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Former Northwestern journalism dean sells Evanston house for \$1 million

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Former Medill dean John Lavine has sold his Evanston home for about \$1 million. (Handout / Northwestern University)

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Lavine served as the school's dean from 2006 until 2012 before stepping down to teach and return to work at Northwestern's Media Management Center. Earlier this year, he left Northwestern to move to California, where he is CEO of a firm that consults on media-related issues.

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Built in 1987 and located in Evanston's Lakeshore Historic District, the house has 2-1/2 baths, a two-story foyer, a vaulted two-story living room with a fireplace and custom built-ins, an enclosed porch and an attached garage.

Lavine and his wife paid \$750,000 for the house in 1995. They first listed it in September for \$1.325 million and later reduced their asking price to \$1.25 million and then to \$1.15 million before selling it for \$1,002,500.

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The couple declined to comment on the sale.

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