

Ohio County Profiles

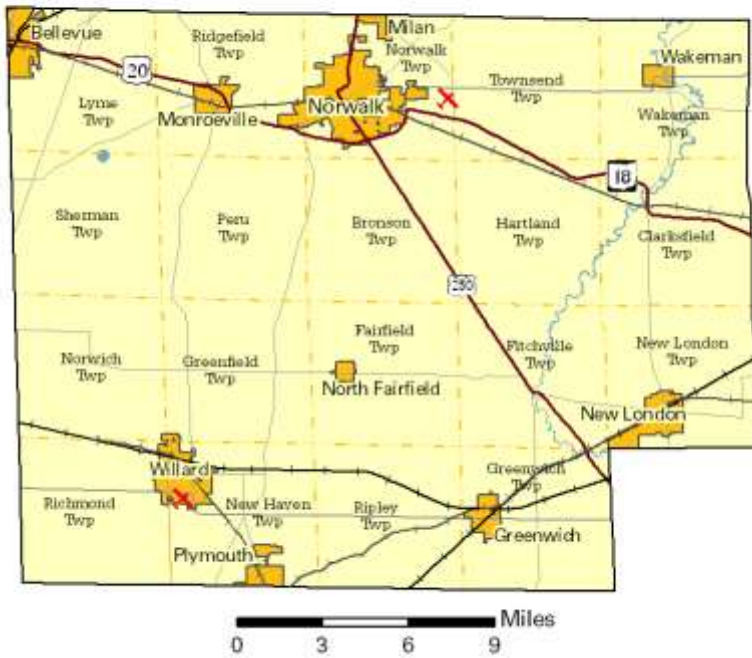


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2020 Edition

Huron County

Established: Act - March 7, 1809
 2019 Population: 58,266
 Land Area: 493.1 square miles
 County Seat: Norwalk City
 Named for: Huron Native American Tribe



Taxes

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|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| Taxable value of real property | \$1,117,711,430 |
| Residential | \$736,910,820 |
| Agriculture | \$224,091,120 |
| Industrial | \$36,848,950 |
| Commercial | \$119,437,450 |
| Mineral | \$423,090 |
| Ohio income tax liability | \$26,300,348 |
| Average per return | \$925.74 |

Land Use/Land Cover

| | Percent |
|---|---------|
| Developed, Lower Intensity | 6.83% |
| Developed, Higher Intensity | 1.14% |
| Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.) | 0.14% |
| Forest | 16.72% |
| Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands | 0.18% |
| Pasture/Hay | 5.89% |
| Cultivated Crops | 66.53% |
| Wetlands | 1.98% |
| Open Water | 0.60% |

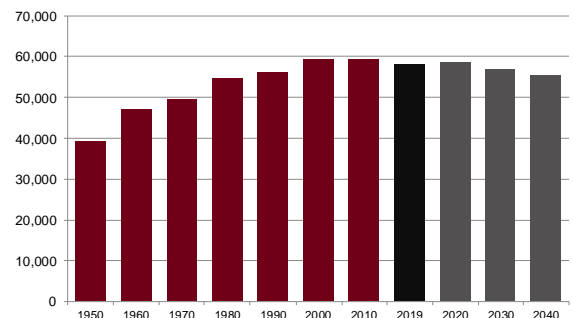
Largest Places

| | Est. 2019 | Census 2010 |
|---------------------|-----------|-------------|
| Norwalk city | 16,867 | 17,012 |
| Willard city | 6,016 | 6,236 |
| Bellevue city (pt.) | 3,512 | 3,673 |
| Norwalk twp UB | 3,031 | 3,228 |
| New London vlg | 2,358 | 2,461 |
| Bronson twp | 1,984 | 1,973 |
| New Haven twp UB | 1,666 | 1,712 |
| Wakeman twp UB | 1,645 | 1,684 |
| Clarksfield twp | 1,593 | 1,625 |
| Townsend twp | 1,576 | 1,623 |

UB: Unincorporated balance.

Total Population

| Census | | | Estimated | |
|--------|--------|------|-----------|--------|
| 1800 | | 1910 | 2014 | 58,610 |
| 1810 | | 1920 | 2015 | 58,307 |
| 1820 | 6,675 | 1930 | 2016 | 58,367 |
| 1830 | 13,341 | 1940 | 2017 | 58,393 |
| 1840 | 23,933 | 1950 | 2018 | 58,364 |
| 1850 | 26,203 | 1960 | 2019 | 58,266 |
| 1860 | 29,616 | 1970 | | |
| 1870 | 28,532 | 1980 | | |
| 1880 | 31,609 | 1990 | 2020 | 58,740 |
| 1890 | 31,949 | 2000 | 2030 | 56,950 |
| 1900 | 32,330 | 2010 | 2040 | 55,500 |



| Population by Race | Number | Percent |
|-------------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| ACS Total Population | 58,457 | 100.0% |
| White | 55,328 | 94.6% |
| African-American | 847 | 1.4% |
| Native American | 94 | 0.2% |
| Asian | 122 | 0.2% |
| Pacific Islander | 3 | 0.0% |
| Other | 957 | 1.6% |
| Two or More Races | 1,106 | 1.9% |
| Hispanic (may be of any race) | 3,764 | 6.4% |
| Total Minority | 5,711 | 9.8% |

| Educational Attainment | Number | Percent |
|---------------------------|--------|---------|
| Persons 25 years and over | 39,362 | 100.0% |
| No high school diploma | 4,628 | 11.8% |
| High school graduate | 18,335 | 46.6% |
| Some college, no degree | 7,511 | 19.1% |
| Associate degree | 3,534 | 9.0% |
| Bachelor's degree | 3,507 | 8.9% |
| Master's degree or higher | 1,847 | 4.7% |

| Family Type by Employment Status | Number | Percent |
|---|--------|---------|
| Total Families | 15,361 | 100.0% |
| Married couple, husband and wife in labor force | 5,785 | 37.7% |
| Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not | 2,211 | 14.4% |
| Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not | 1,106 | 7.2% |
| Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force | 2,382 | 15.5% |
| Male householder, in labor force | 795 | 5.2% |
| Male householder, not in labor force | 224 | 1.5% |
| Female householder, in labor force | 1,793 | 11.7% |
| Female householder, not in labor force | 1,065 | 6.9% |

| Household Income | Number | Percent |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|---------|
| Total Households | 22,860 | 100.0% |
| Less than \$10,000 | 1,329 | 5.8% |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 2,121 | 9.3% |
| \$20,000 to \$29,999 | 2,656 | 11.6% |
| \$30,000 to \$39,999 | 2,515 | 11.0% |
| \$40,000 to \$49,999 | 2,438 | 10.7% |
| \$50,000 to \$59,999 | 2,079 | 9.1% |
| \$60,000 to \$74,999 | 2,791 | 12.2% |
| \$75,000 to \$99,999 | 2,966 | 13.0% |
| \$100,000 to \$149,999 | 2,802 | 12.3% |
| \$150,000 to \$199,999 | 730 | 3.2% |
| \$200,000 or more | 433 | 1.9% |
| Median household income | \$51,559 | |

| Population by Age | Number | Percent |
|----------------------|-------------|---------|
| ACS Total Population | 58,457 | 100.0% |
| Under 5 years | 3,651 | 6.2% |
| 5 to 17 years | 10,626 | 18.2% |
| 18 to 24 years | 4,818 | 8.2% |
| 25 to 44 years | 13,815 | 23.6% |
| 45 to 64 years | 16,011 | 27.4% |
| 65 years and more | 9,536 | 16.3% |
| Median Age | 39.6 | |

| Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18 | Number | Percent |
|---|--------|---------|
| Total Families | 15,377 | 100.0% |
| Married-couple families with own children | 4,114 | 26.8% |
| Male householder, no wife present, with own children | 553 | 3.6% |
| Female householder, no husband present, with own children | 1,639 | 10.7% |
| Families with no own children | 9,071 | 59.0% |

| Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children | Number | Percent |
|---|--------|---------|
| Total Families | 15,377 | 100.0% |
| Family income above poverty level | 13,804 | 89.8% |
| Family income below poverty level | 1,573 | 10.2% |
| Married couple, with related children | 310 | 19.7% |
| Male householder, no wife present, with related children | 101 | 6.4% |
| Female householder, no husband present, with related children | 894 | 56.8% |
| Families with no related children | 268 | 17.0% |

| Ratio of Income To Poverty Level | Number | Percent |
|--|--------|---------|
| Population for whom poverty status is determined | 57,733 | 100.0% |
| Below 50% of poverty level | 3,437 | 6.0% |
| 50% to 99% of poverty level | 4,408 | 7.6% |
| 100% to 124% of poverty level | 3,074 | 5.3% |
| 125% to 149% of poverty level | 3,228 | 5.6% |
| 150% to 184% of poverty level | 4,425 | 7.7% |
| 185% to 199% of poverty level | 1,346 | 2.3% |
| 200% of poverty level or more | 37,815 | 65.5% |

| Geographical Mobility | Number | Percent |
|----------------------------------|--------|---------|
| Population aged 1 year and older | 57,790 | 100.0% |
| Same house as previous year | 50,502 | 87.4% |
| Different house, same county | 4,163 | 7.2% |
| Different county, same state | 2,075 | 3.6% |
| Different state | 1,009 | 1.7% |
| Abroad | 41 | 0.1% |

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

| Travel Time To Work | Number | Percent |
|---------------------------|--------|---------|
| Workers 16 years and over | 26,179 | 100.0% |
| Less than 15 minutes | 9,881 | 37.7% |
| 15 to 29 minutes | 8,268 | 31.6% |
| 30 to 44 minutes | 5,001 | 19.1% |
| 45 to 59 minutes | 1,681 | 6.4% |
| 60 minutes or more | 1,348 | 5.1% |

Mean travel time 22.8 minutes

| Housing Units | Number | Percent |
|------------------------|--------|---------|
| Total housing units | 25,247 | 100.0% |
| Occupied housing units | 22,860 | 90.5% |
| Owner occupied | 16,066 | 70.3% |
| Renter occupied | 6,794 | 29.7% |
| Vacant housing units | 2,387 | 9.5% |

| Year Structure Built | Number | Percent |
|-----------------------|--------|---------|
| Total housing units | 25,247 | 100.0% |
| Built 2014 or later | 139 | 0.6% |
| Built 2010 to 2013 | 198 | 0.8% |
| Built 2000 to 2009 | 2,331 | 9.2% |
| Built 1990 to 1999 | 3,189 | 12.6% |
| Built 1980 to 1989 | 2,217 | 8.8% |
| Built 1970 to 1979 | 3,626 | 14.4% |
| Built 1960 to 1969 | 2,584 | 10.2% |
| Built 1950 to 1959 | 2,489 | 9.9% |
| Built 1940 to 1949 | 1,344 | 5.3% |
| Built 1939 or earlier | 7,130 | 28.2% |

Median year built 1966

| Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units | Number | Percent |
|--|--------|---------|
| Specified owner-occupied housing units | 16,066 | 100.0% |
| Less than \$20,000 | 863 | 5.4% |
| \$20,000 to \$39,999 | 314 | 2.0% |
| \$40,000 to \$59,999 | 567 | 3.5% |
| \$60,000 to \$79,999 | 1,698 | 10.6% |
| \$80,000 to \$99,999 | 2,483 | 15.5% |
| \$100,000 to \$124,999 | 2,535 | 15.8% |
| \$125,000 to \$149,999 | 1,880 | 11.7% |
| \$150,000 to \$199,999 | 2,795 | 17.4% |
| \$200,000 to \$299,999 | 2,024 | 12.6% |
| \$300,000 to \$499,999 | 596 | 3.7% |
| \$500,000 to \$999,999 | 239 | 1.5% |
| \$1,000,000 or more | 72 | 0.4% |

Median value \$120,800

| House Heating Fuel | Number | Percent |
|----------------------------|--------|---------|
| Occupied housing units | 22,860 | 100.0% |
| Utility gas | 11,216 | 49.1% |
| Bottled, tank or LP gas | 3,262 | 14.3% |
| Electricity | 5,790 | 25.3% |
| Fuel oil, kerosene, etc | 678 | 3.0% |
| Coal, coke or wood | 1,419 | 6.2% |
| Solar energy or other fuel | 432 | 1.9% |
| No fuel used | 63 | 0.3% |

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

| Gross Rent | Number | Percent |
|---|--------|---------|
| Specified renter-occupied housing units | 6,794 | 100.0% |
| Less than \$100 | 0 | 0.0% |
| \$100 to \$199 | 132 | 1.9% |
| \$200 to \$299 | 190 | 2.8% |
| \$300 to \$399 | 294 | 4.3% |
| \$400 to \$499 | 687 | 10.1% |
| \$500 to \$599 | 1,016 | 15.0% |
| \$600 to \$699 | 996 | 14.7% |
| \$700 to \$799 | 1,033 | 15.2% |
| \$800 to \$899 | 792 | 11.7% |
| \$900 to \$999 | 465 | 6.8% |
| \$1,000 to \$1,499 | 696 | 10.2% |
| \$1,500 or more | 54 | 0.8% |
| No cash rent | 439 | 6.5% |

Median gross rent \$685

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 25.9

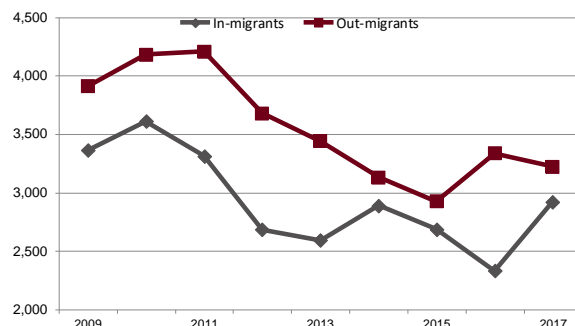
| Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units | Number | Percent |
|---|--------|---------|
| Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage | 9,593 | 100.0% |
| Less than \$400 | 62 | 0.6% |
| \$400 to \$599 | 528 | 5.5% |
| \$600 to \$799 | 1,232 | 12.8% |
| \$800 to \$999 | 2,194 | 22.9% |
| \$1,000 to \$1,249 | 2,174 | 22.7% |
| \$1,250 to \$1,499 | 1,403 | 14.6% |
| \$1,500 to \$1,999 | 1,379 | 14.4% |
| \$2,000 to \$2,999 | 455 | 4.7% |
| \$3,000 or more | 166 | 1.7% |

Median monthly owners cost \$1,090

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 19.4

| Vital Statistics | Number | Rate |
|---|--------|---------|
| Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44 | 681 | 66.7 |
| Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19 | 36 | 19.6 |
| Deaths / rate per 100,000 population | 631 | 1,081.1 |

Domestic Migration



Agriculture

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|---------------------------------|---------------|
| Land in farms (acres) | 240,519 |
| Number of farms | 810 |
| Average size (acres) | 297 |
| Total cash receipts | \$199,958,000 |
| Per farm | \$246,862 |
| Receipts for crops | \$134,900,000 |
| Receipts for livestock/products | \$65,059,000 |

Education

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|---|---------|
| Traditional public schools buildings | 22 |
| Students | 8,644 |
| Teachers (Full Time Equivalent) | 617.8 |
| Expenditures per student | \$8,877 |
| Graduation rate | 96.0 |
| Community/charter schools buildings | 0 |
| Students | 0 |
| Teachers (Full Time Equivalent) | 0.0 |
| Expenditures per student | |
| Graduation rate | |
| Private schools | 5 |
| Students | 1,232 |
| 4-year public universities | 0 |
| Regional campuses | 0 |
| 2-year public colleges/satellites | 0 |
| Ohio Technical Centers | 0 |
| Private universities and colleges | 0 |
| Public libraries (Districts / Facilities) | 5 / 8 |

Transportation

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| Registered motor vehicles | 77,404 |
| Passenger cars | 43,396 |
| Noncommercial trucks | 14,788 |
| Total license revenue | \$2,377,952.04 |
| Permissive tax revenue | \$759,020.00 |
| Interstate highway miles | 0.00 |
| Turnpike miles | 0.00 |
| U.S. highway miles | 69.80 |
| State highway miles | 157.85 |
| County, township, and municipal road miles | 877.30 |
| Commercial airports | 2 |

Health Care

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| Physicians | 77 |
| Registered hospitals | 2 |
| Number of beds | 139 |
| Licensed nursing homes | 7 |
| Number of beds | 519 |
| Licensed residential care | 4 |
| Number of beds | 198 |
| Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64) | 91.5% |
| Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64) | 90.3% |
| Children with insurance (Aged Under 19) | 94.3% |

Communications

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|---------------------------------|---------|
| Television stations | 0 |
| Radio stations | 0 |
| Daily newspapers | 1 |
| Circulation | 5,600 |
| Average monthly unique visitors | 184,223 |
| Weekly newspapers | 3 |
| Circulation | 9,800 |
| Average monthly unique visitors | 0 |
| Online only | 0 |
| Average monthly unique visitors | 0 |

Crime

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|---|-----|
| Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report | 647 |
| Violent crime | 20 |
| Property crime | 627 |

Finance

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|---|-----------|
| FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs) | 1 |
| Assets (000) | \$237,214 |
| Branch offices | 21 |
| Institutions represented | 9 |

Transfer Payments

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|--|-----------------|
| Total transfer payments | \$571,247,000 |
| Payments to individuals | \$557,342,000 |
| Retirement and disability | \$231,802,000 |
| Medical payments | \$247,043,000 |
| Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc) | \$42,102,000 |
| Unemployment benefits | \$5,780,000 |
| Veterans benefits | \$18,453,000 |
| Federal education and training assistance | \$7,433,000 |
| Other payments to individuals | \$4,729,000 |
| Total personal income | \$2,359,029,000 |
| Dependency ratio | 24.2% |
| (Percent of income from transfer payments) | |

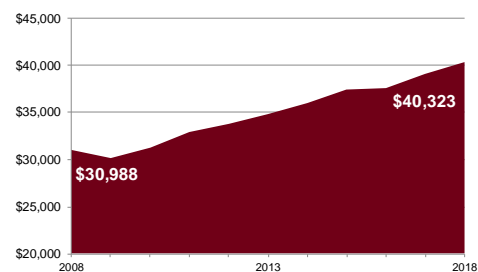
Voting

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| Number of registered voters | 36,408 |
| Voted in 2018 election | 19,329 |
| Percent turnout | 53.1% |

State Parks, Forests, Nature Preserves, Scenic Waterways, And Wildlife Areas

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|------------------|-------|
| Areas/Facilities | 2 |
| Acreage | 1,801 |

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force

| | 2019 | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 |
|----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Civilian labor force | 28,000 | 28,000 | 28,100 | 28,100 | 27,600 |
| Employed | 26,400 | 26,300 | 26,300 | 26,300 | 25,800 |
| Unemployed | 1,600 | 1,600 | 1,800 | 1,800 | 1,800 |
| Unemployment rate | 5.7 | 5.9 | 6.4 | 6.5 | 6.6 |

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2018

| Industrial Sector | Number of Establishments | Average Employment | Total Wages | Average Weekly Wage |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|---------------|---------------------|
| Private Sector | 1,155 | 18,762 | \$790,242,871 | \$810 |
| Goods-Producing | 253 | 8,085 | \$417,470,106 | \$993 |
| Natural Resources and Mining | 29 | 572 | \$22,236,672 | \$748 |
| Construction | 127 | 1,593 | \$109,350,677 | \$1,320 |
| Manufacturing | 97 | 5,921 | \$285,882,757 | \$929 |
| Service-Providing | 902 | 10,677 | \$372,772,765 | \$671 |
| Trade, Transportation and Utilities | 271 | 3,648 | \$140,065,752 | \$738 |
| Information | 18 | 124 | \$5,031,889 | \$781 |
| Financial Services | 118 | 560 | \$25,550,030 | \$877 |
| Professional and Business Services | 128 | 891 | \$29,703,946 | \$641 |
| Education and Health Services | 129 | 2,856 | \$123,795,194 | \$834 |
| Leisure and Hospitality | 122 | 1,917 | \$25,568,728 | \$256 |
| Other Services | 117 | 681 | \$23,057,226 | \$652 |
| Federal Government | | 137 | \$6,750,681 | \$947 |
| State Government | | 75 | \$4,625,296 | \$1,189 |
| Local Government | | 2,224 | \$89,729,737 | \$776 |

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2013

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|-------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|-------|
| Private Sector | 0.3% | 6.7% | 21.5% | 13.8% |
| Goods-Producing | 1.6% | 5.1% | 18.5% | 12.7% |
| Natural Resources and Mining | 16.0% | -4.8% | 37.4% | 44.4% |
| Construction | -5.9% | 17.0% | 40.5% | 20.0% |
| Manufacturing | 7.8% | 3.3% | 10.6% | 7.2% |
| Service-Producing | -0.1% | 8.1% | 25.0% | 15.7% |
| Trade, Transportation and Utilities | -5.2% | 5.8% | 25.4% | 18.5% |
| Information | -14.3% | -39.2% | -20.7% | 30.2% |
| Financial Services | 4.4% | -1.4% | 14.7% | 16.2% |
| Professional and Business Services | -5.9% | 15.6% | 9.7% | -5.2% |
| Education and Health Services | 17.3% | 7.8% | 23.2% | 14.4% |
| Leisure and Hospitality | -3.2% | 16.0% | 36.8% | 18.0% |
| Other Services | 4.5% | 16.0% | 99.6% | 72.0% |
| Federal Government | | 0.7% | 1.2% | 0.4% |
| State Government | | 2.7% | 27.6% | 24.5% |
| Local Government | | -5.4% | 3.1% | 9.0% |

Major & Notable Employers

| | |
|----------------------------------|------|
| Berry Plastics/Venture Packaging | Mfg |
| Borgers Ohio | Mfg |
| Fisher-Titus Medical Center | Serv |
| Huron County Government | Govt |
| LSC Communication | Mfg |
| MTD Products/Midwest Inds | Mfg |
| New Horizons Baking Co. | Mfg |
| Norwalk Area Health Systems | Serv |
| Norwalk City Schools | Govt |
| Norwalk Custom Order Furniture | Mfg |
| Pepperidge Farm/Campbell Soup Co | Mfg |

Residential

| Construction | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Total units | 56 | 53 | 39 | 39 | 32 |
| Total valuation (000) | \$8,951 | \$9,623 | \$8,656 | \$9,191 | \$6,551 |
| Total single-unit bldgs | 41 | 46 | 33 | 35 | 30 |
| Average cost per unit | \$199,342 | \$196,595 | \$247,754 | \$239,729 | \$214,193 |
| Total multi-unit bldg units | 15 | 7 | 6 | 4 | 2 |
| Average cost per unit | \$51,852 | \$82,857 | \$80,000 | \$200,000 | \$62,500 |