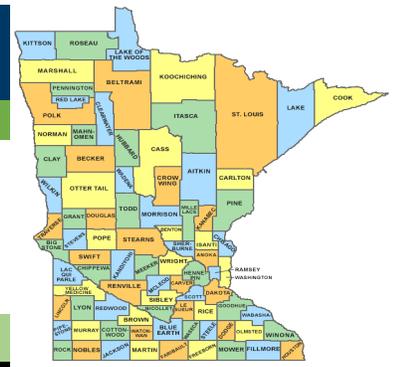


**COUNTY PROFILE**

**Redwood Co.**

Redwood Co. is a part of Economic Development Region 8, which is located in the Southwest Planning Region.



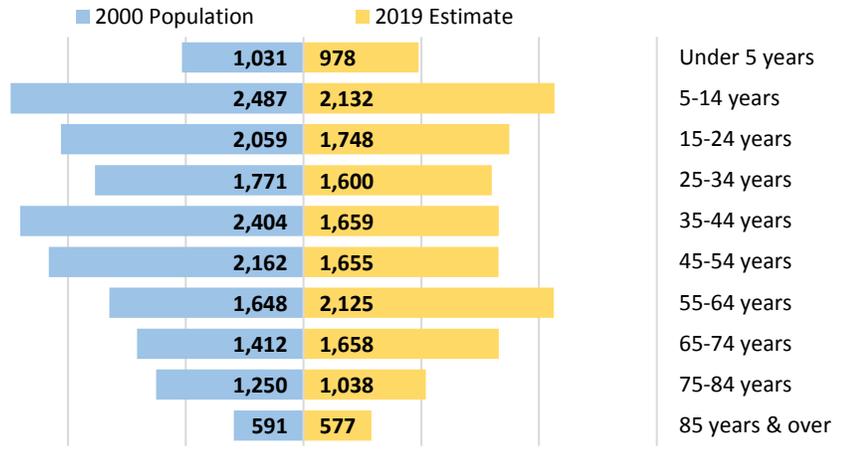
**POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS**

Redwood Co.'s population has decreased so far this decade, ranking as the 75th fastest growing of the 87 counties in the state from 2010 to 2019. It is now the 54th largest in the state. Redwood Co.'s population has an older median age than the state and a larger percentage of people aged 65 years and older. The population is aging, especially as the Baby Boom generation moves through the population pyramid (see Figure 1).

Current population:	<b>15,170 people</b>	Median Age:	<b>41.5 years</b>
Population change, 2010-2019	-889 people -5.5% decline	state:	38.3 years

	Number	Percent
Under 5 years	978	6.4%
5-14 years	2,132	14.1%
15-24 years	1,748	11.5%
25-34 years	1,600	10.5%
35-44 years	1,659	10.9%
45-54 years	1,655	10.9%
55-64 years	2,125	14.0%
65-74 years	1,658	10.9%
75-84 years	1,038	6.8%
85 years & over	577	3.8%
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>15,170</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**Figure 1. Population Pyramid, 2000-2019**



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Estimates

Redwood Co. enjoyed a natural increase - more births than deaths from 2010 to 2019, but also experienced net out-migration - meaning more people moved out than moved in. Despite suffering domestic out-migration, Redwood Co. welcomed net international in-migration - gaining new Minnesotans from foreign countries (see Table 2).

	Total Population Change	April 1, 2010 to July 1, 2019					
		Natural Increase	Vital Events		Net Migration		
			Births	Deaths	Total	International	Domestic
Redwood Co.	-888	47	1,755	1,708	-936	44	-980
State of Minnesota	335,705	250,488	637,356	386,868	88,161	114,414	-26,253

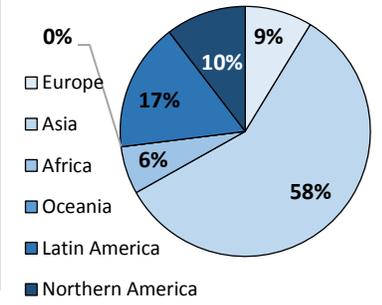
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Estimates Program

Compared to the state, Redwood Co. has a smaller percentage of foreign-born residents. From 2010 to 2018, Redwood Co. saw an increase in the number of foreign-born residents, though it was slower than the statewide increase.

	Redwood Co.		Change 2010-2018		Minnesota	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Percent	Change
<b>Foreign-born Population</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>2.3%</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>6.3%</b>	<b>8.4%</b>	<b>25.8%</b>
Europe	31	8.7%	-15	-32.6%	10.2%	4.8%
Asia	207	58.1%	-6	-2.8%	37.7%	27.8%
Africa	22	6.2%	5	29.4%	24.5%	61.1%
Oceania	0	0.0%	0	#DIV/0!	0.5%	41.9%
Americas:	96	27.0%	37	62.7%	27.1%	9.8%
Latin America	59	16.6%	24	68.6%	24.6%	11.8%
Northern America	37	10.4%	13	54.2%	2.6%	-6.0%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2014-2018 American Community Survey

**Figure 2. Place of Birth for the Foreign Born Population, 2018**



# COUNTY PROFILE

Redwood Co.

Redwood Co.'s population was becoming more racially diverse over time. Since 2000, the county's white population declined, but the number of people of other races increased (see Table 4).

**Figure 3. Population by Race, 2018**

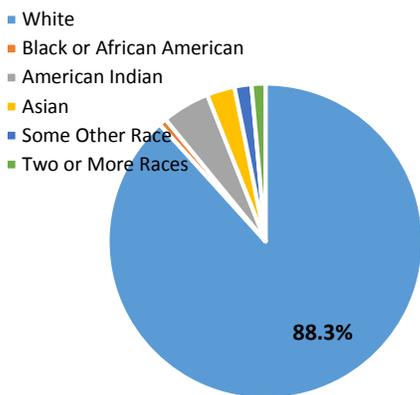


Table 4. Race and Hispanic Origin, 2018	Redwood Co.			Minnesota	
	Number	Percent	Change from 2000-2018	Percent	Change from 2000-2018
<b>Total</b>	<b>15,331</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-8.8%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>12.4%</b>
White	13,538	88.3%	-15.2%	83.3%	4.7%
Black or African American	119	0.8%	440.9%	6.2%	99.3%
American Indian or Alaska Native	751	4.9%	38.1%	1.1%	7.3%
Asian or Other Pac. Islanders	439	2.9%	585.9%	4.8%	83.8%
Some Other Race	266	1.7%	264.4%	1.8%	48.7%
Two or More Races	218	1.4%	52.4%	2.9%	90.7%
Hispanic or Latino origin	510	3.3%	165.6%	5.3%	104.2%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2014-2018 American Community Survey

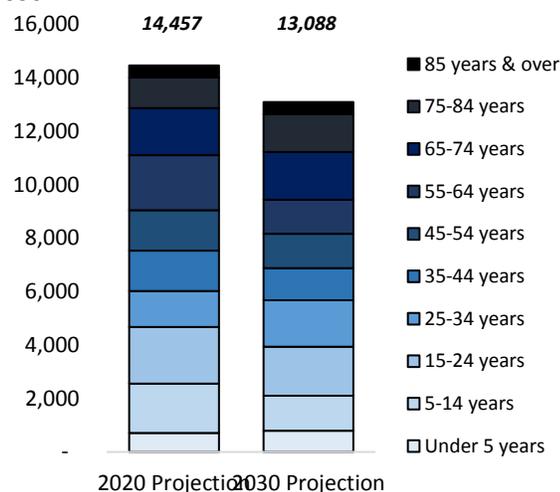
# POPULATION PROJECTIONS

According to the Minnesota State Demographic Center, Redwood Co.'s population is expected to decline from 2020 to 2030, with a rate of change that is slower than the projected statewide growth rate (5.0%). Despite the decline, the number of people aged 65 years and older is expected to increase over the next decade (see Figure 4 and Table 5).

Table 5. Population Projections by Age Group, 2020-2030				
Redwood Co.	2020 Projection	2030 Projection	Numeric Change	Percent Change
Under 5 years	714	792	78	10.9%
5-14 years	1,836	1,307	-529	-28.8%
15-24 years	2,125	1,841	-284	-13.4%
25-34 years	1,343	1,733	390	29.0%
35-44 years	1,517	1,206	-311	-20.5%
45-54 years	1,507	1,279	-228	-15.1%
55-64 years	2,058	1,279	-779	-37.9%
65-74 years	1,756	1,786	30	1.7%
75-84 years	1,144	1,412	268	23.4%
85 years & over	457	453	-4	-0.9%
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>14,457</b>	<b>13,088</b>	<b>-1,369</b>	<b>-9.5%</b>

Source: Minnesota State Demographic Center

**Figure 4. Projections by Age Group, 2020-2030**



# EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

Redwood Co. has a lower percentage of adults (18 years & over) with at least a high school diploma than the state (92.4%), and a lower percentage of people with at least some college experience. Redwood Co. also has a lower percentage of people with an Associate's degree and a lower percentage of people with a Bachelor's degree or higher.

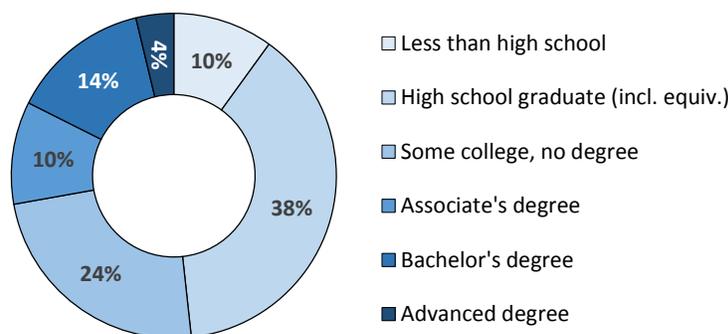
Percentage of the adult population (18 years & over) with at least a high school diploma:

**90.0%**

College-educated: **51.7%**  
state: 67.1%

Associate's Degree: **10.2%**  
Bachelor's Degree: **13.8%**  
Advanced Degree: **3.8%**

**Figure 5. Educational Attainment, 2018**



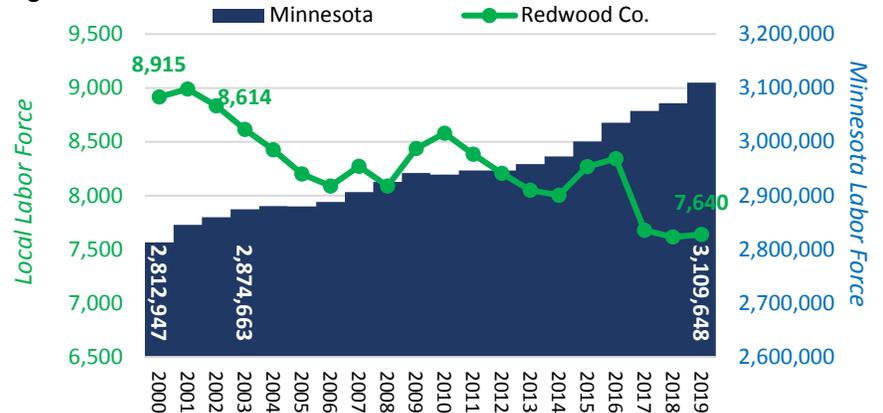
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2014-2018 American Community Survey

LABOR FORCE TRENDS

The number of workers in Redwood Co. increased over the past year. Long term, Redwood Co.'s labor force declined more slowly from 2004 to 2019, compared to a statewide growth rate of 8.0% (see Figure 6).

<b>7,640</b> available workers	
Labor Force change, 2004-2019	-785 workers -9.3% decline
<b>3.8%</b> unemployment rate	
3.2% state	
<b>290</b> unemployed workers	

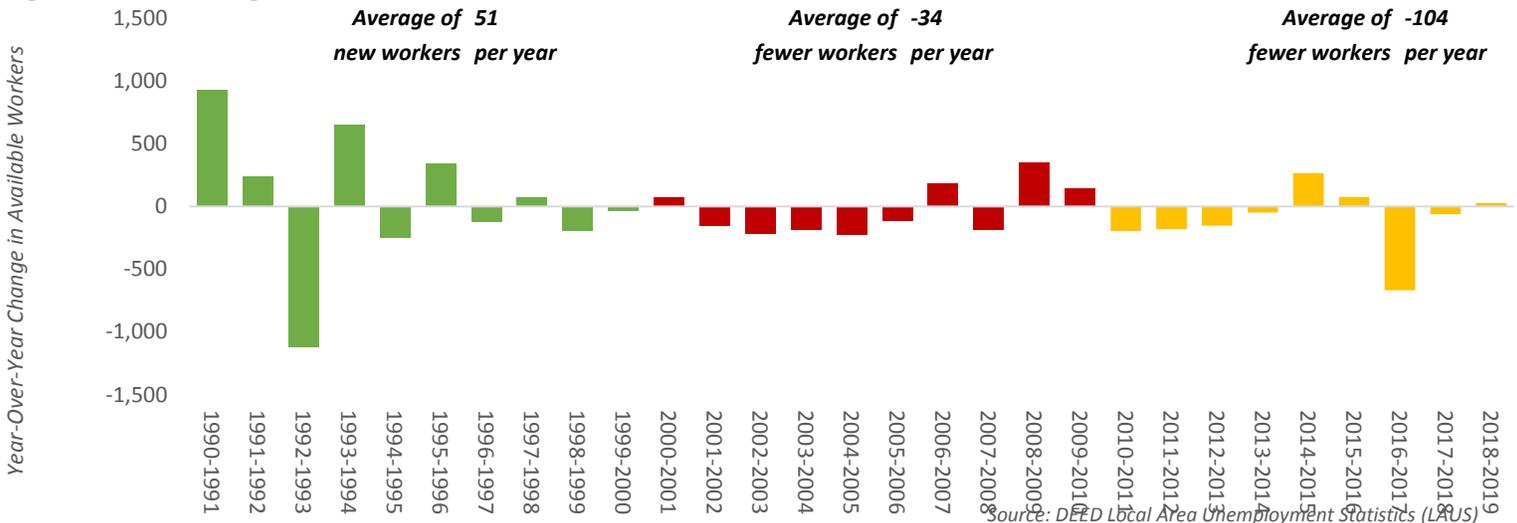
Figure 6. Annual Labor Force Estimates



Source: DEED Local Area Unemployment Statistics

At 3.8%, Redwood Co. had a higher unemployment rate than the state in 2019. Redwood Co.'s unemployment rate increased compared to 3.6% in 2018, and was lower than the 6.7% rate posted in 2009. The number of unemployed workers actively seeking work in Redwood Co. increased over the past year, and is down compared to 2009.

Figure 7. Annual Change in Labor Force, 1990-2019



Source: DEED Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

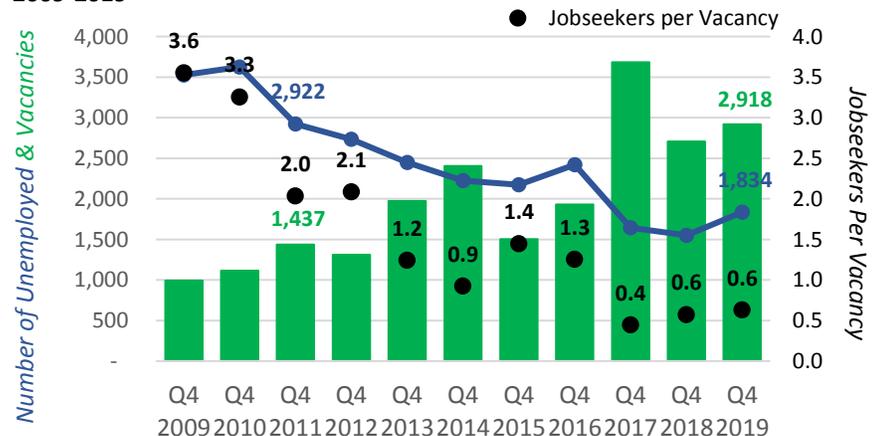
Labor force growth has slowed in recent years. After experiencing a net gain of workers from 1990 to 2000, Redwood Co. averaged an annual loss of fewer workers from 2000 to 2010, and most recently a loss of fewer workers since 2010 (see Figure 7). Moving forward, Redwood Co. is expected to see a labor force decline from 2020 to 2030 (see Table 6).

	Labor Force Projection	
	2020	2030
16 to 24 years	1,252	1,136
25 to 54 years	3,747	3,622
55 to 64 years	1,535	954
65 years & over	756	791
<b>Total Labor Force</b>	<b>7,290</b>	<b>6,504</b>

Source: Minnesota State Demographic Center

Redwood Co. is a part of Region 8, which includes Cottonwood, Jackson, Lincoln, Lyon, Murray, Nobles, Pipestone, Redwood, and Rock County. The labor market has grown extremely tight in recent years, dropping to a ratio of 0.6 jobseekers per vacancy during the 4th quarter of 2019 (see Figure 8).

Figure 8. Jobseekers Per Vacancy, 2009-2019



Source: DEED Job Vacancy Survey, LAUS program

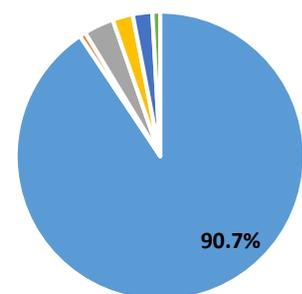
**LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS**

Redwood Co. had a lower labor force participation rate than the state. The labor force in Redwood Co. is less racially diverse than the state (where 85.5% of workers are white alone), but is becoming more diverse over time.

**Table 7. Employment Characteristics, 2018**

	Redwood Co.			Minnesota		Redwood Co.	
	In Labor Force (available workers)	Labor Force Partic. Rate	Unemp. Rate	Labor Force Partic. Rate	Unemp. Rate	Male	Female
<b>Total Labor Force</b>	<b>7,685</b>	<b>63.8%</b>	<b>2.5%</b>	<b>69.7%</b>	<b>3.9%</b>	<b>4,177</b>	<b>3,505</b>
16 to 19 years	342	43.1%	2.6%	52.9%	11.7%	159	183
20 to 24 years	699	84.1%	11.7%	84.4%	6.4%	366	333
25 to 44 years	2,666	86.4%	1.1%	88.6%	3.5%	1,462	1,204
45 to 54 years	1,642	84.7%	2.1%	87.3%	2.8%	932	711
55 to 64 years	1,627	74.6%	1.9%	72.6%	3.0%	843	784
65 to 74 years	553	34.5%	0.9%	27.6%	2.4%	332	221
75 years & over	152	9.4%	0.0%	6.3%	2.6%	83	69
<b>Employment Characteristics by Race &amp; Hispanic Origin</b>							
White alone	6,966	64.0%	1.8%	69.5%	3.3%		
Black or African American	53	55.8%	0.0%	70.7%	9.9%		
American Indian & Alaska Native	258	54.1%	6.6%	58.5%	12.8%		
Asian or Other Pac. Islanders	175	64.8%	4.6%	71.3%	4.7%		
Some Other Race	168	84.8%	19.0%	77.2%	6.2%		
Two or More Races	67	55.8%	11.9%	73.1%	7.6%		
Hispanic or Latino	224	73.9%	14.3%	76.3%	6.5%		
<b>Employment Characteristics by Disability</b>							
With Any Disability	310	50.8%	4.2%	52.5%	9.0%		
<b>Employment Characteristics by Educational Attainment</b>							
Population, 25 to 64 years	5,939	82.4%	1.6%	84.2%	3.2%		
Less than H.S. Diploma	335	63.7%	2.3%	65.4%	4.5%		
H.S. Diploma or Equivalent	1,862	77.6%	0.3%	78.6%	2.6%		
Some College or Assoc. Degree	2,409	86.3%	1.5%	85.2%	3.2%		
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	1,329	89.2%	0.5%	89.8%	1.9%		

**Figure 9. Labor Force by Race, 2018**



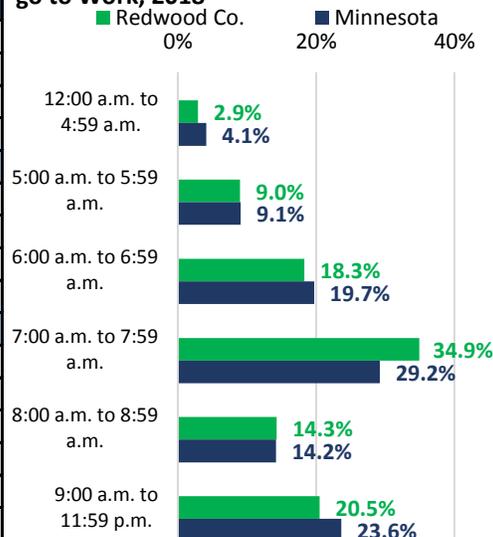
- White alone
- Black or African American
- American Indian & Alaska Native
- Asian or Other Pac. Islanders
- Some Other Race
- Two or More Races

Source: 2014-2018 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

A larger percentage of workers in Redwood Co. worked in the same county in which they live compared to the state. Redwood Co. also had a shorter average commute time than the state.

<b>Table 8. Commuting Characteristics, 2018</b>	Redwood Co.		Minnesota	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Worked in state of residence	7,399	99.6%	2,807,811	97.5%
Worked in county of residence	5,757	77.5%	1,831,557	63.6%
Worked out of county of residence	1,642	22.1%	979,134	34.0%
Worked outside state of residence	30	0.4%	71,995	2.5%
<b>MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK</b>				
Car, truck, or van	6,278	84.5%	2,488,152	86.4%
Public transportation (excl. taxicab)	45	0.6%	103,673	3.6%
Other method (walk, bike, taxi, etc.)	371	5.0%	126,711	4.4%
Worked at home	735	9.9%	164,149	5.7%
<b>TRAVEL TIME TO WORK</b>				
Less than 10 minutes	2,994	40.3%	455,009	15.8%
10 to 19 minutes	1,917	25.8%	869,701	30.2%
20 to 29 minutes	1,077	14.5%	639,317	22.2%
30 to 44 minutes	847	11.4%	564,442	19.6%
45 to 59 minutes	282	3.8%	192,947	6.7%
60 or more minutes	312	4.2%	158,389	5.5%
<b>Mean travel time to work (minutes)</b>	<b>17.8 minutes</b>		<b>23.5 minutes</b>	

**Figure 10. Time Leaving Home to go to Work, 2018**



Source: 2014-2018 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

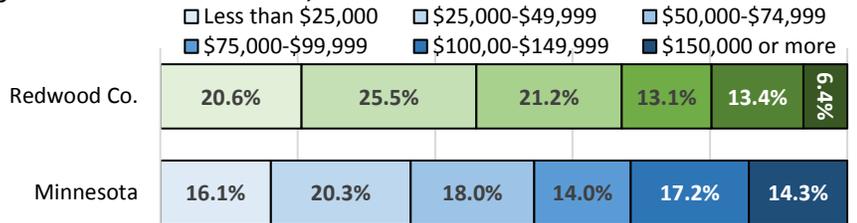
**INCOMES, COST OF LIVING, & HOUSING**

Redwood Co. had a lower median household income than the state, and a higher percentage of households with incomes below \$50,000. Overall, Redwood Co. had the 66th highest median household income of the 87 counties in the state.

<b>Median Household Income</b>	<b>\$53,230</b>
state	\$68,411
<b>Median Family Income</b>	<b>\$65,824</b>
state	\$86,204
<b>Per Capita Income</b>	<b>\$28,011</b>
state	\$36,245

Source: 2014-2018 American Community Survey

Figure 11. Household Incomes, 2018



Source: 2014-2018 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Redwood Co. also had a lower cost of living than the state, with a required hourly wage of \$13.17 for a single person living alone to meet a basic needs cost of living, and an hourly wage requirement of \$14.68 for a typical family with 2 adults and 1 child (see Table 9).

Table 9. Basic Needs Cost of Living Estimates, 2019

Single Adult, 0 children	Single Yearly Cost of Living	Hourly Wage Required	Monthly Costs						
			Child Care	Food	Health Care	Housing	Transportation	Other	Taxes
Redwood Co.	\$27,396	\$13.17	\$0	\$336	\$166	\$595	\$628	\$261	\$297
State of Minnesota	\$30,900	\$14.86	\$0	\$335	\$137	\$759	\$629	\$336	\$379
Typical Family: 2 Adults (1 working full-time, 1 part-time), 1 child	Family Yearly Cost of Living	Hourly Wage Required	Monthly Costs						
			Child Care	Food	Health Care	Housing	Transportation	Other	Taxes
Redwood Co.	\$45,792	\$14.68	\$206	\$770	\$659	\$713	\$724	\$416	\$328
State of Minnesota	\$55,548	\$17.80	\$511	\$764	\$484	\$986	\$729	\$537	\$618

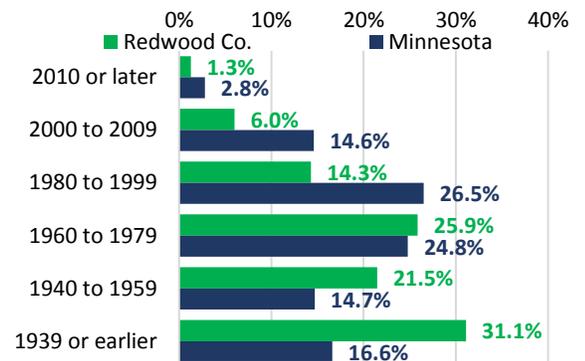
Source: DEED Cost of Living tool

Redwood Co. had a lower median house value than the state, having the 76th highest value of the 87 counties in 2018. Redwood Co.'s housing stock was older than the state's, with a lower percentage of units built since 2000 (see Figure 12).

Table 10. Estimated Value of Owner-occupied Housing Units, 2018	Redwood Co.		Minnesota
	Total	Percent	Percent
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,865</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Less than \$50,000	898	18.5%	5.7%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1,518	31.2%	9.4%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	842	17.3%	15.2%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	623	12.8%	19.8%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	494	10.2%	25.7%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	358	7.4%	17.6%
\$500,000 or more	132	2.7%	6.6%
<b>Median (dollars)</b>	<b>\$100,800</b>		<b>\$199,700</b>

Source: 2014-2018 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

Figure 12. Year Structure Built, 2018



**Median monthly owner costs, owner-occupied units with a mortgage** **\$1,040**

state \$1,547

**Percentage of households with a mortgage spending 30% or more of their income on housing costs** **19.0%**

state 22.6%

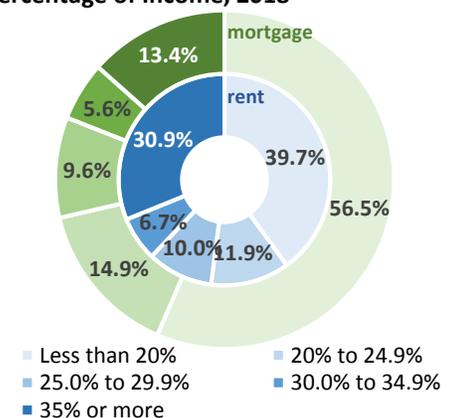
**Median monthly rent costs** **\$626**

state \$944

**Percentage of renters spending 30% or more of their household income on rent** **37.6%**

state 45.9%

Figure 13. Housing Costs as a Percentage of Income, 2018



Source: 2014-2018 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

OCCUPATIONS

At \$17.91 in 2020, wages were lower in Region 8 than the state. Overall, Region 8 had the 3rd lowest median hourly wage level of the 13 economic development regions in the state. Wages were highest for management occupations (\$39.87) and lowest for food preparation and serving related jobs (\$11.85) (see Table 11).

Table 11. Occupational Employment Statistics, 2020

Occupational Group	Region 8				State of Minnesota		
	Median Hourly Wage	Estimated Regional Jobs	Share of Total Jobs	Regional Location Quotient	Median Hourly Wage	State-wide Jobs	Share of Total Jobs
<b>Total, All Occupations</b>	<b>\$17.91</b>	<b>53,190</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>\$21.49</b>	<b>2,880,650</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Management	\$39.87	2,270	4.3%	0.7	\$24.38	165,310	5.7%
Business & Financial Operations	\$30.12	1,600	3.0%	0.5	\$12.43	244,300	8.5%
Computer & Mathematical	\$42.04	400	0.8%	0.2	\$17.72	4,060	0.1%
Architecture & Engineering	\$31.64	760	1.4%	0.7	\$20.03	363,800	12.6%
Life, Physical & Social Science	\$25.92	590	1.1%	1.2	\$24.31	100,060	3.5%
Community & Social Service	\$19.49	1,050	2.0%	1.0	\$13.65	70,290	2.4%
Legal	\$40.05	150	0.3%	0.4	\$18.06	216,890	7.5%
Education, Training & Library	\$21.42	3,620	6.8%	1.2	\$38.00	55,520	1.9%
Arts, Design, Entertainment & Media	\$17.86	420	0.8%	0.6	\$28.97	104,900	3.6%
Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	\$28.13	2,790	5.2%	0.8	\$37.35	20,050	0.7%
Healthcare Support	\$13.63	3,970	7.5%	1.3	\$24.52	38,540	1.3%
Protective Service	\$20.48	770	1.4%	0.9	\$15.37	277,000	9.6%
Food Preparation & Serving Related	\$11.85	4,280	8.0%	0.9	\$23.34	57,200	2.0%
Building, Grounds Cleaning & Maint.	\$13.64	1,570	3.0%	1.0	\$15.23	83,860	2.9%
Personal Care & Service	\$13.38	1,030	1.9%	0.8	\$36.07	190,800	6.6%
Sales & Related	\$15.05	4,510	8.5%	0.9	\$42.71	97,960	3.4%
Office & Administrative Support	\$17.85	6,060	11.4%	0.9	\$52.70	170,650	5.9%
Farming, Fishing & Forestry	\$16.46	590	1.1%	7.9	\$19.03	212,650	7.4%
Construction & Extraction	\$21.18	2,300	4.3%	1.2	\$22.45	45,030	1.6%
Installation, Maintenance & Repair	\$20.08	2,860	5.4%	1.5	\$14.81	163,160	5.7%
Production	\$17.54	6,240	11.7%	1.6	\$33.87	171,550	6.0%
Transportation & Material Moving	\$17.75	5,360	10.1%	1.3	\$34.35	27,070	0.9%

Source: DEED Occupational Employment Statistics, Qtr. 1 2020

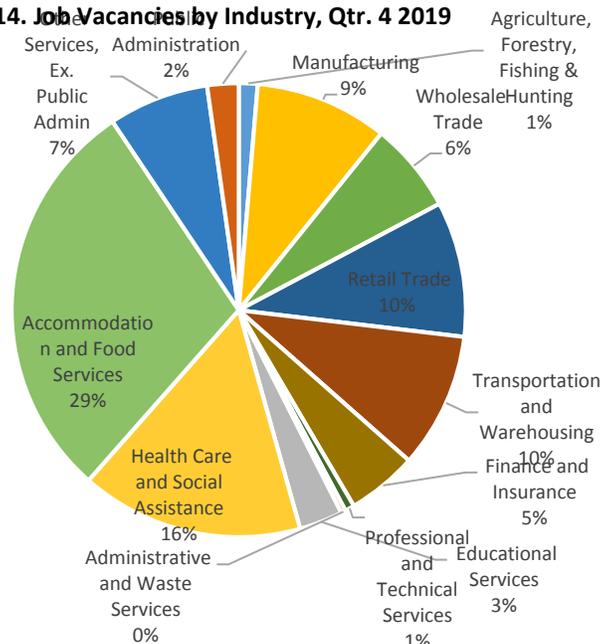
JOB VACANCY SURVEY

Redwood Co. is a part of Region 8, which includes Cottonwood, Jackson, Lincoln, Lyon, Murray, Nobles, Pipestone, Redwood, and Rock County. There were 2918 job vacancies posted by employers in the 4th Quarter of 2019, indicating extensive opportunity in the region, with openings across several occupations and industries (see Figure 14).

Table 12. Region 8 Job Vacancy Survey Results, Qtr. 4 2019

Occupational Group	Number of Vacancies	Wage Offer
<b>Total, All Occupations</b>	<b>2,918</b>	<b>\$15.13</b>
Management	94	\$17.21
Business & Financial Operations	86	\$19.13
Computer & Mathematical	105	\$16.92
Architecture & Engineering	35	\$17.52
Life, Physical & Social Sciences	5	\$17.82
Community & Social Service	34	\$16.81
Education, Training & Library	#N/A	#N/A
Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	71	\$15.72
Healthcare Support	7	\$14.30
Protective Service	163	\$26.35
Food Preparation & Serving Related	79	\$13.54
Building, Grounds Cleaning & Maint.	37	\$12.83
Personal Care & Service	556	\$11.78
Sales & Related	34	\$13.42
Office & Administrative Support	102	\$11.86
Construction & Extraction	302	\$15.56
Installation, Maintenance & Repair	132	\$14.37
Production	192	\$15.00
Transportation & Material Moving	115	\$16.59

Figure 14. Job Vacancies by Industry, Qtr. 4 2019



Source: DEED Job Vacancy Survey, Qtr. 4 2019

OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND

Table 13. Southwest Occupations in Demand, 2019

Less than High School	High School or Equivalent	Some College or Assoc. Deg.	Bachelor's Degree or Higher
Personal Care Aides \$26,919	Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers \$44,307	Registered Nurses \$65,723	Elementary School Teachers \$49,919
Combined Food Preparation & Serving \$23,754	First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers \$40,150	Nursing Assistants \$30,046	Secondary School Teachers \$51,607
Cashiers \$23,665	Childcare Workers \$23,494	Machinists \$41,453	Agricultural & Food Science Technicians \$42,140
Janitors & Cleaners \$27,891	Office Clerks, General \$34,602	Licensed Practical & Licensed Vocational Nurses \$45,512	Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education \$35,030
Retail Salespersons \$25,408	Maintenance & Repair Workers, General \$40,722	Automotive Service Technicians & Mechanics \$36,107	Industrial Engineers \$76,019
Home Health Aides \$27,561	Teacher Assistants \$28,683	Industrial Machinery Mechanics \$47,807	Accountants & Auditors \$61,676
Waiters & Waitresses \$21,617	Secretaries & Administrative Assistants \$38,419	Police & Sheriff's Patrol Officers \$58,377	Middle School Teachers \$49,989
Laborers & Freight, Stock & Material Movers, Hand \$34,151	Sales Representatives, Wholesale & Manufacturing \$62,712	Emergency Medical Technicians & Paramedics \$36,520	Financial Managers \$102,734
Stock Clerks & Order Fillers \$26,428	Welders, Cutters, Solderers, & Brazers \$41,595	Industrial Engineering Technicians \$48,612	Mechanical Engineers \$78,526
Cooks, Restaurant \$24,812	First-Line Supervisors of Food Prep & Serving Workers \$33,357	Heating, Air Cond. (HVAC) & Refrig. Mechanics \$44,355	Human Resources Specialists \$53,909

Source: DEED Occupations in Demand

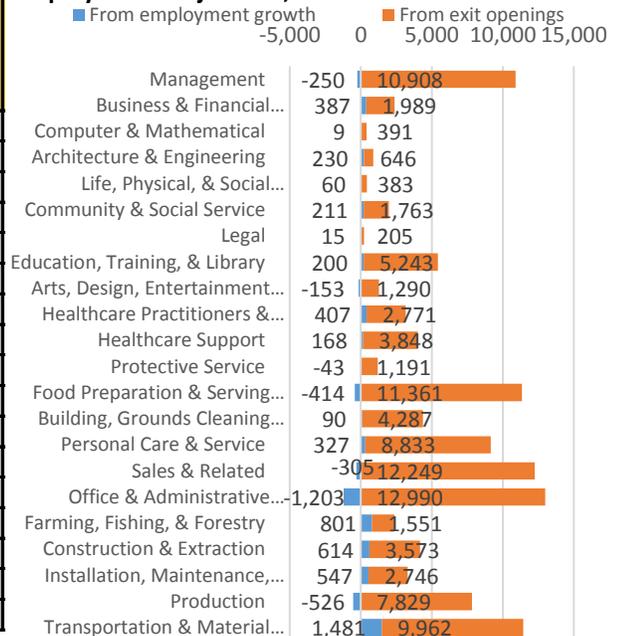
Redwood Co. is a part of the Southwest planning region, which is projected to see a 0.9% increase in employment levels over the next decade. In addition to new jobs created, there will be a much larger number of exit openings (see Figure 15).

Table 14. Regional Industry Employment Projections, 2016-2026

Southwest Planning Region	Estimated Employment 2016	Projected Employment 2026	Percent Change 2016-2026
<b>Total, All Industries</b>	<b>211,618</b>	<b>213,503</b>	<b>0.9%</b>
Natural Resources & Mining	5,948	7,338	23.4%
Utilities	755	831	10.1%
Construction	7,995	8,408	5.2%
Manufacturing	31,264	31,145	-0.4%
Wholesale Trade	8,272	8,323	0.6%
Retail Trade	20,647	19,748	-4.4%
Transportation & Warehousing	7,176	8,023	11.8%
Information	2,746	2,569	-6.4%
Finance & Insurance, Real Estate	7,546	7,638	1.2%
Professional Services & Mgmt. of Companies	5,859	6,141	4.8%
Administrative & Waste Services	4,163	4,277	2.7%
Educational Services	16,891	16,886	0.0%
Health Care & Social Assistance	29,857	31,196	4.5%
Leisure & Hospitality	14,751	14,367	-2.6%
Other Services, Ex. Public Admin	7,632	7,142	-6.4%
Public Administration	13,150	13,136	-0.1%

Source: DEED 2016-2026 Employment Outlook

Figure 15. Regional Occupational Employment Projections, 2016-2026



**ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS**

After gaining jobs over the past year, Redwood Co. had the 52nd largest economy of the 87 counties in the state. Redwood Co. was the 47th fastest growing in the past year and the 81st fastest growing since 2014. From 2014 to 2019, employers in Redwood Co. cut jobs, but lagged the state's 6.3% growth rate.

**573** business establishments

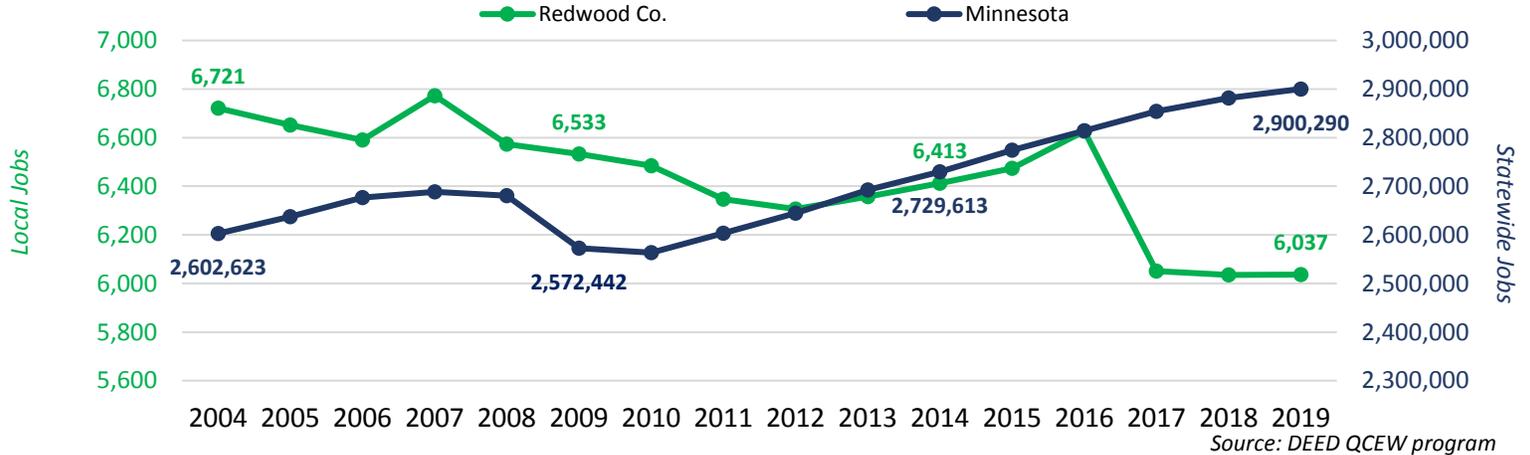
**\$40,193** annual average wage

**6,037** jobs

**\$242,644,333** total industry payroll

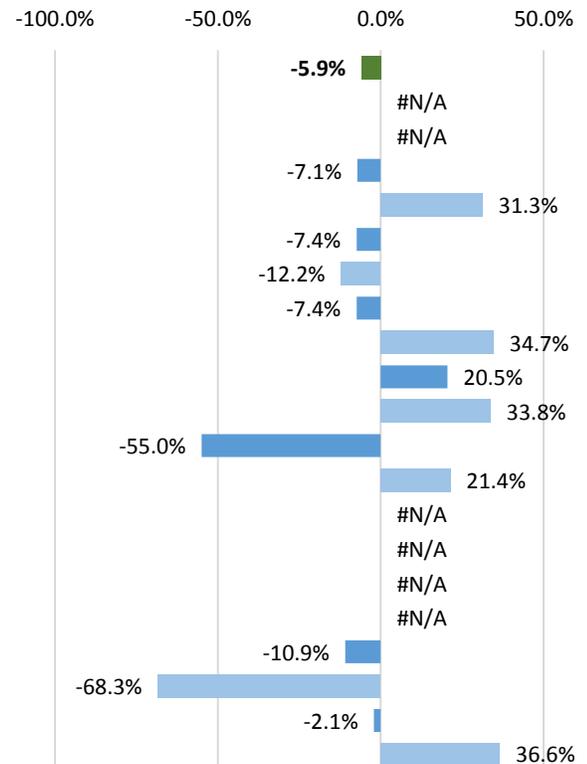
Job change, 2014-2019  
-376 jobs  
-5.9% decline

Figure 16. Industry Employment Statistics, 2004-2019



Industry	Number of Jobs	Percent of Total Jobs	Average Annual Wage
<b>Total, All Industries</b>	<b>6,037</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>\$40,193</b>
Agriculture, Forestry, Fish & Hunt	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Mining	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Construction	299	5.0%	\$44,455
Manufacturing	1,158	19.2%	\$45,885
Utilities	25	0.4%	\$78,276
Wholesale Trade	389	6.4%	\$63,825
Retail Trade	666	11.0%	\$26,437
Transportation & Warehousing	272	4.5%	\$36,519
Information	47	0.8%	\$39,727
Finance & Insurance	309	5.1%	\$71,327
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	18	0.3%	\$20,059
Professional & Technical Services	85	1.4%	\$54,250
Management of Companies	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Admin. Support & Waste Mgmt. Svcs.	78	1.3%	\$66,879
Educational Services	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Health Care & Social Assistance	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	41	0.7%	\$13,193
Accommodation & Food Services	327	5.4%	\$12,599
Other Services	143	2.4%	\$21,833
Public Administration	605	10.0%	\$37,482

Figure 17. Change in Jobs, 2014-2019



Source: DEED Quarterly Census of Employment & Wages (QCEW)

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