

## **Barrie Housing Prices Rising**

The numbers are in, and it looks like Barrie housing prices are on the rise.

BARRIE, ONTARIO, CANADA, March 14, 2019 /EINPresswire.com/ -- December 2018 saw a 2.4 percent increase of units sold in Barrie, a rise from \$453,421 in November to \$464,193 in December. These numbers represent 103 units sold in December as opposed to 167 units sold in November. Although these numbers only represent one month of <u>real estate in Barrie</u>, it's a definite sign that prospective buyers should keep their eyes on the Barrie real estate market this year.

The whole of Simcoe County, on the other hand, tells a different story. Simcoe County (excluding Barrie) saw the average price of home sales drop from \$502,155 in November to \$487,016 in December.

Barrie Residential Real Estate Sales in 2018

2018 saw a total of 2,108 property sales in 2018 — a 20.4 percent decrease compared to 2017. The average price per unit in Barrie last year was \$485,815 — an increase of 0.7 percent compared to 2017.

While Barrie housing prices increased slightly from 2017 to 2018, it should be noted that prices for detached and semi-detached units decreased, offset by stabilized prices in townhome units and increased apartment prices.

Although these numbers reflect a trend of increasing property rates, the lower sample of sales in December could be reflective of more high-priced properties which were sold throughout the month.

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