



Center, Texas.

Current market data.

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

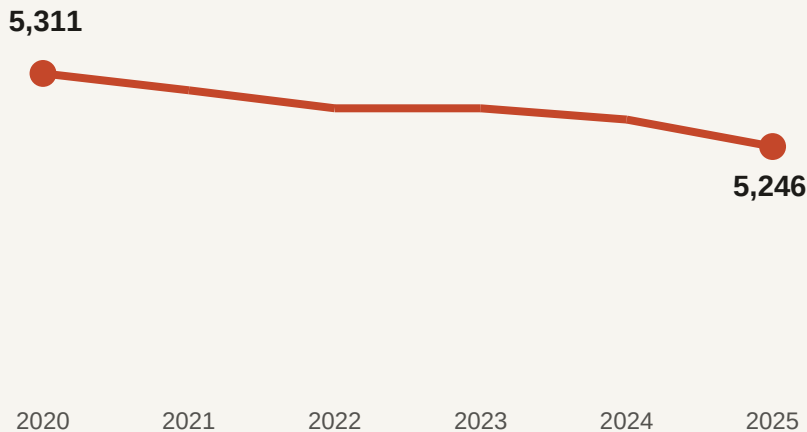


POPULATION

Down 1.2% since 2020.

5,246

people, the 381st-largest of Texas's cities and towns.

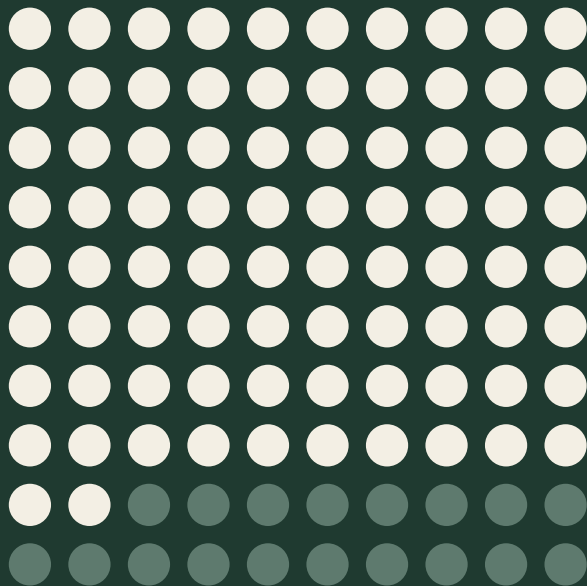


THE WORKDAY

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

81.9%

of 6,125 jobs located in Center are filled by in-commuters.



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

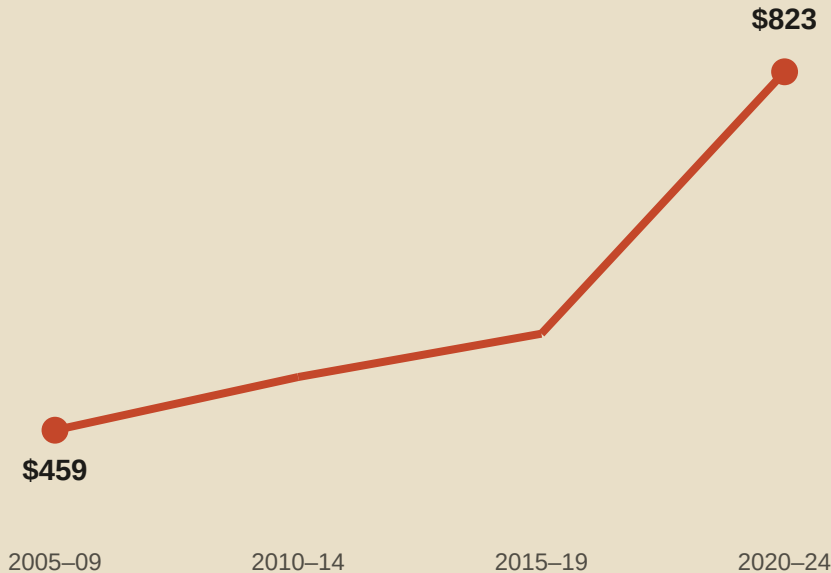


RENT

Median rent is up 79%
since the 2005–2009
survey, before inflation.

\$823

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





THE SEAM

Cross one tract line and median rent jumps \$460.

A \$460 gap between neighbors, the sharpest rent edge between adjacent tracts in Shelby County.

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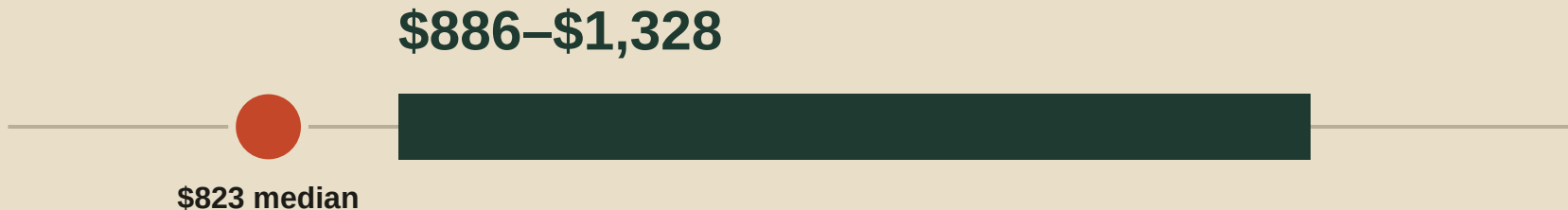
\$652

TRACT 9505

\$1,112

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.

9

homes permitted, 2022–2025

0%

of those were in multifamily
buildings

79%

of all homes were built before 2000

UNITS NEEDED

Closing the gap would add 0.4–2.7% to the 2,262 homes here.

9–61

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



HOME VALUE

A median home costs 71% less than Texas's.

\$83,300

median home value in Center.

Center



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THAT WAS CENTER'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/center/

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