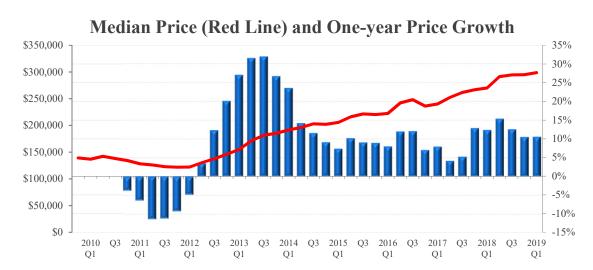


## Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise Area

## **Local Market Report, First Quarter 2019**

## Today's Market...



Local Price Trends				
Price Activity	Las Vegas	U.S.	<b>Local Trend</b>	
Current Median Home Price (2019 Q1)	\$298,900	\$253,033		
1-year (4-quarter) Appreciation (2019 Q1)	10.6%	3.8%	Prices continue to grow relative to last year	
3-year (12-quarter) Appreciation (2019 Q1)	34.3%	17.3%		
3-year (12-quarter) Housing Equity Gain*	\$76,400	\$37,300	Gains in the last 3 years have extended the	
7-year (28 quarters) Housing Equity Gain*	\$176,800	\$94,700	trend of positive price growth after the	
9-year (36 quarters) Housing Equity Gain*	\$161,900	\$86,667	recession	
*Note: Equity gain reflects price appreciation only				

	Las Vegas	U.S.		
Conforming Loan Limit**	\$484,350	\$726,525	Most buyers in this market have access to	
FHA Loan Limit	\$314,827	\$726,525	government-backed financing	
Local Median to Conforming Limit Ratio	62%	not comparable	government-backed imancing	
Note: limits are current and include the changes made on January 1st 2019.				

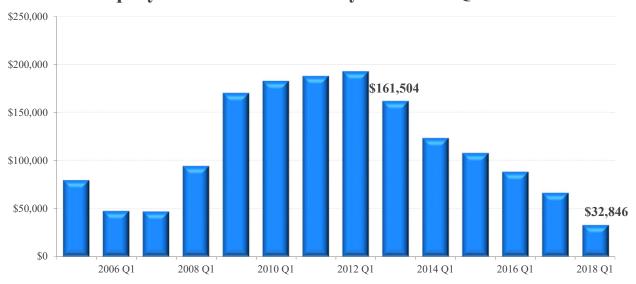
#### **Local NAR Leadership**

The Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise market is part of region 11 in the NAR governance system, which includes all of Wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, Utah, and Nevada. The 2019 NAR Regional Vice President representing region 11 is Paula Monthofer.



# **Benefits of Ownership: Total Equity Appreciation**

## Total Equity Accrued to Owner by Year and Quarter of Purchase



Total Equity Gained** through 2019 Q1 from quarter in which home was of purchased				
Price Activity	LasVegas	U.S.	<b>Local Trend</b>	
1-year (4-quarter)	\$32,846	\$12,975		
3-year (12-quarter)*	\$88,009	\$48,556		
5-year (20-quarter)*	\$123,097	\$75,592	Price appreciation and principle payment	
7-year (28 quarters)*	\$192,445	\$105,940	in the last 3 years have boosted total equity	
9-year (36 quarters)*	\$182,372	\$98,477	growth since the recession	
If purchase in 2005, the national price peak	\$79,327	\$70,013		

<sup>\*</sup>Note: Equity gain reflects price and principle payments since purchase, prevailing 30-year fixed rate mortgage at time of purchase and a 10% downpayment. Downpayment is not included in total equity



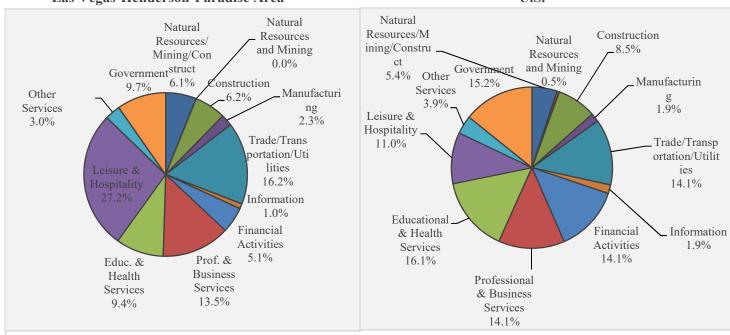
## **Drivers of Local Supply and Demand...**

Local Economic Outlook	Las Vegas	U.S.	
12-month Job Change (Mar)	23,500	Not Comparable	Employment growth has eased, but remains
12-month Job Change (Feb)	26,800	Not Comparable	positive
36-month Job Change (Mar)	84,000	Not Comparable	Unemployment in Las Vegas is better than
Current Unemployment Rate (Mar)	3.8%	3.8%	the national average and improving
Year-ago Unemployment Rate	4.9%	4.0%	Local employment growth is strong
1-year (12 month) Job Growth Rate	2.4%	1.7%	compared to other markets

## **Share of Total Employment by Industry**

#### Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise Area

U.S.

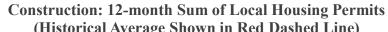


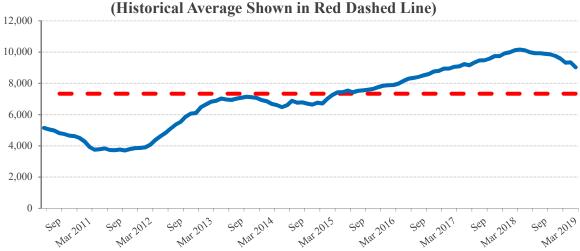
12-month Employment Change by Industry in the Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise Area (Mar - 2019)				
Goods Producing	NA	Information	-400	
Natural Resources/Mining/Construction	4,500	Financial Activities	1,900	
Natural Resources and Mining	0	Prof. & Business Services	5,800	
Construction	4,500	Educ. & Health Services	2,900	
Manufacturing	1,200	Leisure & Hospitality	6,200	
Service Providing Excluding Government	NA	Other Services	1,300	
Trade/Transportation/Utilities	2,100	Government	1,300	

State Economic Activity Index	Nevada	U.S.	
12-month change (2019 - Mar)	5.1%	3.0%	Nevada's economy is stronger than the
36-month change (2019 - Mar)	17.3%	9.2%	nation's, but slowed from last month's 5.09% change

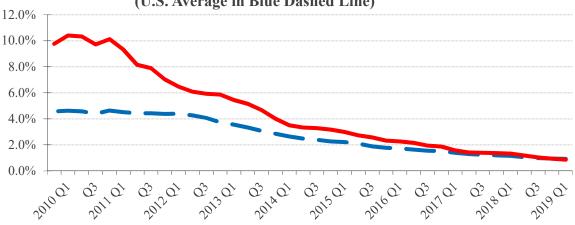


New Housing Construction					
Local Fundamentals Las Vegas U.S.					
12-month Sum of 1-unit Building Permits through Mar 2019	9,029	not comparable	The current level of construction is 23.0% above the long-term average		
8-year average for 12-month Sum of 1-Unit Building Permits	7,340	not comparable	Production above trend for an extended period of time could cause prices to moderate as inventory is built up.		
Single-Family Housing Permits (Mar 2019) 12-month sum vs. a year ago	-10.8%	1.0%	Construction is down from last year, but appears to have bottomed.		









Source: Mortgage Bankers' Association



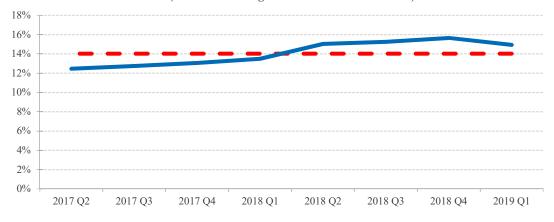
# **Affordability**

# Long-Term Trend: Ratio of Local Mortgage Servicing Cost to Income (Local Historical Average Shown in Red, U.S. Average in Green)



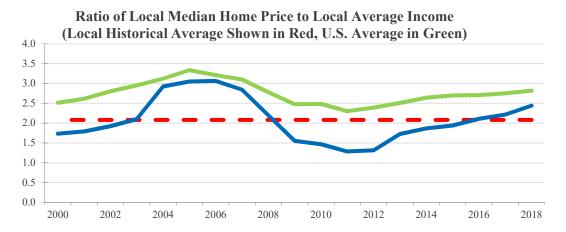
Monthly Mortgage Payment to Income	Las Vegas	U.S.		
Ratio for 2018	14.9%	17.2%	Weak by local standards, but better than the	
Ratio for 2019 Q1	14.9%	15.9%	fourth quarter of 2018	
Historical Average	14.0%	18.6%	More affordable than most markets	

# Recent Trend - Local Mortgage Servicing Cost to Income (Historical Average Shown in Red Dashed Line)

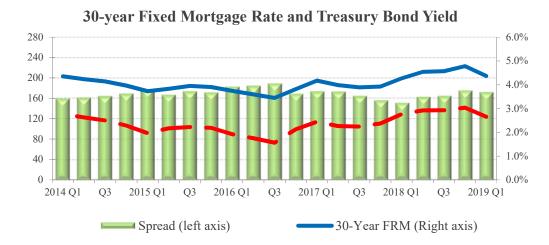


Median Home Price to Income	Las Vegas	U.S.	
Ratio for 2018	2.4	2.8	The price-to-income ratio is high by historic
Ratio for 2019 Q1	2.5	2.7	standards and getting worse
Historical Average	2.1	2.7	Affordable compared to most markets





## The Mortgage Market



Mortgage rates started off 2019 at very good levels. In fact, mortgage rates declined, starting the new year with the 30-year fixed rate mortgage dipping to 4.37 percent in Q1 2019 from 4.78 percent in the Q4 2018, according to mortgage finance provider Freddie Mac. After a year of gradual increases, mortgage rates are declining. Stock market volatility, global trade worries and the government shutdown are pushing rates down to their lowest levels since August. The government's 10-year Treasury note declined to 2.65 percent in Q1 2019 from 2.76 in Q1 2018. Looking ahead, NAR is forecasting the 30-year fixed rate mortgage to average 4.3 percent for 2019 and 4.6 percent for 2020, respectively.



# **REALTOR® Price Expectations**

## **REALTOR® Price Expectations for the Next 12 Months**

(U.S. Average in Blue Dashed Line)



Source: NAR

REALTOR® Price Expectations	Nevada	U.S.	
2019 - Mar	3.0%	2.4%	REALTORS® expect higher price growth in Nevada than in the U.S. in the next 12 months. However, their price expectations
Prior 12 months	7.5%	4.0%	for the local market are more modest than a year ago.



# Geographic Coverage for this Report

The Las Vegas area referred to in this report covers the geographic area of the Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise metro area as officially defined by the Office of Management and Budget of the U.S. Government. The official coverage area includes the following counties:

**Clark County** 

More information on the OMB's geographic definitions can be found at https://obamawhitehouse.archives.gov/omb/bulletins\_default/