



# SPOTLIGHT ON YOUR COUNTY

## OSCODA COUNTY

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### POPULATION:

- Total population: **8,304**
- Under age 5: **404 (5%)**
- Age 65+: **2,177 (26%)**
- Median age: **52**

### RACE / ETHNICITY:

- White: **7,943 (96%)**
- African American: **48 (1%)**
- Hispanic or Latino: **116 (1%)**
- Asian: **7 (0%)**
- American Indian/Alaska Native: **39 (1%)**

### NO HEALTH INSURANCE:

- Total: **1,202 (15%)**
- Children: **305 (18%)**



### EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT AGES 25 AND OLDER

Less than ninth grade	<b>342</b>	<b>6%</b>
Ninth to twelfth grade, no diploma	<b>721</b>	<b>12%</b>
High school diploma or GED	<b>2,435</b>	<b>39%</b>
Some college, no degree	<b>1,577</b>	<b>26%</b>
Associate degree	<b>437</b>	<b>7%</b>
Bachelor's degree	<b>445</b>	<b>7%</b>
Graduate or professional degree	<b>230</b>	<b>4%</b>

### MEDIAN WAGE:

**\$29,902** for women

**\$44,412** for men

Female-to-male earnings ratio: **67%**  
(Women earn 67¢ for every dollar men earn.)

### MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME:

**\$36,833**

### POVERTY RATE: **18%**



Families with children

**23%**

Children under age 18

**24%**

Single-parent (female) family

**45%**

### LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH SPOKEN AT HOME:

**520** **7%**

Limited English proficiency (age 5+)

**173** **2%**

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

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## HOUSING

Renter occupied

**15%**

Owner occupied

**85%**

Median rent

**\$648**

Median mortgage

**\$864**

Households in which  
rent is 35+ percent  
of income

**166**      **37%**

Households in which  
mortgage is 35+  
percent of income

**494**      **31%**

## COMMUTING TO WORK



**78%**

Drove alone (car,  
truck or van)



**7%**

Carpooled



**0%**

Public  
transportation



**2%**

Walked



**6%**

Other means



**7%**

Worked at  
home

Travel time  
to work  
(minutes)

**20**



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