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Mike Tyson sells Vegas mansion... and buys an even bigger one at the other end of street

- The former boxing champ, 49, and his wife closed on their 8,149-square-foot mansion in Henderson, Nevada on December 28 for \$2.5million
- The new home is just down the street from his former house, which has been listed for \$1.5million
- According to county records, Tyson bought that home in 2008 for \$1.75million from NBA player Jalen Rose

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Mike Tyson has upgraded to a bigger house in his neighborhood and put his former home near Las Vegas up for sale.

The former boxing champ, 49, recently bought a two-story, 8,149-square-foot mansion in Henderson, Nevada, for \$2.5million, and it's just down the street from his old house, Clark County records show. Tyson and his wife closed their purchase on December 28, according to the county records.

The new six-bedroom home is in a gated community and has two detached casitas, an outdoor fireplace, lush landscaping, marble flooring and a grand entry, Vegas Inc reported.

A news release from Luxury Homes of Las Vegas says the brokerage firm has listed Tyson's former home for \$1.5million. According to county records, Tyson bought the home in 2008 for \$1.75million from NBA player Jalen Rose.

The home has been 'smartly updated' for resale, the news release said, noting that Tyson is climbing back to financial success with (animated TV series) Mike Tyson Mysteries, celebrity appearances, endorsements and a renewed business savvy'.

Broker Ken Lowman, owner of Luxury Homes of Las Vegas, said in the statement: 'The lucky buyer will not only be able to live in Mike Tyson's old home, they will also be his new neighbor!'



Mike Tyson and his wife purchased a home in Henderson, Nevada - just outside Las Vegas - for \$2.5million. The purchase closed on December 28. Pictured above is the Tysons' new home



The massive new home is just down the street from his former house, which he bought in 2008 and is now back on the market for \$1.5million



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The backyard of their new home is filled with shrubbery, patio furniture, a pool, and what appears to be a multi-level fountain



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An area of the new kitchen leads in to a wine cellar, which appears to be able to hold more than a hundred of bottles of wine, among other bottled drinks



The open floor plan of the new home shows a beautiful kitchen - complete with an island that features two ovens - opening up into a large living room with an entertainment wall



At night, residents of the new home can relax at an outdoor fire place or one of the several lounging areas on the home's back deck





Tyson's new home (circled bottom) is just down the street from his previous home (circled top). Tyson (pictured in his former home) purchased his previous home in 2008 from NBA player Jalen Rose



Tyson's former home (circled) was purchased in 2008 for \$1.75million. He and his wife have now listed the home for \$1.5million

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