



Palmer, Illinois.

Current market data.

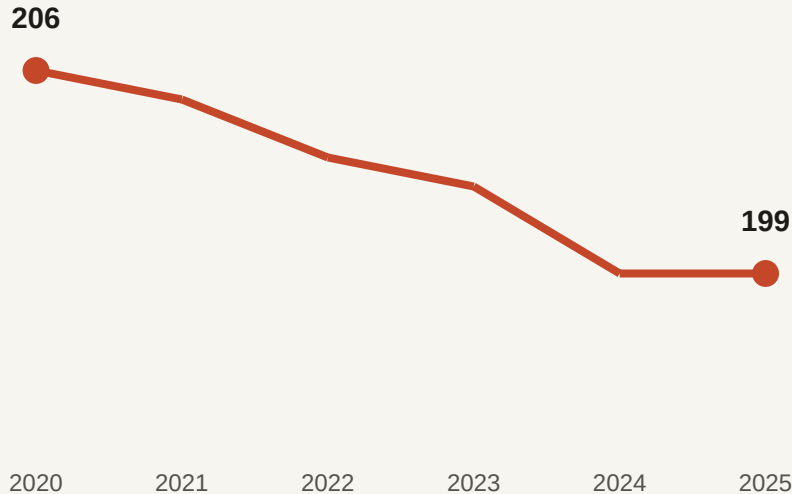
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POPULATION

Down 3.4% since 2020.

199

people, the 1106th-largest of Illinois's cities and towns.



THE WORKDAY

Every job here goes to
someone who lives
somewhere else.

100.0%

of 16 jobs located in Palmer are filled by in-commuters.



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

RENT

**Median rent is up 56%
since the 2005–2009
survey, before inflation.**

\$740

a month. Illinois's median is \$1,274.



THE SEAM

Cross one tract line and median rent jumps \$182.

A \$182 gap between neighbors, the sharpest rent edge between adjacent tracts in Christian County.

TRACT 9590

\$759

TRACT 9582

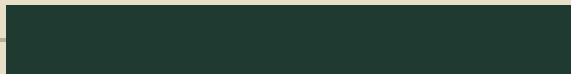
\$941



ROOM TO BUILD

The median rent is above what local wages can carry.

\$375–\$563



\$740 median

is the monthly rent range local workforce wages support.

BUILDING

Most of the housing here is older than 2000.

0

homes permitted, 2022–2025

98%

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 69%
less than Illinois's.

\$82,900

median home value in Palmer.

Palmer



\$82,900

Illinois



\$263,300

U.S.



\$332,700

THAT WAS PALMER'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/il/palmer/

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