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Buyers in Southwest Florida see an increase in inventory signaling a return to a buyer's market.

Fort Myers and Cape Coral, FL – "January 2023 housing market statistics show more availability of homes in inventory for buyers, but with a slight increase in the housing price," said Jack Martin, 2023 Royal Palm Coast Realtors[®] Association President. "The market is starting to adjust to a more even playing field for both buyers and sellers."

Single Family Residential Market Summary

For the RPCRA single family residential market, the median sold price was \$389,000, up 3.7% from December's \$375,000 median sold price. The number of closed sales as 822, which was 13.0% less than December with an increase of 47.2% in the number of new listings at 1,843. The number of active listings at the end of January was 4,098, an increase of 1.3% from the prior month. The median days on market was 31 up 19.2% from the prior month. Finally, the months supply of inventory rose to 5.0, up 16.5% from the prior month signaling a return to a buyer's market.

Condo/Townhouse Market Summary

For the RPCRA condo and townhouse market, the median sold price was \$272,000, down 9.3% from December's \$307,000 median sold price. The number of closed sales was 256, down 13.5% from December with median days on market up 6.7% at 17 from December. The number of new listings at the end of January was 622, a drop of 2.6% from the prior month. The median days on market was 16, up 6.7% from the prior month. Finally, the months supply of inventory increased 31.0% from December at 4.4.

For more information on this month's market stats, visit the RPCRA MLS Statistics.

To learn more about Royal Palm Coast Realtor® Association and membership, visit <u>RPCRA.org</u>.

The Royal Palm Coast Realtor[®] Association was chartered in 1922 as the Fort Myers Board of Realty and today serves more than 10,000 Realtor[®] members and affiliates. The Association acts as the primary resource and active advocate for its members by collectively promoting member business interests through education, communications, and proactive management of industry issues.

Single Family Homes 2023			YEAR OVER YEAR MARKET	Single Family Homes 2022	
Closed Sales	824	-21.9% 🔻	STATISTICS	Closed Sales	1,055
Pending Sales	1,093	-7.3% 🔻	January 2023 🔻	Pending Sales	1,179
Active Inventory	4,376	54.8% 🔺	ROYAL PALM COAST REALTOR	Active Inventory	2,827
Median Sales Price	\$389,000	6.0% 🔺		Median Sales Price	\$367,000
Days on Market	30	200.0% 🔺	2	Days on Market	10
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Townhome	s/Condos	5 2023		Townhome	s/Condos 2022
Townhome Closed Sales	es/Condos 257	5 2023 -30.7% ▼		Townhome Closed Sales	s/Condos 2022 371
Closed Sales	257	-30.7% 🔻		Closed Sales	371
Closed Sales Pending Sales	257 366 1,187	-30.7% - -27.8% - 95.6% (Information is deemed to be reliable but not guaranteed. Data included is for Lee & Hendry County, excluding Bonita Springs &	Closed Sales Pending Sales	371 507 607