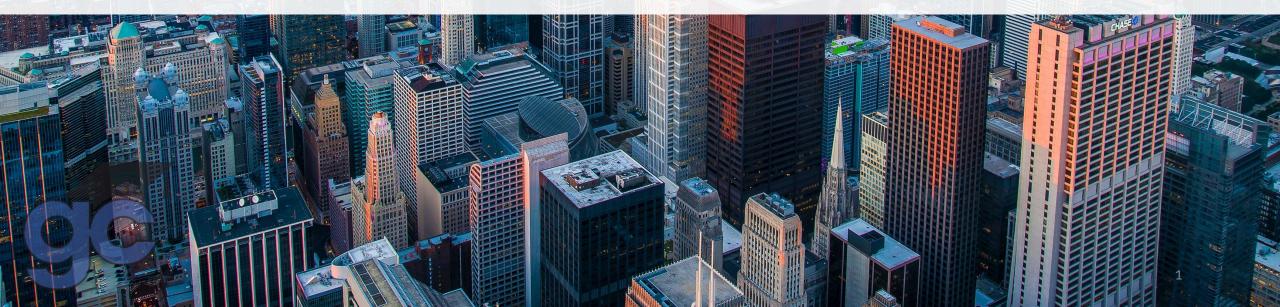


### **CHAPTER 8**

Comparative Market Analysis



#### **Appraisal**

supported, defended estimate of the market value of property rights as of a given date.

#### **Comparative Market Analysis (CMA)**

An estimated value of property for use by buyers and sellers. It is focused on properties currently for sale, recently sold properties and expired listings.

#### **Brokers Price Opinion (BPO)**

An estimate usually determined by a quick look at the property and completing a form report for the requesting company.



# Differences between Appraisals, CMAs, and BPOs

	Appraisal	CMA	ВРО
Approaches to Value	Market, Cost, Income	Market	Market, Income
Detailed Adjustments	Yes	No	Yes
Specific Value	Yes	No	No
Types of Properties	Sales	Sales, Listings, Expireds	Sales, Listings
Preparer Involved in Transaction	No	Yes	Yes
Types of Properties Valued	All	Residential	Residential
May Charge Fee	Yes	Yes	Yes
Federally Related Transaction	Yes	No	No
Must be Licensed Appraiser	No	No	No
Show Repairs Needed	Yes	No	Yes



### **Sales Comparison Approach**

#### Compare recent market sales of:

- Solds (previous 12 months)
- Currently for sale
- Expired listings

# Information Needed for a CMA/BPO



- Owner's address & name
- Property description
- Lot size
- # of rooms/square footage
- Age & construction quality
- School system]Taxes
- Current market financing
- Outstanding mortgage
- Utilities
- Appliances included
- Zoning
- Personal property in sale
- Environmental concerns

#### Sources:

- Multiple Listing Service (MLS)
- Property tax records
- Listing agent
- Buyers agents
- Internet
- Property owners



- Location
- Size/shape of lot
- Landscaping
- Construction quality
- Style
- Design
- Age
- # of rooms, bathrooms
- Gross living area
- Kitchen
- Other space
- Exterior/interior condition
- Garage
- Other improvements



# Common Elements of Comparison



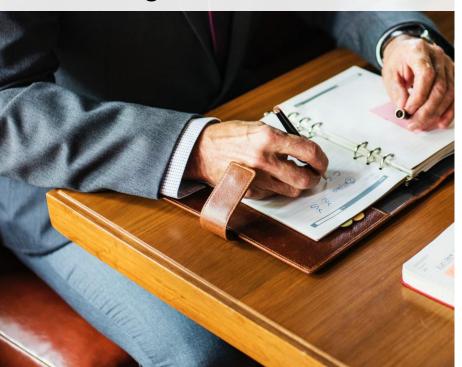


### **Comparison Process**

- Use 3 5 properties for comparison
- Adjust the sales price of the comparables



# **Basis for**Adjustments



# Making the Comparable Adjustments

Memory Aid

**C**omparable

**B**etter

**S**ubtract

**CBS** 

**C**omparable

Inferior

Add

CIA

- Photos of subject property
- Photos of comparables
- Zoning information
- Environmental information
- Square footage measurements
- Survey





## Miscellaneous

#### Misrepresentation of Value

Top 10 list of items licensees are sued for

#### Licensees cannot refer to CMA as a appraisal

• F.S. 475 violation



