#### City of San José

#### **Housing Market Update**



First Quarter 2016

As San Jose's first and Silicon Valley's largest mixed-use transit-oriented development, Cottle Transit Village includes nearly 3,000 homes, many at TOD densities near transit stations. (Ken Kay Associates)

#### Q1 2016 San José Housing Market

- In Q1 2016, 297 residential permits were pulled; all were market-rate 256 for multi-family and 41 for single-family or duplexes
- The San José Metropolitan Area has only 30 available and affordable units per 100 ELI (Extremely Low-Income) renter households, a shortfall of 38,539 units 1
- The Met North received 7,000 applicants for 70 apartments in 17 days over 100 applicants per apartment
- Rents continue to set records, growing 11% year over year (YoY) 2
- Average monthly rent for a 2 bedroom apartment is \$2,792; Renters must earn \$54/hour (\$111,680/year) to afford the average rent for a two bedroom, two-bath apartment <sup>3</sup>
- Median single-family home price is \$911,000, up 14% YoY<sup>4</sup>

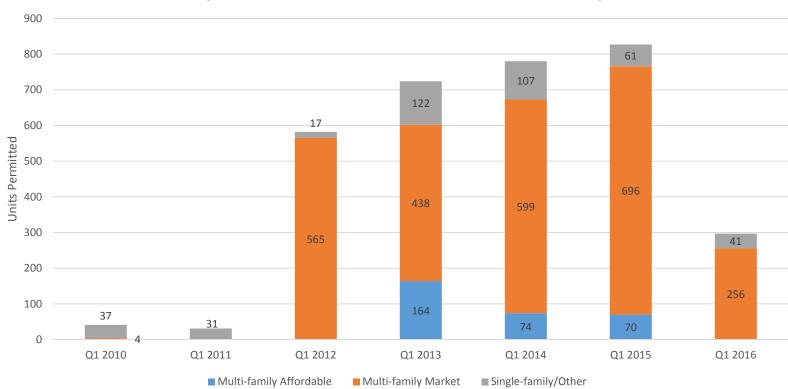
<sup>1</sup> Based on NLIHC Report Affordable Housing GAP Analysis 2016 http://nlihc.org/sites/default/files/Gap-Report\_print.pdf; Metropolitan Area includes SJ, Sunnyvale, Santa Clara 2 realAnswers. Q1 2016.

<sup>3</sup> Based on Q1 2016 realAnswers average rents, income calculation assumes rents are 30% of income, 40 hour work week, and a single income household.

<sup>4</sup> Santa Clara County Association of Realtors, March 2016.

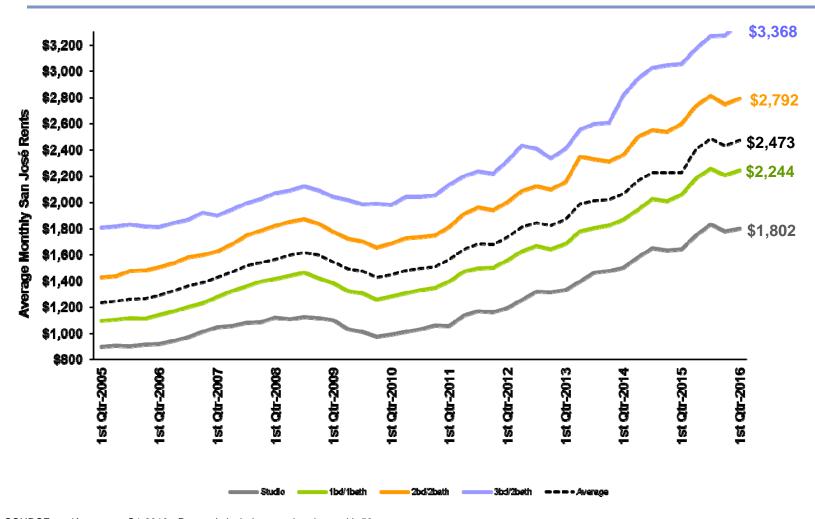
### **Overall Permit Activity Slowing, Mostly Market- Rate**





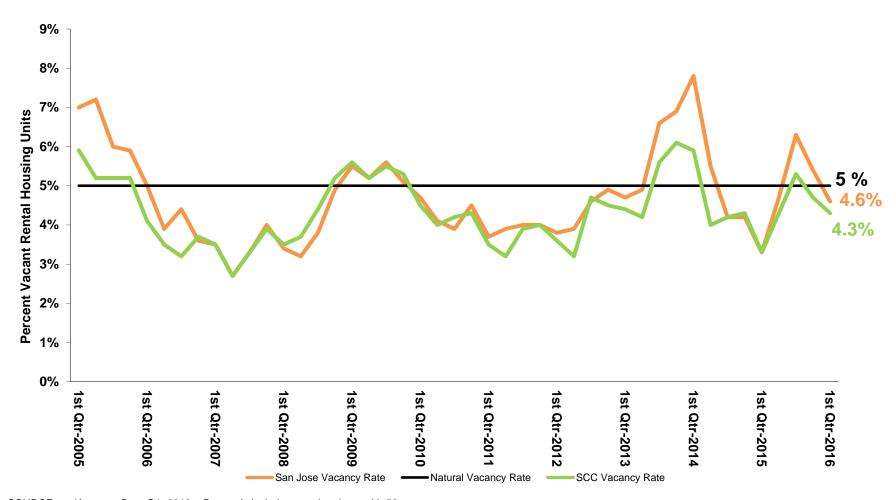
SOURCE: City of San Jose Housing Department, Q1 2016

## Average Rent Up 1.5% from Q4 2015, Up 11% Year Over Year (YoY)



SOURCE: realAnswers - Q1 2016 - Data only includes rental projects with 50 apartments or more

### SJ Q1 2016 Vacancy at 4.6%, Down from 5.4% in Q4 2015



SOURCE: realAnswers Data Q1, 2016 - Data only includes rental projects with 50 apartments or more

#### **Rents in Some Areas Trend Higher**

Project	1BR	2BR
Avg. Citywide Rents (Q12016 realAnswers)	\$2,244	\$2,792
Vista 99 (North SJ)	\$2,600 - \$2,700	\$2,675 - \$4,025
North Park (North SJ)	\$2,300 - \$2,880	\$2,720 - \$3,170
One South Market (Downtown SJ)	\$2,595 - \$3,184	\$4,017 - \$4,208
Centerra (Downtown SJ)	\$2,351 - \$5,686	\$3,159 - \$4,750
Ascent Apartments (Edenvale SJ)	\$2,310 - \$2,705	\$2,695 - \$3,920

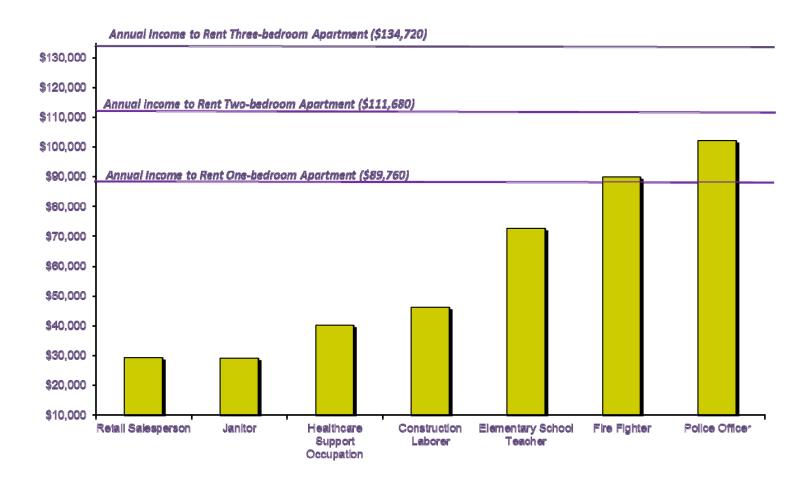


One South Market



SOURCE: Zillow.com, April 26, 2016 Vista 99

#### Market Rents Significantly Out of Reach for Many San José Workers



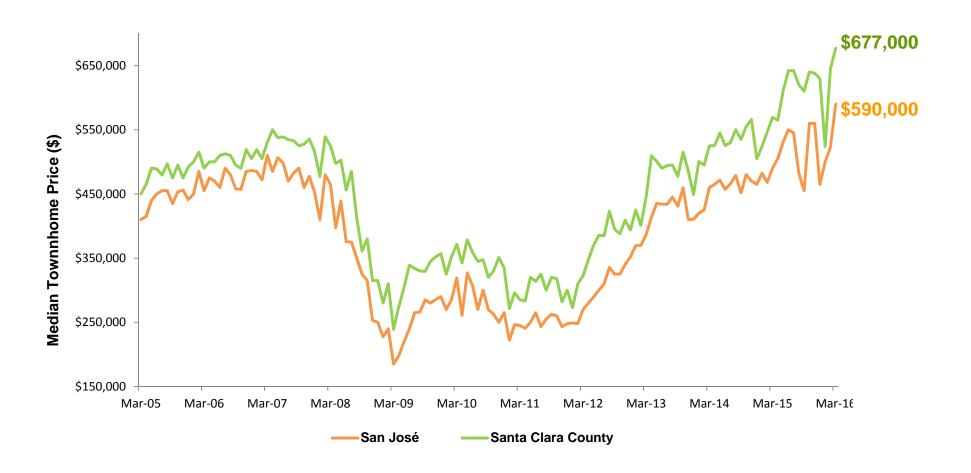
SOURCE: Employment Development Department (EDD) – First Quarter 2015 Wages; Income to rent calculation assumes rent at 30% of income and a single income household

### SJ Single-Family Median Home Prices Up 10% from Q4 2015 and Up 14%YoY



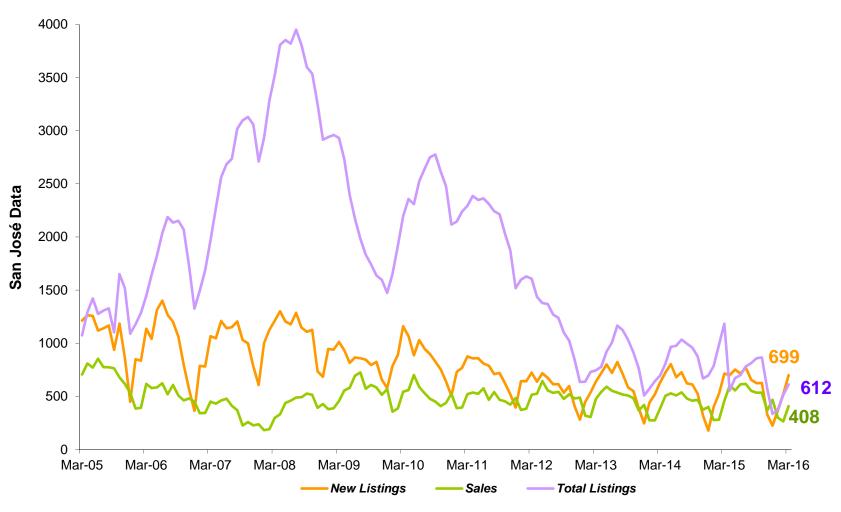
SOURCE: Santa Clara County Association of Realtors, March 2016

## SJ Townhome/Condo Median Prices Up 27% from Q4 2015 and Up 20% YoY



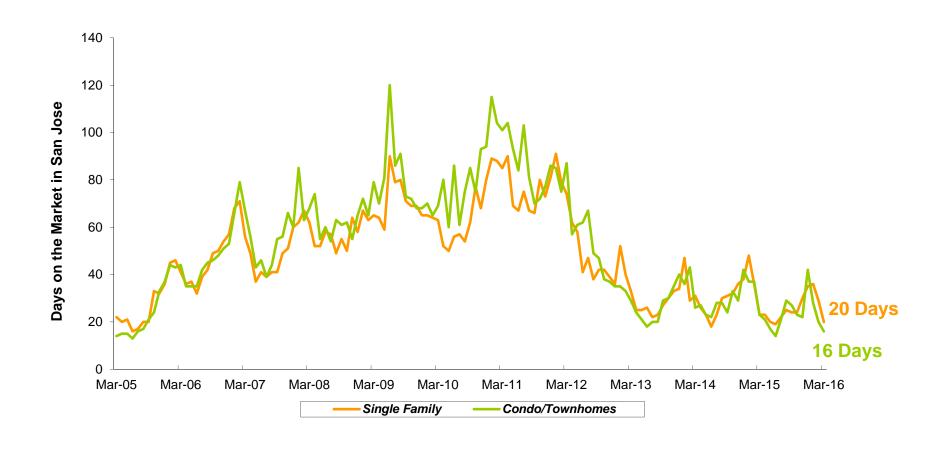
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### Single-Family New Listings & Total Listings Up from Q4 2015 and Down YoY



SOURCE: Santa Clara County Association of Realtors, MLS Listings March 2016

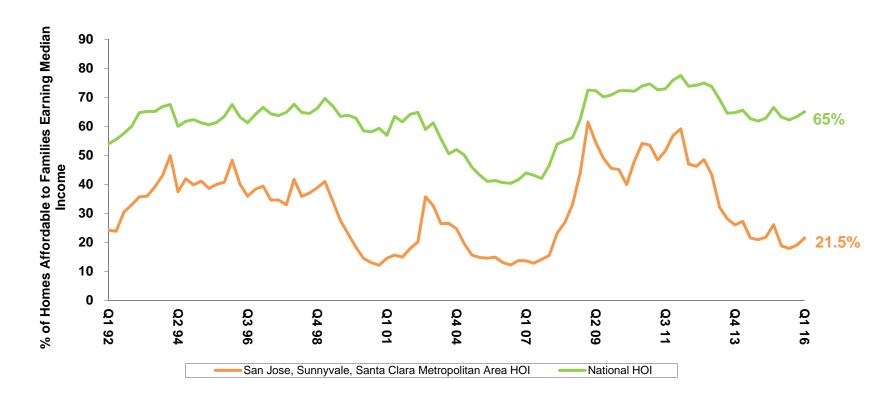
### Days on Market Drops from Prior Quarter and YoY



SOURCE: Santa Clara County Association of Realtors March 2016

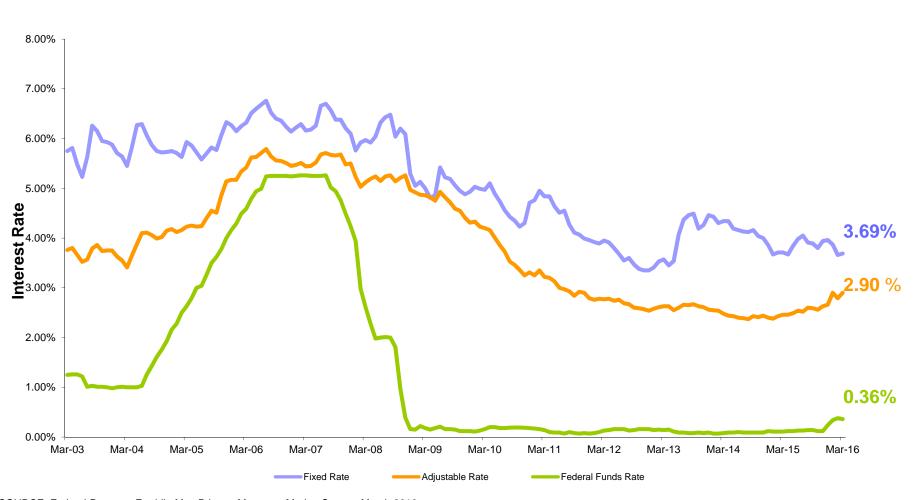
# SJ Housing Affordability Remains Low Relative to the Nation (7<sup>th</sup> least affordable)

Approximately 1 in 5 families in San José can afford a median priced home



SOURCE: National Association of Home Builders, Housing Opportunity Index Q1 2016

#### **Interest Rates Remain Low**



SOURCE: Federal Reserve, Freddie Mac Primary Mortgage Market Survey, March 2016

#### Foreclosure Filings Remain Low

