

### **Rent Stabilization Board**

DATE: January 21, 2021

TO: Honorable Members of the Rent Stabilization Board

FROM: Matt Brown, Acting Executive Director

By: Lief Bursell, Senior Planner

Jen Fabish, Community Services Specialist

SUBJECT: Market Medians: January 1999 through September 2020

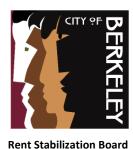
Attached is the Market Medians Report for the third quarter of 2020, which covers the period of July 1, 2020 to September 30, 2020. New tenancies were down by 26% (913 new tenancies) compared to the third quarter of 2019 (1239 new tenancies). This is less of a drop than what was reported in the second quarter of 2020 (61% fewer tenancies as compared to the second quarter of 2019.) Compared to market median rents in the third quarter of 2019, the median market rate rent for studio units remained the same and the median rent for one-bedroom units went down by 4.33%. However, median rents rose for two- and three-bedroom units by 3.45% and 8.22% respectively.

The table below compares the market median rent data from the third quarter of 2019 to the third quarter of 2020 for residential rental units subject to rent stabilization in Berkeley.

| Unit Size | Q3 2019 Median | Q3 2020 Median | % Change |
|-----------|----------------|----------------|----------|
|           | Rent           | Rent           |          |
| 0         | \$1,795        | \$1,795        | 0%       |
| 1         | \$2,195        | \$2,100        | -4.33%   |
| 2         | \$2,895        | \$2,995        | 3.45%    |
| 3         | \$3,650        | \$3,950        | 8.22%    |

#### Attachment:

1. Market Medians Report: January 1999 to September 2020



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The tables below update and supplement medians provided for the second quarter of 2020. Medians reported in the first section (Medians by Calendar Quarter) are derived from only those units which have had a new tenancy recorded in the Rent Tracking System (RTS) during the reported period.

We have updated the "Citywide" medians (includes all "rented" units regardless of tenancy date by number of bedrooms) and "All Units" medians (reflective of neither the unit size or tenancy date) to include medians as of September 30, 2020. For comparison purposes, December 31, 1998 medians are included below. Changes to previously reported figures are denoted by an asterisk (\*).

### Medians for 12/31/1998

| # BR   | Rent    | # Units |
|--------|---------|---------|
| Studio | \$527   | 3,725   |
| 1 BR   | \$624   | 8,075   |
| 2 BR   | \$777   | 5,651   |
| 3 BR   | \$1,083 | 915     |

### **Medians by Calendar Quarter (new tenancies only)**

|        | 1999 (new tenancies)    |   |         |        |         |        |                   |        |                   |        |  |  |  |  |
|--------|-------------------------|---|---------|--------|---------|--------|-------------------|--------|-------------------|--------|--|--|--|--|
|        | 1st Q                   | 1 <sup>st</sup> Q 1999 2 <sup>nd</sup> Q 1999 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q 199 |         |        |         | 1999   | 4 <sup>th</sup> Q | 1999   | 12/31/1999 (Year) |        |  |  |  |  |
| #BR    | Rent                    | #Units  | Rent    | #Units | Rent    | #Units | Rent              | #Units | Rent              | #Units |  |  |  |  |
| Studio | \$689                   | 297   | \$715   | 360    | \$745   | 489    | \$725             | 167    | \$715             | 1,145  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 BR   | \$880                   | 487   | \$970   | 601    | \$950   | 683    | \$950             | 326    | \$950             | 1,927  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 BR   | \$1,150 303 \$1,350 456 |   |         |        |         | 401    | \$1450            | 161    | \$1,300           | 1,245  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 BR   | \$1,500                 | 41  | \$1,800 | 69     | \$1,700 | 57     | \$1745            | 21     | \$1,650           | 172    |  |  |  |  |

|        | 2000 (new tenancies)          |         |                   |         |                        |         |                        |         |                   |        |  |  |  |  |
|--------|-------------------------------|---------|-------------------|---------|------------------------|---------|------------------------|---------|-------------------|--------|--|--|--|--|
|        | 1st Q                         | 2000    | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Q | 2000    | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q 2000 |         | 4 <sup>th</sup> Q 2000 |         | 12/31/2000 (Year) |        |  |  |  |  |
| #BR    | Rent                          | # Units | Rent              | # Units | Rent                   | # Units | Rent                   | # Units | Rent              | #Units |  |  |  |  |
| Studio | \$750                         | 262     | \$800             | 344     | \$850                  | 466     | \$850                  | 130     | \$800             | 1,073  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 BR   |                               |         | \$1,100           | 644     | \$1,150                | 681     | \$1,195                | 292     | \$1,100           | 1,861  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 BR   | <b>BR</b> \$1,300 233 \$1,500 |         |                   |         | \$1,500                | 408     | \$1,500                | 146     | \$1,500           | 1,173  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 BR   | \$1,650                       | 28      | \$2,000           | 76      | \$2,000                | 56      | \$1,900                | 21      | \$1,980           | 171    |  |  |  |  |

|        | 2001 (new tenancies) |        |         |        |                        |        |                        |        |                   |        |  |  |  |  |
|--------|----------------------|--------|---------|--------|------------------------|--------|------------------------|--------|-------------------|--------|--|--|--|--|
|        | 1st Q 2001           |        | 2nd Q   | 2001   | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q 2001 |        | 4 <sup>th</sup> Q 2001 |        | 12/31/2001 (Year) |        |  |  |  |  |
| #BR    | Rent                 | #Units | Rent    | #Units | Rent                   | #Units | Rent                   | #Units | Rent              | #Units |  |  |  |  |
| Studio | \$875                | 159    | \$900   | 302    | \$900                  | 479    | \$880                  | 157    | \$900             | 1,002  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 BR   | \$1,195              | 322    | \$1,200 | 557    | \$1,200                | 607    | \$1,200                | 289    | \$1,200           | 1,647  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 BR   | \$1,550              | 144    | \$1,775 | 395    | \$1,685                | 357    | \$1,500                | 165    | \$1,650           | 1,007  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 BR   | \$2,000              | 21     | \$2,400 | 71     | \$2,100                | 36     | \$1,500                | 12     | \$2,100           | 133    |  |  |  |  |

|        | 2002 (new tenancies) |        |                        |        |                        |        |            |        |                   |        |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------|----------------------|--------|------------------------|--------|------------------------|--------|------------|--------|-------------------|--------|--|--|--|--|--|
|        | 1st Q 2002           |        | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Q 2002 |        | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q 2002 |        | 4th Q 2002 |        | 12/31/2002 (Year) |        |  |  |  |  |  |
| #BR    | Rent                 | #Units | Rent                   | #Units | Rent                   | #Units | Rent       | #Units | Rent              | #Units |  |  |  |  |  |
| Studio | \$875                | 230    | \$875                  | 409    | \$875                  | 544    | \$800      | 170    | \$850             | 1,251  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 BR   | \$1,100              | 341    | \$1,195                | 722    | \$1,195                | 661    | \$1,100    | 313    | \$1,150           | 1,932  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 BR   | \$1,500              | 193    | \$1,765                | 526    | \$1,600                | 416    | \$1,450    | 170    | \$1,600           | 1,253  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 BR   | \$1,900              | 22     | \$2,250                | 87     | \$2,200                | 51     | \$1,800    | 27     | \$2,150           | 182    |  |  |  |  |  |

|        | 2003 (new tenancies) |        |                        |        |         |                        |         |        |                   |        |  |  |  |  |
|--------|----------------------|--------|------------------------|--------|---------|------------------------|---------|--------|-------------------|--------|--|--|--|--|
|        | 1st Q                | 2003   | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Q 2003 |        |         | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q 2003 |         | 2003   | 12/31/2003 (Year) |        |  |  |  |  |
| #BR    | Rent                 | #Units | Rent                   | #Units | Rent    | #Units                 | Rent    | #Units | Rent              | #Units |  |  |  |  |
| Studio | \$820                | 231    | \$850                  | 365    | \$875   | 478                    | \$850   | 130    | \$850             | 1,142  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 BR   | \$1,100              | 321    | \$1,150                | 645    | \$1,100 | 747                    | \$1,050 | 262    | \$1,100           | 1,892  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 BR   | \$1,400              | 200    | \$1,645                | 506    | \$1,495 | 463                    | \$1,350 | 176    | \$1,500           | 1,326  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 BR   | \$1,850              | 25     | \$2,000                | 84     | \$2,100 | 52                     | \$1,800 | 17     | \$1,999           | 185    |  |  |  |  |

|        | 2004 (new tenancies) |        |                        |        |                        |        |            |        |                   |        |  |  |  |  |
|--------|----------------------|--------|------------------------|--------|------------------------|--------|------------|--------|-------------------|--------|--|--|--|--|
|        | 1st Q 2004           |        | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Q 2004 |        | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q 2004 |        | 4th Q 2004 |        | 12/31/2004 (Year) |        |  |  |  |  |
| #BR    | Rent                 | #Units | Rent                   | #Units | Rent                   | #Units | Rent       | #Units | Rent              | #Units |  |  |  |  |
| Studio | \$800                | 205    | \$825                  | 357    | \$825                  | 528    | \$800      | 140    | \$800             | 1,129  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 BR   | \$1,000              | 313    | \$1,100                | 596    | \$1,050                | 804    | \$1,000    | 272    | \$1,050           | 1,896  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 BR   | \$1,300              | 194    | \$1,500                | 521    | \$1,449                | 485    | \$1,295    | 149    | \$1,400           | 1,294  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 BR   | \$1,650              | 19     | \$2,150                | 77     | \$2,000                | 68     | \$1,550    | 17     | \$2,020           | 174    |  |  |  |  |

|        | 2005 (new tenancies)  |        |                        |        |                        |        |                        |        |                   |        |  |  |  |  |
|--------|-----------------------|--------|------------------------|--------|------------------------|--------|------------------------|--------|-------------------|--------|--|--|--|--|
|        | 1st Q 2005            |        | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Q 2005 |        | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q 2005 |        | 4 <sup>th</sup> Q 2005 |        | 12/31/2005 (Year) |        |  |  |  |  |
| #BR    | Rent                  | #Units | Rent                   | #Units | Rent                   | #Units | Rent                   | #Units | Rent              | #Units |  |  |  |  |
| Studio | io \$825 225          |        | \$850                  | 322    | \$850                  | 545    | \$830                  | 117    | \$850             | 1,132  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 BR   | R \$1,050 282         |        | \$1,100                | 594    | \$1,100                | 800    | \$1,050                | 226    | \$1,095           | 1,832  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 BR   | <b>BR</b> \$1,300 188 |        |                        | 527    | \$1,476                | 560    | \$1,350                | 110    | \$1,450           | 1,383  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 BR   | \$1,650               | 15     | \$2,030                | 71     | \$2,000                | 59     | \$1,900                | 7      | \$2,000           | 160    |  |  |  |  |

|        | 2006 (new tenancies)             |        |                        |         |                        |         |                        |         |                   |        |  |  |  |  |
|--------|----------------------------------|--------|------------------------|---------|------------------------|---------|------------------------|---------|-------------------|--------|--|--|--|--|
|        | 1st Q 2006                       |        | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Q 2006 |         | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q 2006 |         | 4 <sup>th</sup> Q 2006 |         | 12/31/2006 (Year) |        |  |  |  |  |
| #BR    | Rent                             | #Units | Rent                   | #Units  | Rent                   | #Units  | Rent                   | #Units  | Rent              | #Units |  |  |  |  |
| Studio | \$825                            | 186    | \$890                  | 332     | \$875                  | 554     | \$850                  | 90      | \$875             | 1,159  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 BR   |                                  |        | \$1,150                | 664     | \$1,150                | 784     | \$1,100                | 176     | \$1,100           | 1,944  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 BR   | <b>BR</b> \$1,400 188 \$1,650 55 |        | 550                    | \$1,500 | 537                    | \$1,445 | 108                    | \$1,550 | 1,430             |        |  |  |  |  |
| 3 BR   | \$1,700                          | 19     | \$2,240                | 77      | \$2,000                | 80      | \$2,000                | 9       | \$2,100           | 191    |  |  |  |  |

|        | 2007 (new tenancies) |        |         |        |                   |                        |         |        |                   |        |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------|----------------------|--------|---------|--------|-------------------|------------------------|---------|--------|-------------------|--------|--|--|--|--|--|
|        | 1st Q                | 2007   | 2nd Q   | 2007   | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q 2007 |         | 2007   | 12/31/2007 (Year) |        |  |  |  |  |  |
| #BR    | Rent                 | #Units | Rent    | #Units | Rent              | #Units                 | Rent    | #Units | Rent              | #Units |  |  |  |  |  |
| Studio | \$900                | 190    | \$925   | 371    | \$920             | 496                    | \$885   | 130    | \$900             | 1,099  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 BR   | \$1,100              | 301    | \$1,200 | 698    | \$1,200           | 826                    | \$1,175 | 196    | \$1,200           | 1,930  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 BR   | \$1,495              | 166    | \$1,700 | 649    | \$1,600           | 525                    | \$1,490 | 122    | \$1,600           | 1,421  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 BR   | \$2,400              | 17     | \$2,300 | 80     | \$2,200           | 98                     | \$2,250 | 19     | \$2,250           | 210    |  |  |  |  |  |

|        | 2008 (new tenancies) |        |                        |        |                        |        |                        |        |                 |        |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------|----------------------|--------|------------------------|--------|------------------------|--------|------------------------|--------|-----------------|--------|--|--|--|--|--|
|        | 1st Q 2008           |        | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Q 2008 |        | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q 2008 |        | 4 <sup>th</sup> Q 2008 |        | 12/31/08 (Year) |        |  |  |  |  |  |
| #BR    | Rent                 | #Units | Rent                   | #Units | Rent                   | #Units | Rent                   | #Units | Rent            | #Units |  |  |  |  |  |
| Studio | \$925                | 195    | \$990                  | 375    | \$995                  | 506    | \$950                  | 128    | \$980           | 1,116  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 BR   | \$1,185              | 308    | \$1,300                | 704    | \$1,290                | 860    | \$1,200                | 201    | \$1,275         | 1,980  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 BR   | \$1,570              | 202    | \$1,898                | 632    | \$1,750                | 522    | \$1,650                | 102    | \$1,775         | 1,412  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 BR   | \$2,200              | 24     | \$2,590                | 83     | \$2,400                | 113    | \$2,400                | 15     | \$2,450         | 230    |  |  |  |  |  |

|        |                   |        |                   | 2009   | (new tenai        | ncies) |                   |        |                 |        |
|--------|-------------------|--------|-------------------|--------|-------------------|--------|-------------------|--------|-----------------|--------|
|        | 1 <sup>st</sup> Q | 2009   | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Q | 2009   | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q | 2009   | 4 <sup>th</sup> Q | 2009   | 12/31/09 (Year) |        |
| #BR    | Rent              | #Units | Rent              | #Units | Rent              | #Units | Rent              | #Units | Rent            | #Units |
| Studio | \$925             | 164    | \$985             | 352    | \$975             | 447    | \$845             | 124    | \$950           | 1,081  |
| 1 BR   | \$1,150           | 277    | \$1,350           | 633    | \$1,250           | 757    | \$1,175           | 222    | \$1,250         | 1,887  |
| 2 BR   | \$1,585           | 138    | \$1,900           | 638    | \$1,675           | 462    | \$1,450           | 143    | \$1,700         | 1,406  |
| 3 BR   | \$2,450           | 21     | \$2,500           | 112    | \$2,395           | 86     | \$2,100           | 24     | \$2,400         | 254    |

|        |   |        |         | 2010   | (new tenai        | ncies) |                   |        |                  |        |
|--------|---|--------|---------|--------|-------------------|--------|-------------------|--------|------------------|--------|
|        | 1 <sup>st</sup> Q 2010 2 <sup>nd</sup> Q 2010 |        |         |        | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q | 2010   | 4 <sup>th</sup> Q | 2010   | 12/31/2010(Year) |        |
| #BR    | Rent  | #Units | Rent    | #Units | Rent              | #Units | Rent              | #Units | Rent             | #Units |
| Studio | \$925   | 173    | \$985   | 337    | \$950             | 518    | \$900             | 98     | \$950            | 1,038  |
| 1 BR   | \$1,195                                       | 244    | \$1,295 | 648    | \$1,195           | 787    | \$1,200           | 189    | \$1,225          | 1,828  |
| 2 BR   | \$1,500                                       | 142    | \$1,900 | 580    | \$1,600           | 523    | \$1,500           | 115    | \$1,660          | 1,365  |
| 3 BR   | \$1,850                                       | 16     | \$2,500 | 113    | \$2,395           | 98     | \$2,000           | 16     | \$2,395          | 241    |

|        |                   |        |                   | 2011   | (new tenai        | ncies) |                   |        |           |         |
|--------|-------------------|--------|-------------------|--------|-------------------|--------|-------------------|--------|-----------|---------|
|        | 1 <sup>st</sup> Q | 2011   | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Q | 2011   | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q | 2011   | 4 <sup>th</sup> Q | 2011   | 12/31/201 | 1(Year) |
| #BR    | Rent              | #Units | Rent              | #Units | Rent              | #Units | Rent              | #Units | Rent      | #Units  |
| Studio | \$895             | 122    | \$975             | 403    | \$995             | 454    | \$955             | 98     | \$970     | 1,105   |
| 1 BR   | \$1,175           | 235    | \$1,285           | 662    | \$1,250           | 722    | \$1,250           | 220    | \$1,250   | 1,899   |
| 2 BR   | \$1,495           | 139    | \$1,900           | 621    | \$1,650           | 544    | \$1,595           | 116    | \$1,700   | 1,472   |
| 3 RR   | \$2,050           | 21     | \$2,570           | 106    | \$2,400           | 96     | \$2,400           | 12     | \$2,400   | 248     |

|        |         |        |                   | 2012   | (new tenai        | ncies) |                   |        |           |         |
|--------|---------|--------|-------------------|--------|-------------------|--------|-------------------|--------|-----------|---------|
|        | 1st Q   | 2012   | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Q | 2012   | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q | 2012   | 4 <sup>th</sup> Q | 2012   | 12/31/201 | 2(Year) |
| #BR    | Rent    | #Units | Rent              | #Units | Rent              | #Units | Rent              | #Units | Rent      | #Units  |
| Studio | \$900   | 152    | \$1,025           | 427    | \$1,050           | 408    | \$1,095           | 87     | \$1,050   | 1050    |
| 1 BR   | \$1,200 | 226    | \$1,395           | 578    | \$1,345           | 701    | \$1,300           | 162    | \$1,325   | 1689    |
| 2 BR   | \$1,600 | 123    | \$2,095           | 641    | \$1,750           | 501    | \$1,700           | 99     | \$1,850   | 1431    |
| 3 BR   | \$2,300 | 16     | \$2,700           | 113    | \$2,595           | 93     | \$2,600           | 12     | \$2,595   | 247     |

|        |         |        |         | 2013   | (new tenai                                    | ncies) |         |        |                   |        |  |
|--------|---------|--------|---------|--------|---|--------|---------|--------|-------------------|--------|--|
|        | 1st Q   | 2013   | 2nd Q   | 2013   | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q 2013 4 <sup>th</sup> Q 2013 |        |         | 2013   | 12/31/2013 (Year) |        |  |
| #BR    | Rent    | #Units | Rent    | #Units | Rent  | #Units | Rent    | #Units | Rent              | #Units |  |
| Studio | \$1,000 | 132    | \$1,100 | 419    | \$1,150                                       | 384    | \$1,100 | 96     | \$1,100           | 1139   |  |
| 1 BR   | \$1,300 | 226    | \$1,495 | 664    | \$1,450                                       | 611    | \$1,500 | 207    | \$1,460           | 1906   |  |
| 2 BR   | \$1,750 | 100    | \$2,195 | 611    | \$1,995                                       | 480    | \$1,950 | 105    | \$2,046           | 1522   |  |
| 3 BR   | \$2,500 | 15     | \$2,900 | 147    | \$2,895                                       | 77     | \$2,700 | 16     | \$2,895           | 280    |  |

|        |                       |        |         | 2014   | (new tenai | ncies) |                   |        |                   |        |
|--------|-----------------------|--------|---------|--------|------------|--------|-------------------|--------|-------------------|--------|
|        | 1st Q 2014 2nd Q 2014 |        |         |        |            | 2014   | 4 <sup>th</sup> Q | 2014   | 12/31/2014 (Year) |        |
| #BR    | Rent                  | #Units | Rent    | #Units | Rent       | #Units | Rent              | #Units | Rent              | #Units |
| Studio | \$1,050               | 147    | \$1,249 | 465    | \$1,275    | 446    | \$1,263           | 124    | \$1,250           | 1098   |
| 1 BR   | \$1,400               | 232    | \$1,595 | 721    | \$1,620    | 634    | \$1,650           | 177    | \$1,595           | 1720   |
| 2 BR   | \$1,900               | 113    | \$2,395 | 623    | \$2,248    | 457    | \$2,000           | 86     | \$2,250           | 1279   |
| 3 BR   | \$2,850               | 16     | \$3,250 | 112    | \$3,000    | 79     | \$2896            | 13     | \$3,000           | 235    |

|        |   |        |         | 2015   | (new tenai | ncies) |         |        |           |                   |  |
|--------|---|--------|---------|--------|------------|--------|---------|--------|-----------|-------------------|--|
|        | 1 <sup>st</sup> Q 2015 2 <sup>nd</sup> Q 2015 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q 2015 4 <sup>th</sup> Q 2015 1 |        |         |        |            |        |         |        | 12/31/201 | 12/31/2015 (Year) |  |
| #BR    | Rent  | #Units | Rent    | #Units | Rent       | #Units | Rent    | #Units | Rent      | #Units            |  |
| Studio | \$1,295   | 160    | \$1,495 | 350    | \$1,495    | 358    | \$1,548 | 86     | \$1,475   | 966               |  |
| 1 BR   | \$1,695   | 235    | \$1,795 | 612    | \$1,860    | 520    | \$1,900 | 142    | \$1,800   | 1520              |  |
| 2 BR   | \$2,150   | 125    | \$2,695 | 582    | \$2,600    | 383    | \$2,300 | 97     | \$2,600   | 1194              |  |
| 3 BR   | \$2,588   | 18     | \$3,500 | 112    | \$3,498    | 62     | \$3,000 | 9      | \$3,450   | 213               |  |

|        |         |        |         | 2016   | (new tenai        | ncies) |                   |        |                     |        |  |
|--------|---------|--------|---------|--------|-------------------|--------|-------------------|--------|---------------------|--------|--|
|        | 1st Q   | 2016   | 2nd Q   | 2016   | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q | 2016   | 4 <sup>th</sup> Q | 2016   | 6 12/31/2016 (Year) |        |  |
| #BR    | Rent    | #Units | Rent    | #Units | Rent              | #Units | Rent              | #Units | Rent                | #Units |  |
| Studio | \$1,450 | 105    | \$1,695 | 279    | \$1,600           | 369    | \$1,633           | 90     | \$1,600             | 912    |  |
| 1 BR   | \$1,795 | 171    | \$2,000 | 480    | \$2,050           | 491    | \$1,925           | 125    | \$1,995             | 1387   |  |
| 2 BR   | \$2,395 | 90     | \$2,800 | 444    | \$2,800           | 282    | \$2,500           | 84     | \$2,750             | 957    |  |
| 3 BR   | \$3,300 | 13     | \$3,750 | 101    | \$3,495           | 51     | \$3,150           | 11     | \$3,595             | 190    |  |

|        |         |        |         | 2017   | (new tenai  | ncies) |         |        |         |        |
|--------|---------|--------|---------|--------|---|--------|---------|--------|---------|--------|
|        | 1st Q   | 2017   | 2nd Q   | 2017   | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q 2017 4 <sup>th</sup> Q 2017 12/31/2017 (Y |        |         |        |         |        |
| #BR    | Rent    | #Units | Rent    | #Units | Rent  | #Units | Rent    | #Units | Rent    | #Units |
| Studio | \$1,500 | 79     | \$1,750 | 326    | \$1,800   | 343    | \$1,600 | 82     | \$1,750 | 931    |
| 1 BR   | \$1,995 | 169    | \$2,150 | 526    | \$2,025   | 457    | \$2,000 | 157    | \$2,027 | 1459   |
| 2 BR   | \$2,600 | 75     | \$3,012 | 456    | \$2,800   | 289    | \$2,500 | 88     | \$2,800 | 1014   |
| 3 BR   | \$3,240 | 10     | \$4,100 | 105    | \$3,650   | 53     | \$3,200 | 5      | \$3,900 | 186    |

|        |         |        |         | 2018   | (new tenai        | ncies) |                   |        |                   |        |
|--------|---------|--------|---------|--------|-------------------|--------|-------------------|--------|-------------------|--------|
|        | 1st Q   | 2018   | 2nd Q   | 2018   | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q | 2018   | 4 <sup>th</sup> Q | 2018   | 12/31/2018 (Year) |        |
| #BR    | Rent    | #Units | Rent    | #Units | Rent              | #Units | Rent              | #Units | Rent              | #Units |
| Studio | \$1,600 | 135    | \$1,800 | 328    | \$1,895           | 344    | \$1,798           | 102    | \$1,800           | 999    |
| 1 BR   | \$1,950 | 223    | \$2,295 | 592    | \$2,195           | 590    | \$2,150           | 171    | \$2,195           | 1,646  |
| 2 BR   | \$2,504 | 116    | \$3,150 | 574    | \$2,900           | 401    | \$2,800           | 116    | \$2,990           | 1,287  |
| 3 BR   | \$3,150 | 20     | \$4,066 | 113    | \$3,900           | 75     | \$3,438           | 16     | \$3,900           | 241    |

|        |                   |        |         | 2019   | (new tenai  | ncies) |         |        |         |          |
|--------|-------------------|--------|---------|--------|---|--------|---------|--------|---------|----------|
|        | 1 <sup>st</sup> Q | 2019   | 2nd Q   | 2019   | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q 2019 4 <sup>th</sup> Q 2019 12/31/201 |        |         |        |         | 9 (Year) |
| #BR    | Rent              | #Units | Rent    | #Units | Rent  | #Units | Rent    | #Units | Rent    | #Units   |
| Studio | \$1,695           | 93     | \$1,797 | 310    | \$1,795   | 330    | \$1,725 | 77     | \$1,800 | 956      |
| 1 BR   | \$1,995           | 163    | \$2,233 | 577    | \$2,195   | 485    | \$2,020 | 146    | \$2,150 | 1520     |
| 2 BR   | \$2,723           | 78     | \$3,195 | 506    | \$2,895   | 330    | \$2,650 | 76     | \$2,995 | 1101     |
| 3 BR   | \$3,500           | 17     | \$4,250 | 83     | \$3,650   | 76     | \$3,200 | 9      | \$3,850 | 198      |

|        |                   |        |         | 2020   | (new tenai        | ncies)   |      |        |         |        |
|--------|-------------------|--------|---------|--------|-------------------|--|------|--------|---------|--------|
|        | 1 <sup>st</sup> Q | 2020   | 2nd Q   | 2020   | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Q 2020 4 <sup>th</sup> Q 2020 09/30/ |      |        |         |        |
| #BR    | Rent              | #Units | Rent    | #Units | Rent              | #Units   | Rent | #Units | Rent    | #Units |
| Studio | \$1,600           | 95     | \$1,895 | 109    | \$1,795           | 249  |      |        | \$1,750 | 471    |
| 1 BR   | \$2,000           | 132    | \$2,200 | 215    | \$2,100           | 319  |      |        | \$2,100 | 714    |
| 2 BR   | \$2,672           | 80     | \$3,150 | 215    | \$2,995           | 278  |      |        | \$2,970 | 611    |
| 3 BR   | \$4,113           | 6      | \$3,975 | 38     | \$3,950           | 57   |      |        | \$3,950 | 108    |

# <u>Annual Citywide Medians By Number of Bedrooms</u> (All Units)

| Through | 12/31   | 1/98  | 12/31   | 1/99  | 12/31/  | 2000  | 12/31/  | 2001  | 12/31/  | /2002 | 12/31/  | 2003  |
|---------|---------|-------|---------|-------|---------|-------|---------|-------|---------|-------|---------|-------|
| #BR     | Rent    | Units |
| Studio  | \$527   | 3,725 | \$560   | 3,840 | \$596   | 3,895 | \$650   | 3,871 | \$719   | 3,854 | \$731   | 3,910 |
| 1 BR    | \$624   | 8,075 | \$662   | 8,145 | \$714   | 8,185 | \$773   | 8,184 | \$858   | 8,097 | \$900   | 7,983 |
| 2 BR    | \$777   | 5,651 | \$835   | 5,659 | \$900   | 5,693 | \$975   | 5,643 | \$1,100 | 5,562 | \$1,200 | 5,500 |
| 3 BR    | \$1,083 | 915   | \$1,140 | 831   | \$1,245 | 816   | \$1,350 | 807   | \$1,538 | 784   | \$1,662 | 765   |

| Through | 12/31/  | 2004  | 12/31/  | 2005  | 12/31/  | 2006  | 12/31/  | 2007  | 12/3    | 1/08  | 12/31/  | 2009  |
|---------|---------|-------|---------|-------|---------|-------|---------|-------|---------|-------|---------|-------|
| #BR     | Rent    | Units |
| Studio  | \$750   | 3,905 | \$775   | 3,928 | \$795   | 3,919 | \$825   | 3,834 | \$865   | 3,762 | \$895   | 3,740 |
| 1 BR    | \$939   | 7,941 | \$950   | 7,899 | \$982   | 7,906 | \$1,026 | 7,911 | \$1,075 | 7,951 | \$1,100 | 7,945 |
| 2 BR    | \$1,250 | 5,442 | \$1,280 | 5,430 | \$1,321 | 5,451 | \$1,395 | 5,571 | \$1,450 | 5,667 | \$1,500 | 5,721 |
| 3 BR    | \$1,750 | 753   | \$1,799 | 733   | \$1,820 | 733   | \$1,930 | 780   | \$2,044 | 853   | \$2,100 | 887   |

| Through | 12/31/  | 2010  | 12/31/  | 2011  | 12/31/  | 2012  | 12/31/  | 2013  | 12/31/  | 2014  | 12/31/  | 2015  |
|---------|---------|-------|---------|-------|---------|-------|---------|-------|---------|-------|---------|-------|
| #BR     | Rent    | Units |
| Studio  | \$895   | 3,703 | \$900   | 3,813 | \$935   | 3,729 | \$975   | 3,668 | \$1,012 | 3,858 | \$1,081 | 3,899 |
| 1 BR    | \$1,101 | 7,895 | \$1,129 | 7,906 | \$1,177 | 7,855 | \$1,225 | 7,893 | \$1,293 | 7,928 | \$1,350 | 7,950 |
| 2 BR    | \$1,500 | 5,734 | \$1,525 | 5,804 | \$1,587 | 5,900 | \$1,650 | 5,975 | \$1,746 | 6,004 | \$1,846 | 6,036 |
| 3 BR    | \$2,150 | 890   | \$2,150 | 934   | \$2,241 | 987   | \$2,350 | 1,026 | \$2,450 | 1,027 | \$2,595 | 1,034 |

| Through | 12/31/  | 2016  | 12/31/  | 2017  | 12/31/  | 2018  | 12/31   | /2019 | 09/30/  | /2020 | 202  | 21    |
|---------|---------|-------|---------|-------|---------|-------|---------|-------|---------|-------|------|-------|
| #BR     | Rent    | Units | Rent | Units |
| Studio  | \$1,178 | 4,002 | \$1,273 | 4,042 | \$1,395 | 4,127 | \$1,495 | 4145  | \$1,550 | 4067  |      |       |
| 1 BR    | \$1,439 | 7,995 | \$1,527 | 8,005 | \$1,663 | 8,056 | \$1,756 | 8044  | \$1,824 | 8003  |      |       |
| 2 BR    | \$1,957 | 6,046 | \$2,076 | 6,044 | \$2,295 | 6,059 | \$2,404 | 6045  | \$2,495 | 6035  |      |       |
| 3 BR    | \$2,700 | 1,044 | \$2,943 | 1,031 | \$3,200 | 1,047 | \$3,355 | 1047  | \$3,453 | 1040  |      |       |

# <u>Annual Citywide Medians and Averages</u> (All Units—includes units with 4+ bedrooms)

|       | 12/31/19 | 98     | 1     | 2/31/19 | 99     | 1     | 2/31/200 | 00     | 12    | /31/2001 | -      | 1:    | 2/31/2002 | 2      |
|-------|----------|--------|-------|---------|--------|-------|----------|--------|-------|----------|--------|-------|-----------|--------|
| Med   | Avg      | #Units | Med   | Avg     | #Units | Med   | Avg      | #Units | Med   | Avg      | #Units | Med   | Avg       | #Units |
| \$643 | \$720    | 19,253 | \$690 | \$787   | 18,788 | \$750 | \$865    | 19,178 | \$810 | \$943    | 18,767 | \$882 | \$1,008   | 18,784 |

|       | 12/31/200 | )3     | 1     | 2/31/20 | 04     |       | 12/31/200 | )5     |       | 12/31/2000 | 6      | 1       | 2/31/200 | )7     |
|-------|-----------|--------|-------|---------|--------|-------|-----------|--------|-------|------------|--------|---------|----------|--------|
| Med   | Avg       | #Units | Med   | Avg     | #Units | Med   | Avg       | #Units | Med   | Avg        | #Units | Med     | Avg      | #Units |
| \$900 | \$1,028   | 18,617 | \$932 | \$1,046 | 18,652 | \$950 | \$1,062   | 18,418 | \$994 | \$1,092    | 18,534 | \$1,042 | \$1,147  | 18,545 |

|        | 12/31/20   | 08     | 1       | 2/31/200 | 09     |         | 12/31/20 | 10     |         | 12/31/201 | 1      | 1       | 2/31/201 | 2      |
|--------|------------|--------|---------|----------|--------|---------|----------|--------|---------|-----------|--------|---------|----------|--------|
| Med    | l Avg      | #Units | Med     | Avg      | #Units | Med     | Avg      | #Units | Med     | Avg       | #Units | Med     | Avg      | #Units |
| \$1,10 | 00 \$1,213 | 18,798 | \$1,150 | \$1,260  | 18,893 | \$1,159 | \$1,274  | 18,797 | \$1,195 | \$1,297   | 19,027 | \$1,236 | \$1,345  | 19,030 |

|         | 12/31/20 | 13     | 1       | 2/31/201 | 4      | 1       | 2/31/201 | 5      | 1       | 2/31/201 | 6      | 1       | 2/31/201 | 7      |
|---------|----------|--------|---------|----------|--------|---------|----------|--------|---------|----------|--------|---------|----------|--------|
| Med     | Avg      | #Units |
| \$1,300 | \$1,419  | 19,093 | \$1,375 | \$1,498  | 19,087 | \$1,474 | \$1,606  | 19,252 | \$1,572 | \$1,710  | 19,411 | \$1,675 | \$1,816  | 19,451 |

|         | 12/31/20 | 18     | 1       | 2/31/201 | 9      | 0       | 9/30/202 | 0      |     | 2021 |        |     | 2022 |        |
|---------|----------|--------|---------|----------|--------|---------|----------|--------|-----|------|--------|-----|------|--------|
| Med     | Avg      | #Units | Med     | Avg      | #Units | Med     | Avg      | #Units | Med | Avg  | #Units | Med | Avg  | #Units |
| \$1,800 | \$1,956  | 19,621 | \$1,895 | \$2,039  | 19,616 | \$1,944 | \$2,107  | 19,481 |     |      |        |     |      |        |



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# **City of Berkeley**

Number of Reported Qualifying Vacancy Registrations By Submarket Area through 09/30/2020 (As of 12/17/2020) (Excludes exempt units)

### Housing Tracts by Area:

**Area 1**, tract nos. 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 38

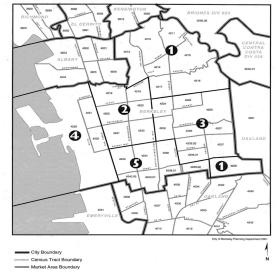
Area 2, tract nos. 18, 19, 22, 23, 30, 31

**Area 3**, tract nos. 24, 25, 27, 28, 29, 36, 37

Area 4, tract nos. 20, 21, 32

Area 5, tract nos. 33, 34, 35, 39, 40

#### City of Berkeley and Surrounding Cities Census Tract Map and Market Areas



Total Number of Registered ("Rented") Units by Submarket Area

|                           |           |                  | 09/30/2020        |
|---------------------------|-----------|------------------|-------------------|
|                           | No. Units | % of total units | Avg. Rent Ceiling |
| North Berkeley (Area 1)   | 1,404     | 7.21%            | \$2,263.59        |
| Central Berkeley (Area 2) | 3,519     | 18.06%           | \$1,916.64        |
| University Area (Area 3)  | 9,988     | 51.27%           | \$2,243.55        |
| West Berkeley (Area 4)    | 798       | 4.10%            | \$1,717.30        |
| South Berkeley (Area 5)   | 3,416     | 17.54%           | \$1,925.62        |
| Total                     | 19.481    |                  | \$2,106.56        |

|   | Submarket Area  | No. Units | % of Submarket | 09/30/2020 Avg. LRC |
|---|-----------------|-----------|----------------|---------------------|
| Tenancies Starting Before 199             | 9               |           |                |                     |
| 1,877 units (9.64 $\%$ of all units)      | 1               | 168       | 11.97%         | \$977.25            |
|   | 2               | 451       | 12.82%         | \$882.62            |
| Avg. Rent Ceiling                         | 3               | 809       | 8.10%          | \$920.65            |
| All units = \$899.18                      | 4               | 102       | 12.78%         | \$819.41            |
| 1 BR = \$821.13 (899 units)               | 5               | 309       | 9.05%          | \$891.78            |
| Tenancies Starting 1/1/99 – 09,           | /30/2020        |           |                |                     |
| $17,\!604$ units ( $90.\!36\%$ of all uni | ( <b>ts</b> ) 1 | 1,236     | 88.03%         | \$2,438.43          |
|   | 2               | 3,068     | 87.18%         | \$2,068.64          |
| Avg. Rent Ceiling                         | 3               | 9,179     | 91.90%         | \$2,360.15          |
| All Units = $$2,235.29$                   | 4               | 696       | 87.22%         | \$1,848.89          |
| 1 BR = \$1,925.74 (7,104 units            | s) 5            | 3,107     | 90.95%         | \$2,028.44          |
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