## **EVES** Waikato Market Update

## DECEMBER 2023

## **Regional Commentary**

Median prices in Waikato increased by 1.7% year-on-year to \$762,448.

"First-home buyers and owner-occupiers were the most activebuyer groups.

Most vendors are setting realistic price expectations, but some are raising their expectations in anticipation of prices lifting soon.

Open-home attendee numbers were high in Coromandel and Taupo, as summer visitors flocked to these areas. Auction activity varied, with a few more properties being sold under auction.

Local agents report that the reopening of State Highway 25a in Coromandel has been a big factor in lifting positive market sentiment and activity there. Elsewhere, agents have observed that some buyers and vendors are waiting to see what will happen with new legislation, but overall, there's a sense ofpositivity in the market. Salespeople predict the market will be busy over the next few months.

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$\bigcirc$	Area	Hamilton	Putaruru/ Tirau/Arapuni	Tokoroa	Cambridge	Te Awamutu	Huntly
	Median Sale Price	\$765,000	\$585,000	\$350,000	\$810,500	\$835,000	\$580,000
	Number of Sales	214	4	15	14	15	15
	Median Days to Sell	33	52	50	29	40	61

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