



Wood Lake, Minnesota.

Current market data.

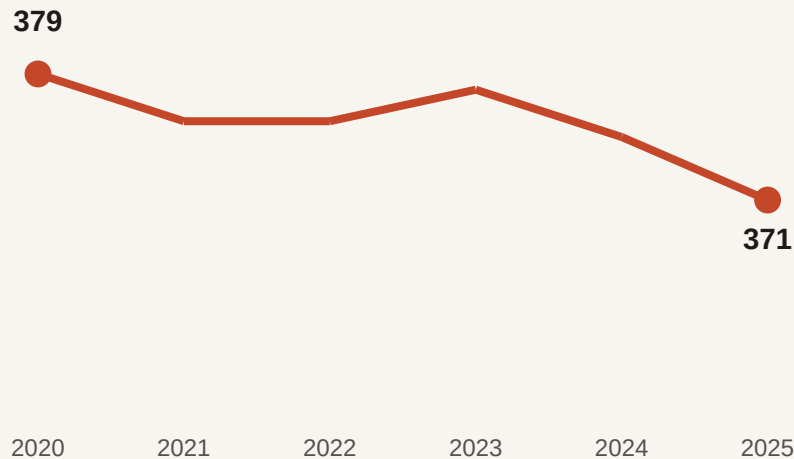
10 cards. Every number sourced and dated. Data as of Oct 30, 2026.

POPULATION

Down 2.1% since 2020.

371

people, the 554th-largest of Minnesota's cities and towns.



THE WORKDAY

Nearly every job here goes
to someone who lives
somewhere else.

96.0%

of 50 jobs located in Wood Lake are filled by in-commuters.



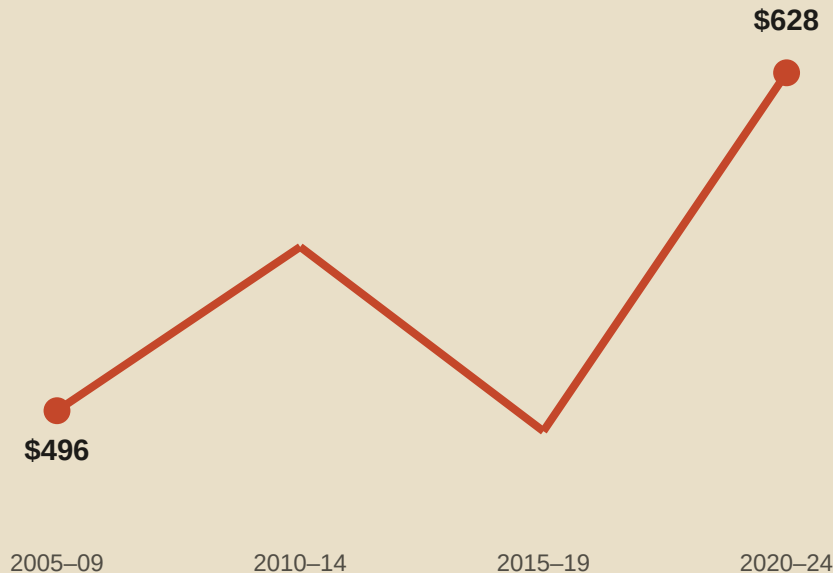
Each dot is 1% of jobs. Filled: held by in-commuters.

RENT

Median rent is up 27%
since the 2005–2009
survey, before inflation.

\$628

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





THE SEAM

Cross one tract line and median rent jumps \$299.

A \$299 gap between neighbors, the sharpest rent edge between adjacent tracts in Yellow Medicine County.

TRACT 9704

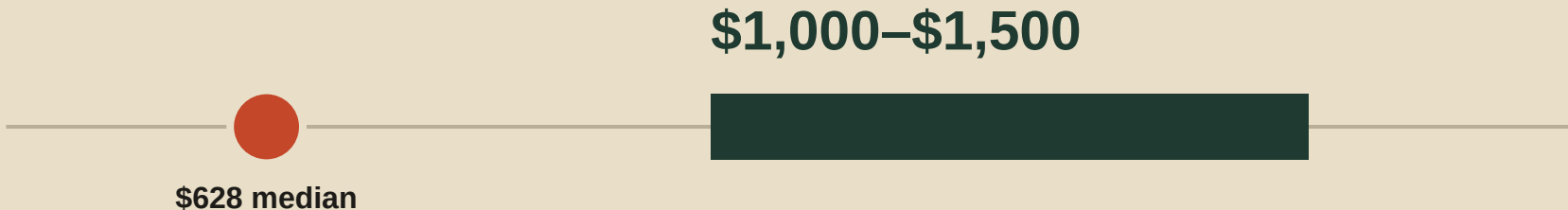
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ROOM TO BUILD

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.

0

homes permitted in ten years, 2016–2025

97%

of all homes were built before 2000

UNITS NEEDED

Closing the gap would add 0–0.6% to the 176 homes here.

0–1

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 Minnesota's.

\$91,700

median home value in Wood Lake.

Wood Lake



\$91,700

Minnesota



\$329,300

U.S.



\$332,700

THAT WAS WOOD LAKE'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/wood-lake/**](https://almanacdata.ai/e/mn/wood-lake/)

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