Elko, Nevada.

Current market data.

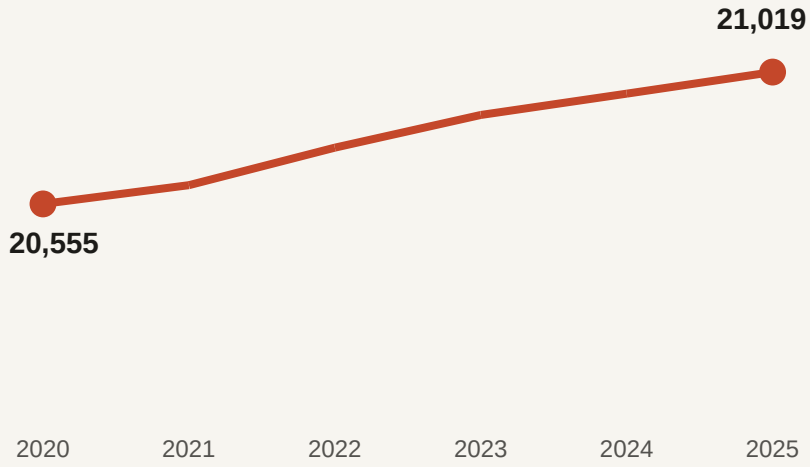
10 cards. Every number sourced and dated. Data as of Oct 30, 2026.

POPULATION

Growing. Up 2.3% since 2020.

21,019

people, the 9th-largest of Nevada's cities and towns.



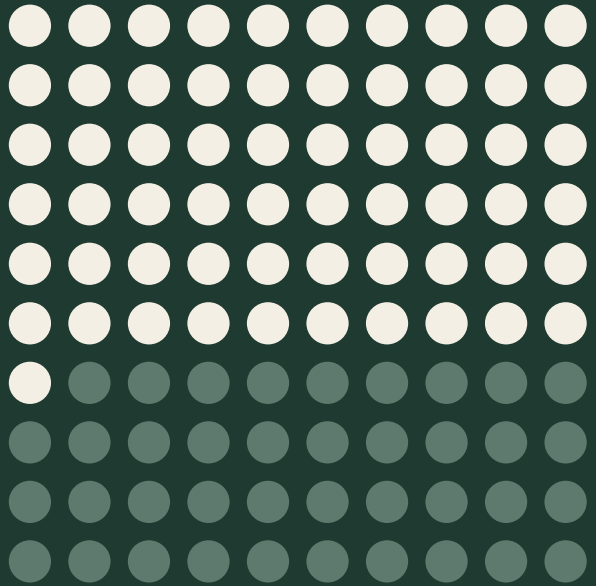
Source: Census Population Estimates, 2025

THE WORKDAY

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

61.5%

of 14,960 jobs located in Elko are filled by in-commuters.



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

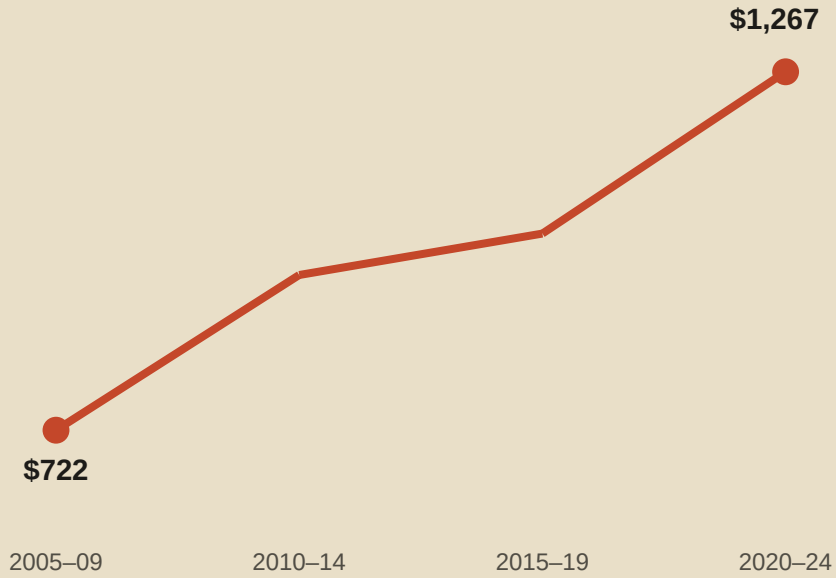
Source: Census LEHD LODES, 2023

RENT

Median rent is up 75% since the 2005–2009 survey, before inflation.

$1,267

a month. Nevada's median is $1,597.

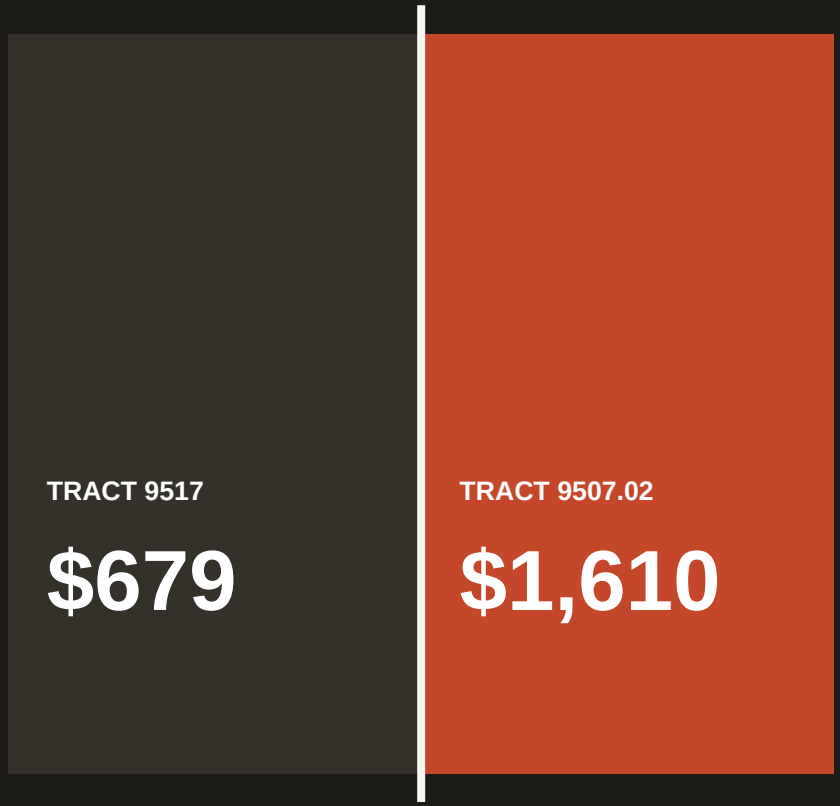


Source: Census ACS 5-year, 2020-2024

THE SEAM

Cross one tract line and median rent doubles.

A $931 gap between neighbors, the sharpest rent edge between adjacent tracts in Elko County.



Source: Census ACS 5-year, 2020-2024

ROOM TO BUILD

The median rent sits inside what local wages can carry.

is the monthly rent range local workforce wages support.

Source: Computed by the Almanac, 2023; Census ACS 5-year, 2020-2024

BUILDING

74% of the housing here was built before 2000.

592

homes permitted in ten years, 2016–2025

1%

of those were in multifamily buildings

74%

of all homes were built before 2000

Source: Census Building Permits Survey, 2016-2025; Census ACS 5-year, 2020-2024

UNITS NEEDED

Closing the gap would add 0.4–1.7% to the 8,589 homes here.

33–150

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

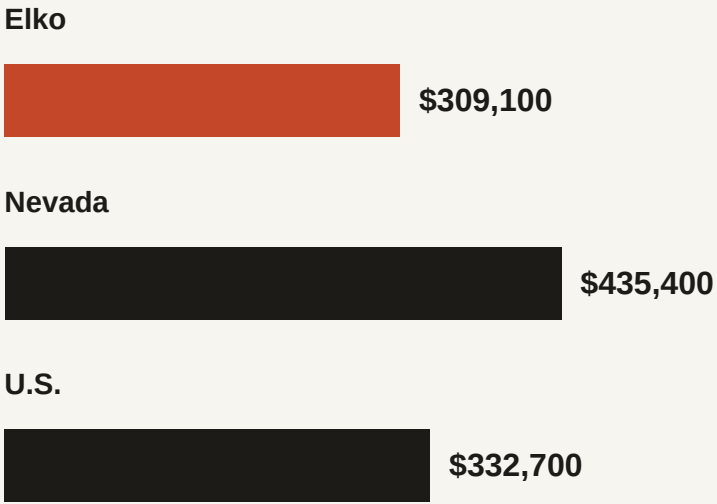
Source: Computed by the Almanac, 2023

HOME VALUE

A median home costs 29% less than Nevada's.

$309,100

median home value in Elko.



Source: Census ACS 5-year, 2020-2024

THAT WAS ELKO'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/nv/elko/**