



MARKET INSIGHTS · LAST 12 MONTHS THROUGH SEPTEMBER 26, 2026

ZIP 27830 · Fremont

27830: 40% of Listings Didn't Sell This Year

In the Fremont area, ZIP 27830 saw 118 listings end in the last 12 months, and 47 of those, or 40%, didn't sell. That's about 1 in 3 homes, up from 18% the year before. Homes that did sell took a typical 104 days and fetched 98.8% of first asking price.



12 sold

out of every 20 listed



8 didn't

expired, withdrawn or canceled

118

homes finished on the market

71

sold

47 (40%)

didn't sell

104

median days to sell from the first day listed

98.8%

sold vs. first asking price

\$259,997

median sold price

Which pile do you want to be in?

Solid houses sold. Outlined houses expired, were withdrawn or were canceled.

What waiting costs

A typical \$259,997 home, per month

Mortgage (principal + interest)	\$1,388
Property taxes	\$136
Homeowners insurance	\$250
Upkeep	\$217
Utilities	\$250
Total	\$2,240

About \$2,240 every month the home sits.

Listings that didn't sell stayed on the market a median of 200 days — roughly \$14,700 in holding costs, and the home still didn't sell.

An example, not a quote: 20% down, 30-year fixed at 7.03% (Freddie Mac average, 2026-09-24); Wayne County rate 0.6259 per \$100 (NC Department of Revenue, 2025-26 county rates); town taxes add more inside town limits; insurance, upkeep (1% of value a year) and utilities are typical estimates. If your home is paid off, the mortgage line drops out — the rest still adds up.

Priced right from day one vs. chasing the market

83

median days to sell when priced right
51 homes that sold at 97%+ of first asking

141

median days when price cuts were needed
20 homes · sold for 94.1% of first asking



What this means if you're selling

- Homes priced right from day one sold in a typical 83 days. Listings that needed price cuts took 141 days and still only brought 94.1% of ask.
- The \$300–400K range struggled most, with 67% not selling. Homes under \$300K did best, with only 25% not selling.
- Sitting on the market has a cost. Listings that never sold typically sat 200 days before the seller pulled them.
- 17% of contracts fell apart, about 1 in 6. Most often that comes down to inspection, appraisal or financing issues. Homes that had a contract fall apart and later sold took a typical 125 days and sold at 96.5% of ask.

Price range matters

Starting price	Finished	Sold	Didn't sell	Days to sell	vs. first ask
Under \$300K	77	58	25%	102	99.3%
\$300–400K	30	10	67%	139	94.1%

When contracts fall apart

17%

of contracts fell apart before closing
15 of about 86

67%

of those homes later sold

33%

never sold

96.5%

sold vs. first ask after a fall-through
vs. 99.3% on the first contract

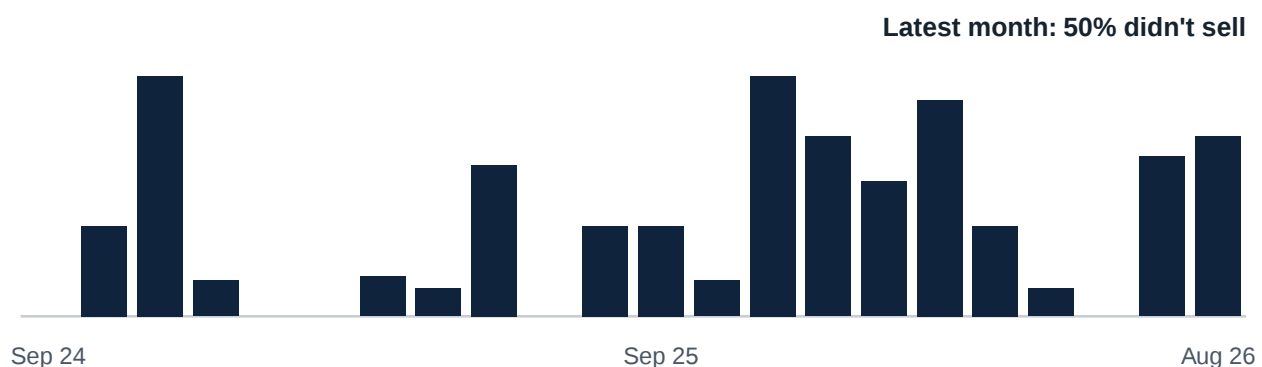
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median days to sell after a fall-through
vs. 100 on the first contract

The MLS doesn't record why a contract ends. In our experience the most common reasons are home inspection findings, appraisals that come in below the price, and buyer financing — which is why preparing the home and pricing it to appraise matter before it goes on the market.

How buyers paid on closed sales: conventional loans 28% · cash 6% · VA 25% · FHA 34% · other 7%.

Share of listings that didn't sell, by month



What this means if you're buying

- Homes are typically selling at 98.8% of first asking price, and 62% of sales closed below that first ask. There's real room to negotiate.
- If a home has sat close to 200 days, it's likely one that needed price cuts to move. That can be a sign of more flexibility.
- Financing varies here: 34% of buyers used FHA, 28% conventional, 25% VA, and 6% paid cash.



Did you know?

- After a contract fell apart, 67% of those homes later sold anyway, typically at 96.5% of asking price.
- At the median sold price of \$259,997 and a 7.03% mortgage rate, the estimated monthly carrying cost for a typical home here is about \$2,240.
- A home that sits unsold for the median 104 days carries an estimated \$14,700 in carrying costs before it even closes.

Want this for your street?

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How these numbers are counted

Homes only (single-family, townhomes and condos) in the last 12 months. "Didn't sell" means the listing expired, was withdrawn or was canceled; some owners take a home off the market for reasons that have nothing to do with the market. Days to sell count from the first day a home was listed, including relistings. "First asking" is the first list price. Contract fall-throughs are listings that came back on the market after going under contract. Source: Hive MLS data, compiled by the Buddy Blake Team. Information deemed reliable but not guaranteed.