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Portland Metro Apartment Market Update

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Topics Covered - Portland Metro Apartment Market

- Macro Trends and Overview
 - Employment, Population, Home Ownership Ratio, Interest Rates, Apt Construction
- Apartment Fundamentals
 - Rents and Income, Vacancies, Expenses
- Apartment Sales and Values
- Other Issues
- Trends from 2024 & forecasts for 2025





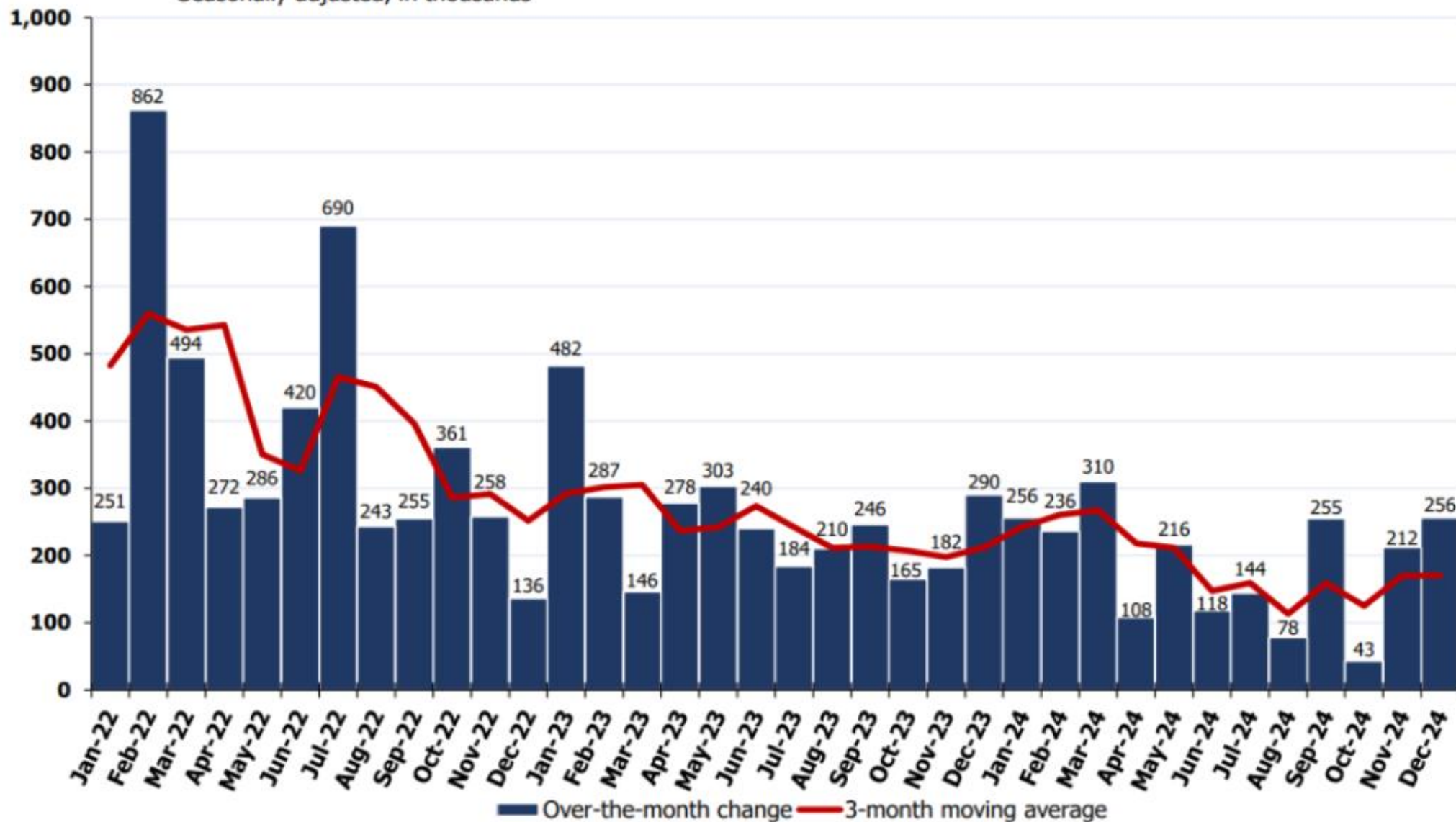
Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics via FRED®

Shaded areas indicate U.S. recessions.

Monthly Change in Nonfarm Payrolls

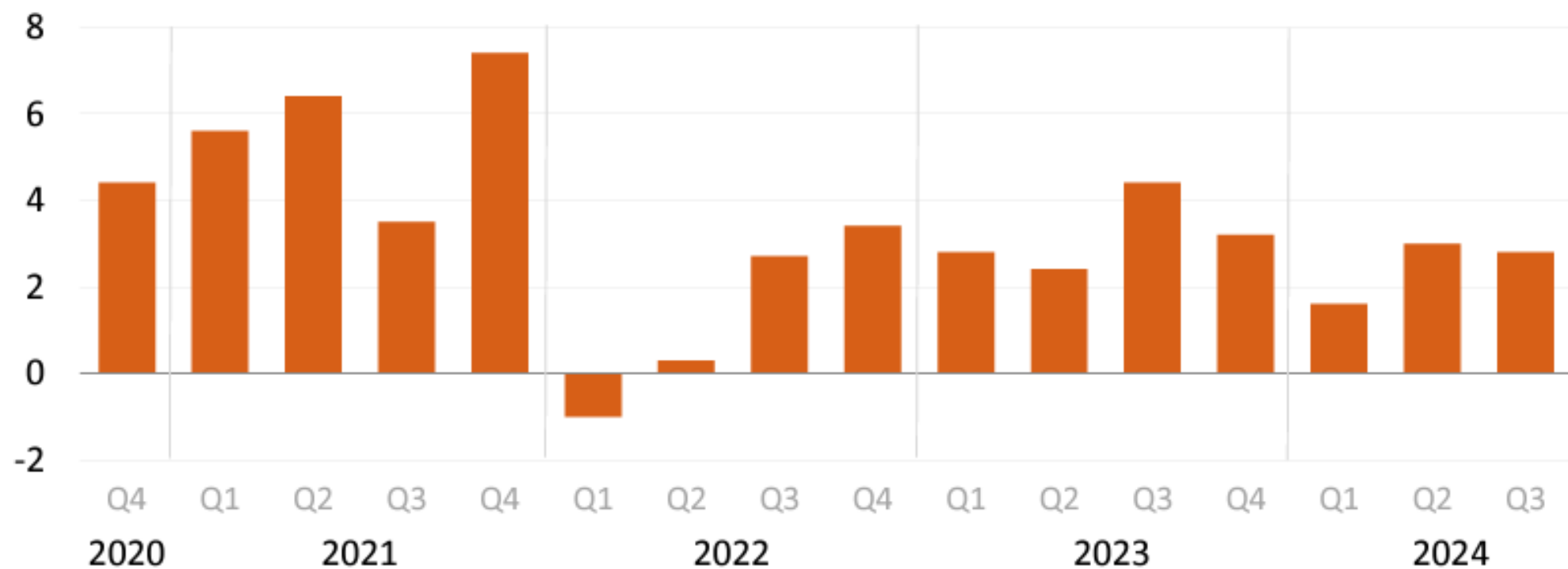
Over-the-month change, January 2022–December 2024

Seasonally adjusted, in thousands



Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics, January 10, 2025.
Most recent 2 months of data are preliminary.

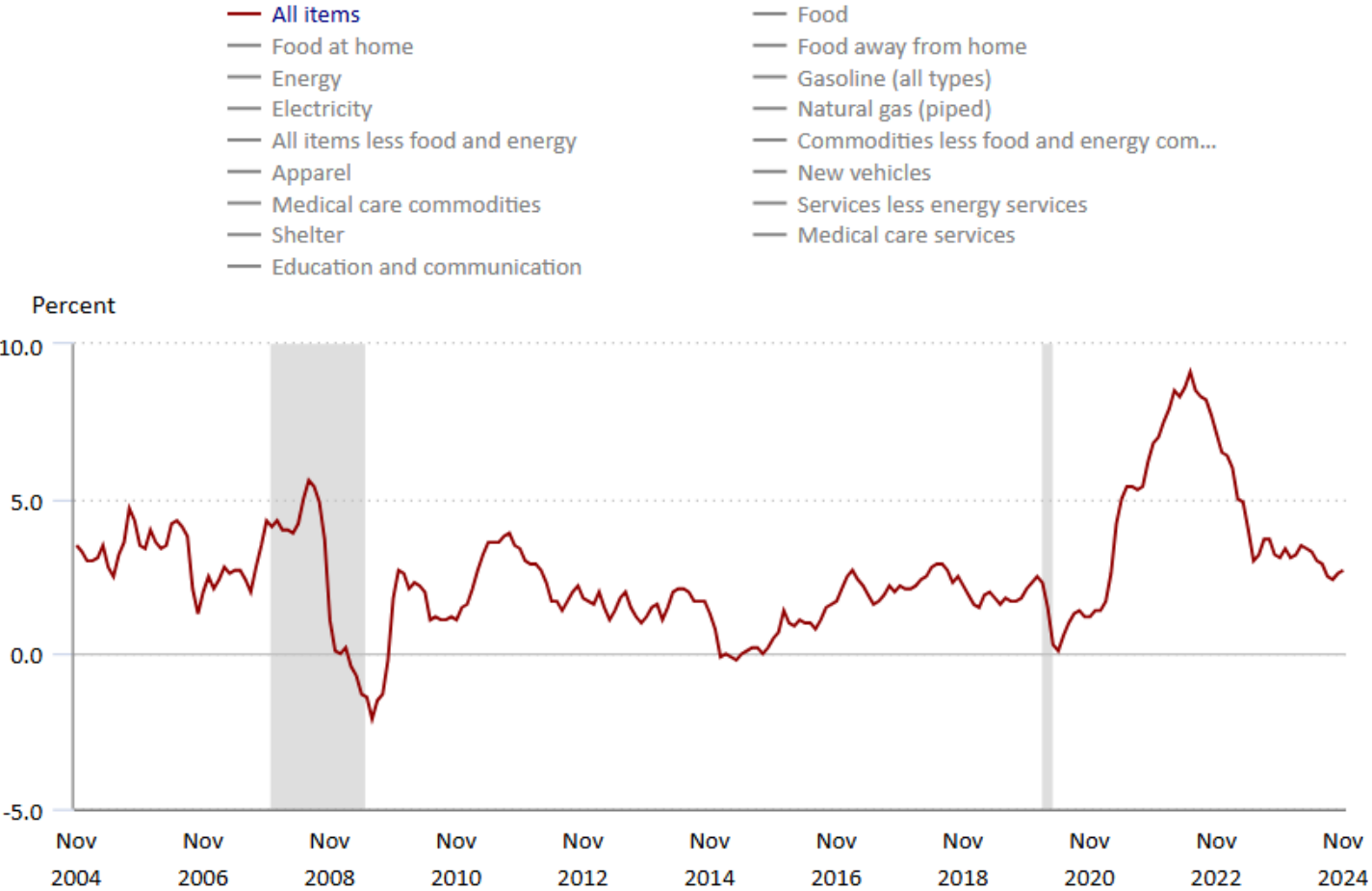
Real GDP: Percent change from preceding quarter



U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

Seasonally adjusted annual rates

12-month percentage change, Consumer Price Index, selected categories, not seasonally adjusted



Hover over chart to view data.
Note: Shaded area represents recession, as determined by the National Bureau of Economic Research.
Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Ave
2024	3.1	3.2	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.0	2.9	2.5	2.4	2.6	2.7	Avail. Jan. 15	
2023	6.4	6.0	5.0	4.9	4.0	3.0	3.2	3.7	3.7	3.2	3.1	3.4	4.1
2022	7.5	7.9	8.5	8.3	8.6	9.1	8.5	8.3	8.2	7.7	7.1	6.5	8.0
2021	1.4	1.7	2.6	4.2	5.0	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.4	6.2	6.8	7.0	4.7
2020	2.5	2.3	1.5	0.3	0.1	0.6	1.0	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.2

Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro, OR-WA MSA

Total nonfarm employment

(seasonally adjusted)

Official Oregon Series

Dec 2024

1,244,500

Change from Nov 2024

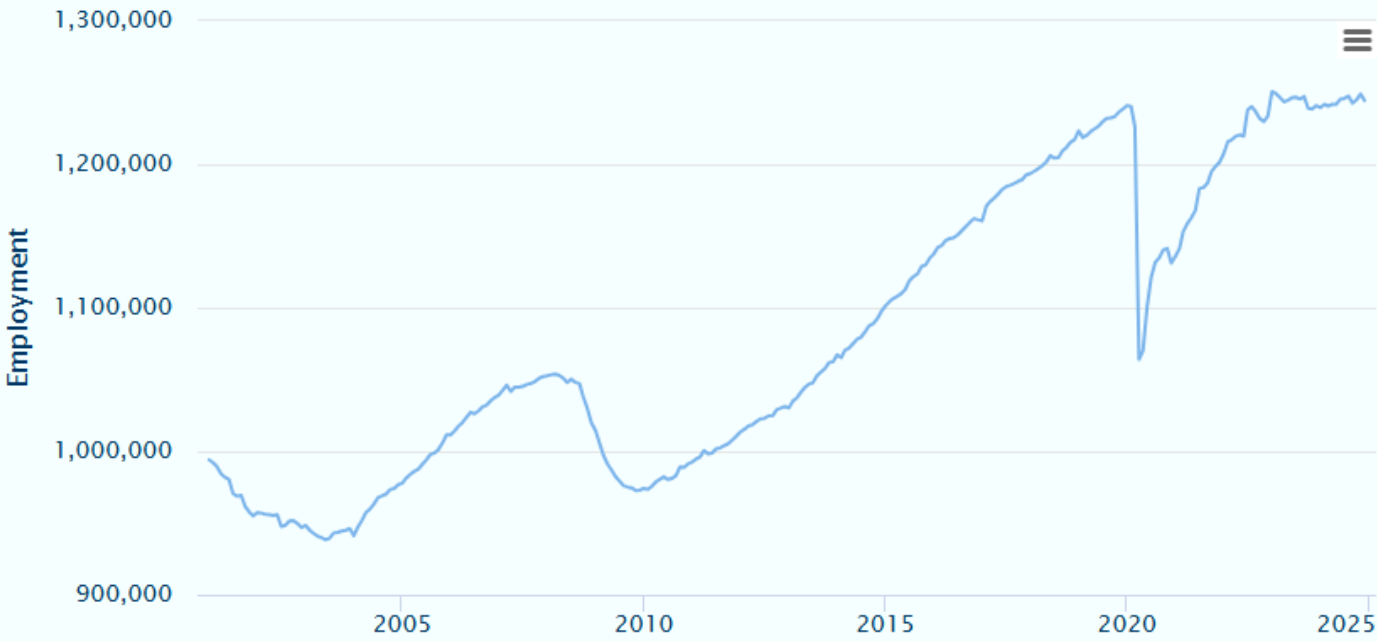
-4,500

Change from Dec 2023

3,600

% Change from Dec 2023

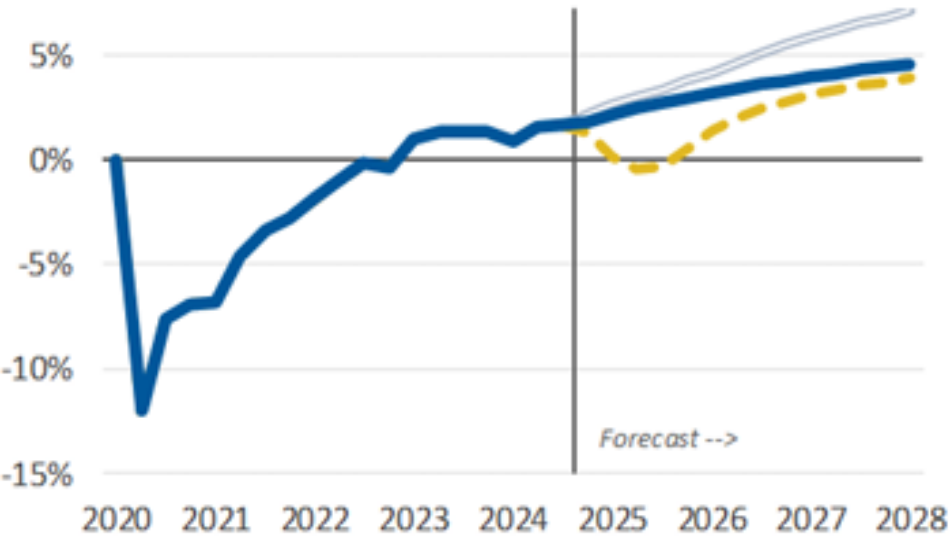
0.3%



Source: Oregon Employment Department QualityInfo.org

Oregon Employment

Percent change from pre-COVID peak in the **Baseline Soft Landing**, the **Pessimistic**, and **Optimistic Solid Growth/Population Rebound**



	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028
Employment						
Opt: Solid Growth	2.1%	0.3%	1.6%	1.6%	1.4%	1.1%
Base: Soft Landing	2.1%	0.2%	1.0%	0.9%	0.7%	0.6%
Pes: Recession	2.1%	0.1%	-1.4%	2.2%	1.3%	0.7%
Unemployment Rate						
Opt: Solid Growth	3.7%	4.2%	3.9%	3.8%	3.9%	3.9%
Base: Soft Landing	3.7%	4.2%	4.2%	4.3%	4.4%	4.4%
Pes: Recession	3.7%	4.7%	6.7%	6.5%	6.1%	4.8%
Personal Income						
Opt: Solid Growth	5.7%	5.3%	5.4%	6.1%	6.0%	5.8%
Base: Soft Landing	5.7%	5.3%	5.3%	5.6%	5.4%	5.0%
Pes: Recession	5.7%	5.2%	2.4%	6.0%	5.9%	5.2%

Portland's population climbs after 3 years of declines, Portland State reports

Updated: Nov. 20, 2024, 9:30 a.m. | Published: Nov. 19, 2024, 2:46 p.m.

Population Estimates for Oregon and Counties (Vintage 2024)

	YOY % Change 2023-2024	Preliminary Estimate July 1, 2024	Revised Population Estimate July 1, 2023	Revised Population Estimate July 1, 2022	Revised Population Estimate July 1, 2021	Revised Population Estimate July 1, 2020
Oregon		4,259,132	4,246,688	4,230,711	4,216,137	4,236,615
CLACKAMAS	0.5%	426,500	424,245	421,641	419,673	421,542
DESCHUTES	1.0%	207,747	205,609	203,021	200,982	199,061
LANE	0.1%	382,641	382,260	381,315	380,503	382,628
LINN	0.5%	130,474	129,806	128,868	128,569	128,776
MARION	0.0%	346,824	346,831	346,006	345,010	346,034
MULTNOMAH	0.1%	800,178	799,240	798,824	798,827	812,716
POLK	0.2%	88,771	88,586	88,417	87,808	87,507
WASHINGTON	0.7%	611,153	606,908	602,424	598,341	600,165
YAMHILL	0.7%	109,581	108,804	107,950	107,683	107,818

Prepared by Population Research Center

College of Urban and Public Affairs, Portland State University

November 15, 2024

Oregon's population is growing, but at a slower pace than past decades



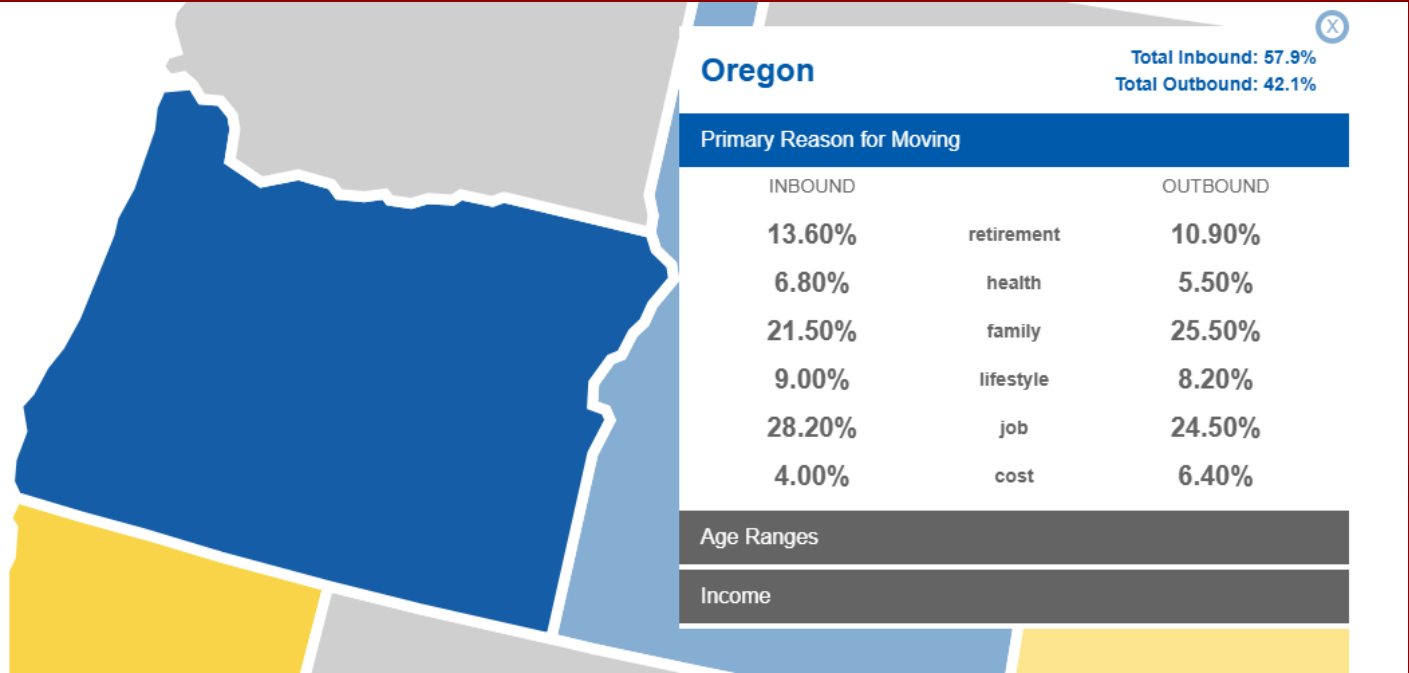
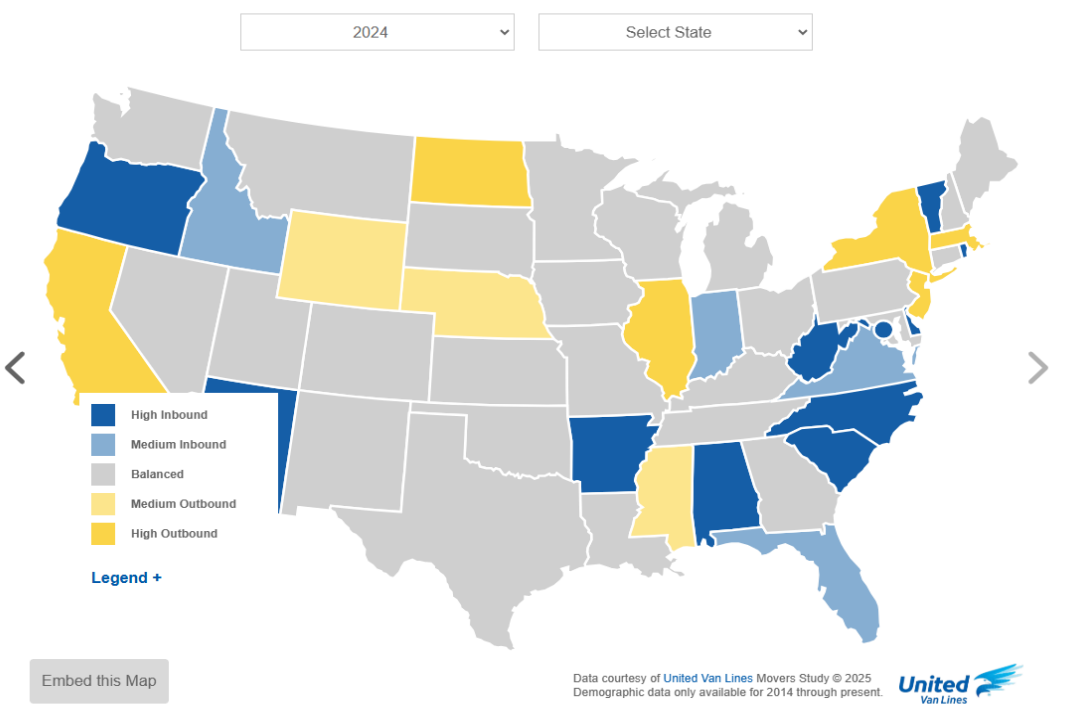
By **Kyra Buckley** (OPB)
Dec. 19, 2024 5:05 p.m.

US Census data released Thursday shows Oregon's population grew by a modest 18,718 from July 2023 to July 2024

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Oregon's population grew this year — and the year before that, it turns out

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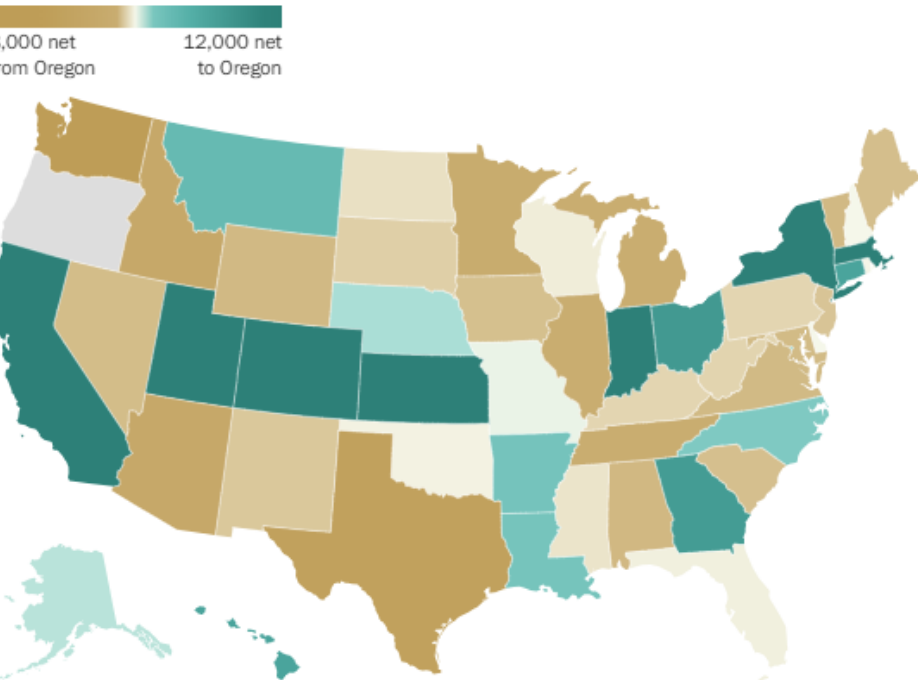


When Oregonians move away, here's where they go

Updated: Nov. 11, 2024, 12:06 p.m. | Published: Nov. 10, 2024, 7:06 a.m.

Where Oregonians move to, and move from

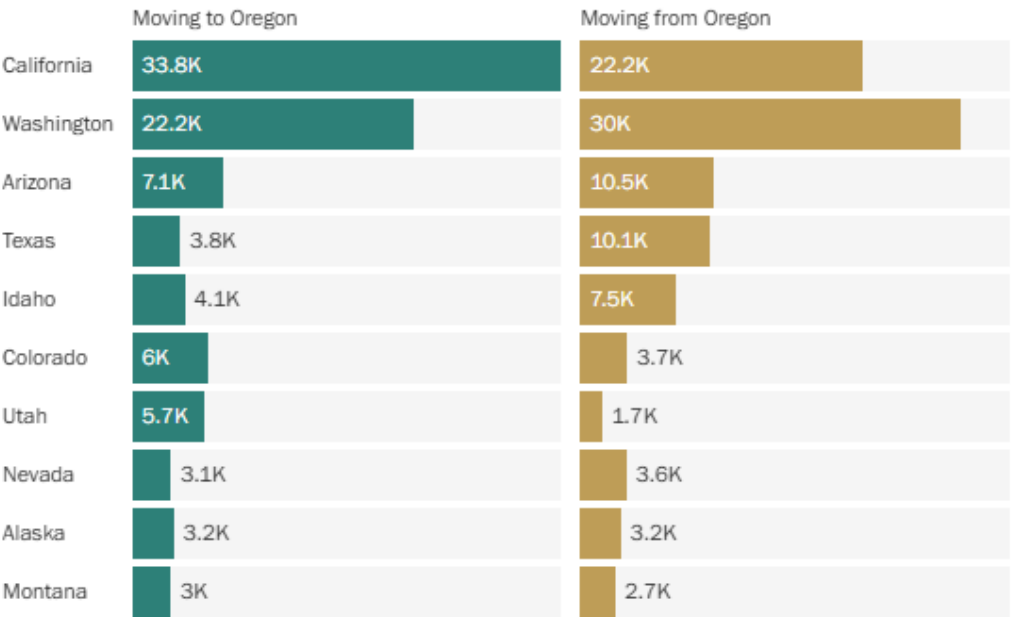
About 6,200 more people moved from Oregon than moved into the state last year. Here is the net migration to or from each state.



Source: American Community Survey • [Get the data](#)

Trading population: Top states Oregonians moved to and from

Oregon traded the most residents with these 10 states.

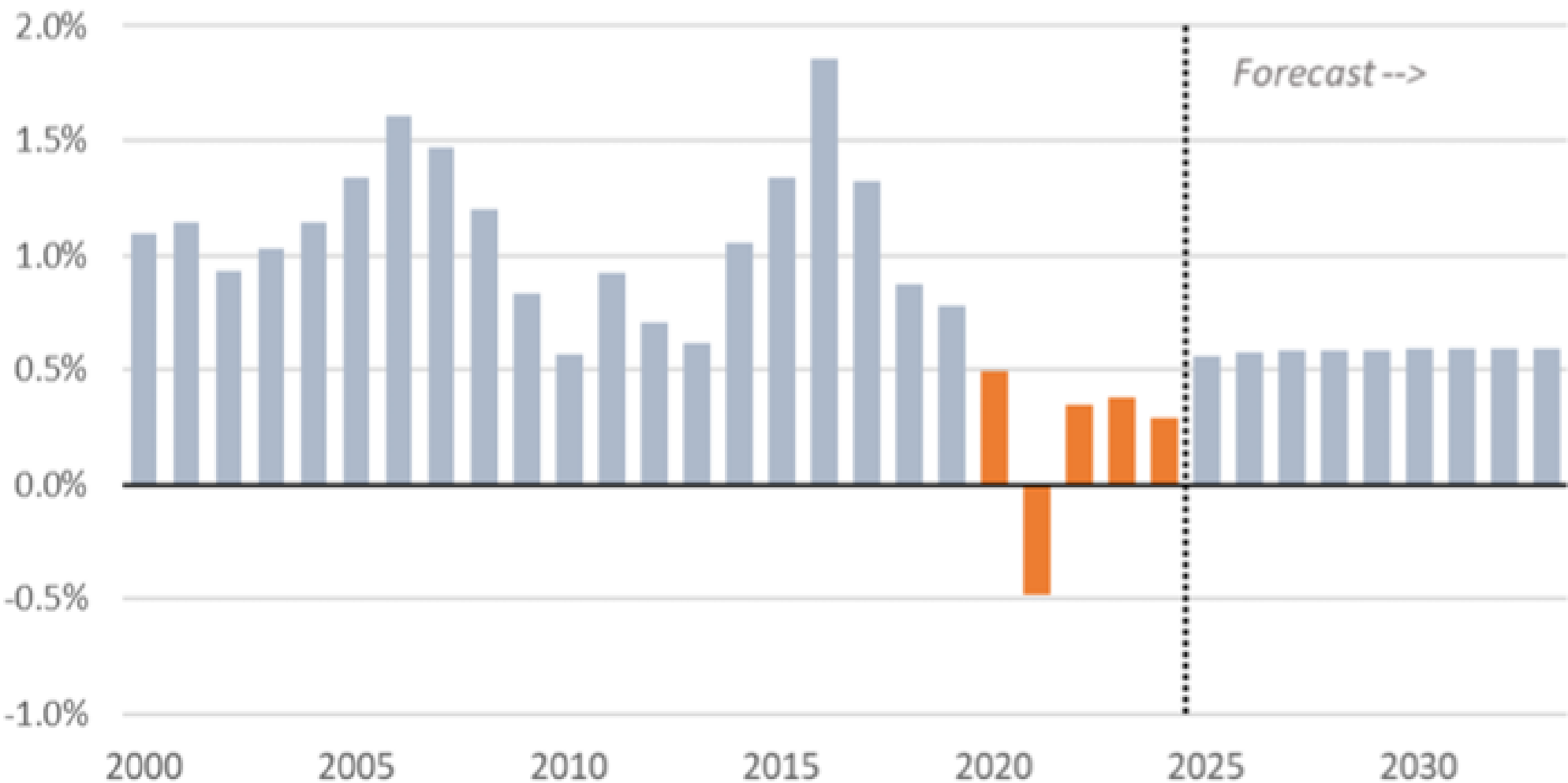


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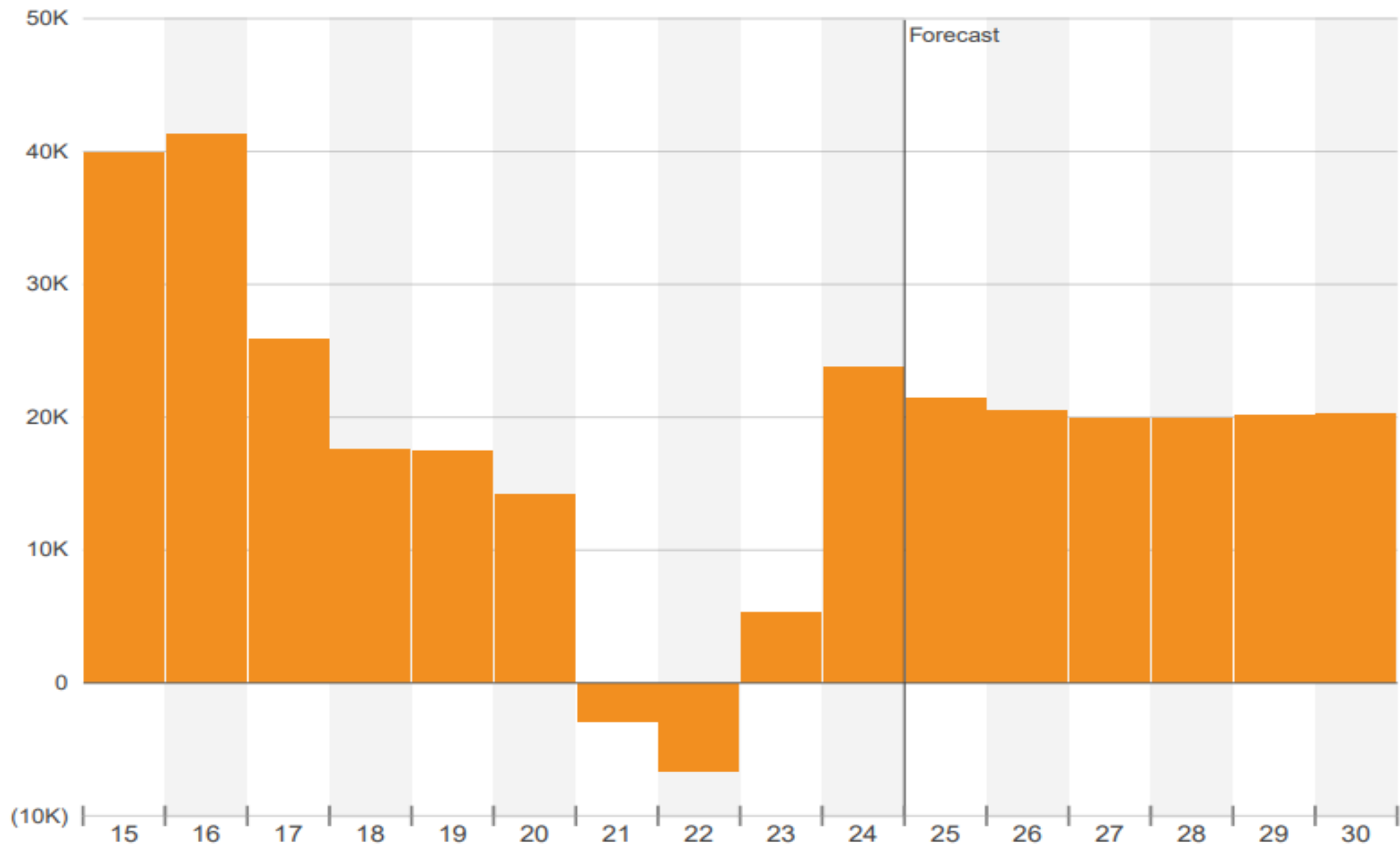
Oregon Population Growth

Annual change in total state population

History/Forecast and PSU Estimates



Net Population Change (YOY)





Home Price / Median Household Income Ratio

Zoom

10y

15y

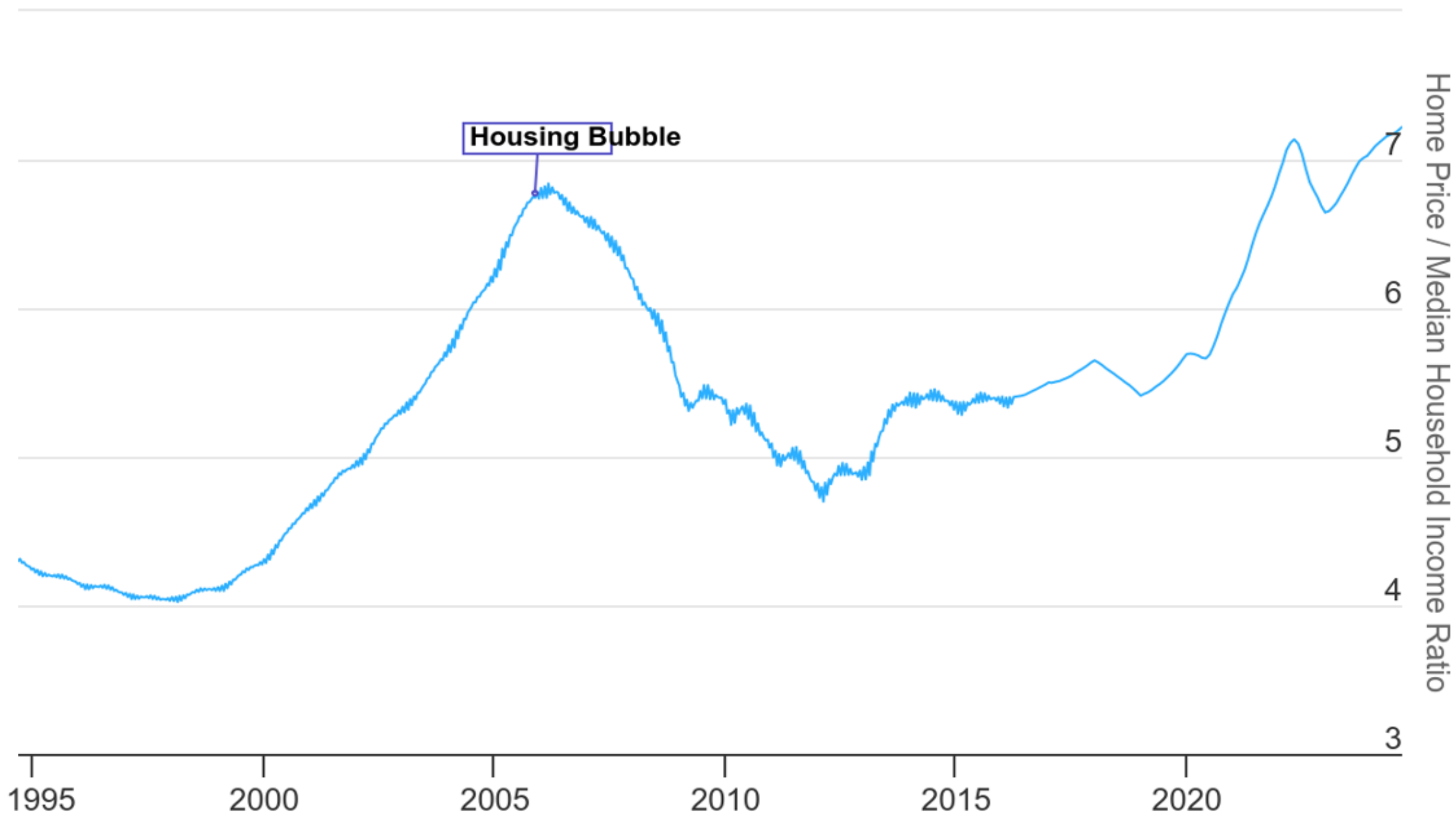
30y

50y

70y

All

31 Aug 1994 31 Aug 2024



Mortgage refinance demand surges 27%, as interest rates drop for the third straight week

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Refinance Mortgage Applications Index v. Avg. 30-Year Mortgage Rate

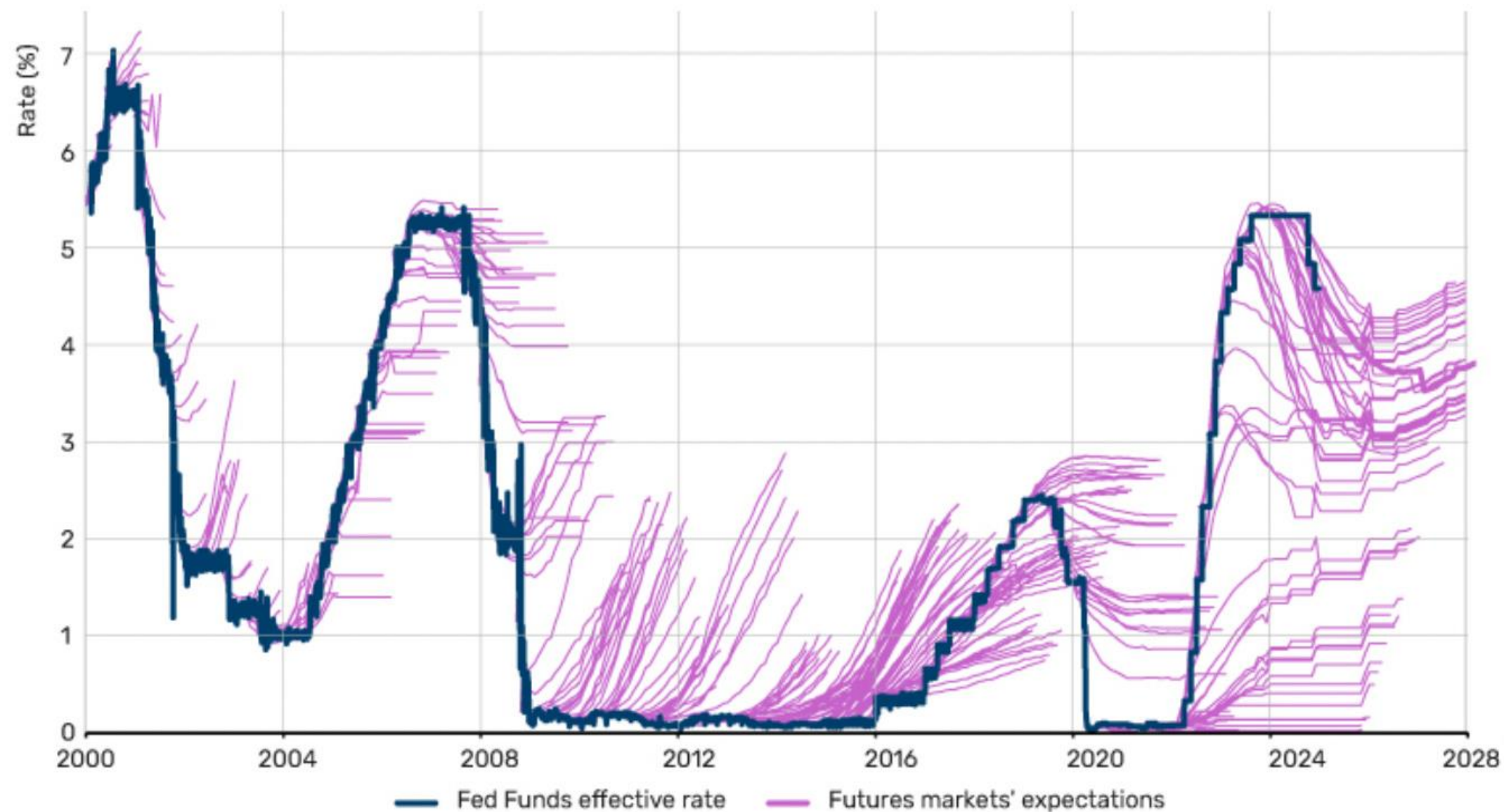


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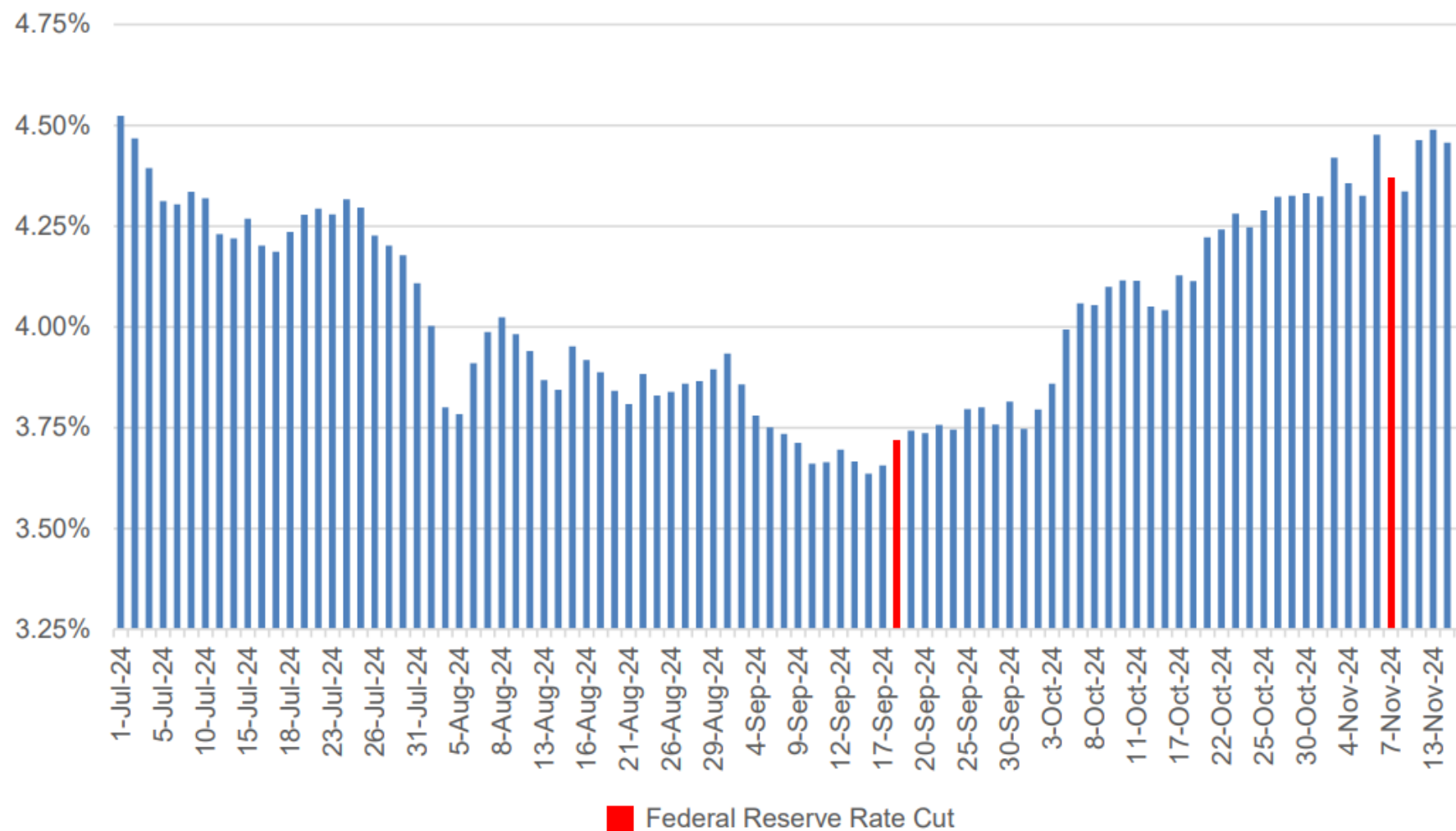


Figure 2. Scant evidence that predictions are more accurate in rates market



Source: Bloomberg, Man Group, as at 1 December 2024.

Exhibit 1: Daily 10-Year Treasury Rate



Fed leaves rates unchanged, sees no hurry to cut again

By Howard Schneider and Michael S. Derby

January 29, 2025 4:04 PM PST • Updated 3 hours ago



Summary Companies

- US central bank leaves policy rate in 4.25%-4.50% range
- Officials still waiting for clarity on Trump policies
- 'We do not need to be in a hurry,' Powell says

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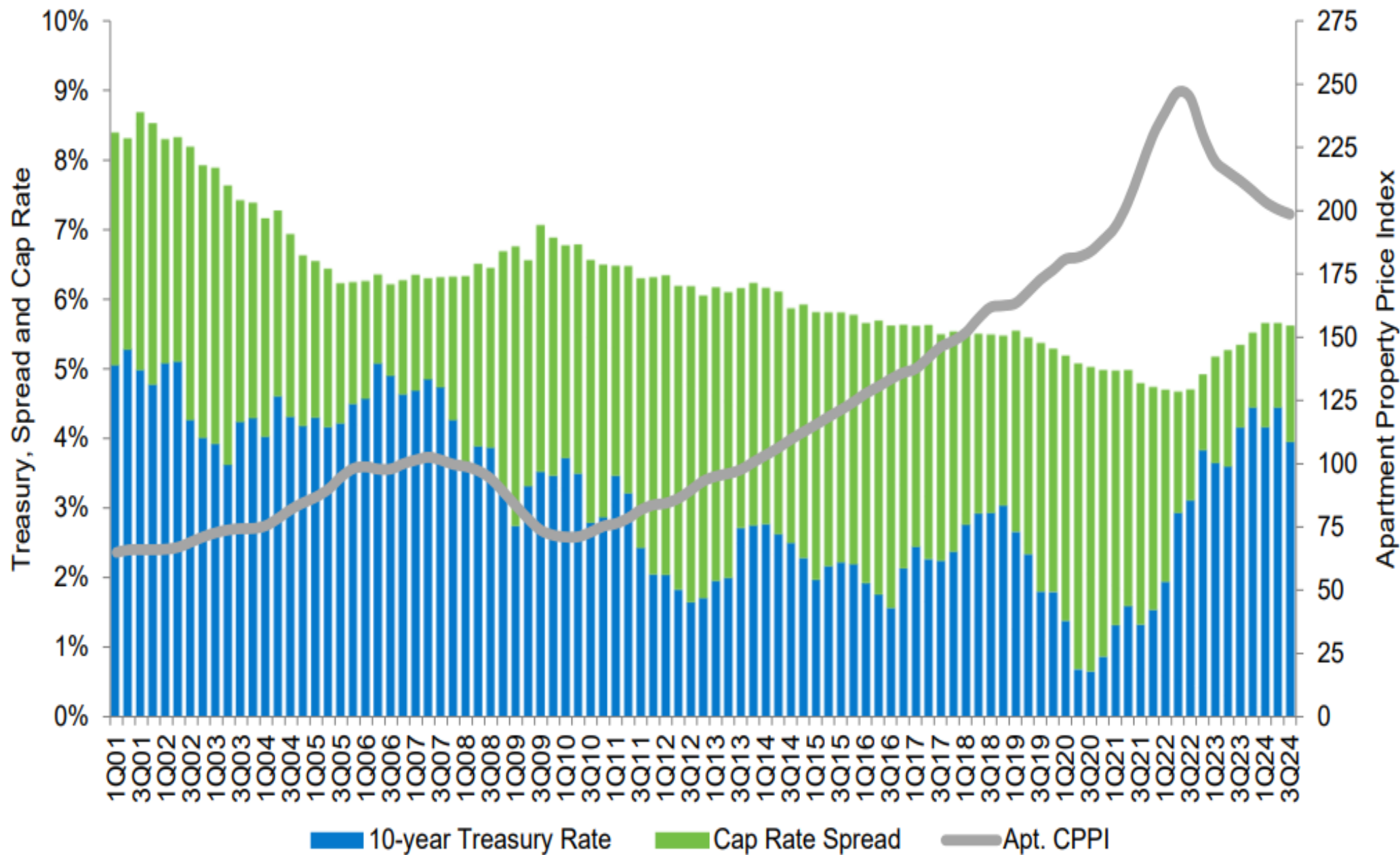
Analysts rework interest rate cut forecasts for 2025

Here's what could happen to Fed interest rates next year.

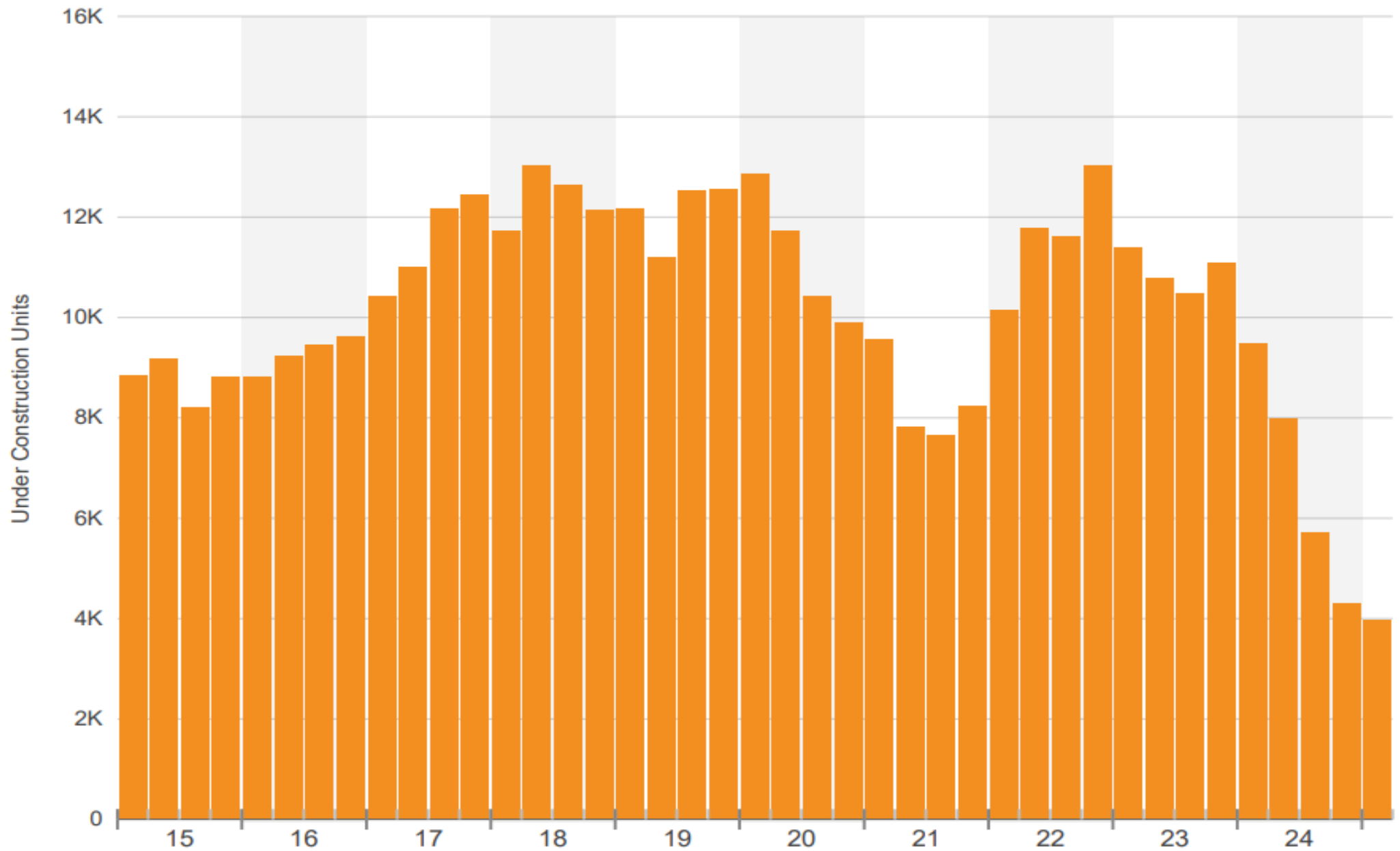
Michael Sheldon, CFA, CFP - Dec 10, 2024 7:33 PM EST

The tool also suggests that there's a 30% chance (the highest probability of all outcomes) that the Federal Reserve Bank will cut rates twice more to 4.00% by the end of 2025.

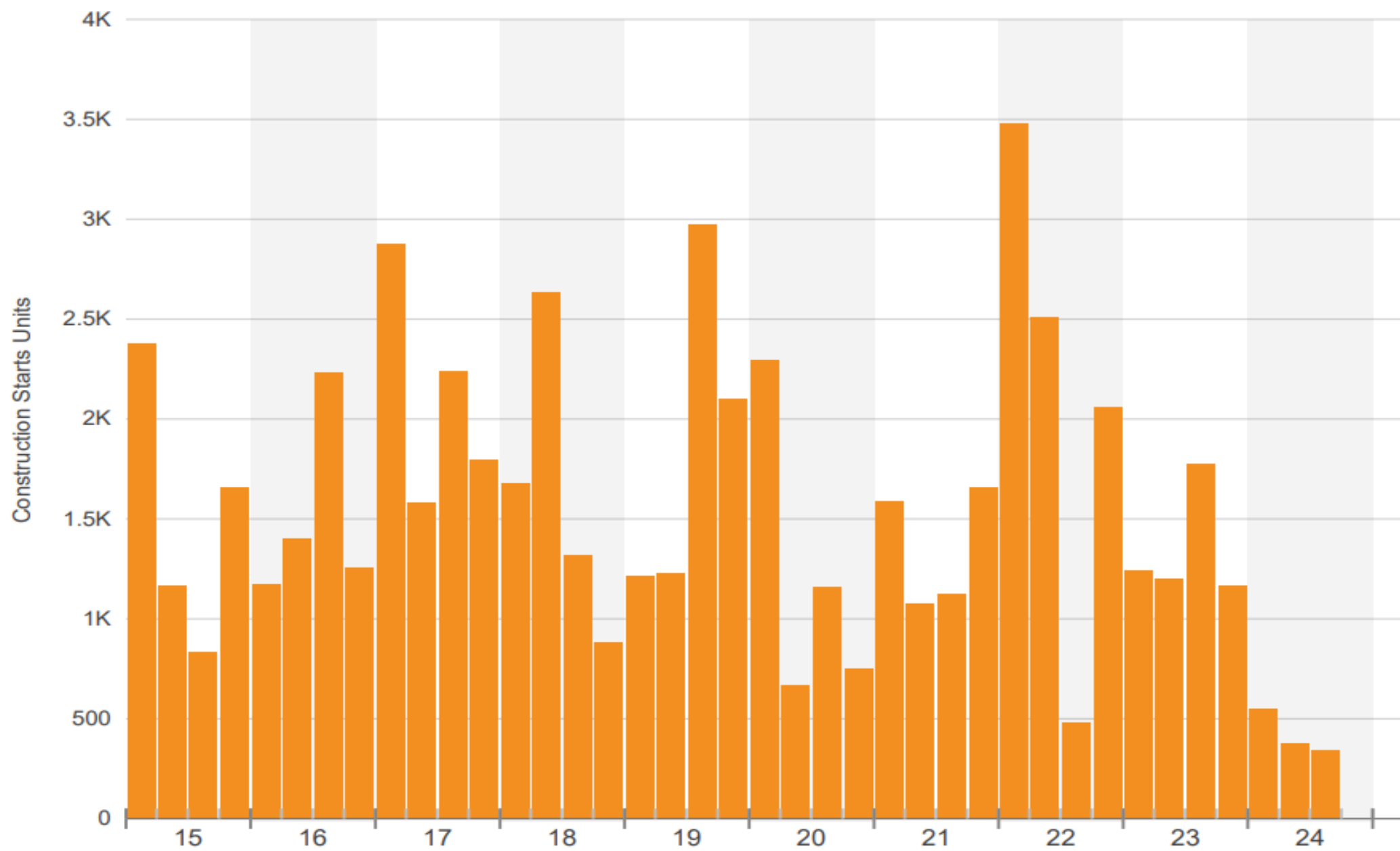
Exhibit 11: Multifamily Price Index, Cap Rate Spread and Treasury Rate



Under Construction



Construction Starts



Class C Rents are Falling Hardest in High-Supplied Markets

Rank	Metro Area	Supply Rate Above U.S. Avg?	Class C YoY Rent Change
1	Fort Walton Beach, FL	Yes	-13.5%
2	Austin, TX	Yes	-10.7%
3	Fort Myers, FL	Yes	-9.0%
4	Sarasota, FL	Yes	-8.6%
5	Phoenix, AZ	Yes	-6.6%
6	Daytona Beach, FL	Yes	-6.5%
7	Provo, UT	Yes	-5.7%
8	Salt Lake City, UT	Yes	-5.7%
9	Raleigh/Durham, NC	Yes	-5.6%
10	Atlanta, GA	Yes	-5.3%
11	Naples, FL	No	-5.3%
12	Greenville, SC	Yes	-5.2%
13	Jacksonville, FL	Yes	-5.0%
14	Colorado Springs, CO	Yes	-4.9%
15	Wilmington, NC	Yes	-4.8%
16	Tampa, FL	Yes	-4.5%
17	Palm Bay, FL	Yes	-4.3%
18	Dallas, TX	Yes	-4.3%
19	Charlotte, NC	Yes	-4.2%
20	Orlando, FL	Yes	-4.1%
21	Fort Worth, TX	Yes	-4.0%

Source: Madera Residential research, RealPage Market Analytics. Supply rate = year-over-year change in apartment inventory relative to U.S. average of 2.7% as of June 2024.



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Housing Needs Analysis (HNA) and Housing Production Strategy (HPS) updates

- On [Aug. 28](#), City Council unanimously adopted Portland's first-ever Housing Production Strategy (HPS). [Read the announcement.](#)
- [Read the adopted Housing Production Strategy.](#)

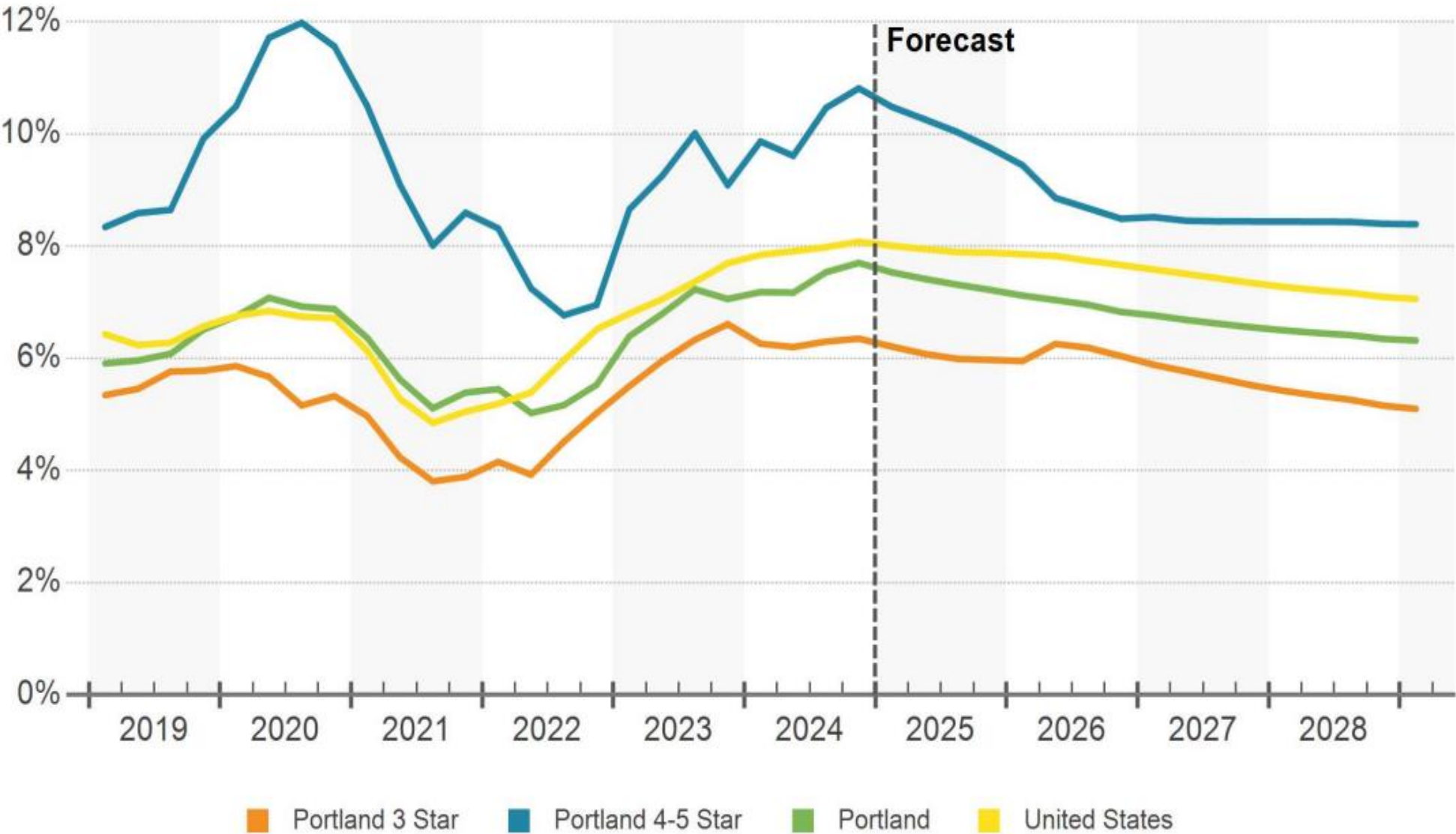


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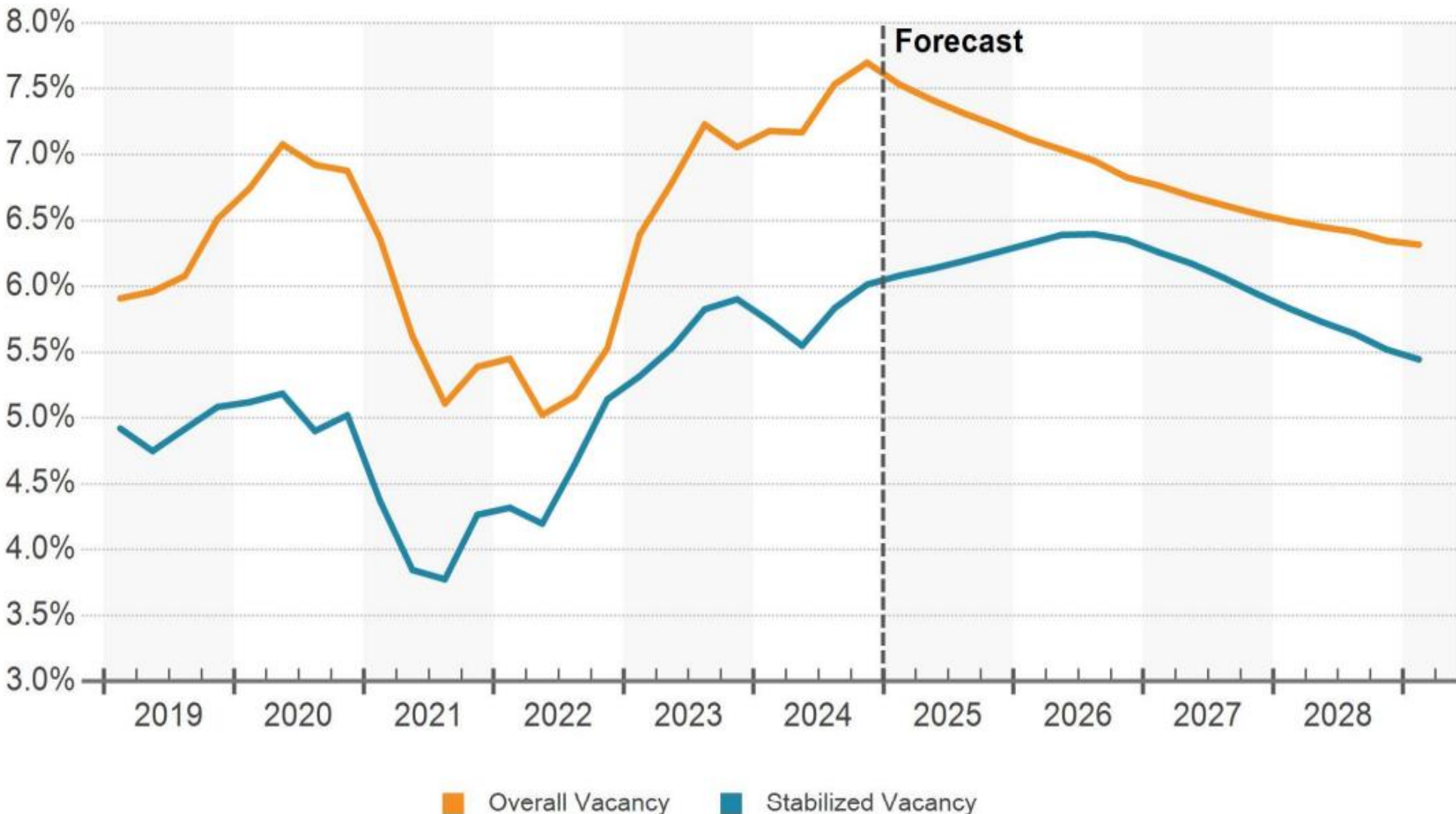
The strategies that lay the groundwork for the next five years are organized into eight initiatives:

1. Promote Affordable Housing (0-80% AMI)
2. Increase Middle-Income Housing And Homeownership
3. Increase Housing Across All Major Redevelopment Efforts
4. Reduce Barriers To Development And Improve Processes
5. Stabilize Current And Future Households
6. Promote Age- And Disability-Friendly Housing
7. Promote Climate-Friendly And Healthy Homes
8. Advocate At The State And Federal Level

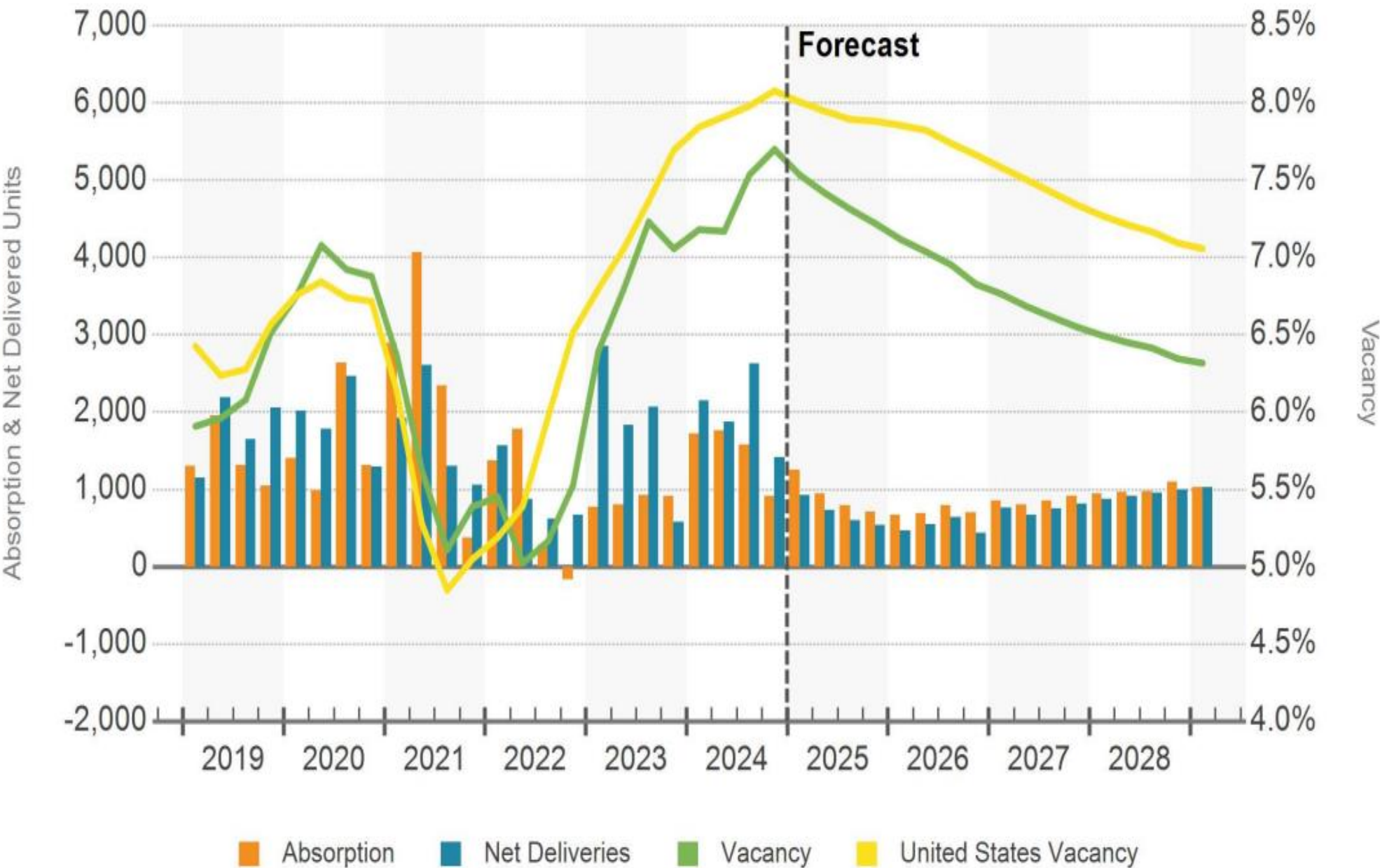
VACANCY RATE



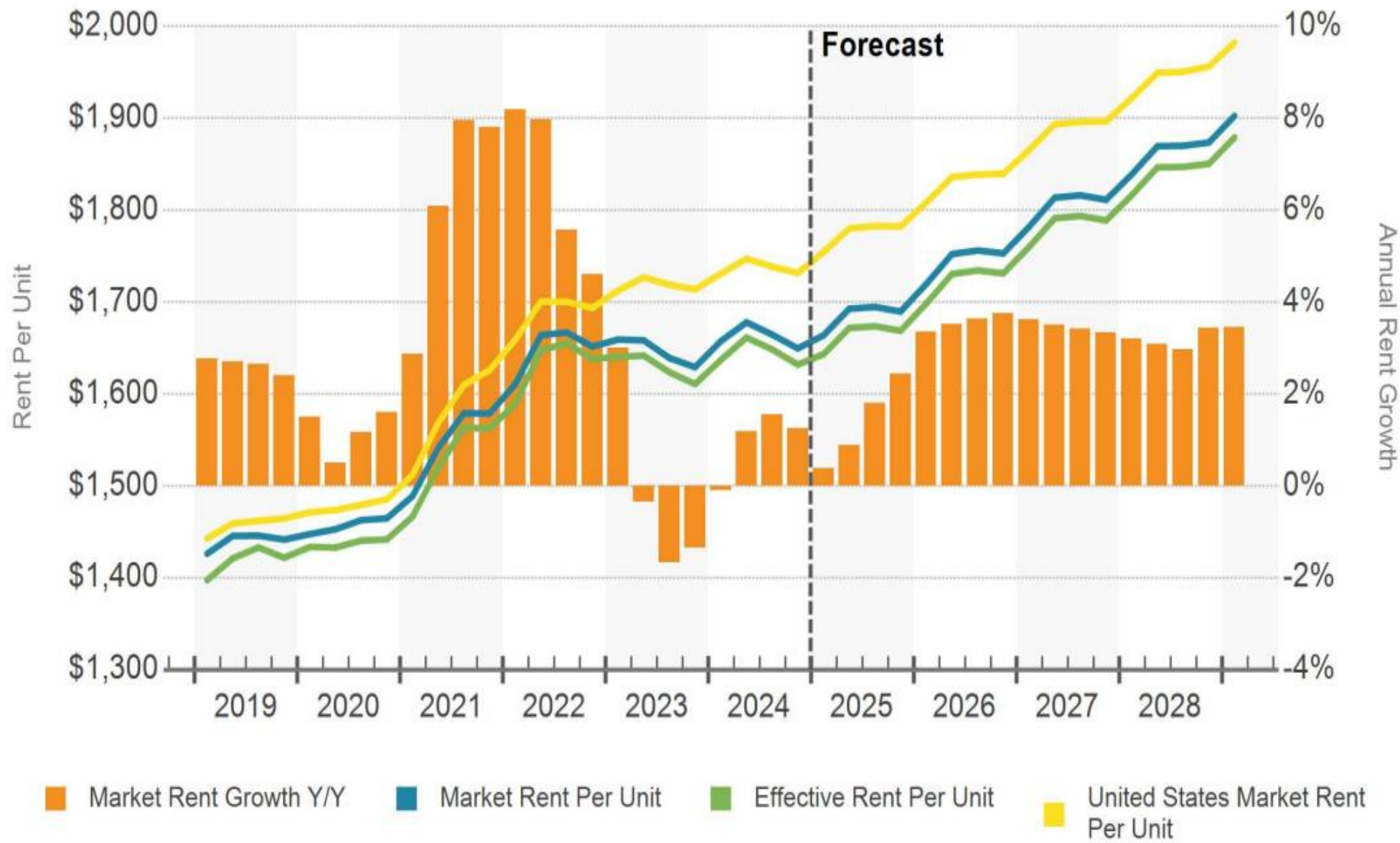
OVERALL & STABILIZED VACANCY



ABSORPTION, NET DELIVERIES & VACANCY



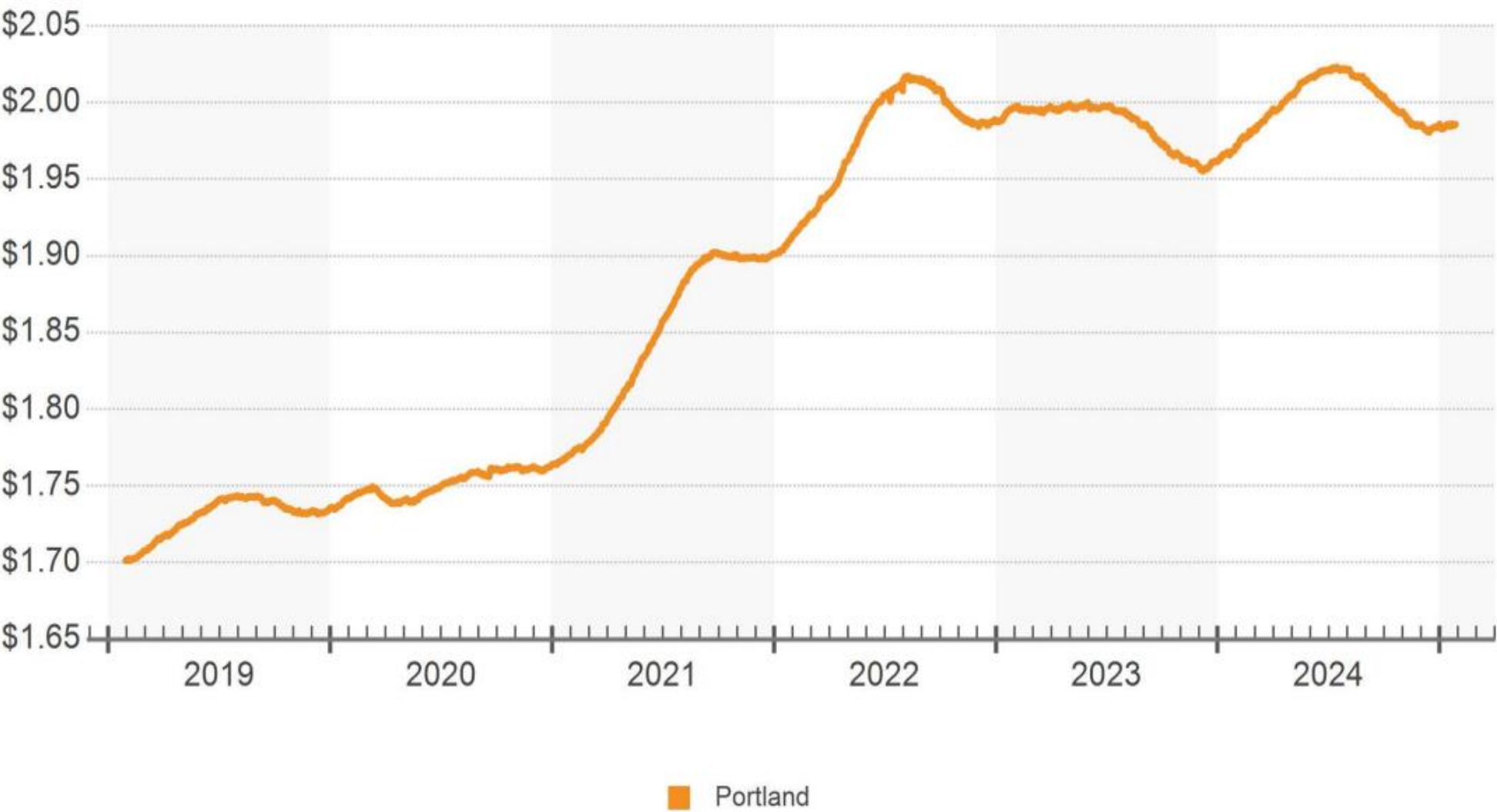
MARKET RENT PER UNIT & RENT GROWTH



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Portland Multi-Family

DAILY ASKING RENT PER SF



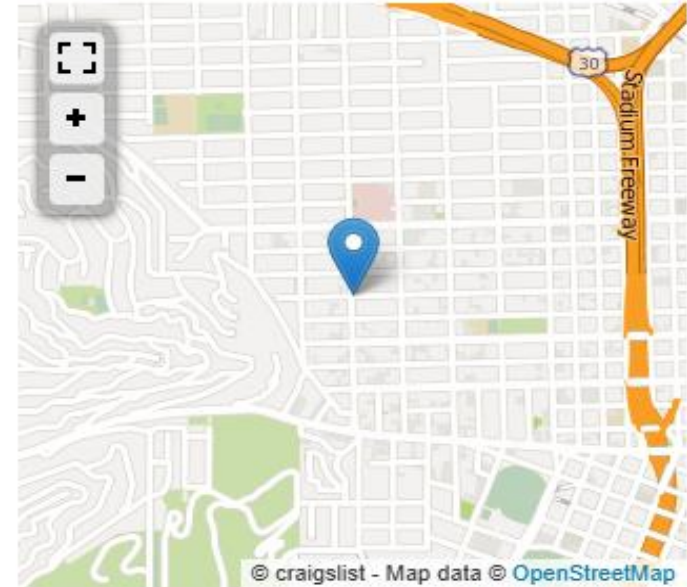
\$1,150 / 1br - 565ft² - Katherine Apartments-SPECIAL OFFER: Get \$250 OFF Your First 3 Months (621 NW 23rd Ave.)



****Accepting Applications beginning 9/1/2024 at 2:00PM**
Per City of Portland Fair Housing Ordinance, Applications received before this time will receive an 8-hour delay in their application time for consideration.**

****First 3 Months: \$250 OFF!**
After the First 3 Months: Regular Rent of \$1150**

Spacious 2nd Floor Double Studio – Feels Like a 1-Bedroom!



621 NW 23rd Ave

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1BR / 1Ba 565ft² available now

application fee details: \$55 - Credit, Criminal, Rental History check

rent period: [monthly](#)

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\$1,225 / 1br - 600ft² - Schedule a tour today! 4 Weeks free! (PORTLAND)

7301 SE Powell Blvd, PORTLAND, OR 97206



Alexander Vincent II

Move-in ready 1 bed and 1 bath units are available right now. Settle into your new home in a friendly community with stunning amenities. With rents starting at \$1,225, these units won't last. Call us to schedule a tour or get started on an application today! Now Offering 4 Weeks Free!



7301 SE Powell Blvd near 74th

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1BR / 1Ba 600ft² available now

application fee details: \$20

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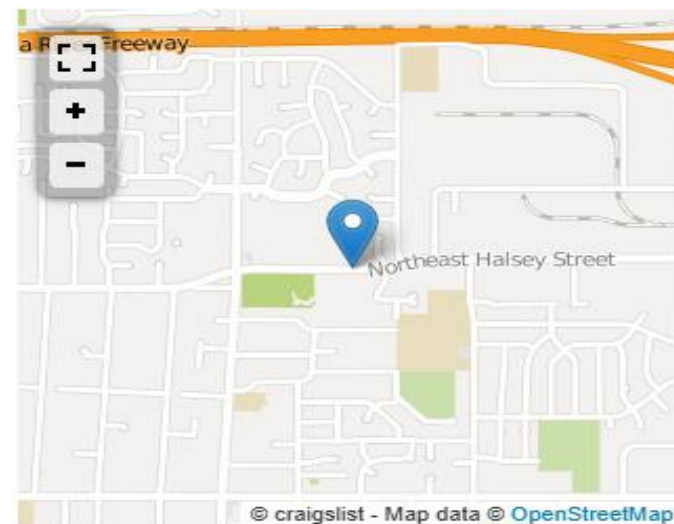
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\$1,395 / 2br - 960ft² - *FREE RENT PROMO *2X1 TOWNHOMESE PDX**NEAR TRI-MET & MAX (16705 NE Halsey)**

16705 NE Halsey St #116, Gresham, OR 97230



16705 NE Halsey St #116

[google map](#)

2BR / 1Ba 960ft² available now

application fee details: \$55 per adult 18 and over

rent period: [monthly](#)

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FREE RENT PROMO *2X1 TOWNHOME**SE PDX**NEAR TRI-MET & MAX**CLOSE TO SHOPPING**EASY FREEWAY ACCESS*

Property Address

16705 NE HALSEY ST Apt #116 | GRESHAM, OR 97230

Available: Now

**\$1,545 / 2br - 775ft² - For peace and quiet in Gladstone, you've found the place! *Free Rent!
(Gladstone/Milwaukie - Near George Rogers & Meldrum Bar Park)**

847 Risley Ave, Gladstone, OR 97027



847 Risley Ave near W. Gloucester Street

[google map](#)

2BR / 1Ba 775ft² available now

application fee details: \$45

rent period: [monthly](#)

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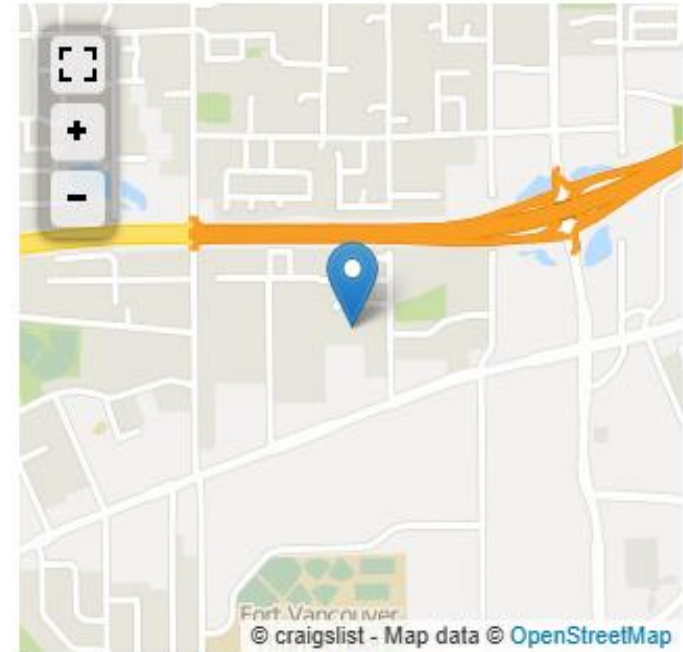


Welcome to River Run Village!

847 Risley Ave Gladstone, OR 97027

**\$1,550 / 2br - 1082ft² - 2 month's rent FREE + Fantastic rent special! \$250 OFF MONTHLY RENT!
(Vancouver)**

3214 NE 62nd Ave, Vancouver, WA 98661



3214 NE 62nd Ave near Fourth Plain

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2BR / 1.5Ba 1082ft²

application fee details: \$65.00

rent period: [monthly](#)

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Pricing for this ad is for the Geneva floor plan - 2 bedrooms 1.5 bathrooms 1,082 square feet.
Ask us about our other 2 floor plans! Reference Apt C6 or C5

Non smoking, FREE ASSIGNED PARKING

Originally \$1800, but now \$1550



Mayor-Elect Keith Wilson Pledges to End Unsheltered Homelessness, With or Without Support From Other Elected Officials

“I’ve set out an ambitious goal to care for Portlanders within a year to ensure that nobody is denied a place to sleep safely tonight. What does that look like? We’ll see.”

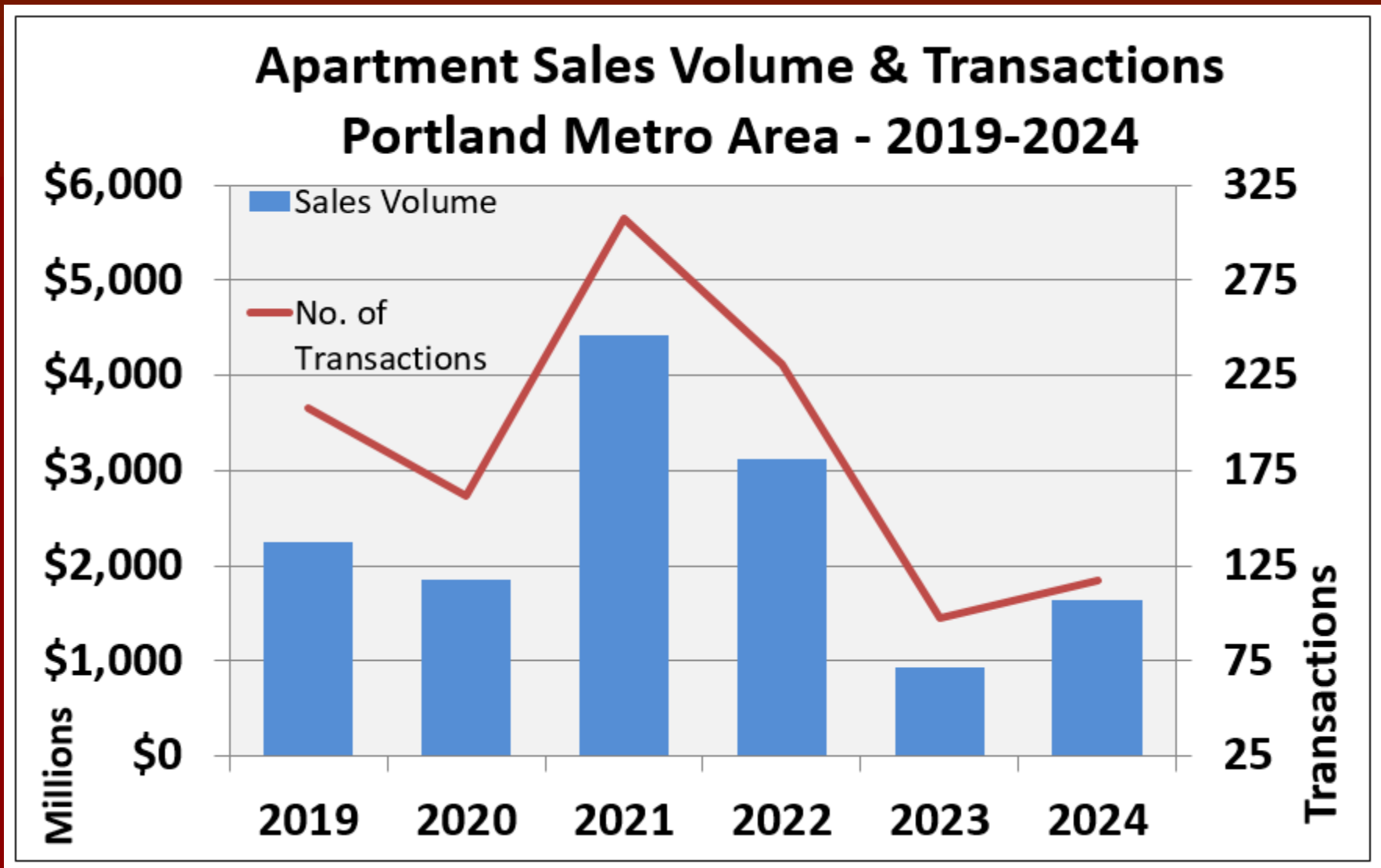
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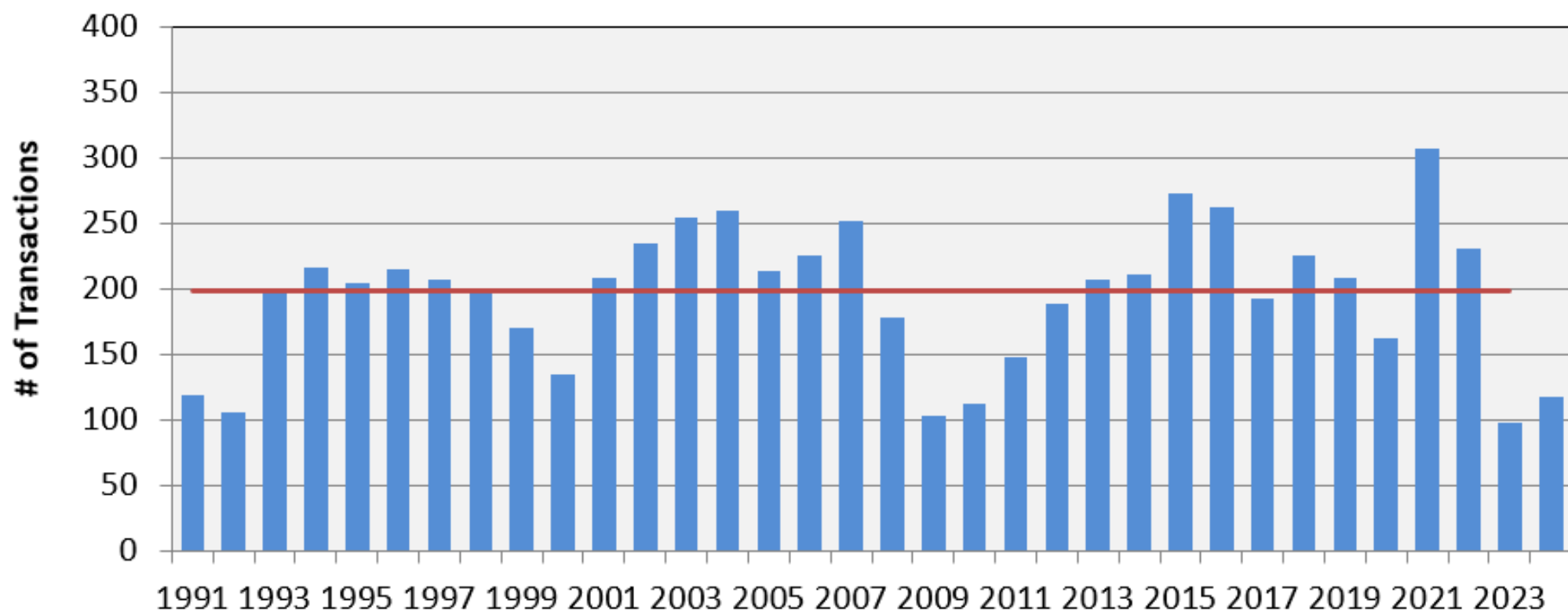
Marcus & Millichap

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2	<i>Dallas-Fort Worth</i>	27	<i>Denver</i>
3	<i>Orlando</i>	28	<i>San Jose</i>
4	<i>Las Vegas</i>	29	<i>Reno</i>
5	<i>Houston</i>	30	<i>Nashville</i>
6	<i>Fort Lauderdale</i>	31	<i>Columbus</i>
7	<i>Salt Lake City</i>	32	<i>Kansas City</i>
8	<i>Orange County</i>	33	<i>San Francisco</i>
9	<i>Austin</i>	34	<i>Atlanta</i>
10	<i>Phoenix</i>	35	<i>San Antonio</i>
11	<i>Tampa-St. Petersburg</i>	36	<i>Riverside-San Bernardino</i>
12	<i>Los Angeles</i>	37	<i>Jacksonville</i>
13	<i>Raleigh</i>	38	<i>Sacramento</i>
14	<i>San Diego</i>	39	<i>Tucson</i>
15	<i>Boston</i>	40	<i>Oakland</i>
16	<i>Seattle-Tacoma</i>	41	<i>Milwaukee</i>
17	<i>New York City</i>	42	<i>New Haven-Fairfield County</i>
18	<i>Minneapolis-St. Paul</i>	43	<i>Baltimore</i>
19	<i>West Palm Beach</i>	44	<i>Norfolk-Virginia Beach</i>
20	<i>Washington, D.C.</i>	45	<i>Pittsburgh</i>
21	<i>Charlotte</i>	46	<i>Louisville</i>
22	<i>Portland</i>	47	<i>Detroit</i>
23	<i>Philadelphia</i>	48	<i>Cincinnati</i>
24	<i>Chicago</i>	49	<i>St. Louis</i>
25	<i>Northern New Jersey</i>	50	<i>Cleveland</i>

Portland Metro Apartment Sales Volume & Transactions – 2019 thru 2024

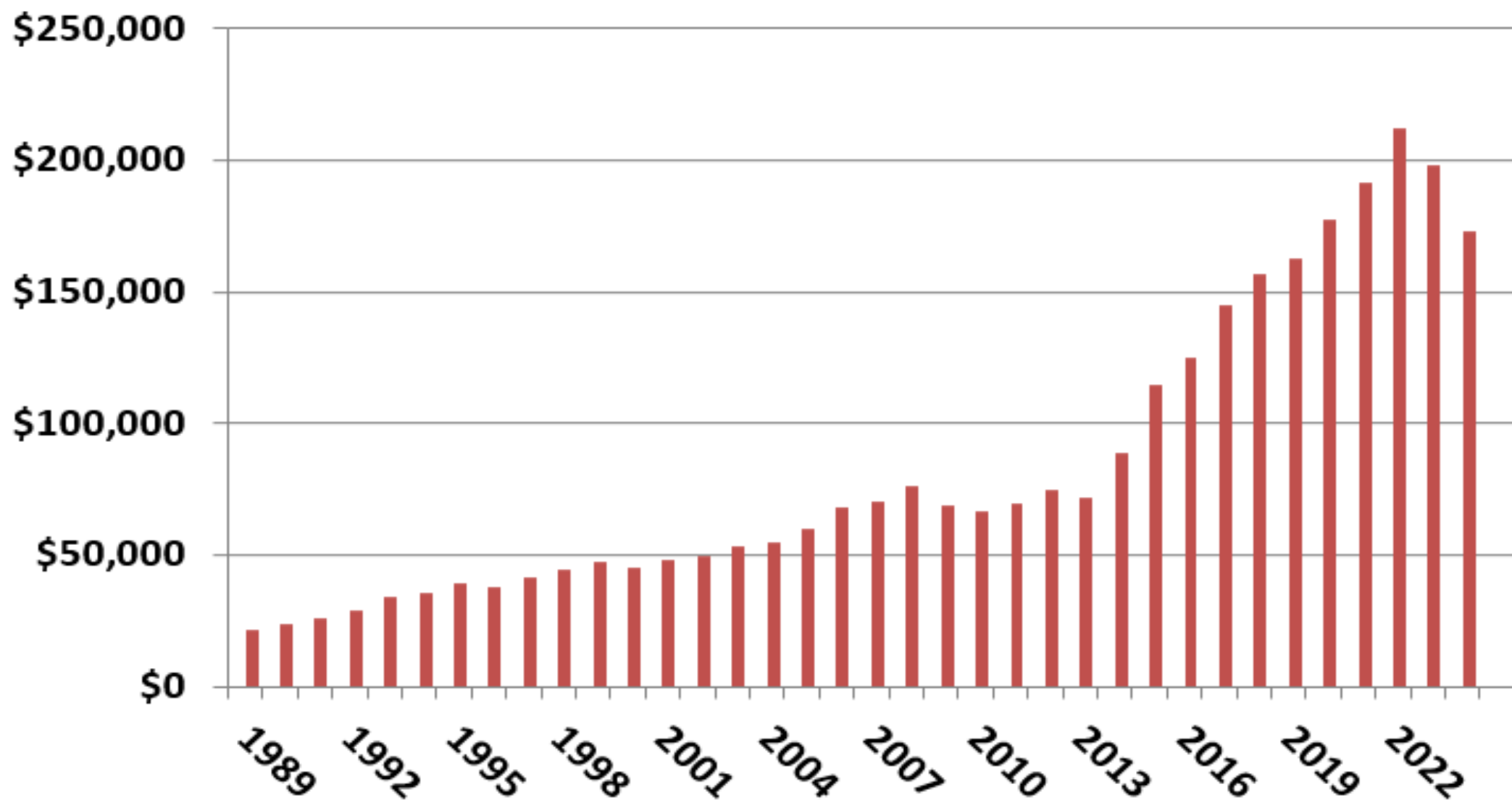


Apartment Sales Volume & Transactions Portland Metro Area (1991 - 2024)

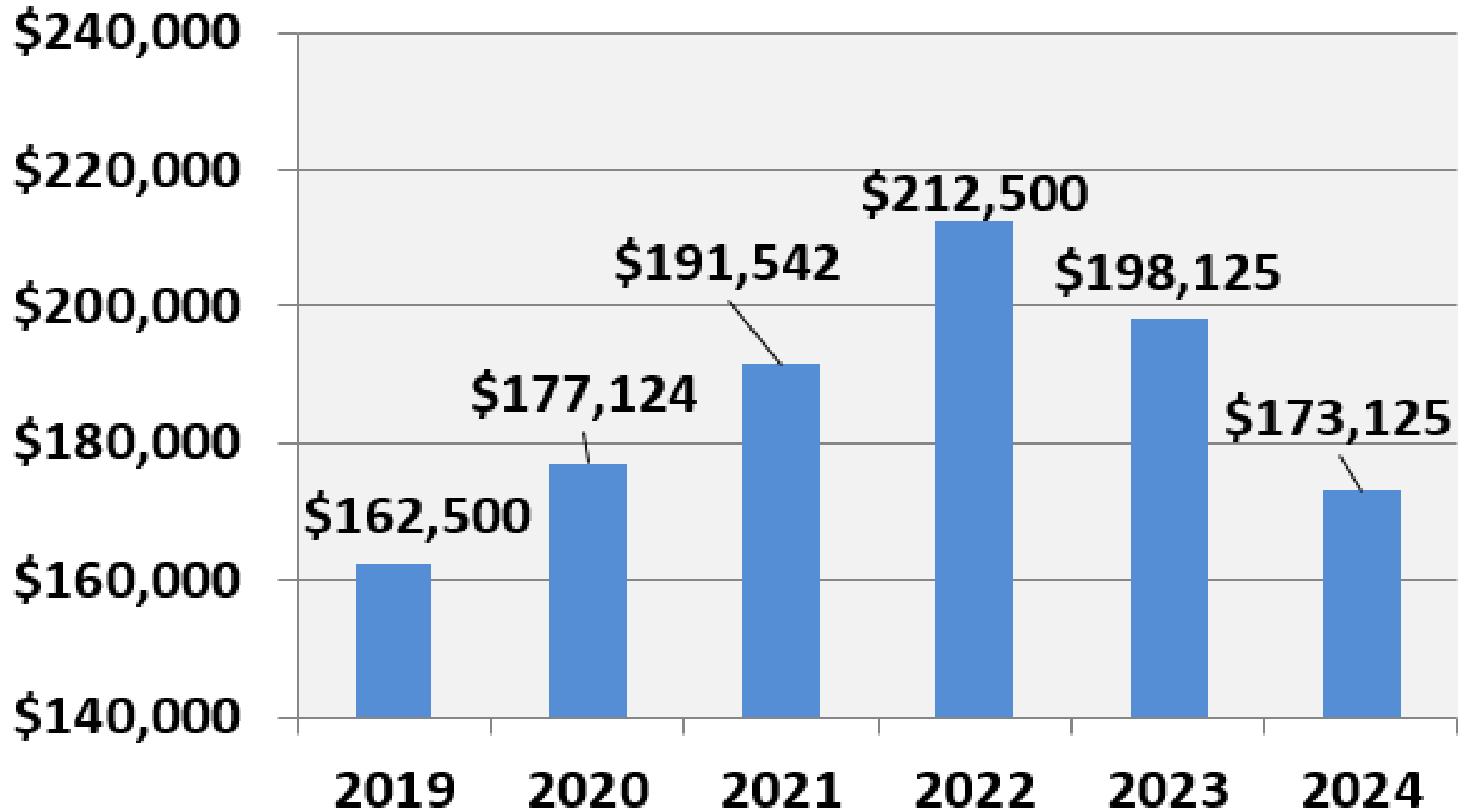


Portland Metro Median Price Per Unit

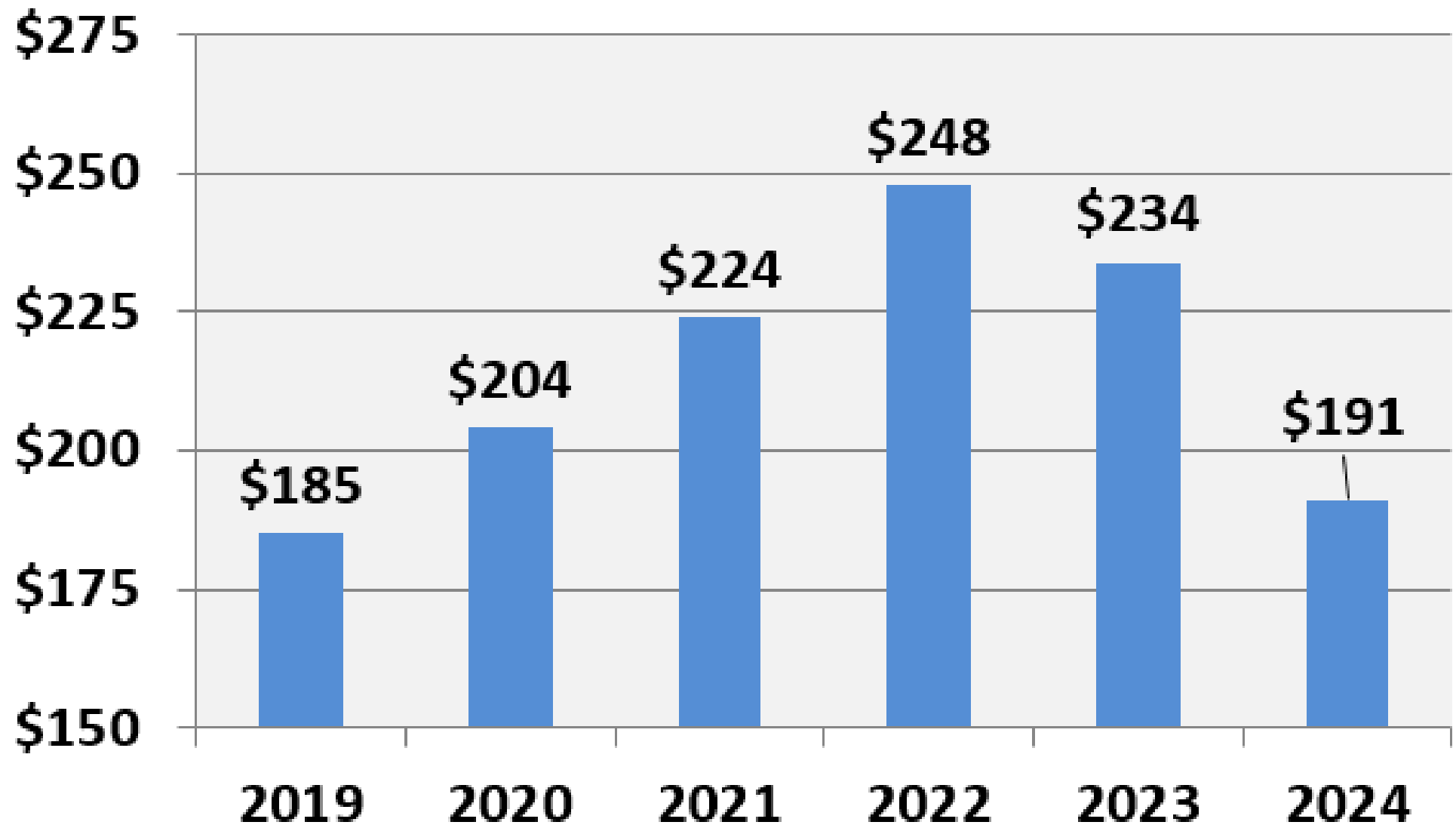
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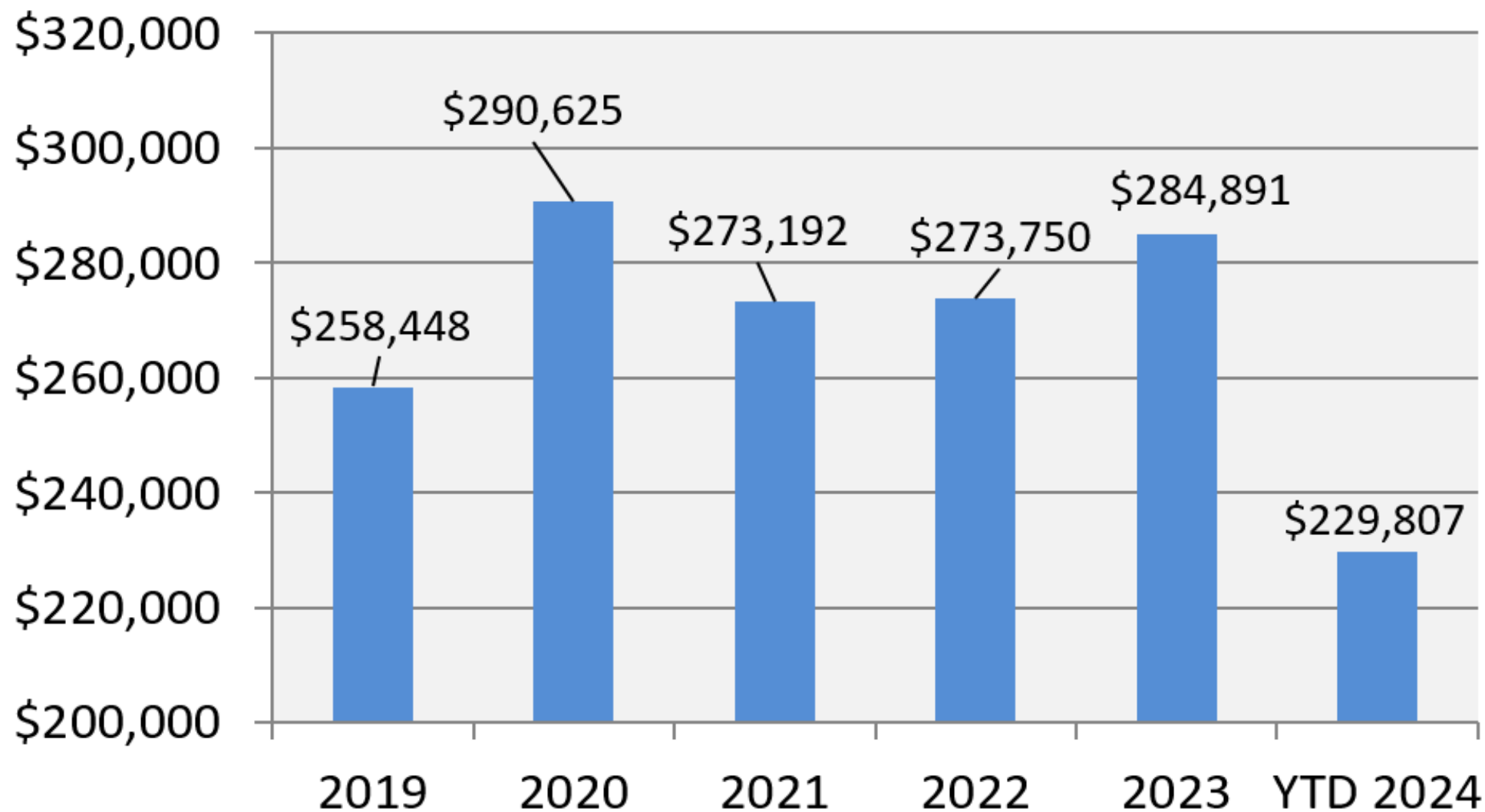
Portland Metro Area Median Price per Unit (2019 - 2024)



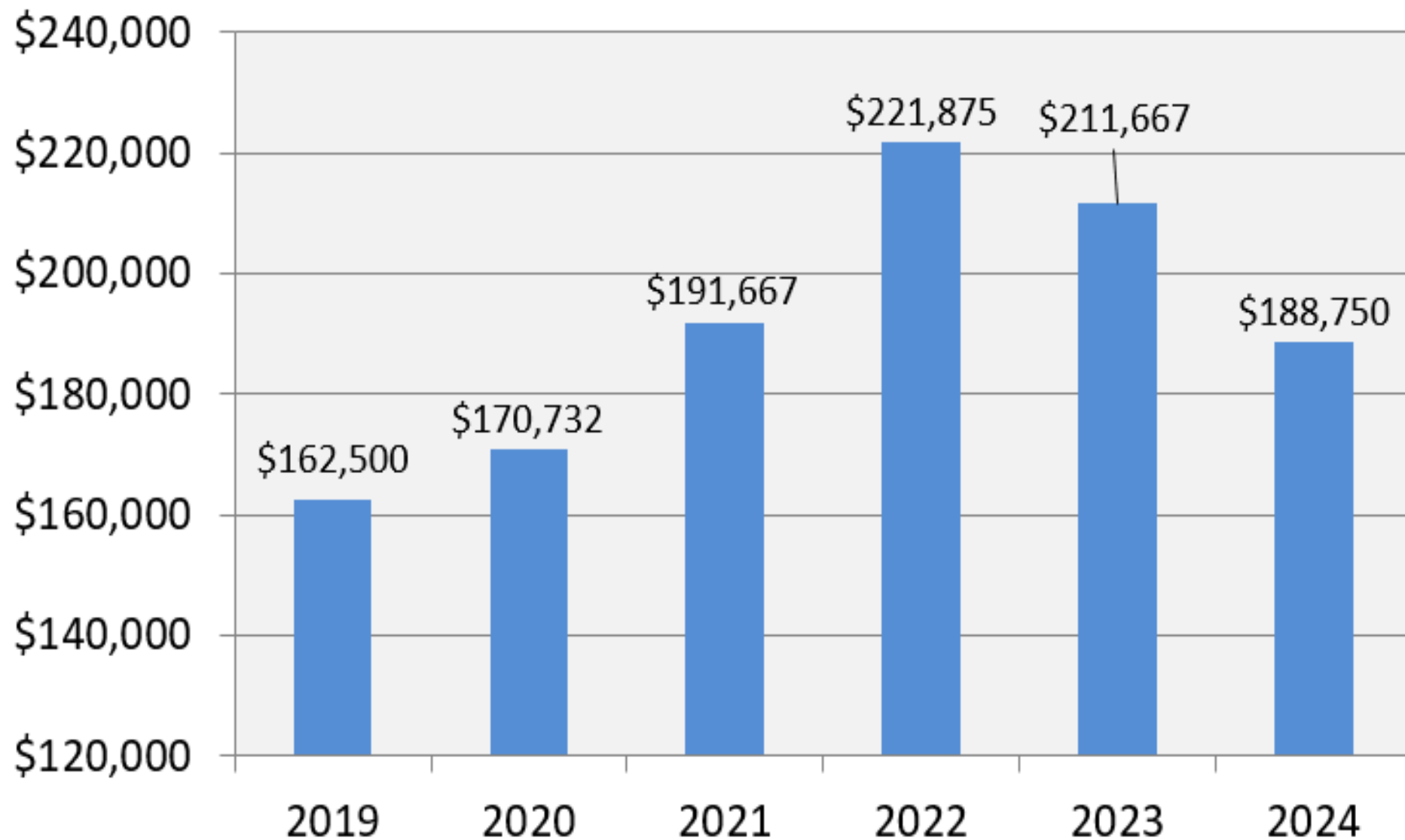
Portland Metro Area Median Price per Sq. Ft. (2019 - 2024)



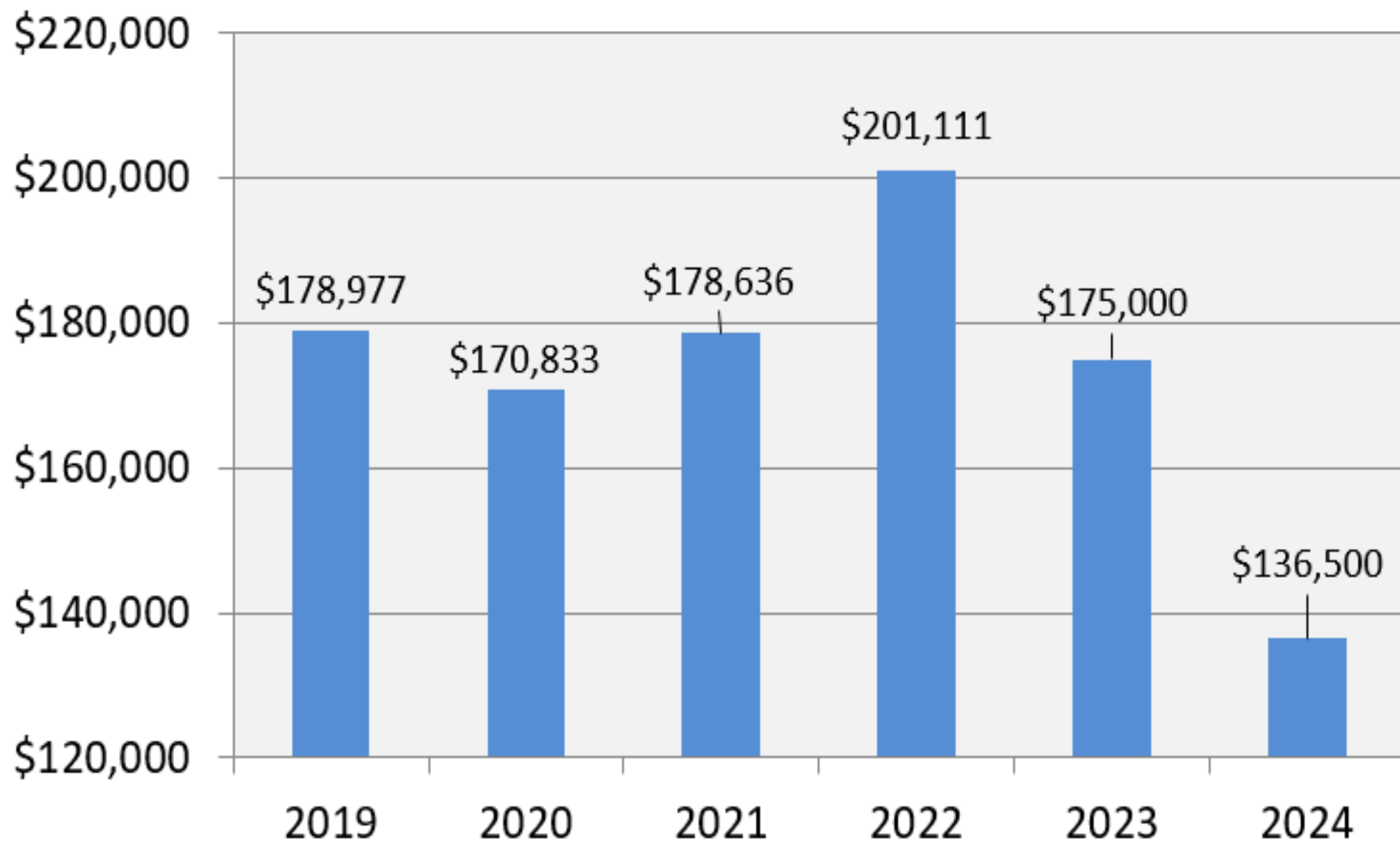
Median Price Per Unit - Built Since 2010 (2019 - 2024)



Median Price Per Unit - Wash, Clack, Clark County



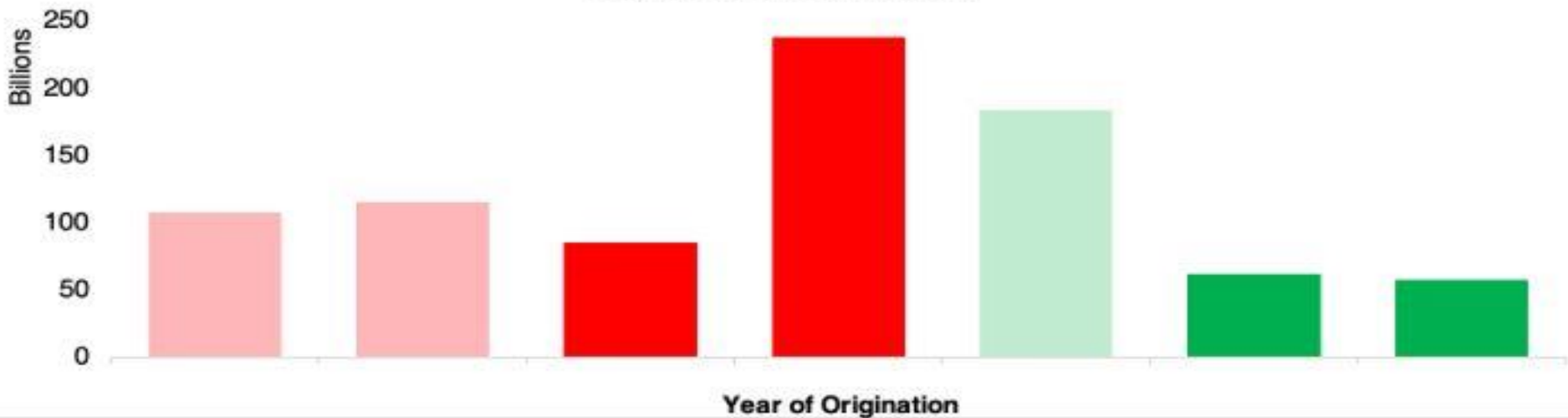
Median Price Per Unit - PDX Pre 1940



Apartment Loan Paydown Cheat Sheet



Apartment Sale Transactions



NOI Change Since Origination	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
20.0%	19.1%	14.9%	10.8%	6.7%	14.9%	23.1%	27.2%
17.5%	16.6%	12.5%	8.5%	4.5%	12.5%	20.5%	24.6%
15.0%	14.1%	10.1%	6.2%	2.2%	10.1%	18.0%	21.9%
12.5%	11.6%	7.7%	3.9%	0.0%	7.7%	15.4%	19.3%
10.0%	9.1%	5.3%	1.6%	-2.2%	5.3%		16.6%
7.5%	6.7%	2.9%	-0.7%	-4.4%	2.9%		14.0%
5.0%	4.2%	0.5%	-3.1%	-6.6%	0.5%		11.3%
2.5%	1.7%	-1.9%	-5.4%	-8.9%			8.7%
0.0%	-0.8%	-4.3%	-7.7%	-11.1%	-4.3%		6.0%
-2.5%	-3.3%	-6.6%	-10.0%	-13.3%	-6.6%		3.4%
-5.0%	-5.7%	-9.0%	-12.3%	-15.5%	-9.0%		
-7.5%	-8.2%	-11.4%	-14.6%	-17.8%	-11.4%		
-10.0%	-10.7%	-13.8%	-16.9%	-20.0%	-13.8%		

Big problem

Paydown vs. Outstanding Balance

Portland Metro Apartment Sales – 2022 through 2024 - Quarterly

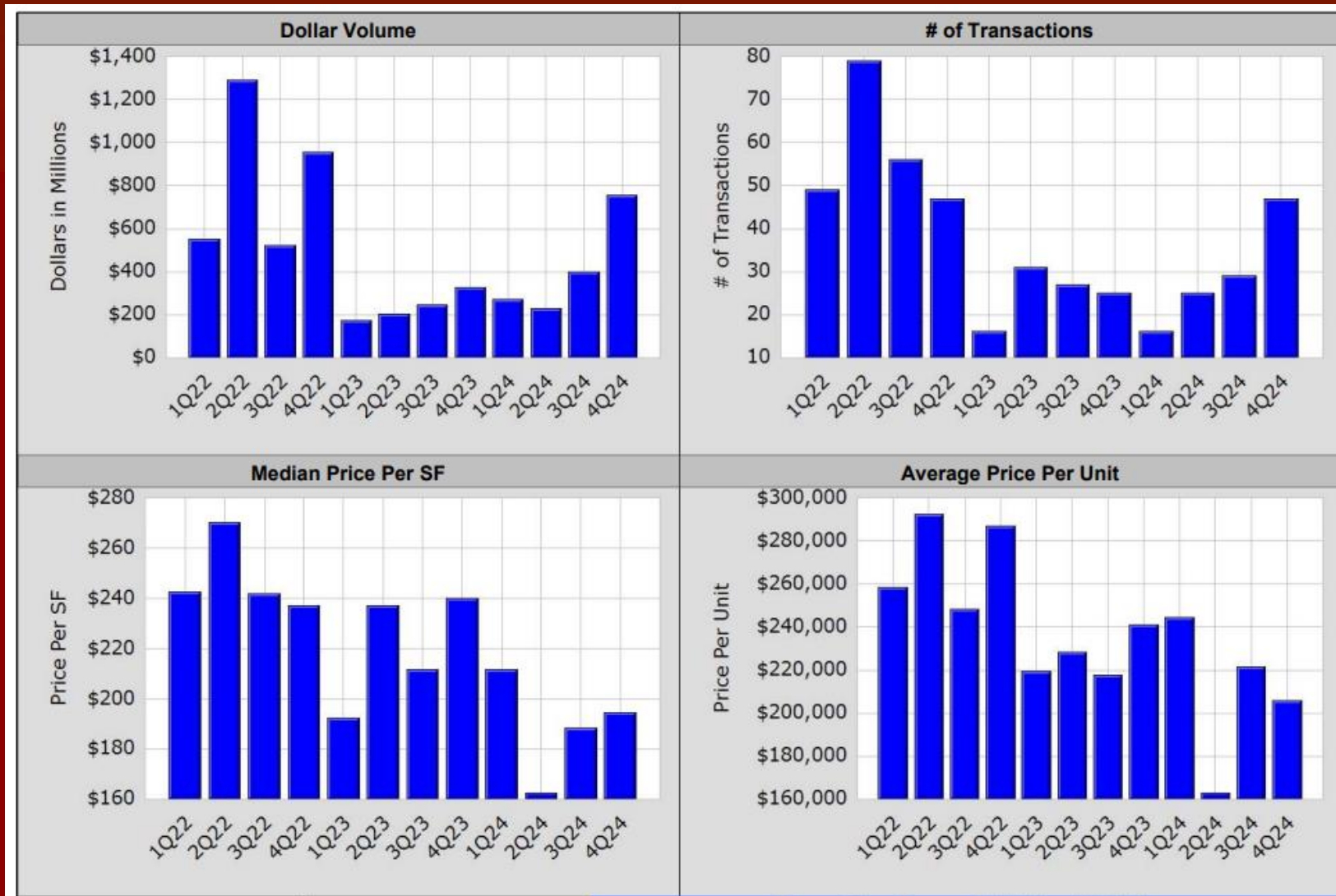
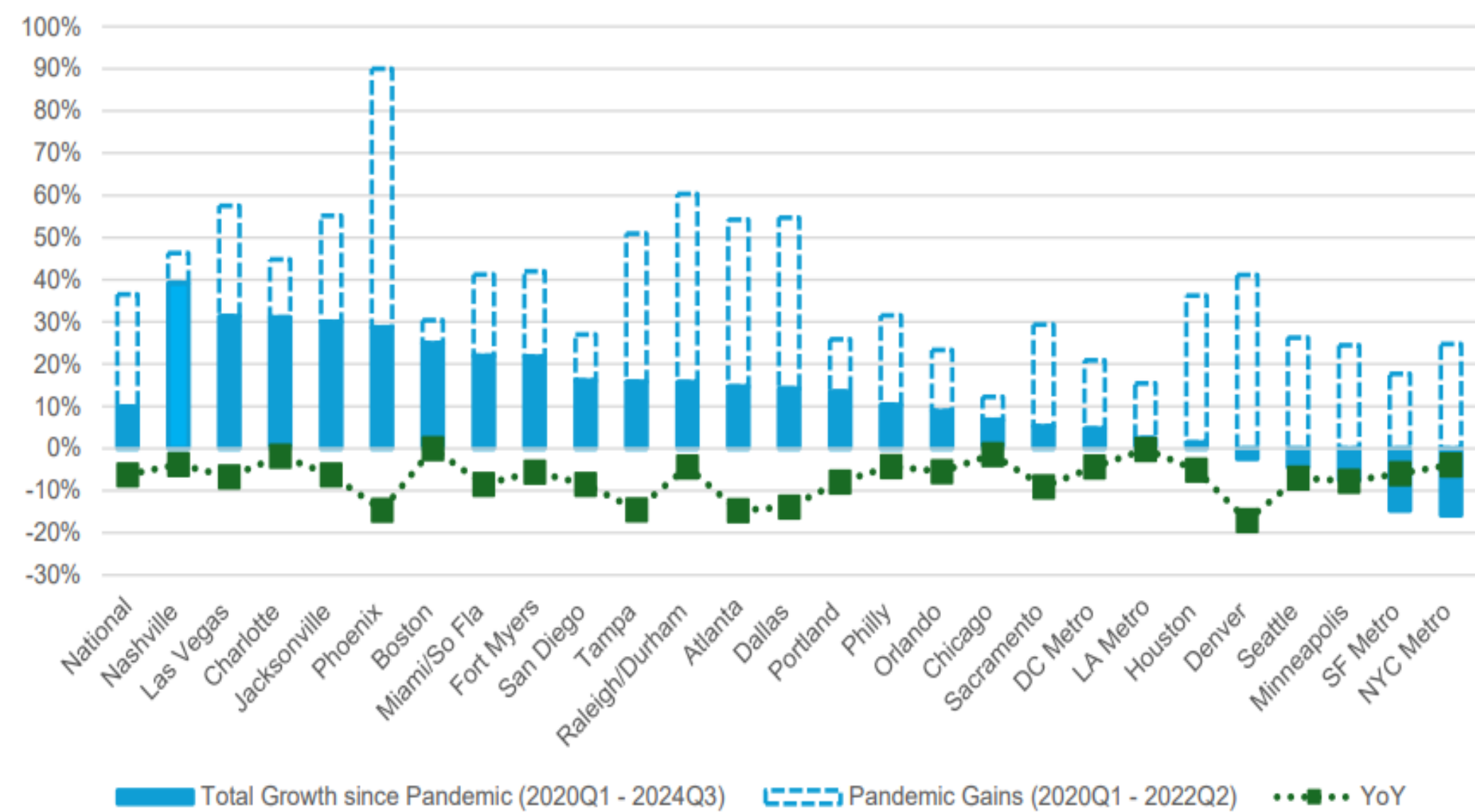


Exhibit 12: Multifamily Property Price Change by Metro



Sources: Freddie Mac, Real Capital Analytics CPPI

Dec 2024 – 8 Unit Apartment SW Portland- \$107,500/Unit



Nov 2024— Louis York Apts — N Portland

\$156,383/Unit



Nov 2024 – 18 Unit Hood Ave S Portland - \$207,778/unit



October 2024 - 28 Unit Glenwood Apts – SE Portland- \$108,571/unit



July 2024 – 29 Unit Kennedy Park \$142,241/unit - Beaverton



53 Unit Golfside Apts – Gresham
January 2025 - \$122,642/unit
February 2020- \$146,226/unit
16% decline



166 Unit Oxbow 49 – SW Portland
December 2024 - \$207,831/unit
February 2018 - \$307,229
32% decline



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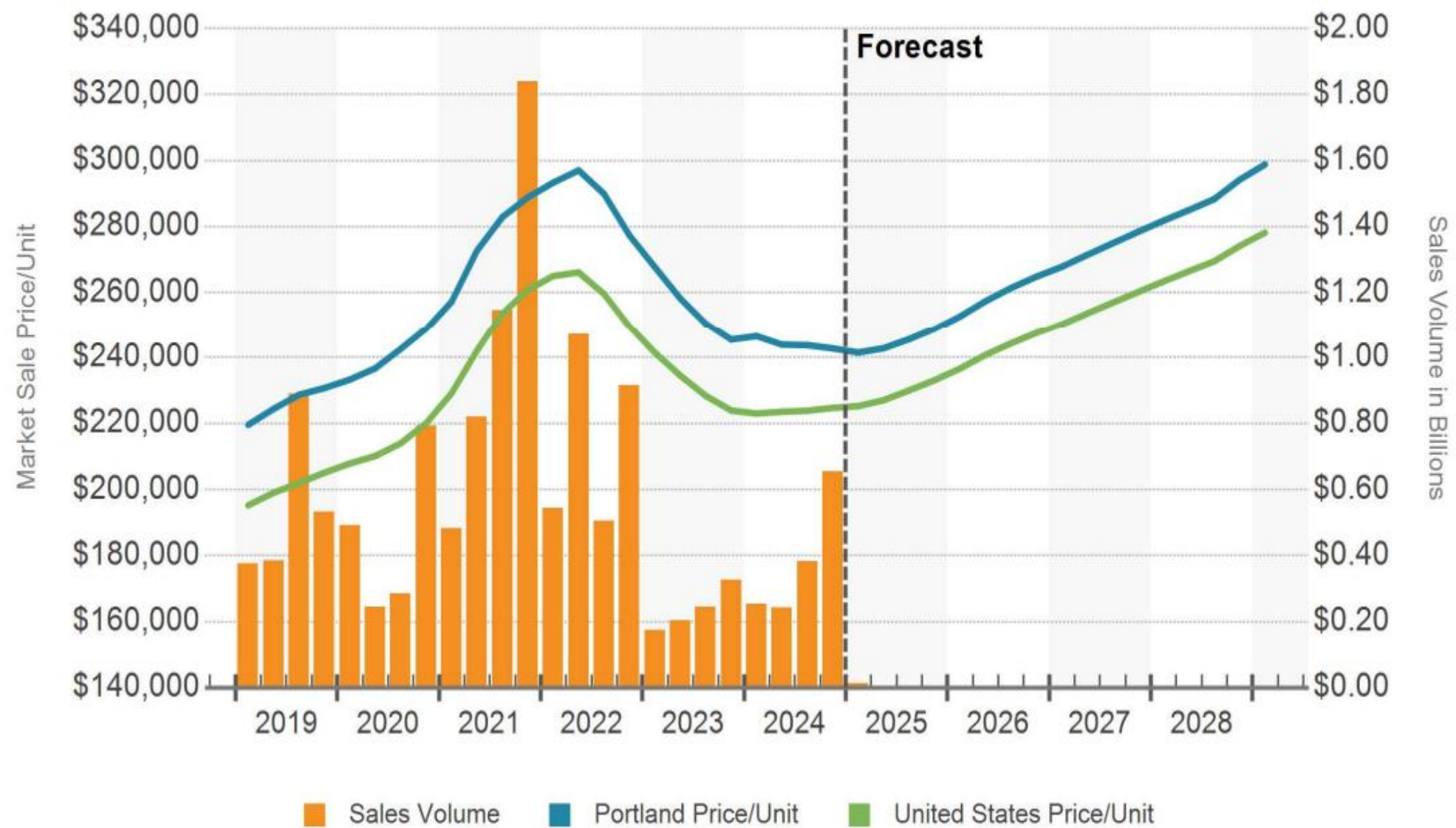
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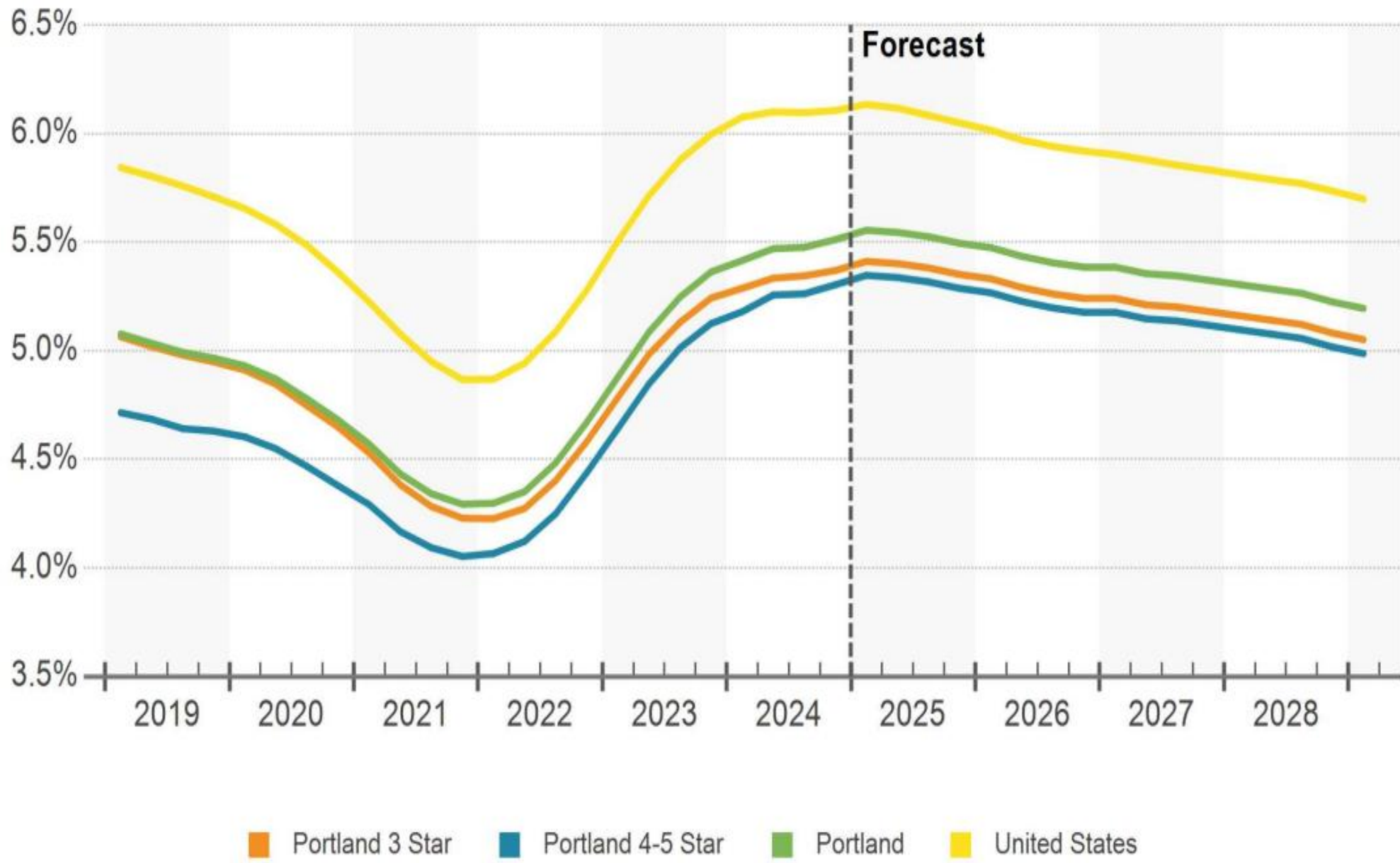
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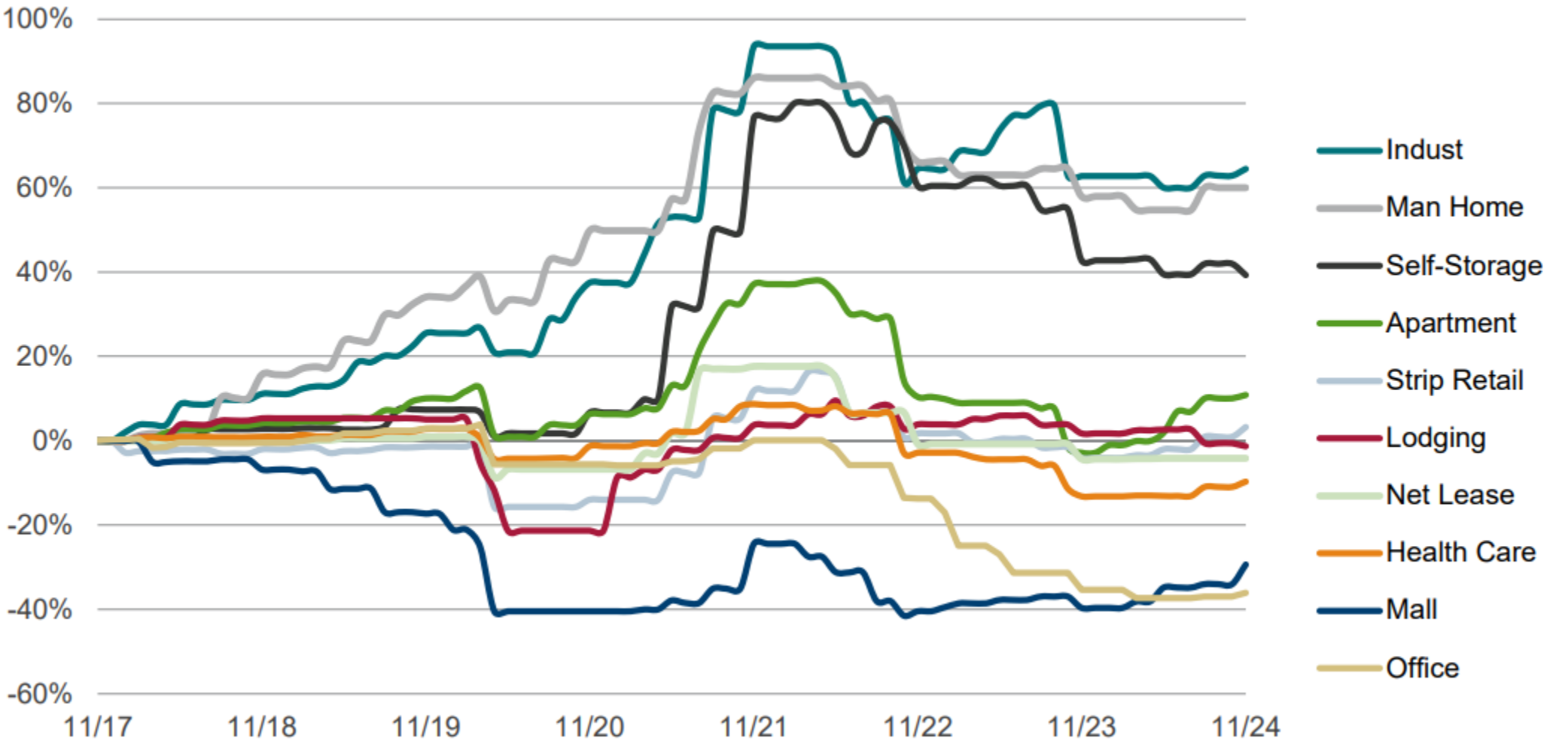
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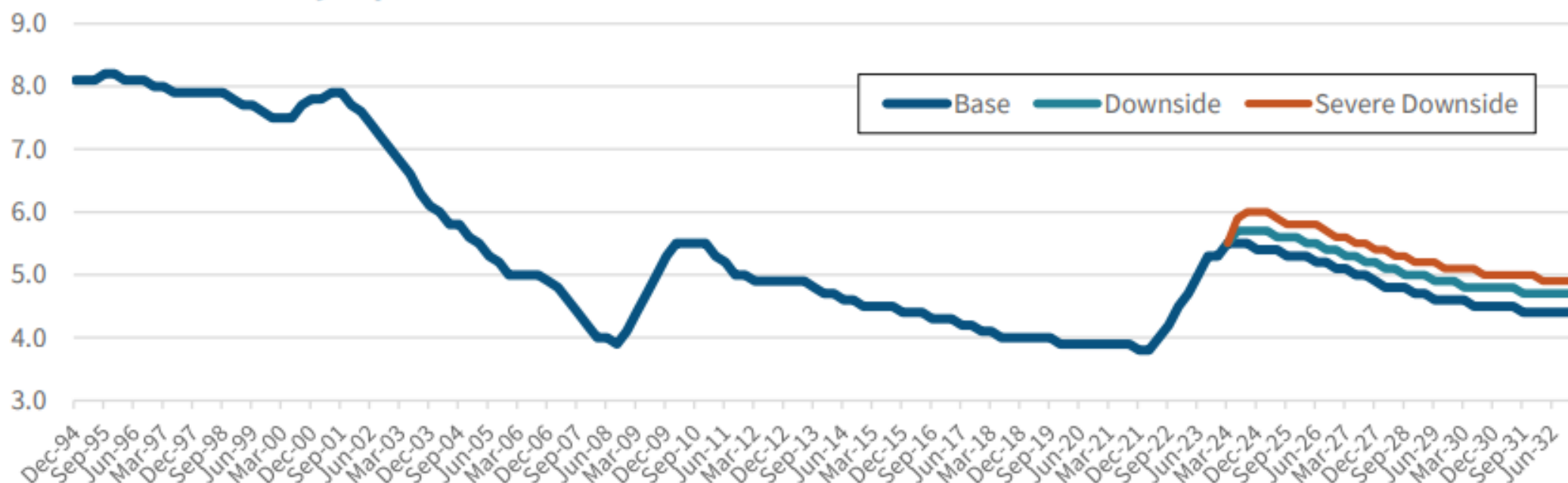


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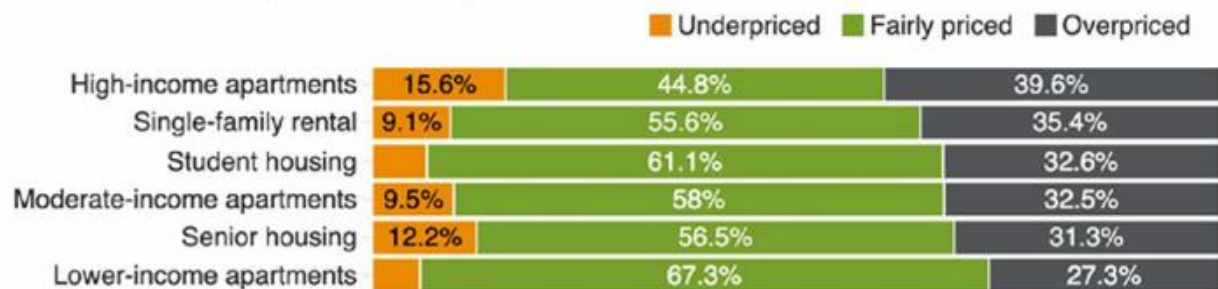
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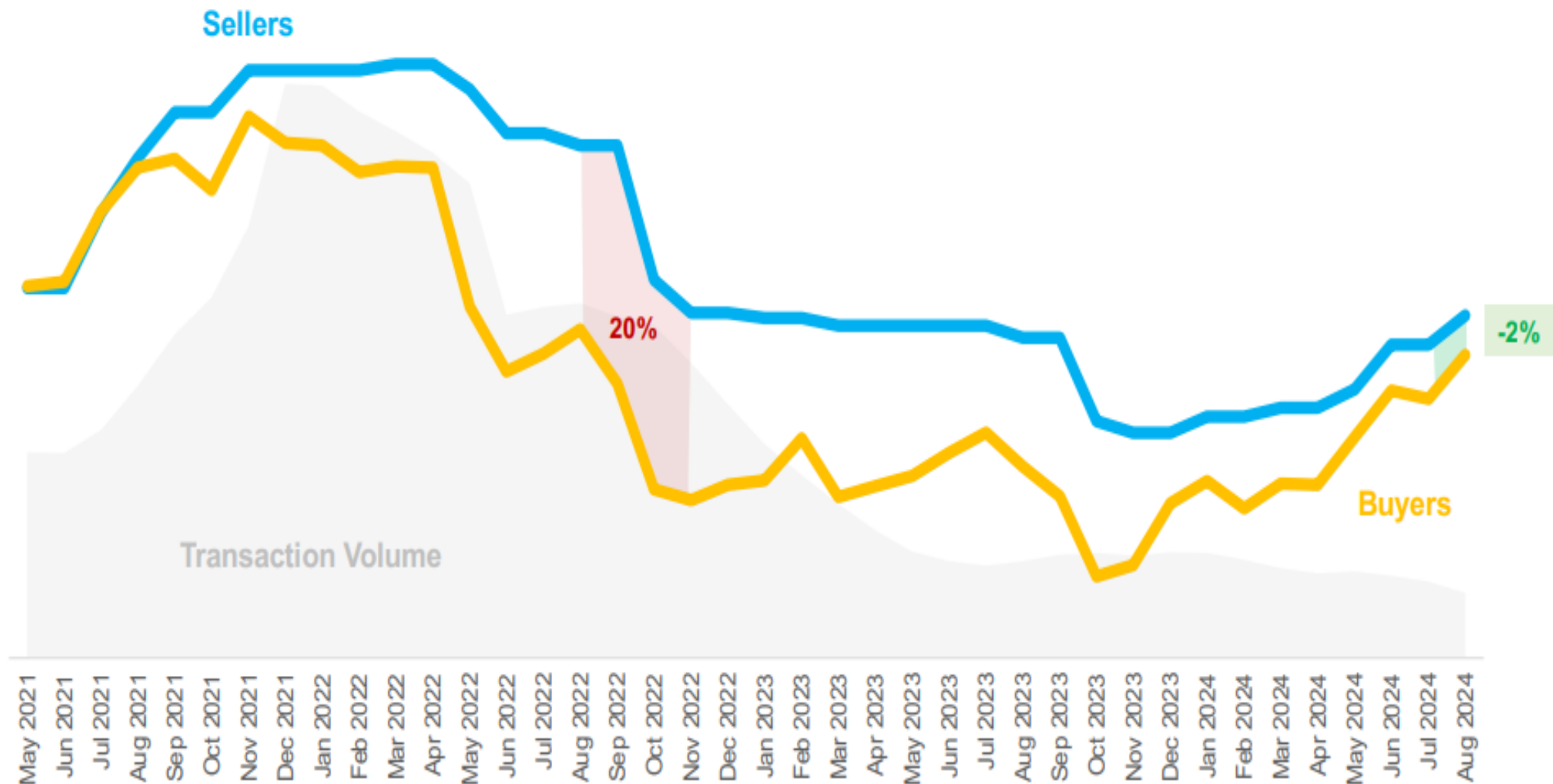
Opinion of Current Apartment Pricing



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Multifamily Bid-Ask Spread and Transaction Volume

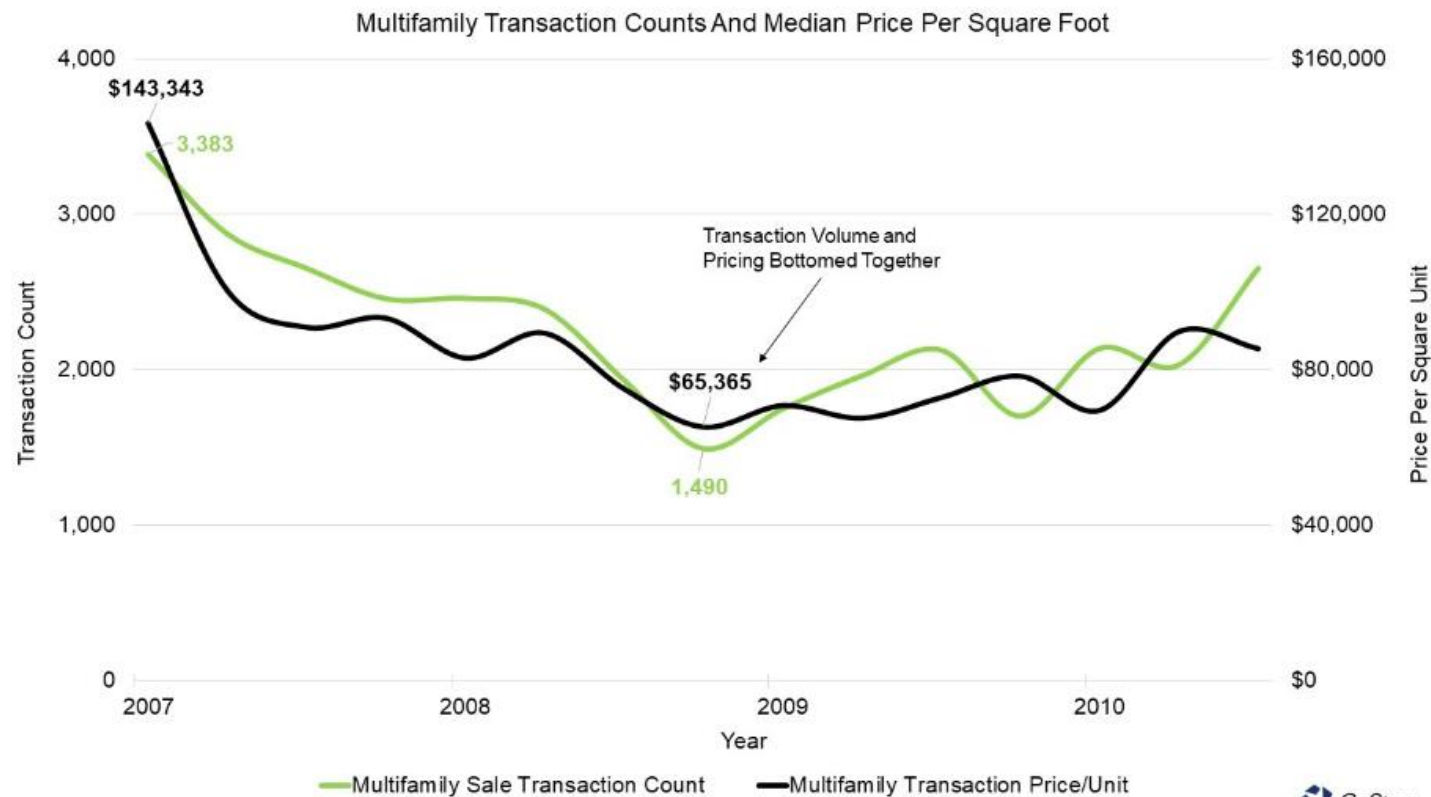


Source: Green Street

Don't Count on Commercial Real Estate Prices Bottoming Out Any Time Soon

Historically, Property Values Don't Increase Until Two Years After Sales Activity Rebounds

Multifamily Pricing Mirrored Transaction Volume Low



Source: CoStar, as of November 2023



2025 Forecasts

- **Apartment Construction** – Until financing is readily available and fundamentals improve, construction will decline. No relief in sight.
- **Vacancy** – Modest decreases in 2025 based on limited new supply
- **Rents** – Rents to increase 2-3%, with more momentum in the second half of 2025
- **Expenses** – Expenses will continue to increase faster than CPI.
- **Sales** – Transactions in 2025 will outpace 2024, though remain below 150 total.
- **Cap Rates** – Likely to show modest declines or at least remain flat.
- **Values** – Flat or modest increases
- **Wild Card** – Trump administration. Many proposed policies inflationary. Which policies will be enacted and how will the Fed reaction

Questions

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