



SPOTLIGHT ON YOUR COUNTY

MASON COUNTY

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POPULATION:

- Total population: **28,800**
- Under age 5: **1,497 (5%)**
- Age 65+: **6,256 (22%)**
- Median age: **46**

RACE / ETHNICITY:

- White: **26,401 (92%)**
- African American: **268 (1%)**
- Hispanic or Latino: **1,286 (5%)**
- Asian: **134 (1%)**
- American Indian/Alaska Native: **221 (1%)**

NO HEALTH INSURANCE:

- Total: **2,270 (8%)**
- Children: **274 (4%)**



EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT AGES 25 AND OLDER

Less than ninth grade	537	3%
Ninth to twelfth grade, no diploma	1,136	6%
High school diploma or GED	6,890	33%
Some college, no degree	5,120	25%
Associate degree	2,397	12%
Bachelor's degree	2,853	14%
Graduate or professional degree	1,735	8%

MEDIAN WAGE:

\$34,033 for women

\$41,699 for men

Female-to-male earnings ratio: **82%**
(Women earn 82¢ for every dollar men earn.)

MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME:

\$45,524

POVERTY RATE: **16%**



Families with children

23%

Children under age 18

28%

Single-parent (female) family

48%

LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH SPOKEN AT HOME:

1,051 **4%**

Limited English proficiency (age 5+)

213 **1%**

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

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HOUSING

Renter occupied

23%

Owner occupied

77%

Median rent

\$689

Median mortgage

\$1,081

Households in which
rent is 35+ percent
of income

919 **37%**

Households in which
mortgage is 35+
percent of income

1,286 **25%**

COMMUTING TO WORK



81%

Drove alone (car,
truck or van)



11%

Carpooled



0%

Public
transportation



3%

Walked



1%

Other means



4%

Worked at
home

Travel time
to work
(minutes)

18



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