#### ADAM BRETT - ERIC URBAN **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

MONDAY JANUARY 9, 2012

BREA. CA Single Family Homes



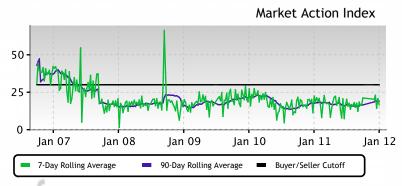
#### **This Week**

The median list price in BREA, CA this week is \$479,000.

Inventory has been decreasing lately but the Market Action Index is falling also. With days-on-market climbing, these are relatively negative implications for the market.

### **Supply and Demand**

The market has been consistently cool for several weeks. Demand level are low relative to the available inventory. It's a Buyer's market and prices continue to fall. Look for a persistent shift in Market Action before prices plateau or begin to rise again.



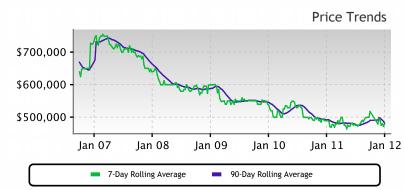
The Market Action Index answers the question "How's the Market?" by measuring the current rate of sale versus the amount of the inventory. Index above 30 implies Seller's Market conditions. Below 30, conditions favor the buyer.

# Quartiles

| Real-Time Market Profile                                      | Trend        |           |
|---|--------------|-----------|
| Median List Price   | \$ 479,000   | ++        |
| Asking Price Per Square Foot                                  | \$ 251       | <b>*†</b> |
| Average Days on Market (DOM)                                  | 110          | <b>*</b>  |
| Percent of Properties with Price Decrease                     | 38 %         |           |
| Percent Relisted (reset DOM)                                  | n/a          |           |
| Percent Flip (price increased)                                | 15 %         |           |
| Median House Size (sq ft)                                     | 1843         |           |
| Median Lot Size 6,501   | - 8,000 sqft |           |
| Median Number of Bedrooms                                     | 3.0          |           |
| Median Number of Bathrooms                                    | 2.0          |           |
| Market Action Index Strong Buyer's                            | 19.0         | ++        |
| No change ★ Strong upward trend ↓ ↓   ★ Slight upward trend ↓ | -            |           |

## Price

This week prices bumped up a bit but the trend of recent weeks is generally downward. A pickup in demand will be reflected in the Market Action Index, so watch that chart to try to identify a change in the market.



Characteristics per Quartile Investigate the market in guartiles where each quartile is 25% of homes ordered by price.

|        | Quartile | Median Price | Sq. Ft. | Lot Size               | Beds | Baths | Age | Inventory | New | Absorbed | DOM |                                   |
|--------|----------|--------------|---------|------------------------|------|-------|-----|-----------|-----|----------|-----|-----------------------------------|
| т      | op/First | \$ 650,000   | 2861    | 8,001 -<br>10,000 sqft | 4.0  | 3.0   | 8   | 25        | 0   | 0        | 107 | Most expensive 25% of properties  |
| Upper  | /Second  | \$ 525,000   | 2196    | 4,501 -<br>6,500 sqft  | 4.0  | 2.5   | 34  | 25        | 2   | 2        | 109 | Upper-middle 25% of properties    |
| Lowe   | er/Third | \$ 409,000   | 1538    | 6,501 -<br>8,000 sqft  | 3.0  | 2.0   | 46  | 25        | 0   | 2        | 138 | Lower-middle 25% of properties    |
| Bottom | /Fourth  | \$ 105,000   | 1400    | 4,501 -<br>6,500 sqft  | 2.0  | 2.0   | 36  | 25        | 0   | 2        | 86  | Least expensive 25% of properties |

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