

# MORTGAGE RATE WATCH

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A message from Nickolas Inhelder:

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Our goal is simple:

To help every family we serve get to “Yes.”

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**Yes** to the lending solution that meets every client’s unique needs and wants.

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This is more than work for us. It is our unique joy in this life to share our collective skill, creativity, and care to bring you and your family right to where you belong.

Let’s make home happen.

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## Mortgage Rates Bounce But Remain Lower on The Week

The top tier 30yr fixed mortgage rate index rose 0.04% on Friday, which would be a medium-sized defeat in and of itself. In the broader context, however, it was an acceptable adjustment on what has otherwise been a solid week. Specifically, today's rates are still 0.08% lower than last Friday's.

There were no standout individual sources of inspiration today. Keen observers may note that today's Consumer Sentiment data seemed to coincide with mid-day upward pressure in rates, but that was a bit deceptive. The upward pressure began in earnest at 8:20am ET, which is essentially the opening bell for the bond market.

It's true that the weakness accelerated after the Consumer Sentiment data, but not until 6 minutes afterward, and that's an uncommon delay when it comes to rates responding to economic data.

All that to say: it looks like the rate market was somewhat determined to lose some ground today. This can happen on weeks like this one where there has been a solid improvement through Thursday and where the following week brings additional sources of potential volatility.