## Monthly Market Report June 2025

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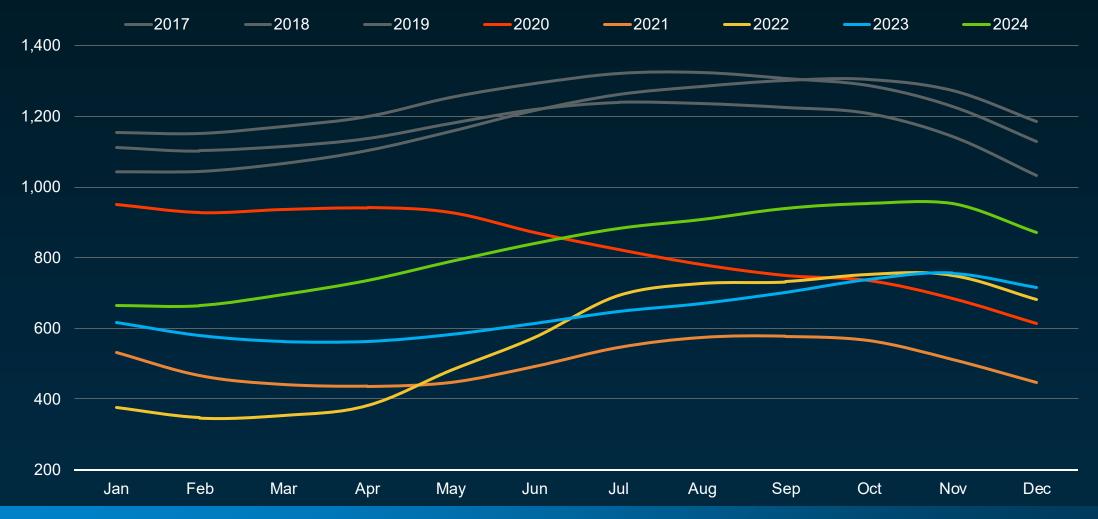


The number of homes for sale is rising in many markets, giving shoppers more choices than they've had in years. Sellers are becoming more flexible on pricing, underscored by the price reductions we're seeing, and while higher mortgage rates are certainly weighing on demand, the silver lining is that the market is starting to rebalance. This could create opportunities for buyers who are prepared.

> Danielle Hale Chief Economist, Realtor.com

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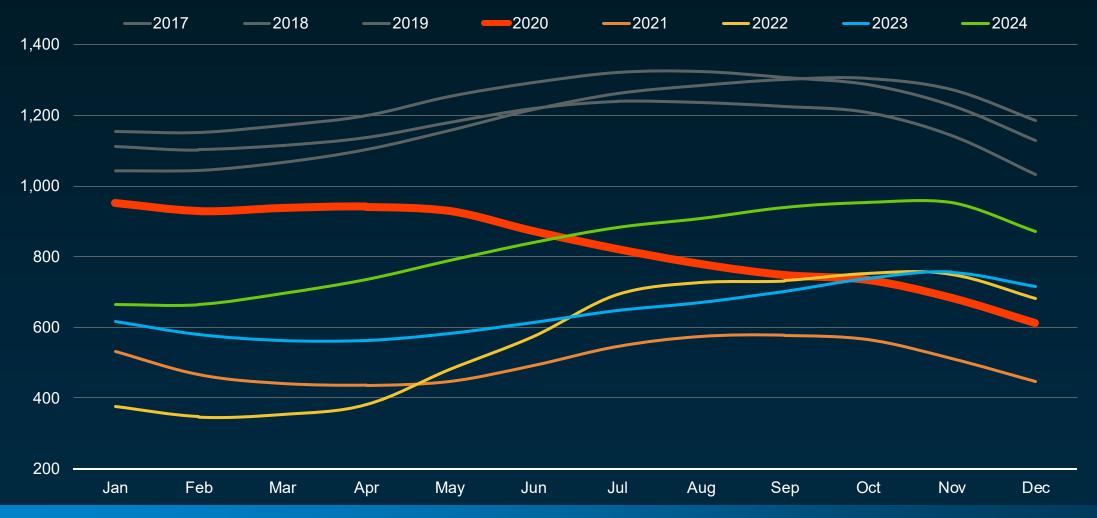


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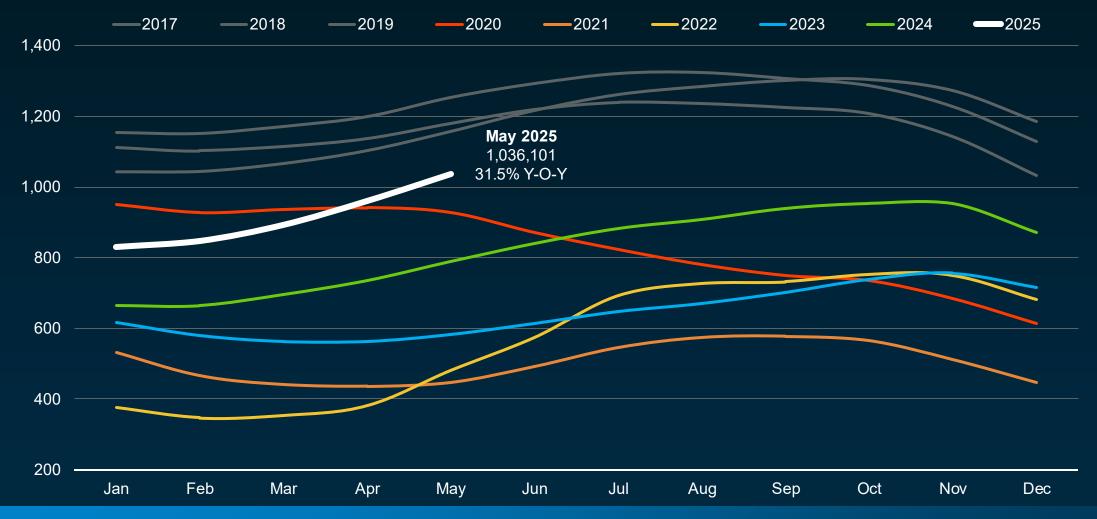


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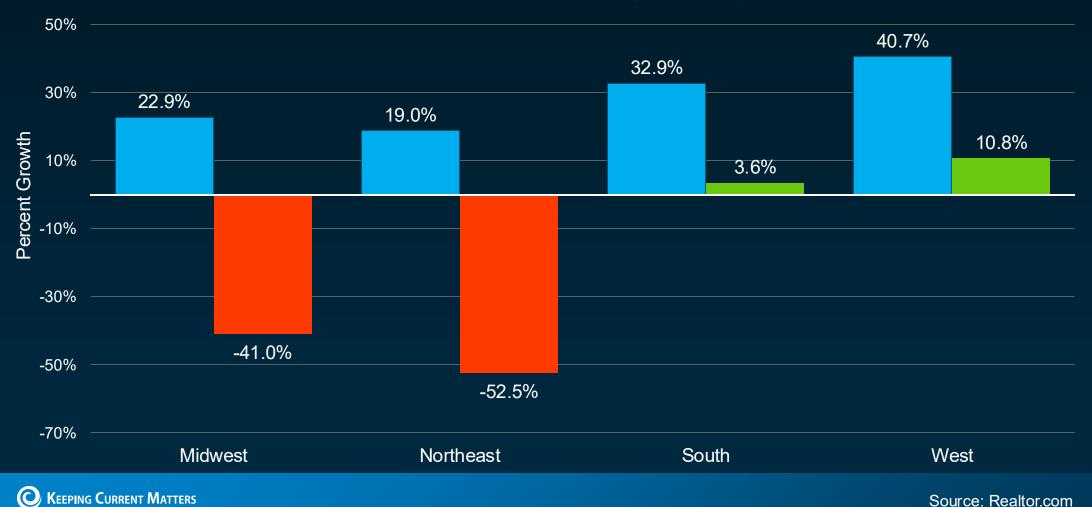


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## Where Housing Inventory Is Growing the Fastest

Compared to Pre-Pandemic Norms, Inventory in the West and South Has Effectively Recovered



Y-O-Y Pre-Pandemic (2017-2019)

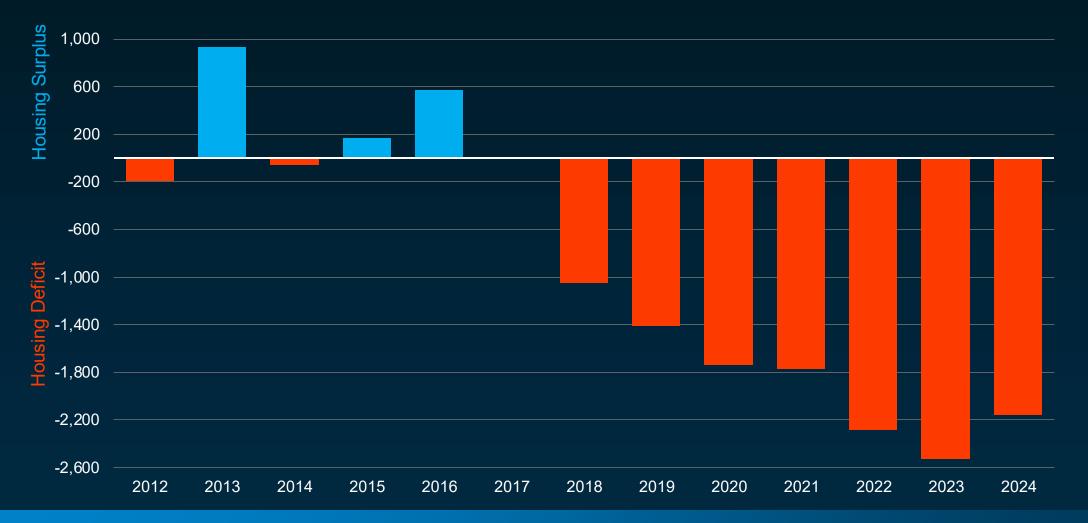


The increase in inventory is also promising and supports long-term stability in the housing market. . . As wages rise and households are formed, such as through marriage and bringing in dual incomes, this influx of inventory returning to normal levels provides an optimistic outlook.

> Logan Mohtashami Lead Analyst, HousingWire

### **America's Housing Deficit**

Cumulative Housing Deficit or Surplus Since 2012, in Thousands



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Sources: Census, Realtor.com

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# At a 2024 rate of construction relative to household formations and pent-up demand, it would take 7.5 years to close the housing gap.

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## Pricing Your House Right Is Critical in Today's Market

8 in 10 Potential Home Sellers Think They Will Get Their Asking Price or More



#### 4 in 10 Sellers Sold for Less Than Their Asking Price

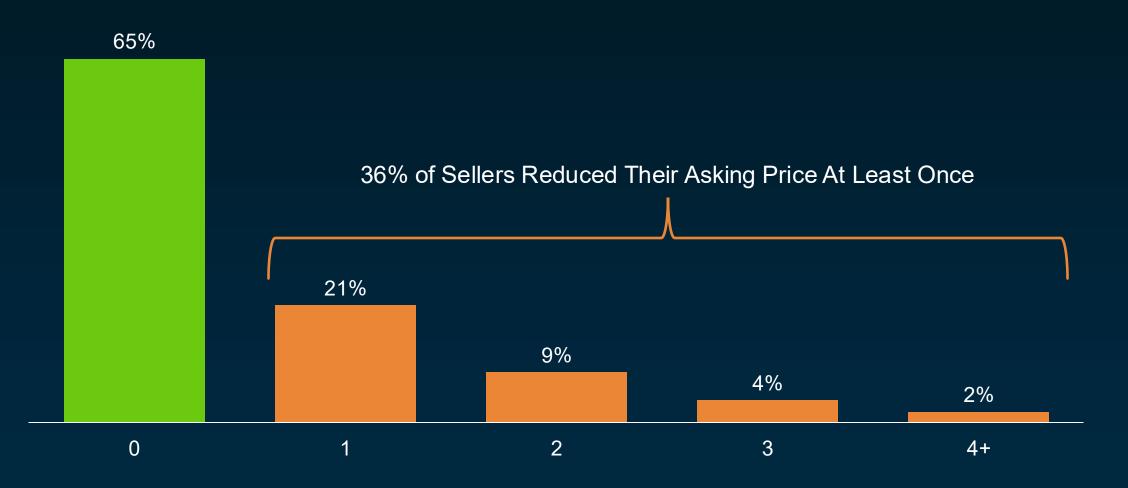




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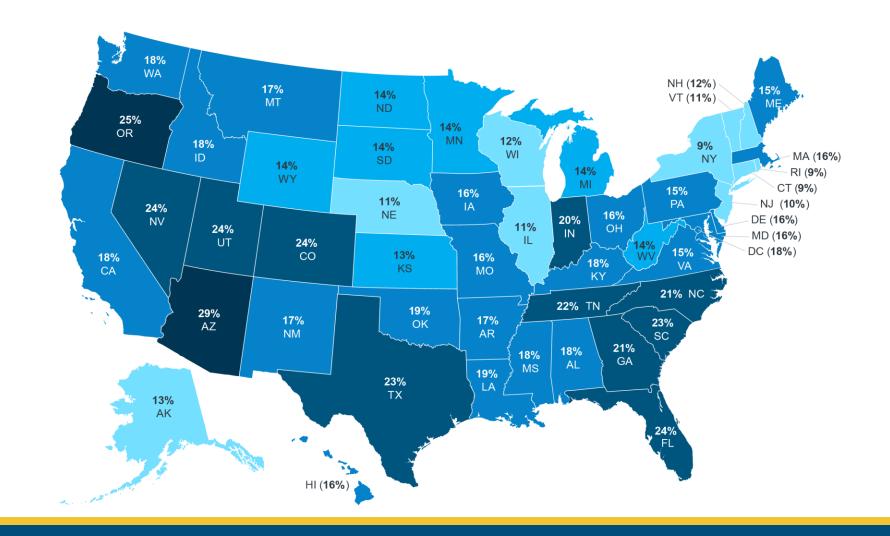
#### One Third of Sellers Had To Reduce Their Asking Price

Percent of Sellers by Number of Price Reductions



#### **Price Reductions Surge as Sellers Overestimate The Market**

Share of Listings With A Price Reduction, May 2025



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The rising share of price reductions suggests that a lot of **sellers are anchored to prices that aren't realistic in today's housing market.** Today's sellers would be wise to listen to feedback they are getting from the market.

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Sellers are pricing high based on comps from the past rather than current demand. Today, list-price growth is accelerating while sale-price growth is decelerating. Back in 2020, both were accelerating.

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### Sellers Want More Than Buyers Are Willing To Pay

—Median Sales Price

—Median Asking Price



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When buyers and sellers are on different planets, one side eventually has to give in, and it's looking like it's going to be sellers this time. Rising inventory, price drops and seller concessions indicate this is already starting to happen, and sale-price growth will likely continue to slow as a result.

> **Elijah de la Campa** Senior Economist, Redfin

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#### The best way to determine your selling price is to talk with an expert and get a pulse on the current market.

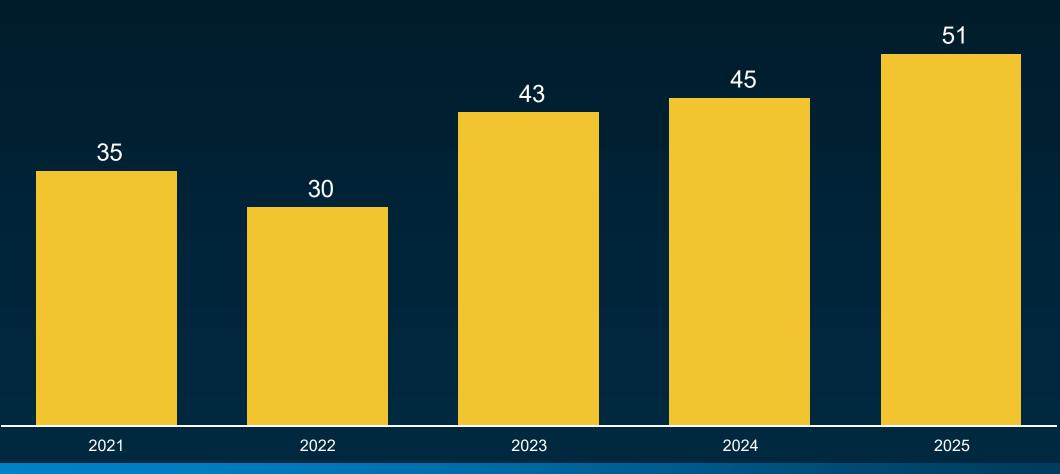
Remember to consider the differences between your home and others that recently sold. Be realistic about your home and what the market could net you based on its condition.



## **Expired Listings**

### Days on Market Has Risen Since 2021

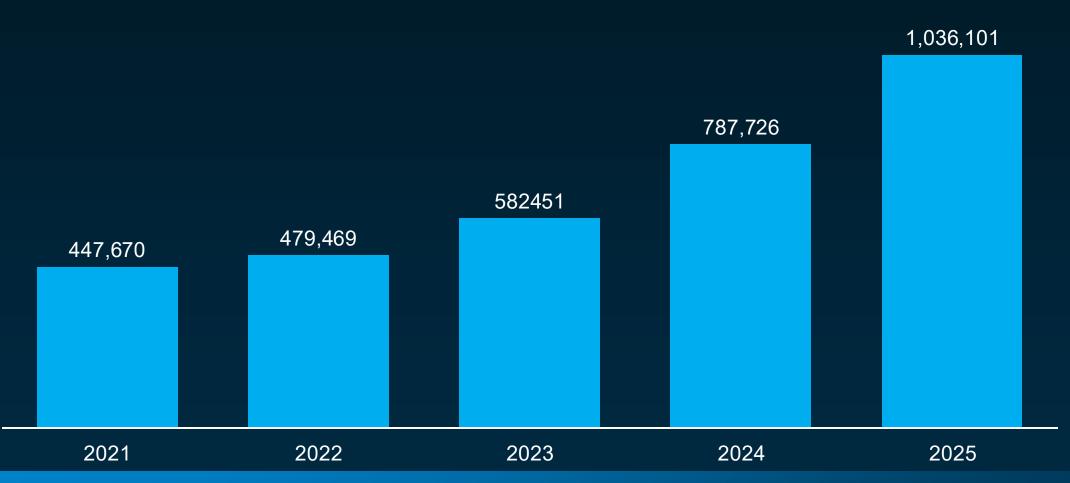
Median Days on the Market, May of Each Year





### **Inventory Has Risen Since 2021**

Active Listing Count, May of Each Year





### **Existing Home Sales Are Down**

Seasonally Adjusted Annual Rate of Existing Home Sales Since 2021



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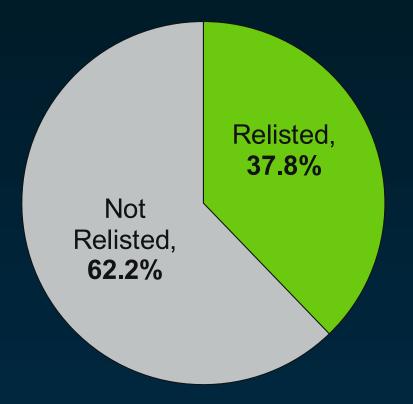


# Expired listings are up 17.6% when comparing January-May of 2025 with the same timeframe in 2024. Trends look like we could end the year as high as 20% more than last year.

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#### More Than 1/3<sup>rd</sup> Have Relisted

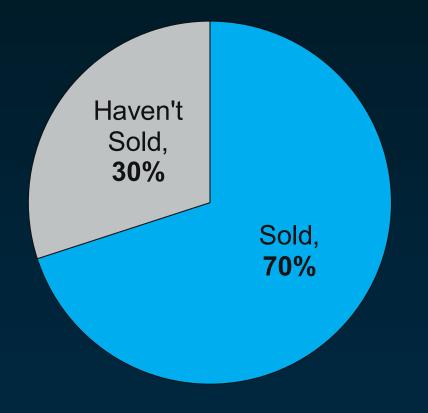
Expired, Cancelled, and Withdrawn Listings, May 2024 – May 2025



Of all the listings that expired, were cancelled, or were withdrawn between May 2024 and May 2025, a little over a third have been relisted so far.

#### Most of the Relisted Homes Have Sold

Expired, Cancelled, and Withdrawn Listings, May 2024 – May 2025

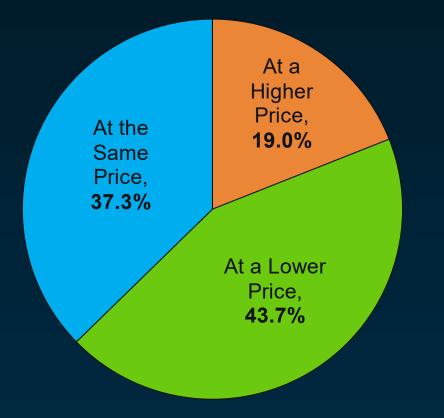


# Of the homes that were relisted, 70% have sold.



#### **Most Sellers Relist at a Lower Price**

Expired, Cancelled, and Withdrawn Listings, January 2025 – May 2025



Of the sellers who relisted their expired listing, over 40% did so at a lower price.

### **Most Relisted Homes Sold at a Lower Price**

Expired, Cancelled, and Withdrawn Listings, January 2025 – May 2025

Of the relisted homes that have sold, about 70% did so for lower than the expired price.





A lot of these homeowners are still interested in selling. But what they need is an agent who can address their concern, offer a new strategy, and guide them through a better selling experience. If you understand their mindset and address those concerns, these leads will be more likely to list with you.



#### **Understand the Seller's 4 Options:**

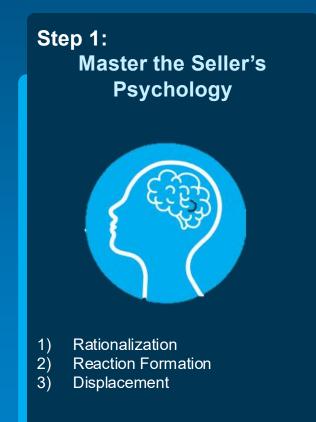




List the House For-Sale-By-Owner (FSBO)

## **3 Steps To Winning Expired Listings**

The opportunity for real estate professionals lies in understanding three critical steps that, if followed, will lead to winning more business from expired listings.



#### Step 2: **3** Factors that **May Have Prevented** the House From Selling



Having Proper Access 1) 2) Making It Look Good 3) Pricing It Compellingly

#### Step 3: Understand the Seller's 4 Options



- 1)
- 2)
- 3) List the House For-Sale-By-Owner (FSBO)
- Re-List with a New Real Estate 4) Agent (you)

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#### Step 1: Understanding The Seller's Mindset

this time."

**3 STEPS TO WINNING EXPIRED US TINGS** 

As an agent, every interaction with a prospect lays the groundwork for opportunity. That's why one of the keys to success with expired listings is putting yourself in the seller's shoes.

When you understand their perspective and motivations, you can show up authentically as an agent they can trust to solve their problems. You'll also be better equipped to address their individual pain points.

Here are the three essential steps for getting into a seller's mindset and build a relationship

#### 1. Be Supportive Yet Objective

Homeowners with an expired listing an understandably going to be emotional. Things haven't turned out the way they hoped, so they're disappointed frustrated, and probably upset

And the last thing you want them to think is you're reaching out just to close another deal.

That's why it's important to meet sellers where they are Let them know you get what they're going through without launching into a sales pitch

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An effective way to do this is by using a colm, reassuring tone, acknowledging their feelings and avaiding dismissi language or phrases. For example, "I know you're upset because not selling your house wasn't part of the plan. So let's figure out what we can do differently

And be sure to ask questions to lear more about what they liked and disil

3 STEPS TO WINNING EXPIRED LISTINGS

National Association of Realtors (NAR), the on the market top three reasons people are moving right We'll dive deeper into footors that now now is to be closer to triends and family heir current house is too small or too have prevented their house from selling in the next section. large, or they're no longer happy with the neighborhood. But for this last piece, be sure to have

According to an annual report from the

optimism and excitement they've likely

lost sight of.

visuals from KCM downloaded and saved to your phone so you can show, not just Whatever their reasoning, reminding them why they began this process in the first toll, sollers that just because their listing place will help reignite those feelings of xpired doesn't mean it won't sell toda Topics like inventory, equity, and where home prices are headed are all good Then, get them to envision how great it'll places to start

feel once they reach their goals. By Keep things professional, forward-looking and grounded in facts, all while painting this picture, you'll revive their motivation to sell while reinforcing that throwing in the towel isn't the answer. maintaining the trust and connection you've built through empathy. 3. Let The Data Do The Talking

At this point, they'll begin to envision ling their home with you and be more ceptive to talking about new strategies at - with your expertise - will allow em to find success this time around.

now is still a good time to put their house

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How to take your expired listings strategy to the next level

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Only great agents can explain what's happening.



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