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Tip of the Month:
Daylight
Savings time
begins on
April 2 at
2:00AM,
don't forget
to spring
ahead one
hour!

Predictions from the NAR

According to the National Association of Realtors, existinghome sales are expected to decline 4.7% to 6.74 million this year, down from a record 7.07 million units in 2005. Newhome sales are expected to fall 8.5% to 1.17 million from a record 1.28 million last year. The trade group predicts housing starts, or the number of new homes built, will reach 1.87 million units this year, down 9.3% from the year earlier. The national median existing-home price for all housing types is expected to increase 5% this year to \$219,200, while median new-home prices are projected to rise 5.7% to \$250,900. That's about half the rate of home-price increases last year.

Hot Properties

New Listings

4980 Noeline 4+4 (2968 sq ft)

\$1,375,000

16467 Otsego 2+2.5 (1717 sq ft)

\$945,500

Just Sold/Pending

4968 Noeline 4+2.75 (2848 sq ft) \$1,275,000 sold 5026 Hayvenhurst 4+4 (2834 sq ft) \$899,950 pending 16431 Otsego 3+2 (2203 sq ft) \$1,069,000 pending

If your home is currently listed this is not intended as a solicitation.

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