



SPOTLIGHT ON YOUR COUNTY

EMMET COUNTY

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POPULATION:

- Total population: **32,978**
- Under age 5: **1,588 (5%)**
- Age 65+: **6,651 (20%)**
- Median age: **45**

RACE / ETHNICITY:

- White: **30,138 (91%)**
- African American: **170 (1%)**
- Hispanic or Latino: **515 (2%)**
- Asian: **191 (1%)**
- American Indian/Alaska Native: **716 (2%)**

NO HEALTH INSURANCE:

- Total: **2,828 (9%)**
- Children: **340 (5%)**



EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT AGES 25 AND OLDER

Less than ninth grade	263	1%
Ninth to twelfth grade, no diploma	1,155	5%
High school diploma or GED	5,919	25%
Some college, no degree	6,181	26%
Associate degree	2,431	10%
Bachelor's degree	4,826	20%
Graduate or professional degree	2,980	13%

MEDIAN WAGE:

\$34,655 for women

\$43,880 for men

Female-to-male earnings ratio: **79%**
(Women earn 79¢ for every dollar men earn.)

MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME:

\$51,475

POVERTY RATE: **11%**



Families with children

11%

Children under age 18

13%

Single-parent (female) family

26%

LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH SPOKEN AT HOME:

787

3%

Limited English proficiency (age 5+)

170

1%

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

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HOUSING

Renter occupied

27%

Owner occupied

74%

Median rent

\$779

Median mortgage

\$1,221

Households in which
rent is 35+ percent
of income

1,383 **40%**

Households in which
mortgage is 35+
percent of income

1,494 **24%**

COMMUTING TO WORK



79%

Drove alone (car,
truck or van)



10%

Carpooled



0%

Public
transportation



4%

Walked



2%

Other means



6%

Worked at
home

Travel time
to work
(minutes)

19



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