



Rockwell City, Iowa.

Current market data.

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

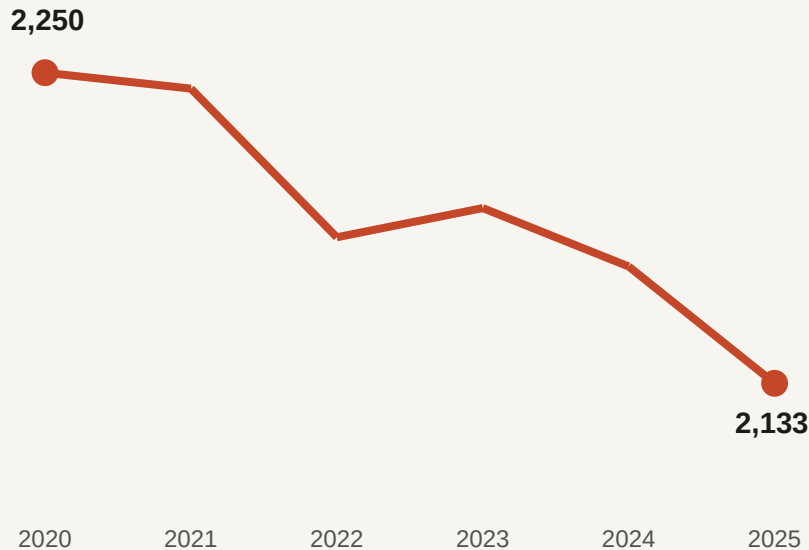


POPULATION

Down 5.2% since 2020.

2,133

people, the 156th-largest of Iowa's cities and towns.

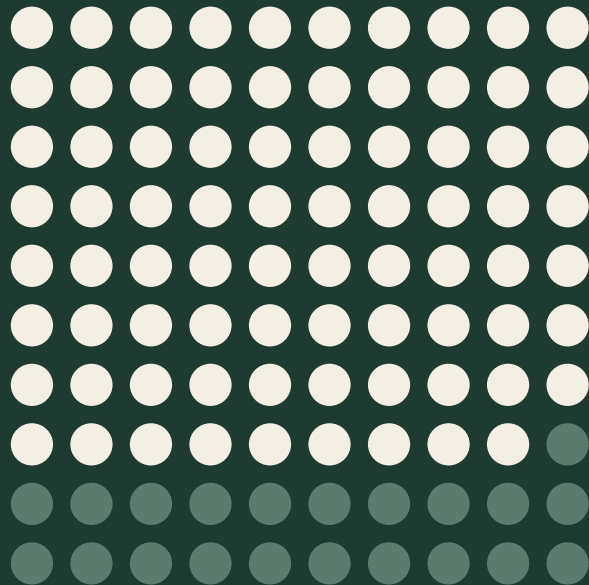


THE WORKDAY

8 in 10 jobs here go to
people who live somewhere
else.

78.8%

of 650 jobs located in Rockwell City are filled by in-commuters.



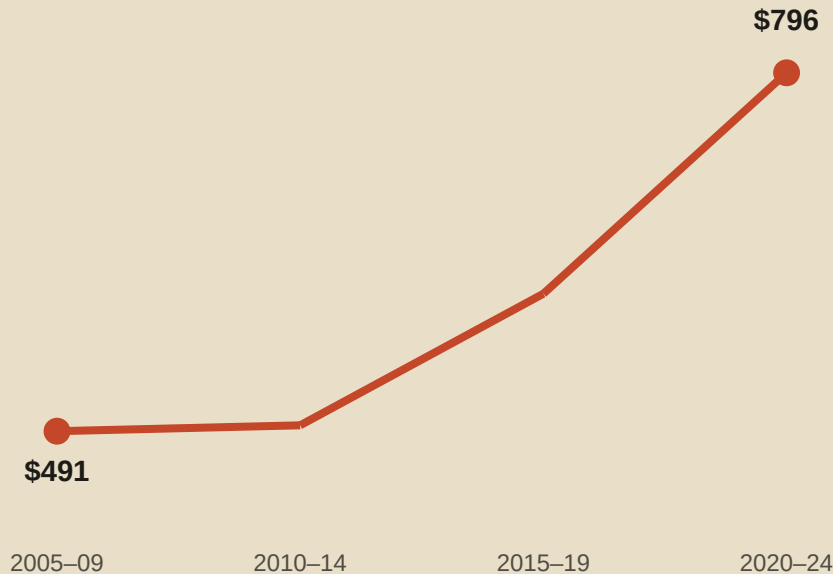
Each dot is 1% of jobs. Filled: held by in-commuters.

RENT

Median rent is up 62%
since the 2005–2009
survey, before inflation.

\$796

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



THE SEAM

Cross one tract line and median rent jumps \$125.

A \$125 gap between neighbors, the sharpest rent edge between adjacent tracts in Calhoun County.

TRACT 9501

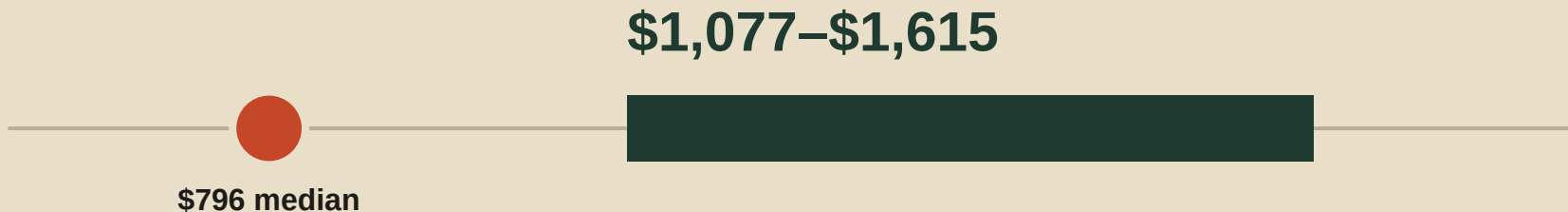
\$704

TRACT 9503

\$829

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.

4

homes permitted, 2022–2025

0%

of those were in multifamily
buildings

96%

of all homes were built before 2000

UNITS NEEDED

Closing the gap would add 0.1–0.8% to the 908 homes here.

1–7

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



HOME VALUE

A median home costs 57% less than Iowa's.

\$88,500

median home value in Rockwell City.

Rockwell City



\$88,500

Iowa



\$208,000

U.S.



\$332,700

THAT WAS ROCKWELL CITY'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/rockwell-city/

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