



Dalton, Minnesota.

Current market data.

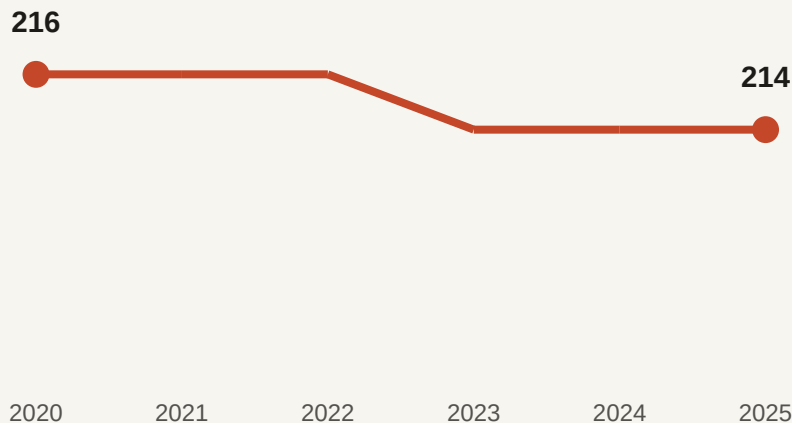
10 cards. Every number sourced and dated. Data as of Oct 30, 2026.

POPULATION

**Steady. Within 1% of 2020,
every year since.**

214

people, the 643rd-largest of Minnesota's cities and towns.



THE WORKDAY

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

92.1%

of 38 jobs located in Dalton are filled by in-commuters.



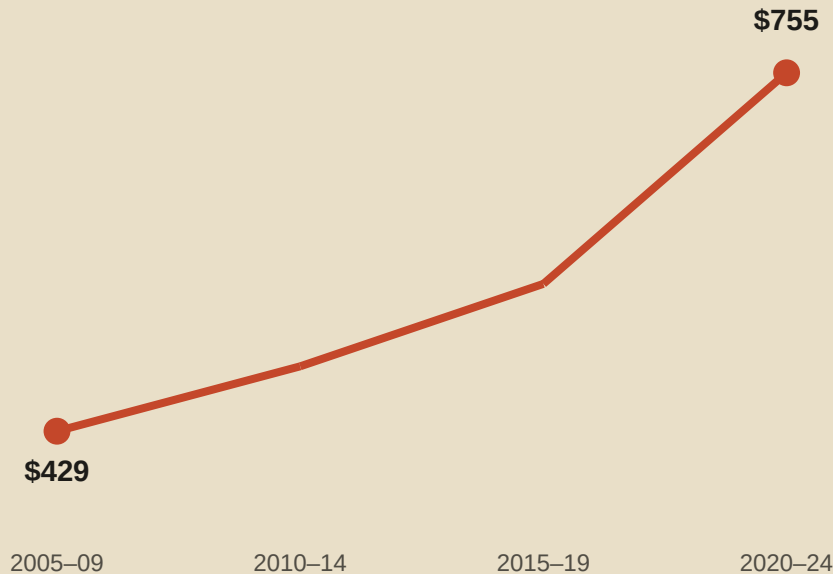
Each dot is 1% of jobs. Filled: held by in-commuters.

RENT

Median rent is up 76%
since the 2005–2009
survey, before inflation.

\$755

a month. Minnesota's median is \$1,280.





THE SEAM

Cross one tract line and median rent jumps \$394.

A \$394 gap between neighbors, the sharpest rent edge between adjacent tracts in Otter Tail County.

TRACT 9606

\$747

TRACT 9604

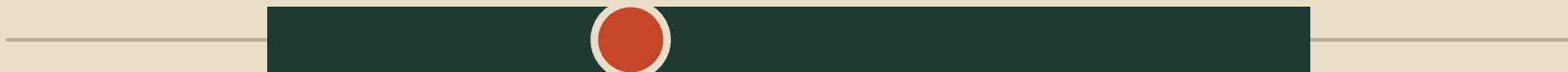
\$1,141



ROOM TO BUILD

The median rent sits inside what local wages can carry.

\$643–\$964



\$755 median

is the monthly rent range local workforce wages support.



BUILDING

Most of the housing here is older than 2000.

100%

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 68%
less than Minnesota's.

\$106,800

median home value in Dalton.

Dalton



\$106,800

Minnesota



\$329,300

U.S.



\$332,700

THAT WAS DALTON'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/mn/dalton/**](https://almanacdata.ai/e/mn/dalton/)

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