ZIP 56518, Bluffton, Minnesota.

Current market data.

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

POPULATION

494 people call ZIP 56518 home.

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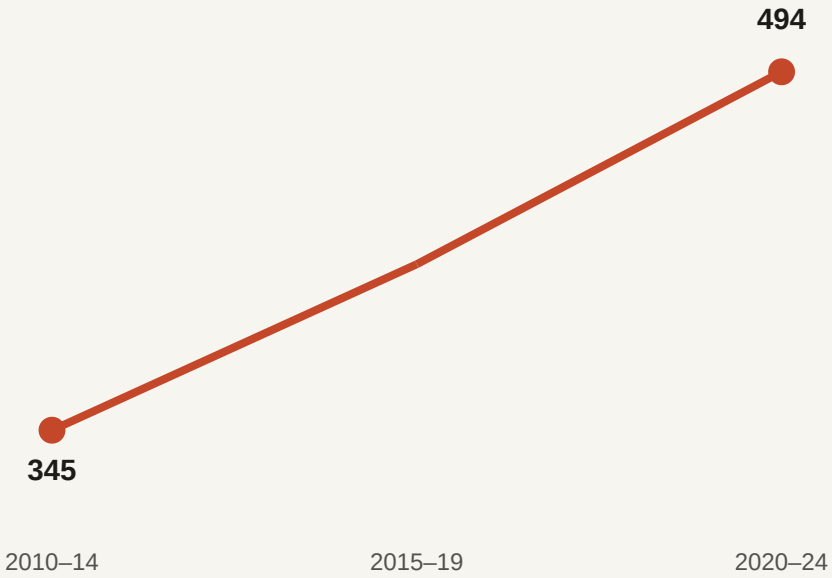
people.



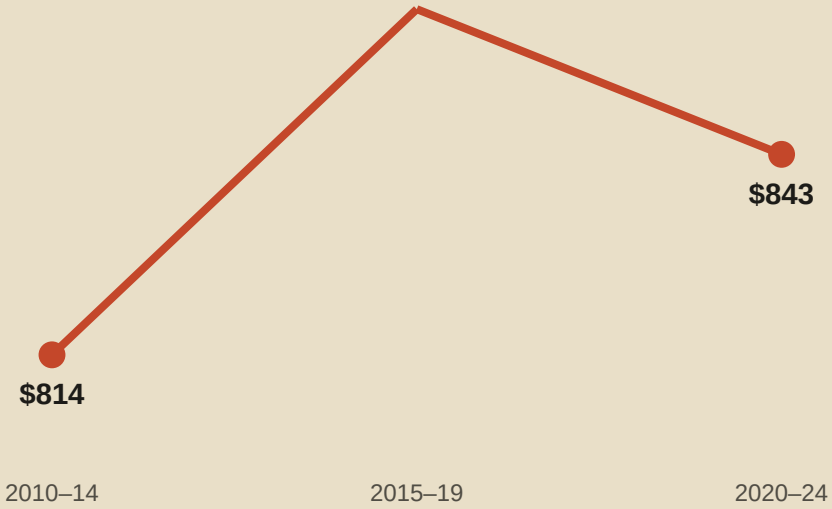
Source: Census ACS 5-year, 2020-2024

RENT

Median rent is up 4% since the 2010–2014 survey, before inflation.

$843

a month. Minnesota's median is $1,280.



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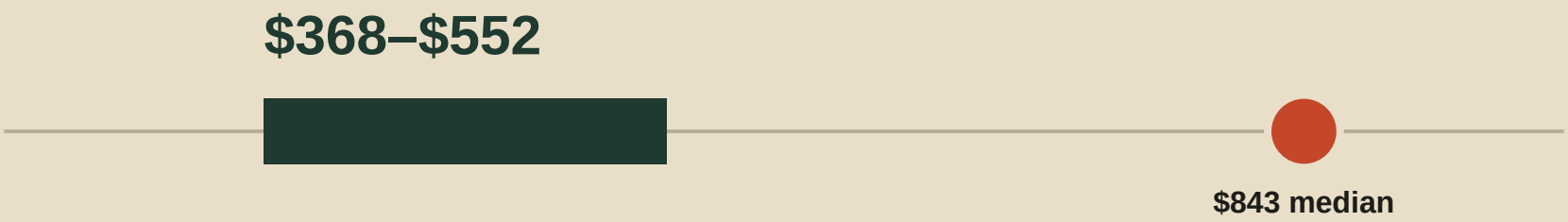
ROOM TO BUILD

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

72% of the housing here was built before 2000.

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of all homes were built before 2000

Source: Census ACS 5-year, 2020-2024

UNITS NEEDED

Closing the gap would add 0–0.6% to the 179 homes here.

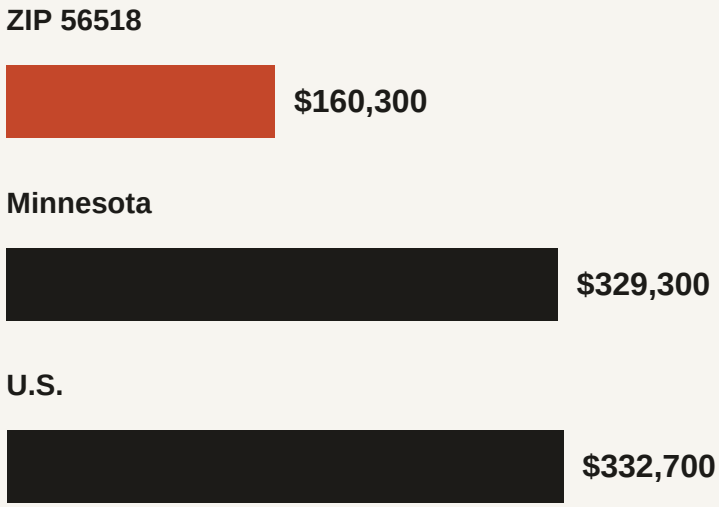
0–1

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 51% less than Minnesota's.



$160,300

median home value in ZIP 56518.

Source: Census ACS 5-year, 2020-2024

THAT WAS ZIP 56518'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/zip/56518/**