2016 Housing Facts and Affordability Index for Sanford Micropolitan Housing Market

Homeownership Affordability Index			Median Home	Median	Income Needed to Afford	Home Price Affordable to	
Sanford Micropolitan Housing Market	<u>Year</u>	<u>Index</u>	Price ¹	Income ²	Median Home Price	Median Income	
	2012	1.00	\$146,900	\$42,501	\$42,320	\$147,529	
	2013	1.12	\$140,000	\$44,053	\$39,398	\$156,542	
	2014	1.33	\$135,000	\$48,824	\$36,809	\$179,065	
	2015	1.09	\$154,900	\$46,118	\$42,472	\$168,199	
	2016	1.11	\$160,000	\$48,878	\$44,184	\$176,998	
Acton		0.94	\$223,000	\$57,885	\$61,461	\$210,026	
Maine		0.97	\$184,000	\$50,990	\$52,545	\$178,552	
Sanford		0.98	\$153,950	\$46,910	\$47,771	\$151,175	
Sanford Micropolitan Housing Market		1.11	\$160,000	\$48,878	\$44,184	\$176,998	
Shapleigh		1.14	\$179,900	\$55,308	\$48,557	\$204,911	

The Homeownership Affordability Index is the ratio of Home Price Affordable at Median Income to Median Home Price. An index of less than 1 means the area is generally unaffordable - i.e., a household earning area median income could not cover the payment on a median priced home (30 year mortgage, taxes and insurance) using no more than 28% of gross income.

Households Unable to Afford Median Home

	Unable t	eholds to Afford to Home	Total	Median	Income Needed to Afford Median Home		
Location	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Households</u>	Home Price 1	<u>Annual</u>	<u>Hourly</u>	
Acton	53.6%	589	1,098	\$223,000	\$61,461	\$29.55	
Maine	52.5%	296,838	564,989	\$184,000	\$52,545	\$25.26	
Sanford	50.8%	4,375	8,620	\$153,950	\$47,771	\$22.97	
Sanford Micropolitan Housing Market	45.6%	4,930	10,818	\$160,000	\$44,184	\$21.24	
Shapleigh	42.9%	472	1,100	\$179,900	\$48,557	\$23.34	

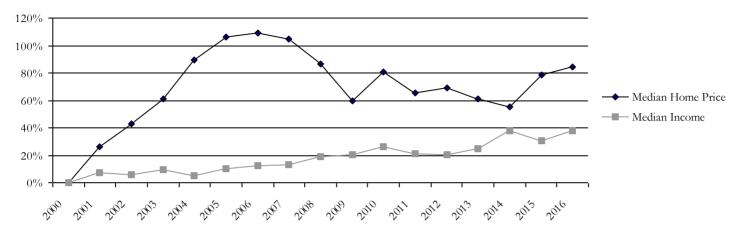
Unattainable Homes as a Percentage of Homes Sold

Location	Percentage of <u>Unattainable Homes</u>	Affordable <u>Homes Sold</u>	Unattainable <u>Homes Sold</u>
Acton	57.6%	28	38
Maine	52.8%	9,555	10,689
Sanford	51.5%	160	170
Shapleigh	37.6%	53	32
Sanford Micropolitan Housing Market	37.2%	302	179



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Relative Increases in Income and Home Price ³



Rental Affordability Index				Renter		
, and the second			Average	Household	Income Needed	2 BR Rent
			2 BR Rent	Median	to Afford	Affordable to
Sanford Micropolitan	<u>Year</u>	<u>Index</u>	(with utilities) ⁴	Income ²	Average 2 BR Rent	Median Income
Housing Market						
	2012	0.90	\$831	\$29,922	\$33,235	\$748
	2014	0.84	\$853	\$28,583	\$34,109	\$715
	2015	0.83	\$867	\$28,719	\$34,664	\$718
	2016	1.01	\$711	\$28,818	\$28,440	\$720
Maine		0.85	\$872	\$29,588	\$34,873	\$740
Sanford		1.01	\$711	\$28,635	\$28,440	\$716
Sanford Micropolitan Housing Market		1.01	\$711	\$28,818	\$28,440	\$720

The Rental Affordability Index is the ratio of 2-Bedroom Rent Affordable at Median Renter Income to Average 2-Bedroom Rent. An index of less than 1 means the area is generally unaffordable – i.e., a renter household earning area median renter income could not cover the cost of an average 2-bedroom apartment (including utilities) using no more than 30% of gross income.

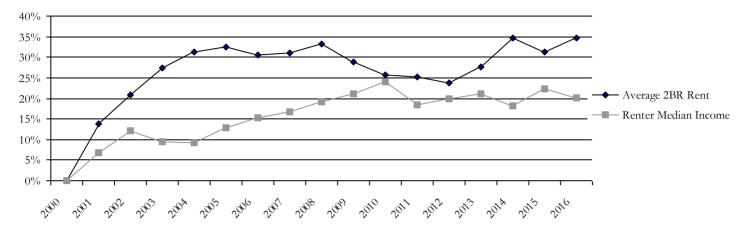
Renter Households Unable to Afford Average 2 Bedroom Rent

	House	eholds			Income Needed	
	Unable to Afford		Total	Average	to Afford	
	Average 2	2 BR Rent	Renter	2 BR Rent	Average 2 BR Rent	
Location	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Households</u>	(with utilities) ⁴	<u>Annual</u>	<u>Hourly</u>
Maine	57.4%	92,705	161,601	\$872	\$34,873	\$16.77
Sanford	49.7%	1,523	3,062	\$711	\$28,440	\$13.67
Sanford Micropolitan Housing Market	49.5%	1,630	3,291	\$711	\$28,440	\$13.67



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Relative Increases in Renter Income and Average 2BR Rent³



Demographics

	% Change 1990-2016	<u>1990</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>
Population	8.4%	24,101	26,039	26,072	26,042	26,084	26,133
Households	20.2%	8,998	10,683	10,733	10,735	10,798	10,818

Endnotes



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²Source: Claritas

³The Y axis is an index defined as the ratio of the annual value to the year 2000 value.

⁴Source: MaineHousing Quarterly Rent Survey. All rent data reported adjusted to include the cost of utilities (heat, hot water, and electricity).