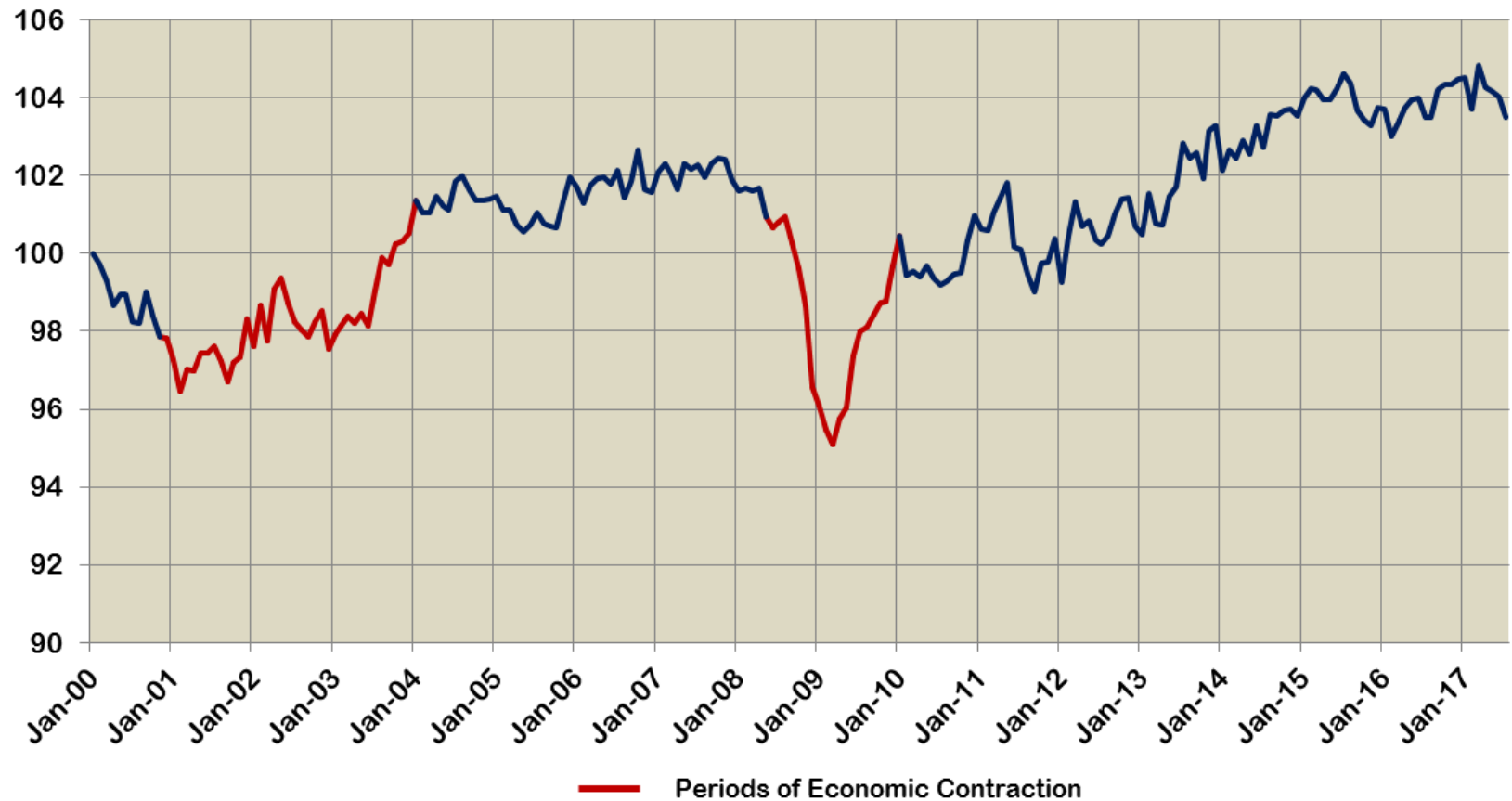


## King County Index of Leading Indicators (Index Base = January 2000)



**July 2017:** The index decreased by 0.5145 points in July. Individual indicators were mixed, with national indicators increasing and most local indicators dropping.

### Direction of Individual Components:

Positive: Yield Spread (US), Consumer Sentiment (US), New Business Incorporation (WA)

Negative: Purchasing Manager's Index (NW), Initial Unemployment Claims (KC), Help Wanted Ads (KC), Durable Goods (KC), Residential Permits (KC),