Question: Is there a difference in FMR (Fair Market Rent) over the years?

Answer: The FMR differs significantly each year. This cannot be attributed to error; the consistent year-over-year increase in FMR is a clear trend. Among all the changes, **the increase in FMR in 2007 is particularly notable**, being significantly greater than in other years. There was an almost <u>10% increase in the average</u>, and <u>the median increased by 8%</u>, while changes in other years fluctuated within the range of 3-6%.

This period coincides with the mortgage lending crisis in the USA.

Graphs:













