**Maryland Eastern Shore** 

# November 2024 Housing Market Report

Prepared by Bright Research



Data as of December 5, 2024

Key Market Statistics	Nov 2024	Nov 2023	Change	YTD 2024	YTD 2023	Change
Closed Sales	289	287	+0.7%	3,453	3,271	+5.6%
Median Sold Price	\$402,500	\$364,500	+10.4%	\$380,000	\$355,000	+7.0%
Median Days on Market	19 days	16 days	+3 days	15 days	13 days	+2 days
New Pending Sales	278	277	+0.4%	3,535	3,362	+5.1%
New Listings	256	285	-10.2%	4,629	4,266	+8.5%
Active Listings	887	766	+15.8%	887	766	+15.8%
Months of Supply	2.86	2.57	+0.29 mos.	2.86	2.57	+0.29 mos.
Showings	3,350	3,161	+6.0%	43,654	44,882	-2.7%

### **Housing Market Trends**

#### Sales activity higher than 2023 on the Maryland

**Eastern Shore.** As 2024 heads toward its close, sales activity has cooled seasonally. Closed sales increased just 0.7% year-over-year; however, year-to-date sales on the Eastern Shore are up 5.6%.

New pending sales were fairly flat (+0.4%) compared to a year ago held back by the large drop in new pending sales in Cecil County (-35.6%) this month.

The number of new listings also fell in November, decreasing 10.2% compared to a year ago. But there was variation across the region, with a significant uptick in new listings in Talbot County. Overall, the number of active listings at the end of the month was up 15.8% compared to a year ago, continuing the trend for the 16<sup>th</sup> month in November.

More supply has not softened price growth. At \$402,500, the median sold price on the Eastern Shore was up 10.4%, the third month of double-digit price appreciation.

### **Market Outlook**

More inventory has led to more sales year-to-date in 2024; however, some local markets are still way behind in terms of listing activity. Home sales activity is expected to increase in 2025 as mortgage rates come down and inventory continues to steadily increase. Despite more supply, home prices are expected to move upward as more buyers are active in the market next year.

### Weekly Avg. Mortgage Rate 30-yr fixed rate



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**\$402,500** November 2024

+10.4% Nov '24 vs. Nov '23 (Nov '23: \$364,500)

-3.0% Nov '24 vs. Oct '24 (Oct '24: \$414,750)



### **Median Days on Market**

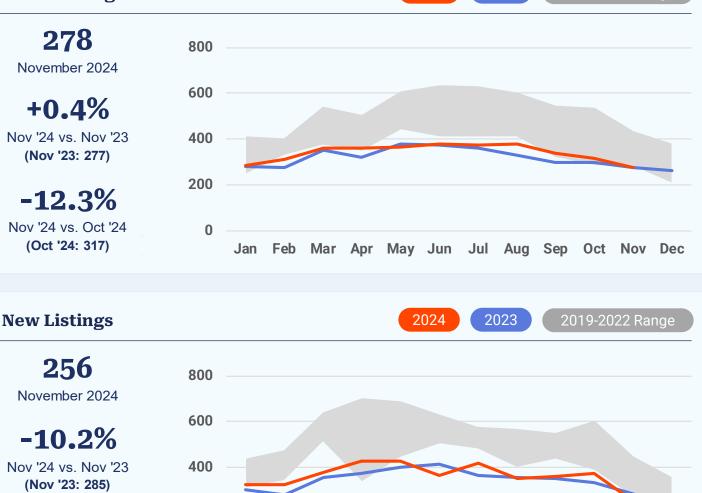
**19 days** 80 days November 2024 70 days 60 days +3 days 50 days 40 days Nov '24 vs. Nov '23 30 days (Nov '23: 16 days) 20 days -2 days 10 days 0 days Nov '24 vs. Oct '24 2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2019 (Oct '24: 21 days)

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### **New Pending Sales**

2024 2023



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Apr

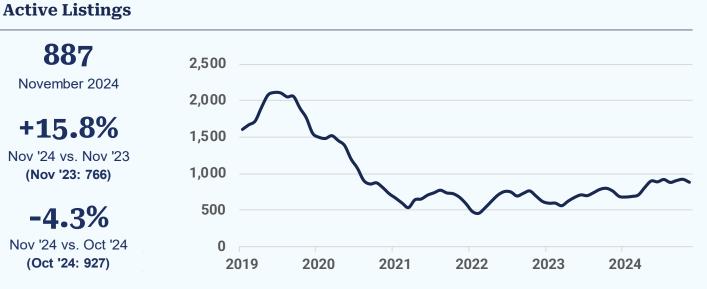
-31.4% Nov '24 vs. Oct '24

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May Jun

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Nov Dec

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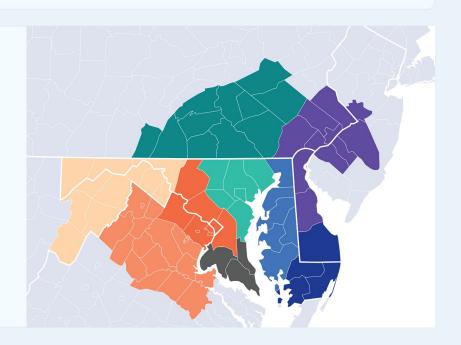
	<b>Closed Sales</b>		Median Sales Price		Median Days on Market	
Local Markets	Nov '24	vs. Nov '23	Nov '24	vs. Nov '23	Nov '24	vs. Nov '23
MD Eastern Shore	289	+0.7%	\$402,500	+10.4%	19 days	+3 days
Caroline County, MD	27	+42.1%	\$264,000	+7.8%	53 days	+43 days
Cecil County, MD	76	-20.8%	\$367,500	+6.1%	12 days	+2 days
Dorchester County, MD	36	+0.0%	\$347,500	+34.2%	66 days	+15 days
Kent County, MD	24	-7.7%	\$367,500	+14.8%	13 days	-20 days
Queen Anne's County, MD	65	-12.2%	\$543,240	+5.0%	14 days	-1 day
Talbot County, MD	61	+69.4%	\$610,000	+8.0%	27 days	+12 days

	New Pending Sales		New Listings		Showings	
Local Markets	Nov '24	vs. Nov '23	Nov '24	vs. Nov '23	Nov '24	vs. Nov '23
MD Eastern Shore	278	+0.4%	256	-10.2%	3,350	+6.0%
Caroline County, MD	28	+40.0%	20	-35.5%	251	-18.8%
Cecil County, MD	67	-35.6%	82	-7.9%	1,012	-12.4%
Dorchester County, MD	47	+23.7%	35	-40.7%	402	+16.2%
Kent County, MD	22	+4.8%	20	+5.3%	268	-20.2%
Queen Anne's County, MD	69	+13.1%	52	+2.0%	877	+46.7%
Talbot County, MD	45	+36.4%	47	+30.6%	540	+29.5%

	Active	Listings	Months of Supply		
Local Markets	Nov '24	vs. Nov '23	Nov '24	vs. Nov '23	
MD Eastern Shore	887	+15.8%	2.86	+0.29 months	
Caroline County, MD	80	+0.0%	2.86	-0.22 months	
Cecil County, MD	204	-6.0%	2.19	-0.22 months	
Dorchester County, MD	156	-3.1%	3.47	-0.11 months	
Kent County, MD	88	+25.7%	3.52	+0.72 months	
Queen Anne's County, MD	187	+43.8%	2.67	+0.7 months	
Talbot County, MD	172	+59.3%	3.74	+1.23 months	

## **Local Market Map**

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



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