NASHVILLE - Q3 2022

# MULTIFAMILY REPORT





The multifamily sector in Nashville has seen incredible growth over the past 24 months. Since the onset of the pandemic, remote workers have migrated to the area which has put upward pressure on demand for housing. In mid-2021, average vacancy rates reached an all-time low of 4.9%. As strong demand for housing sparked

development, investors began to chase opportunities in the market. Since then, vacancy rates have risen by 35% to a current average of 7.6%. However, this uptick in vacancy is driven by an influx of new housing supply. We anticipate vacancies to level off or come back down slightly as some of the new supply becomes occupied.



The market asking rent per unit is currently at an average of \$1,659, up 8.6% year-over-year. Strong migration to the area, demand outpacing supply, and upward pressure on rents have made the housing market more competitive. Nashville's strong rent growth competes with the likes of Florida, Texas and North Carolina. The strong activity has caught the

attention of institutional investors and developers as it has become a hot spot for young professionals who have left places like California or the Northeast. Despite the uptick in vacancy rates and a wave of new units being delivered to the city, we do not anticipate rent growth to slow down.

## RECENT TRANSACTIONS



**NASHVILLE, TN JUNE 22** 

377,977 SF

2300 ELLISTON PL

**331 UNITS** 

6 FLOORS

**2.72 ACRES** 

OWNER SUNROAD ENTERPRISES

SELLER THE CONNOR GROUP



NASHVILLE, TN SEPT 22

211,118 SF

5800 CENTENNIAL BLVD

**283 UNITS** 

4 FLOORS

2.22 ACRES

OWNER WEINSTEIN PROPERTIES

SELLER WOOD PARTNERS



NASHVILLE, TN APRIL 22

5040 CAROTHERS PKWY

**296 UNITS** 

1.62 ACRES

OWNER TA REALTY

SELLER EMBREY DEVELOPMENT SOUTHSTAR



NASHVILLE, TN JUNE 22

452,500 SF

2901 OLD FRANKLIN RD

**364 UNITS** 

1,3,4 FLOORS

18 ACRES

OWNER OPENPATH INVESTMENTS
SELLER GRAYCLIFF CAPITAL



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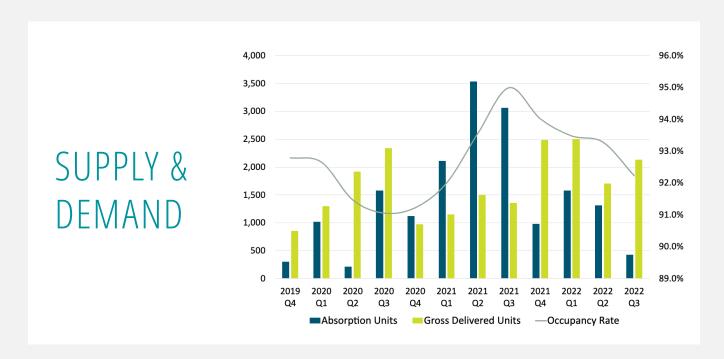


"The fundamentals in Nashville's multifamily market are still strong. Vacancy rates remain healthy and the record rent growth we've experienced over the past 18 months makes our market highly attractive to investors and developers. Conditions have changed slightly over the last year, but overall, we feel multifamily in Nashville is on track for a solid performance in the remainder or 2022 and into 2023."

Geography Name	Inventory Units	Market Asking Rent/Unit	Vacancy Rate
Bellevue	6,454	\$1,722	7.0%
Donelson / Hermitage	9,726	\$1,506	4.6%
Downtown Nashville	21,536	\$1,237	15.6%
Madison / Rivergate	9,522	\$1,414	5.6%
Maury County	4,565	\$1,676	3.3%
Murfreesboro	17,338	\$1,470	3.9%
Robertson County	707	\$1,455	1.9%
Smyrna / La Vergne	4,780	\$1,338	7.7%
Summer County	9,683	\$1,483	5.0%
Williamson County	11,407	\$1,980	8.0%
Wilson County	\$6,660	\$1,651	2.2%
Total / Averages	102,378	\$1,604	5.9%







Nashville has some of the most units to be delivered to its market than almost any other comparable city in the nation, with 3,100 being delivered in Q3 this year. As we have mentioned, the deliveries have been outpacing absorption by quite a bit. This has brought the occupancy rate down from a peak of 95.2% in Q3 of 2021. Although the occupancy rate has dropped, we

view this as a very healthy movement which exhibits strong growth and investor confidence. Massive employers such as Amazon and Oracle have identified Nashville as hubs which will continue to facilitate a very healthy job market. Given the positive data outlook, Nashville is positioned for very strong growth over the next two years.



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