



De Smet, South Dakota.

Current market data.

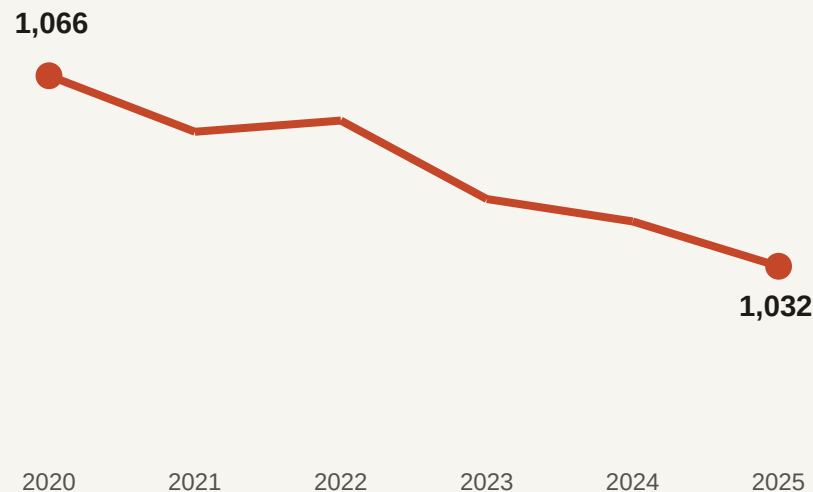
10 cards. Every number sourced and dated. Data as of Oct 30, 2026.

POPULATION

Down 3.2% since 2020.

1,032

people, the 64th-largest of South Dakota's cities and towns.

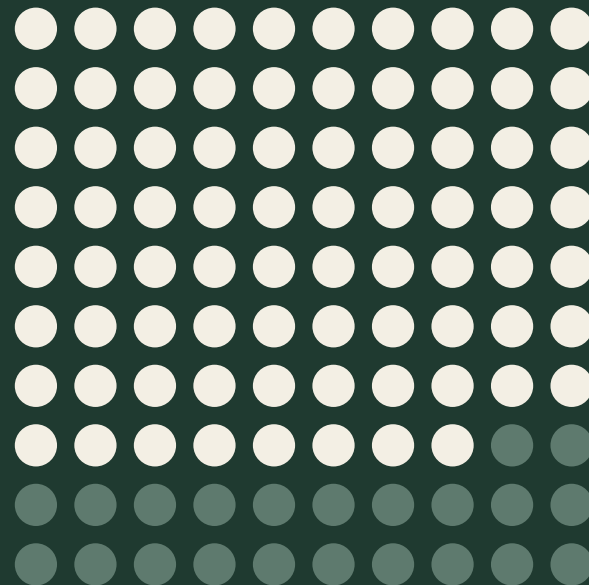


THE WORKDAY

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

78.1%

of 698 jobs located in De Smet are filled by in-commuters.



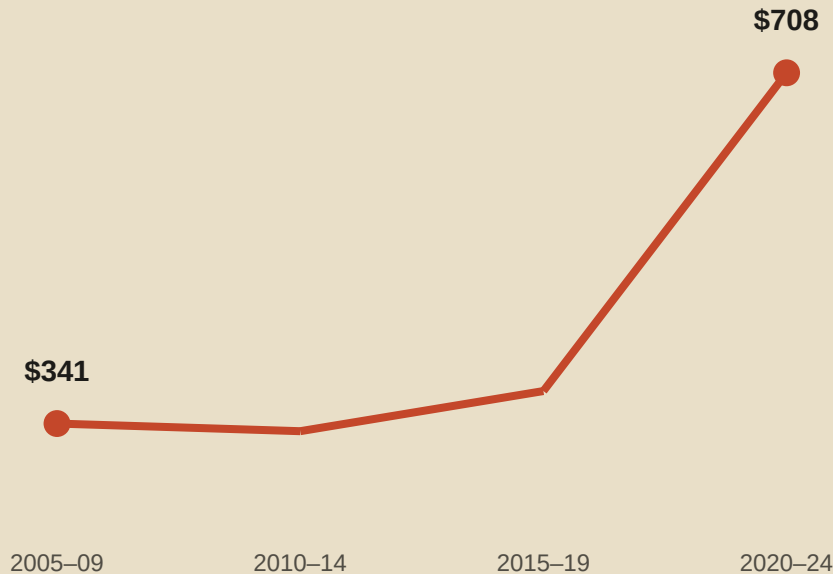
Each dot is 1% of jobs. Filled: held by in-commuters.

RENT

Median rent is up 108%
since the 2005–2009
survey, before inflation.

\$708

a month. South Dakota's median is \$946.



THE SEAM

Cross one tract line and median rent jumps \$55.

A \$55 gap between neighbors, the sharpest rent edge between adjacent tracts in Kingsbury County.

TRACT 9581

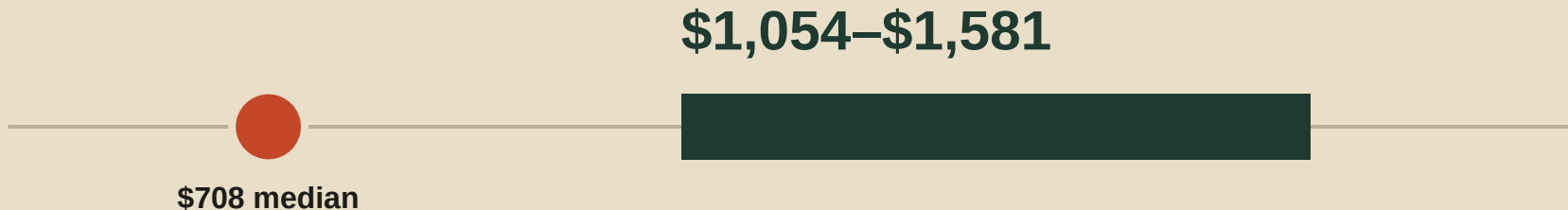
\$670

TRACT 9582

\$725

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, 2022–2025

85%

of all homes were built before 2000

UNITS NEEDED

Closing the gap would add 0–1% to the 468 homes here.

0–7

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



HOME VALUE

A median home costs 36% less than South Dakota's.

\$165,200

median home value in De Smet.

De Smet



\$165,200

South Dakota



\$257,400

U.S.



\$332,700

THAT WAS DE SMET'S 2026

Every number came from a public source, with its date.

New Census data usually lands in December. The next Edition follows it.

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