 months	
Page County, VA	60	+5.3%	2.73	+0.14 months	
Prince William County, VA	510	+30.8%	1.21	+0.37 months	
Rappahannock County, VA	38	+40.7%	7.60	+3.1 months	
Shenandoah County, VA	109	+39.7%	2.22	+0.83 months	
Spotsylvania County, VA	300	+10.3%	2.00	+0.3 months	
Stafford County, VA	270	+25.0%	1.73	+0.59 months	
Warren County, VA	137	+75.6%	2.80	+1.3 months	
Winchester City, VA	55	+44.7%	2.12	+0.6 months	

Local Market Map

- MD/WV Panhandle
 North Central Virginia
 Washington D.C., Metro Area
 Central Pennsylvania
 Baltimore Metro Area
- Southern Maryland
 Maryland Eastern Shore
 Philadelphia Metro Area
 Del/Mar Coastal

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