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REPORT OF BARNSTABLE COUNTY REAL ESTATE ACTIVITY

FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 2013

VOLUME &VALUE RISE!

Barnstable County Register of Deeds, John F. Meade, reports that the volume of real estate sales in September 2013 was up 16.8% from September 2012 volume and the total value of sales was up 7.1% from the previous year. The median individual property sale value was up 10.1% from the previous year. There was a 26.6% decrease in the volume of mortgage activity from September 2012 levels.

Year to Date: Volume of Sales is down 2.2%; Total Value of Sales is up 1%; Individual Sales Value is up 6.8%; Mortgage Volume is down -6.9%.

Register Meade reports that there were **638** deeds recorded at the Barnstable Registry of Deeds in **September 2013** with stated sales values above \$50,000.00 representing a stated value of **\$304,548,997.31.00** in county-wide real estate sales. Based on all property sales valued above \$50,000.00, the **median** sale price of property in Barnstable County in **September** was **\$330,426.00**.

There were **1,108** mortgages recorded with values above \$50,000.00 in **September** with a total value of **\$735,576,910.00**. The <u>median</u> mortgage amount, commercial, residential or other, was **\$221,075.00**.

By way of comparison, there were **546** deeds recorded at the Barnstable Registry of Deeds in **September 2012** with stated sales values above \$50,000.00 representing a stated value of **\$284,315,324.00** in county-wide real estate sales. Based on all property sales valued above \$50,000.00, the **median** sale price of property in Barnstable County in **September** was **\$300,000.00**.

There were **1,509** mortgages recorded with values above \$50,000.00 in **September** with a total value of **\$442,025,168.00**. The <u>median</u> mortgage amount, commercial, residential or other, was **\$235,000.00**.

REAL ESTATE ACTIVITY THROUGH SEPTEMBER 2013 AS COMPARED TO THE SAME PERIOD IN 2012.

All figures are based on sales or mortgages **ABOVE \$50,000.00**.

2013 sales volume: **4,955** 2012 sales volume: **5,069**

2013 total sales value: **\$2,192,774,815.00** 2012 total sales value: **\$2,172,042,410.00**

2013 <u>median</u> sales price: **\$315,000.00** 2012 <u>median</u> sales price: **\$295,000.00**

2013 mortgage volume: **13,011**2012 mortgage volume: **13,975**

2013 total mortgage value: **\$4,291,928,177.00** 2012 total mortgage value: **\$4,320,501,730.00**

2013 <u>median</u> mortgage amount: **\$227,800.00** 2012 <u>median</u> mortgage amount: **\$230,000.00**

TRAILING TWELVE MONTHS $\underline{\text{MEDIAN}}$ SALES VALUE:

(Sales values above \$50,000.00)

M/Y	Value Value		% Differential/prior month
Sep	2012:	\$300,000.00	+3.4%
Oct	2012:	\$300,000.00	0.0%
Nov	2012:	\$315,000.00	+5.0%
Dec	2012:	\$334,000.00	+6.0%
Jan	2013:	\$280,000.00	-16.2 %
Feb	2013:	\$300,000.00	+7.1 %
Mar	2013:	\$305,000.00	+1.7%
Apr	2013:	\$290,000.00	-4.9%
May	2013:	\$320,000.00	+10.3%
June	2013:	\$320,000.00	0.0%
July	2013:	\$325,000.00	+1.6%
Aug	2013:	\$318,000.00	-2.2%
Sep	2013:	\$330,426.00	+3.9%

FORECLOSURE DEEDS

	MONTH	YTD
2013	9	121
2012	26	341
Chg.	-65.4%	-64.5%