



SPOTLIGHT ON YOUR COUNTY

BARAGA COUNTY

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POPULATION:

- Total population: **8,580**
- Under age 5: **408 (5%)**
- Age 65+: **1,712 (20%)**
- Median age: **43**

RACE / ETHNICITY:

- White: **6,271 (73%)**
- African American: **1,357 (16%)**
- Hispanic or Latino: **128 (2%)**
- Asian: **42 (1%)**
- American Indian/Alaska Native: **401 (5%)**

MEDIAN WAGE:

\$31,442 for women

\$42,440 for men

Female-to-male earnings ratio: **74%**
(Women earn 74¢ for every dollar men earn.)

NO HEALTH INSURANCE:

- Total: **458 (7%)**
- Children: **116 (7%)**

MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME:

\$42,757



EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT AGES 25 AND OLDER

Less than ninth grade	220	4%
Ninth to twelfth grade, no diploma	636	10%
High school diploma or GED	2,696	43%
Some college, no degree	1,266	20%
Associate degree	462	7%
Bachelor's degree	613	10%
Graduate or professional degree	353	6%

POVERTY RATE: **14%**



Families with children

18%

Children under age 18

23%

Single-parent (female) family

38%

LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH SPOKEN AT HOME:

275

3%

Limited English proficiency (age 5+)

99

1%

Source: American Community Survey Data Profiles (2017 5-Year Estimates)

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HOUSING

Renter occupied

17%

Owner occupied

83%

Median rent

\$567

Median mortgage

\$978

Households in which
rent is 35+ percent
of income

172 **39%**

Households in which
mortgage is 35+
percent of income

262 **25%**

COMMUTING TO WORK



83%

Drove alone (car,
truck or van)



9%

Carpooled



0%

Public
transportation



4%

Walked



1%

Other means



4%

Worked at
home

Travel time
to work
(minutes)

19



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