



Mystic, Iowa.

Current market data.

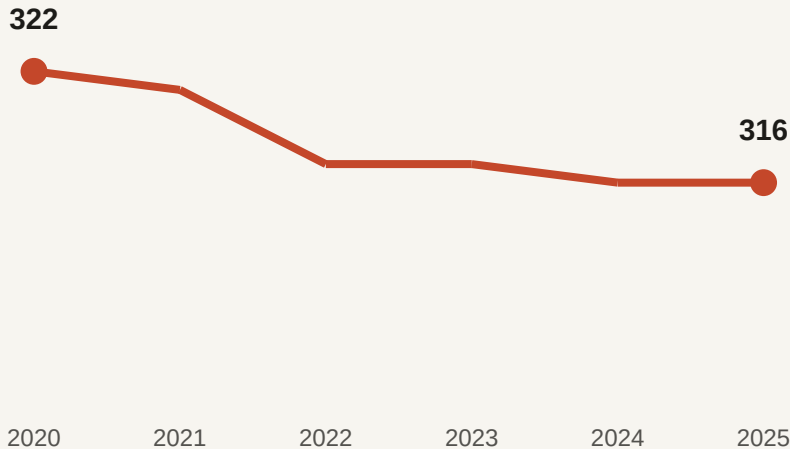
10 cards. Every number sourced and dated. Data as of Oct 30, 2026.

POPULATION

Down 1.9% since 2020.

316

people, the 547th-largest of Iowa's cities and towns.



THE WORKDAY

Every job here goes to
someone who lives
somewhere else.

100.0%

of 3 jobs located in Mystic are filled by in-commuters.



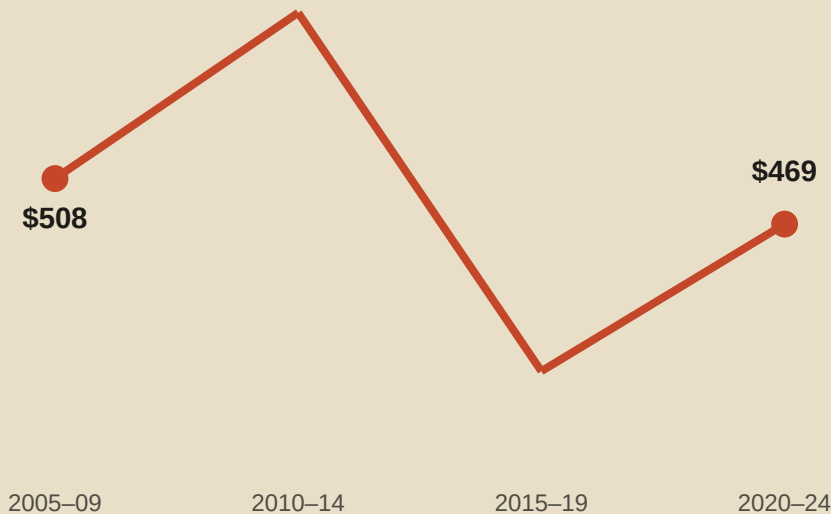
Each dot is 1% of jobs. Filled: held by in-commuters.

RENT

Median rent is down 8%
since the 2005–2009
survey, before inflation.

\$469

a month. Iowa's median is \$972.





THE SEAM

Cross one tract line and median rent jumps \$385.

A \$385 gap between neighbors, the sharpest rent edge between adjacent tracts in Appanoose County.

TRACT 9503

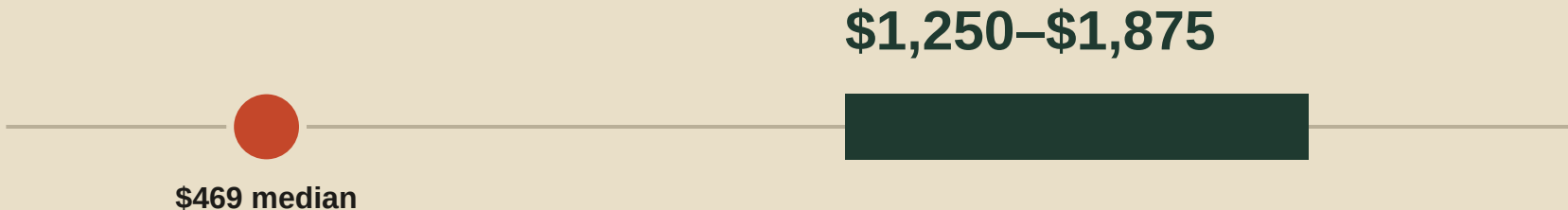
\$682

TRACT 9505

\$1,067

ROOM TO BUILD

Local wages can carry more rent than the median charged today.



is the monthly rent range local workforce wages support.



BUILDING

Most of the housing here is older than 2000.

93%

of all homes were built before 2000



UNITS NEEDED

None of three estimates finds a housing shortfall here.

0

is the estimated number of missing housing units, from the lowest to the highest of three estimates.



HOME VALUE

A median home costs 72% less than Iowa's.

\$57,500

median home value in Mystic.

Mystic



\$57,500

Iowa



\$208,000

U.S.



\$332,700

THAT WAS MYSTIC'S 2026

Every number came from a public source, with its date.

New Census data usually lands in December. The next Edition follows it.

See this Edition at [**almanacdata.ai/e/ia/mystic/**](https://almanacdata.ai/e/ia/mystic/)

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