Bastrop, Texas.

Current market data.

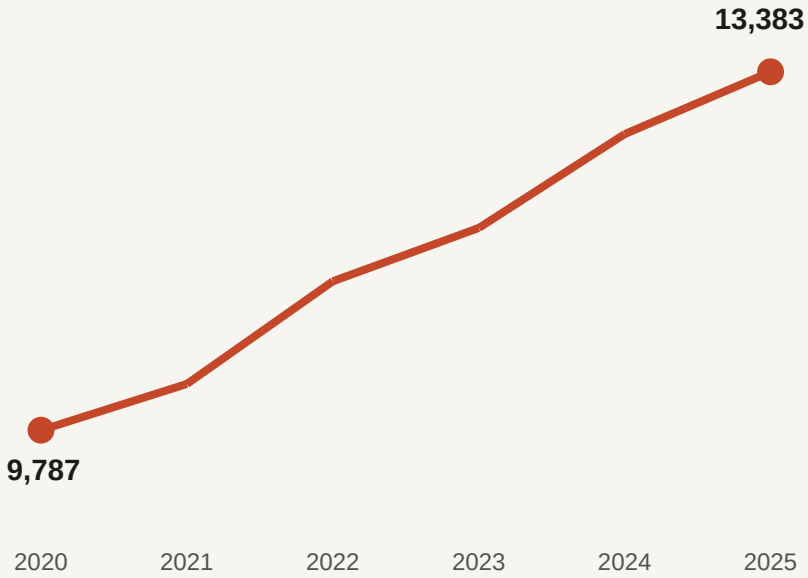
10 cards. Every number sourced and dated. Data as of Oct 30, 2026.

POPULATION

Growing. Up 36.7% since 2020.

13,383

people, the 211th-largest of Texas's cities and towns.



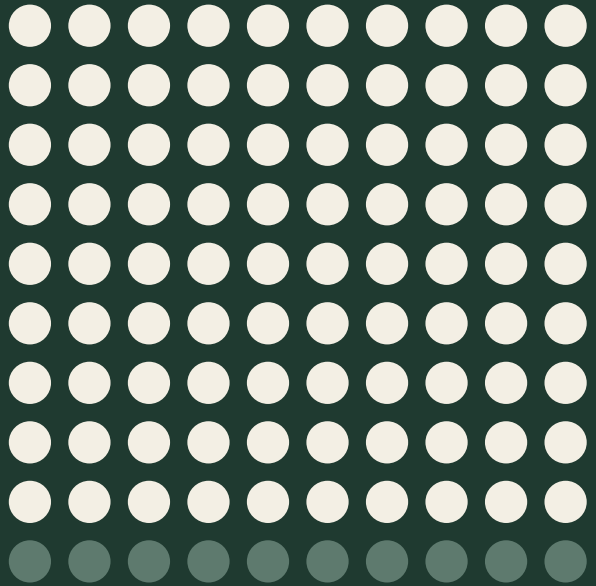
Source: Census Population Estimates, 2025

THE WORKDAY

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

90.2%

of 8,611 jobs located in Bastrop are filled by in-commuters.



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

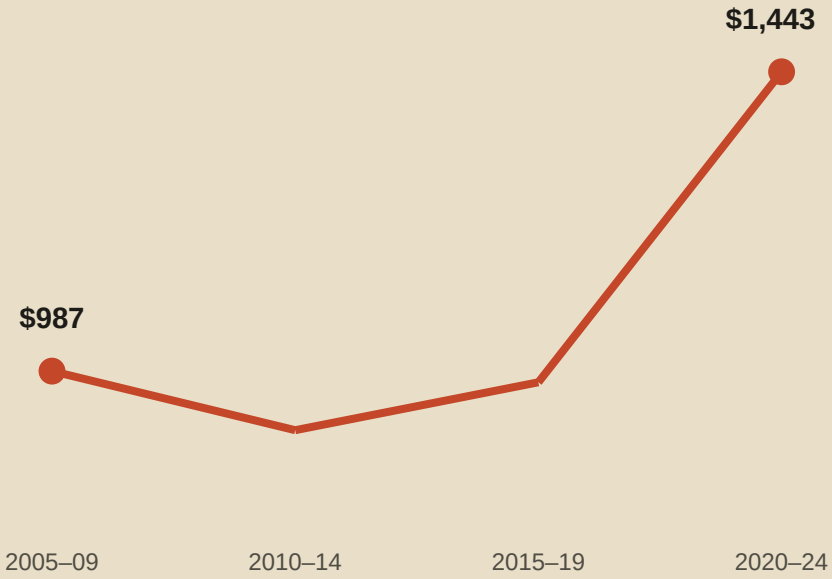
Source: Census LEHD LODES, 2023

RENT

Median rent is up 46% since the 2005–2009 survey, before inflation.

$1,443

a month. Texas's median is $1,403.

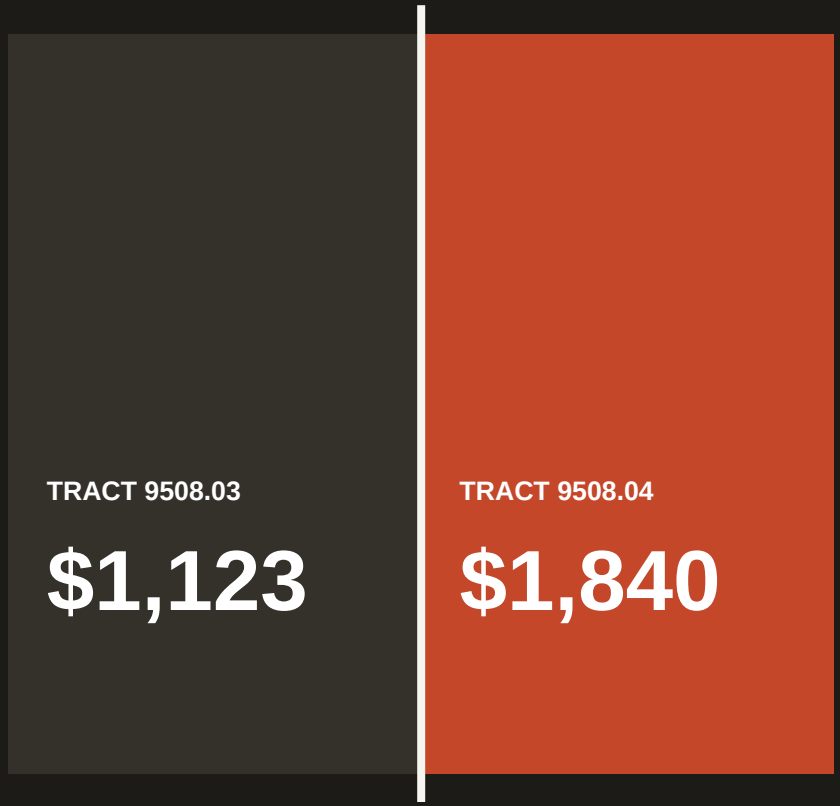


Source: Census ACS 5-year, 2020-2024

THE SEAM

Cross one tract line and median rent jumps $717.

A $717 gap between neighbors, the sharpest rent edge between adjacent tracts in Bastrop 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

50% of the housing here was built before 2000.

2,393

homes permitted in ten years, 2016–2025

27%

of those were in multifamily buildings

50%

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 0.5–1.7% to the 5,100 homes here.

24–86

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

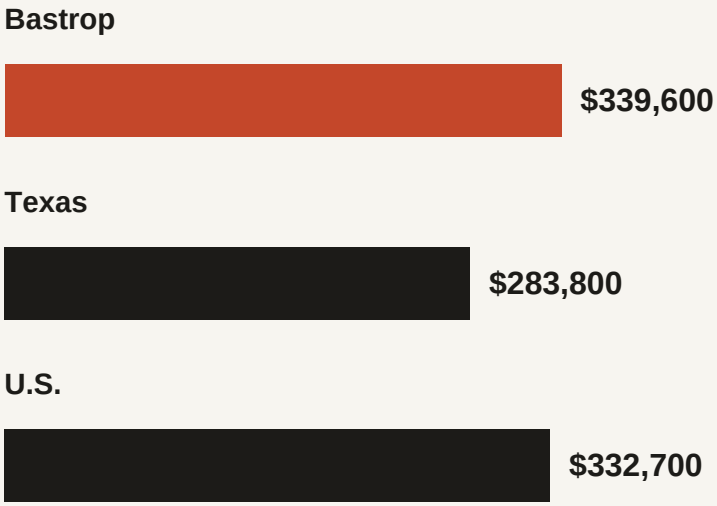
Source: Computed by the Almanac, 2023

HOME VALUE

A median home costs 20% more than Texas's.

$339,600

median home value in Bastrop.



Source: Census ACS 5-year, 2020-2024

THAT WAS BASTROP'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/tx/bastrop/**