Ridgefield, Washington.

Current market data.

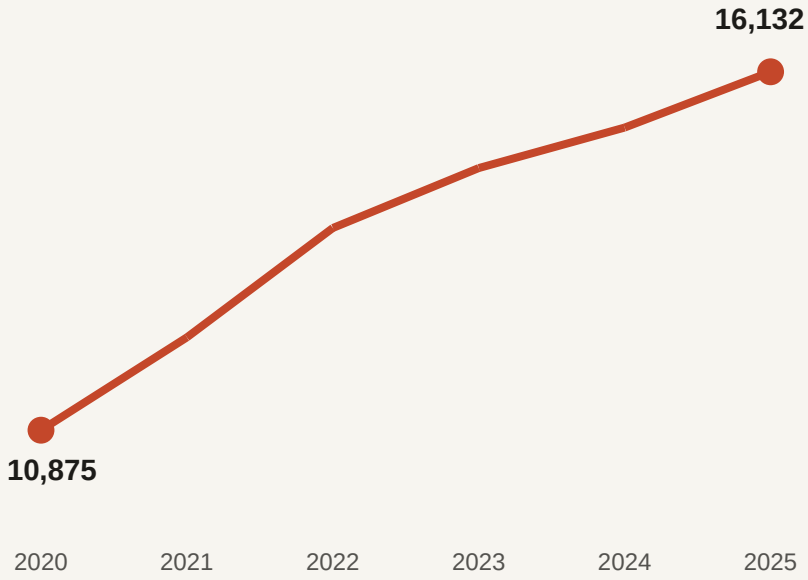
10 cards. Every number sourced and dated. Data as of Oct 30, 2026.

POPULATION

Growing. Up 48.3% since 2020.

16,132

people, the 69th-largest of Washington's cities and towns.



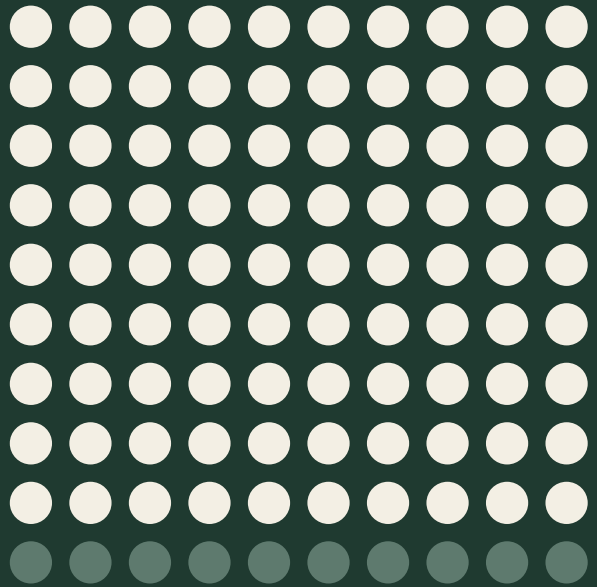
Source: Census Population Estimates, 2025

THE WORKDAY

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

90.1%

of 4,361 jobs located in Ridgefield are filled by in-commuters.



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

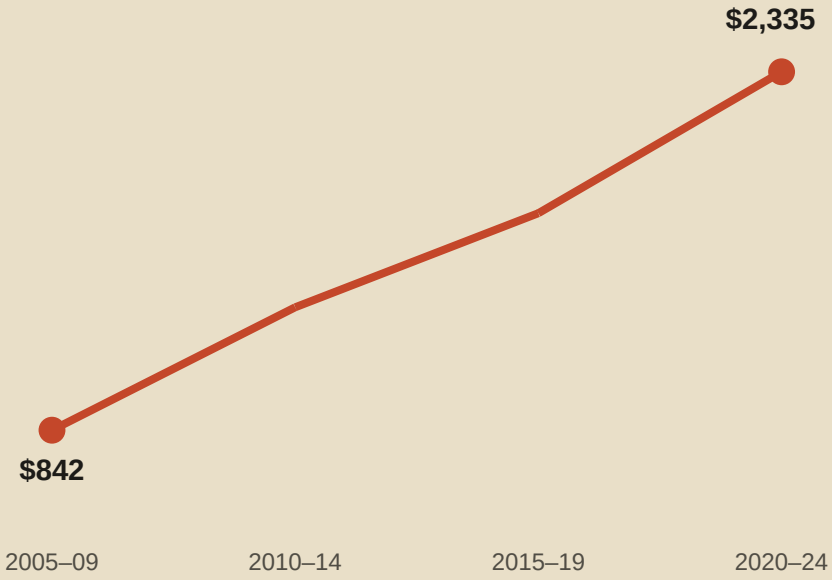
Source: Census LEHD LODES, 2023

RENT

Median rent is up 177% since the 2005–2009 survey, before inflation.

$2,335

a month. Washington's median is $1,760.

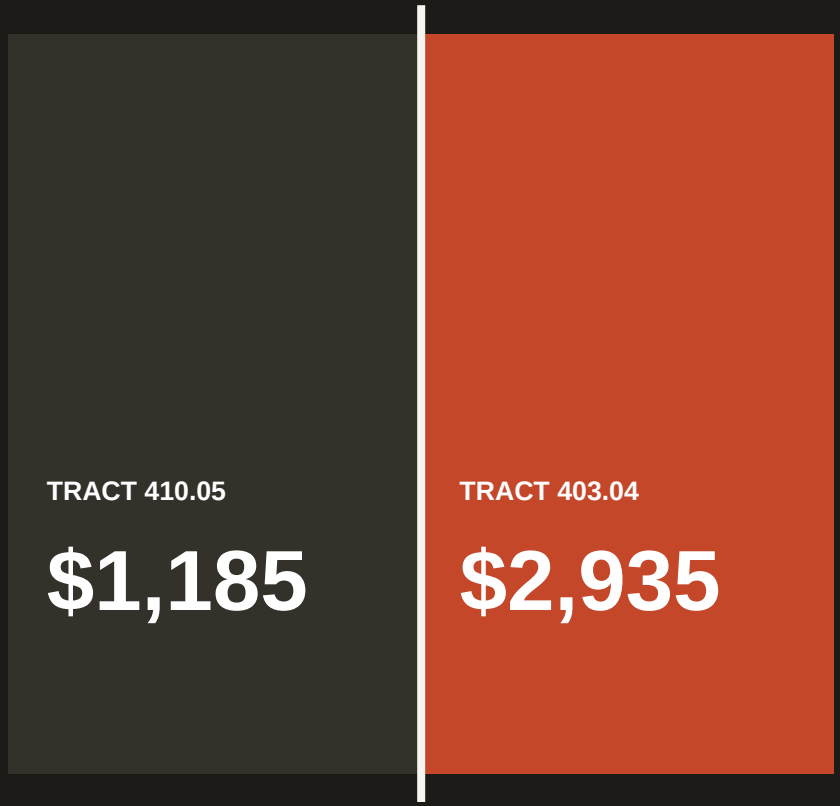


Source: Census ACS 5-year, 2020-2024

THE SEAM

Cross one tract line and median rent doubles.

A $1,750 gap between neighbors, the sharpest rent edge between adjacent tracts in Clark County.



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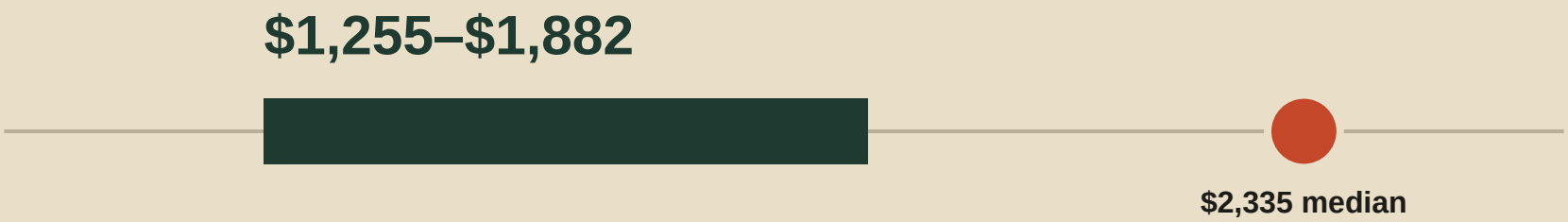
ROOM TO BUILD

The median rent is above 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

20% of the housing here was built before 2000.

4,396

homes permitted in ten years, 2016–2025

18%

of those were in multifamily buildings

20%

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 0.3–0.9% to the 4,722 homes here.

12–44

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

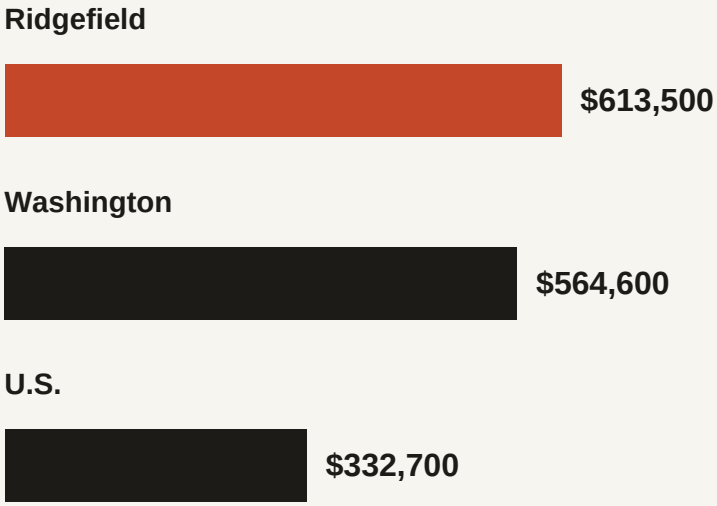
Source: Computed by the Almanac, 2023

HOME VALUE

A median home costs 9% more than Washington's.

$613,500

median home value in Ridgefield.



Source: Census ACS 5-year, 2020-2024

THAT WAS RIDGEFIELD'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/wa/ridgefield/**