

COUNTY PROFILE

Lake of the Woods Co.

Lake of the Woods Co. is a part of Economic Development Region 2, which is located in the Northwest Planning Region.



POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS

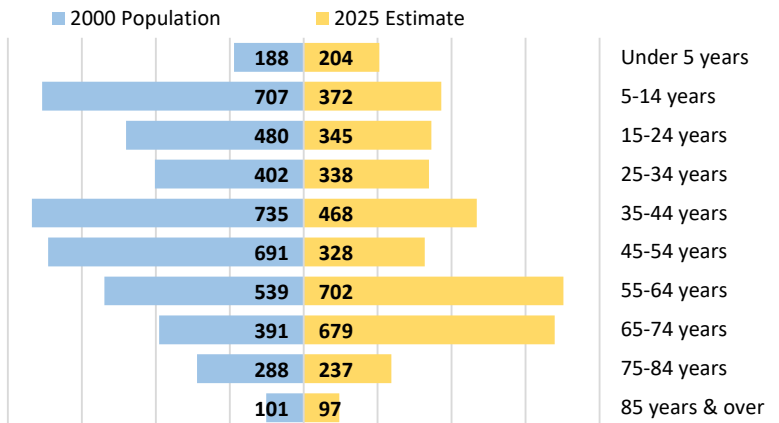
2025 population:	3,770 people	Median Age:	50.7 years
Population change, 2020-2025	-2 people -0.1% decline	state:	38.8 years

Lake of the Woods Co. is the 86th largest of the 87 counties in the state. Its population decreased so far this decade, ranking as the 53rd fastest growing in the state from 2020 to 2025. Lake of the Woods 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).

	Number	Percent
Under 5 years	204	5.4%
5-14 years	372	9.9%
15-24 years	345	9.2%
25-34 years	338	9.0%
35-44 years	468	12.4%
45-54 years	328	8.7%
55-64 years	702	18.6%
65-74 years	679	18.0%
75-84 years	237	6.3%
85 years & over	97	2.6%
Total Population	3,770	100.0%

Source: Census 2025 Population Estimates, 2020-2024 ACS

Figure 1. Population Pyramid, 2000-2025



Lake of the Woods Co. suffered a negative natural increase - more deaths than births from 2020 to 2025, but also experienced net in-migration - meaning more people moved in than moved out. In addition to domestic in-migration, Lake of the Woods Co. welcomed net international in-migration - gaining new Minnesotans from foreign countries (see Table 2).

Table 2. Cumulative Estimates of the Components of Population Change, 2020-2025

	Total Population Change	April 1, 2020 to July 1, 2025					
		Natural Increase	Vital Events		Net Migration		
			Births	Deaths	Total	International	Domestic
Lake of the Woods Co.	-5	-54	196	250	49	1	48
State of Minnesota	122,685	63,075	330,813	267,738	59,610	96,812	-37,202

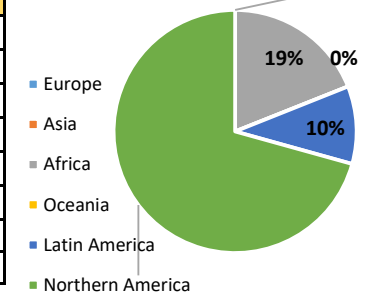
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Estimates Program

Compared to the state, Lake of the Woods Co. has a smaller percentage of foreign-born residents. From 2014 to 2024, Lake of the Woods Co. saw a decrease in the number of foreign-born residents, though it was slower than the statewide increase.

	Lake of the Woods Co.		Change 2014-2024		Minnesota	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Percent	Change
Foreign-born Population	58	1.5%	-31	-34.8%	8.7%	23.3%
Europe	0	0.0%	-28	-100.0%	8.7%	-3.6%
Asia	0	0.0%	-32	-100.0%	34.8%	12.8%
Africa	11	19.0%	11	#DIV/0!	28.6%	73.9%
Oceania	0	0.0%	0	#DIV/0!	0.4%	5.4%
Americas:	47	81.0%	18	62.1%	27.4%	12.8%
Latin America	6	10.3%	6	#DIV/0!	25.0%	14.5%
Northern America	41	70.7%	12	41.4%	2.4%	-2.8%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2020-2024 American Community Survey

Figure 2. Place of Birth for the Foreign Born Population, 2024



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Figure 3. Population by Race, 2024

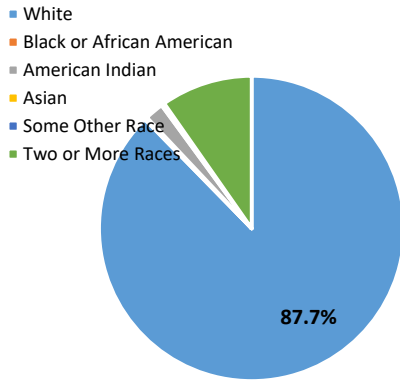


Table 4. Race and Hispanic Origin, 2024	Lake of the Woods Co.			Minnesota	
	Number	Percent	Change from 2014-2024	Percent	Change from 2014-2024
Total	3,821	100.0%	-3.9%	100.0%	6.6%
White	3,350	87.7%	-11.1%	77.1%	-3.5%
Black or African American	11	0.3%	-68.6%	7.0%	38.6%
American Indian or Alaska Native	76	2.0%	406.7%	0.9%	-8.6%
Asian or Other Pac. Islanders	7	0.2%	-74.1%	5.2%	27.1%
Some Other Race	6	0.2%	#DIV/0!	2.9%	107.8%
Two or More Races	371	9.7%	181.1%	7.0%	188.0%
Hispanic or Latino origin	60	1.6%	42.9%	6.4%	38.4%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2020-2024 American Community Survey

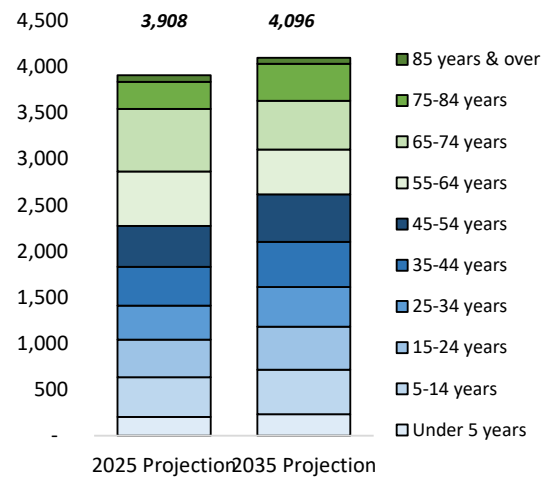
POPULATION PROJECTIONS

According to the Minnesota State Demographic Center, Lake of the Woods Co.'s population is expected to grow from 2025 to 2035, with a rate of change that is faster than the projected statewide growth rate (3.7%). In addition to the overall growth, the number of people aged 65 years and older is expected to decrease over the next decade (see Figure 4 and Table 5).

Table 5. Population Projections by Age Group, 2025-2035				
Lake of the Woods Co.	2025 Projection	2035 Projection	Numeric Change	Percent Change
Under 5 years	202	233	31	15.3%
5-14 years	433	482	49	11.3%
15-24 years	405	465	60	14.8%
25-34 years	369	431	62	16.8%
35-44 years	422	490	68	16.1%
45-54 years	443	514	71	16.0%
55-64 years	590	486	-104	-17.6%
65-74 years	677	530	-147	-21.7%
75-84 years	294	400	106	36.1%
85 years & over	73	65	-8	-11.0%
Total Population	3,908	4,096	188	4.8%

Source: Minnesota State Demographic Center

Figure 4. Projections by Age Group, 2025-2035

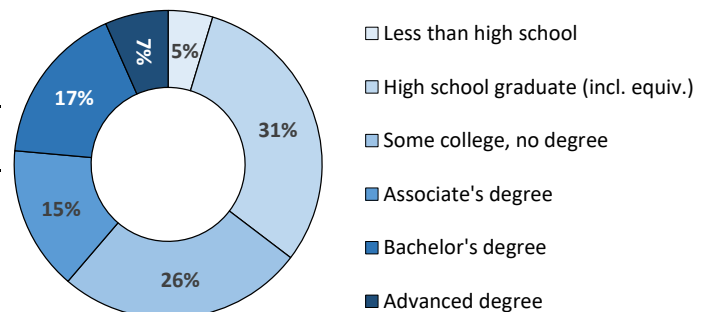


EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

Lake of the Woods Co. has a higher percentage of adults (18 years & over) with at least a high school diploma than the state (93.3%), and a lower percentage of people with at least some college experience. Lake of the Woods Co. also has a higher 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:	95.3%
College-educated:	64.6%
state:	68.9%
Associate's Degree:	15.1%
Bachelor's Degree:	16.9%
Advanced Degree:	6.6%

Figure 5. Educational Attainment, 2024



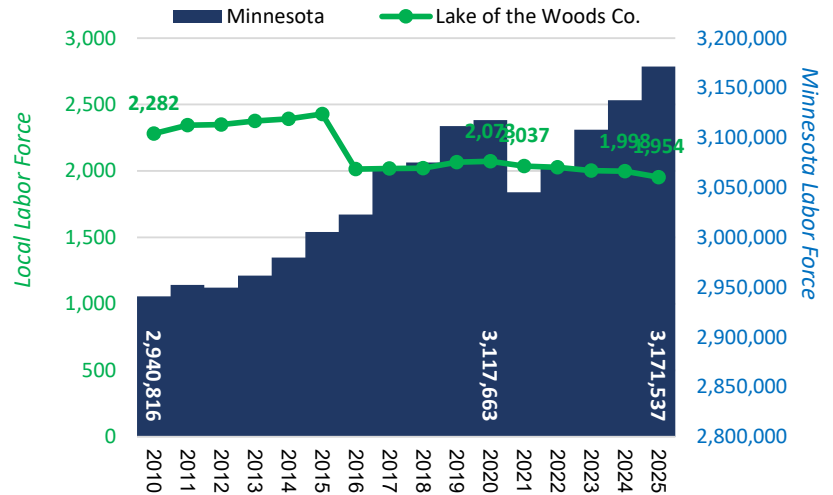
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2020-2024 American Community Survey

LABOR FORCE TRENDS

At 5%, Lake of the Woods Co. had a higher unemployment rate than the state in 2025. Lake of the Woods Co.'s unemployment rate declined compared to the 7% pandemic rate posted in 2020. The number of unemployed workers actively seeking work in Lake of the Woods Co. increased over the past year, and is down compared to 2020.

1,954 available workers	
Labor Force change, 2010-2025	-328 workers -14.4% decline
5.0% unemployment rate	
	3.9% state
98 unemployed workers	

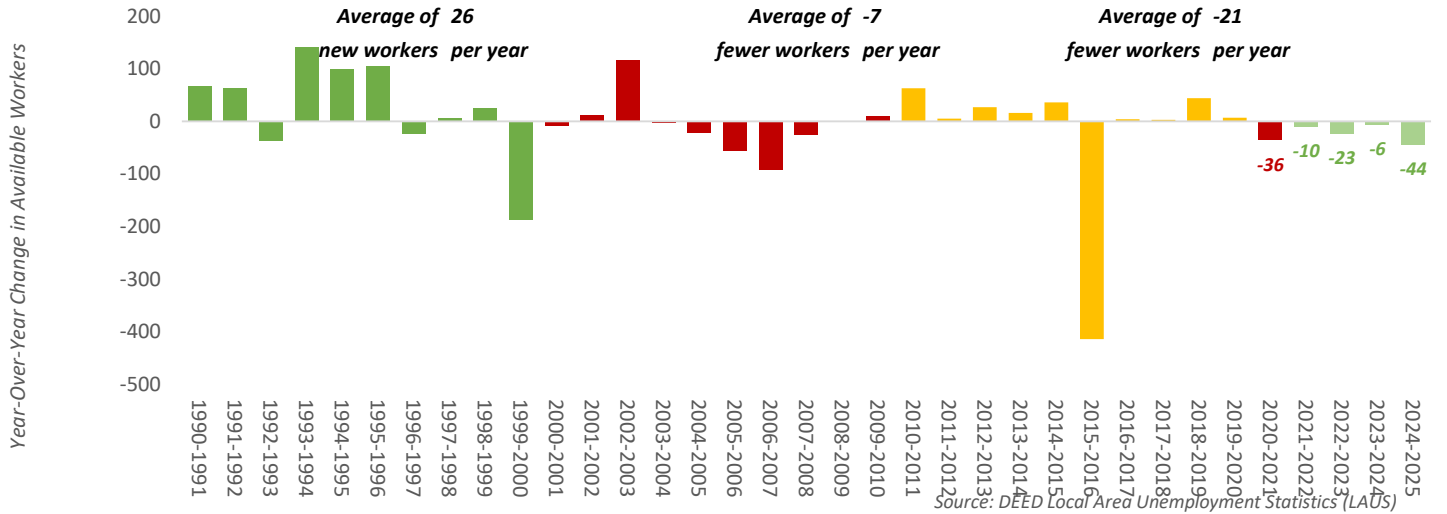
Figure 6. Annual Labor Force Estimates



Source: DEED Local Area Unemployment Statistics

Labor force growth has slowed in recent years. After experiencing a net gain of workers each year from 1990 to 2000, Lake of the Woods 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, Lake of the Woods Co. is expected to add workers from 2025 to 2035 (see Table 6).

Figure 7. Annual Change in Labor Force, 1990-2025



Source: DEED Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

	Labor Force Projection	
	2025	2035
16 to 24 years	299	342
25 to 54 years	1,130	1,314
55 to 64 years	470	387
65 years & over	252	204
Total Labor Force	2,151	2,247

Source: Minnesota State Demographic Center, 2020-2024 ACS

The labor market had grown extremely tight in recent years, with less than 1 jobseeker per vacancy until the pandemic recession. In 2024, job vacancies in Northwest returned to pre-pandemic levels and the number of unemployed workers was trending upward, but employers were still seeing challenges finding enough workers for open jobs (see Figure 8).

Figure 8. Jobseekers Per Vacancy, 2014-2024



Source: DEED Job Vacancy Survey, LAUS program

LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS

Lake of the Woods Co. had a lower labor force participation rate than the state. The labor force in Lake of the Woods Co. is less racially diverse than the state (where 78.7% of workers are white alone), but is becoming more diverse over time.

Table 7. Employment Characteristics, 2024

	Lake of the Woods Co.			Minnesota		Labor Force by Gender	
	In Labor Force (available workers)	Labor Force Partic. Rate	Unemp. Rate	Labor Force Partic. Rate	Unemp. Rate	Male	Female
Total Labor Force	2,112	66.8%	1.5%	68.1%	4.1%	1,173	938
16 to 19 years	68	64.8%	0.0%	52.6%	10.3%	39	29
20 to 24 years	168	99.4%	0.0%	83.3%	6.6%	137	31
25 to 44 years	752	92.0%	0.8%	88.7%	3.7%	404	348
45 to 54 years	301	90.7%	1.7%	87.8%	3.0%	156	145
55 to 64 years	567	79.6%	2.4%	72.7%	3.2%	273	294
65 to 74 years	242	35.2%	2.5%	27.7%	3.6%	161	81
75 years & over	13	3.8%	0.0%	6.7%	3.2%	3	10
Employment Characteristics by Race & Hispanic Origin						Figure 9. Labor Force by Race, 2024 	
White alone	1,816	64.8%	1.7%	67.0%	3.5%		
Black or African American	10	90.9%	0.0%	70.8%	8.7%		
American Indian & Alaska Native	76	100.0%	0.0%	58.0%	10.8%		
Asian or Other Pac. Islanders	7	100.0%	0.0%	75.2%	3.5%		
Some Other Race	6	100.0%	0.0%	75.4%	5.8%		
Two or More Races	196	75.7%	0.0%	74.0%	5.7%		
Hispanic or Latino	8	21.6%	0.0%	76.6%	5.8%		
Employment Characteristics by Disability, 20 to 64 years							
With Any Disability, 20 to 64 years	111	53.1%	0.0%	56.1%	9.4%		
Employment Characteristics by Educational Attainment, 25 to 64 years							
Population, 25 to 64 years	1,619	87.0%	1.5%	84.5%	3.4%		
Less than H.S. Diploma	39	72.2%	1.1%	66.2%	4.9%		
H.S. Diploma or Equivalent	369	83.1%	0.0%	76.6%	2.5%		
Some College or Assoc. Degree	645	83.5%	2.2%	85.0%	3.7%		
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	567	95.9%	0.0%	90.5%	2.2%		

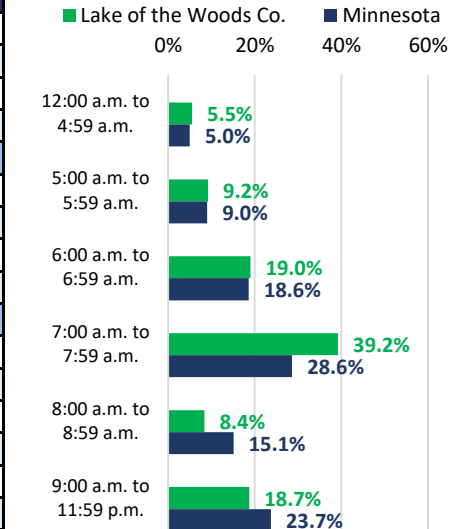
Source: 2020-2024 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

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

Table 8. Commuting Characteristics, 2024

	Lake of the Woods Co.		Minnesota	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Worked in state of residence	2,037	100.0%	2,875,211	97.8%
<i>Worked in county of residence</i>	1,640	80.5%	2,013,824	68.5%
<i>Worked out of county of residence</i>	397	19.5%	864,327	29.4%
Worked outside state of residence	0	0.0%	64,678	2.2%
MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK				
Car, truck, or van	1,780	87.4%	2,246,075	76.4%
Public transportation (excl. taxicab)	0	0.0%	52,918	1.8%
Other method (walk, bike, taxi, etc.)	149	7.3%	123,475	4.2%
Worked at home	110	5.4%	517,420	17.6%
TRAVEL TIME TO WORK				
Less than 10 minutes	756	37.1%	490,961	16.7%
10 to 19 minutes	629	30.9%	943,704	32.1%
20 to 29 minutes	312	15.3%	658,535	22.4%
30 to 44 minutes	185	9.1%	538,000	18.3%
45 to 59 minutes	96	4.7%	164,634	5.6%
60 or more minutes	61	3.0%	144,055	4.9%
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	16.2 minutes		22.7 minutes	

Figure 10. Time Leaving Home to go to Work, 2024



Source: 2020-2024 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

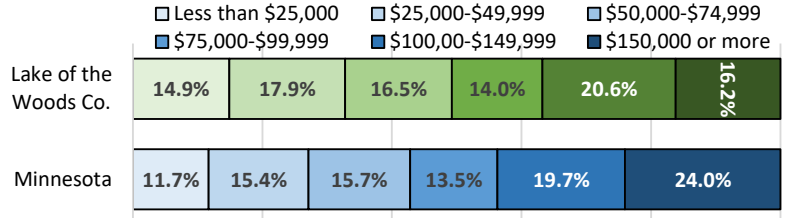
INCOMES, COST OF LIVING, & HOUSING

Lake of the Woods Co. had a lower median household income than the state, and a higher percentage of households with incomes below \$50,000. Overall, Lake of the Woods Co. had the 26th highest median household income of the 87 counties in the state.

Median Household Income	\$77,546
state	\$89,062
Median Family Income	\$93,974
state	\$113,993
Per Capita Income	\$43,861
state	\$48,237

Source: 2020-2024 American Community Survey

Figure 11. Household Incomes, 2024



Source: 2020-2024 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

The cost of living has increased in recent years with expenses up in many areas. Lake of the Woods Co. had a lower cost of living than the state, with a required hourly wage of \$13.98 for a single person living alone to meet a basic needs cost of living, and an hourly wage requirement of \$18.72 for a typical family with 2 adults and 1 child (see Table 9).

Table 9. Basic Needs Cost of Living Estimates, 2024

Single Adult, 0 children	Single Yearly Cost of Living	Hourly Wage Required	Monthly Costs						
			Child Care	Food	Health Care	Housing	Transportation	Other	Taxes
Lake of the Woods Co.	\$29,073	\$13.98	\$0	\$449	\$183	\$725	\$520	\$259	\$287
State of Minnesota	\$38,376	\$18.45	\$0	\$452	\$202	\$1,199	\$561	\$365	\$419

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
Lake of the Woods Co.	\$58,403	\$18.72	\$349	\$1,019	\$639	\$964	\$927	\$438	\$531
State of Minnesota	\$74,616	\$23.92	\$558	\$1,028	\$697	\$1,498	\$1,026	\$558	\$853

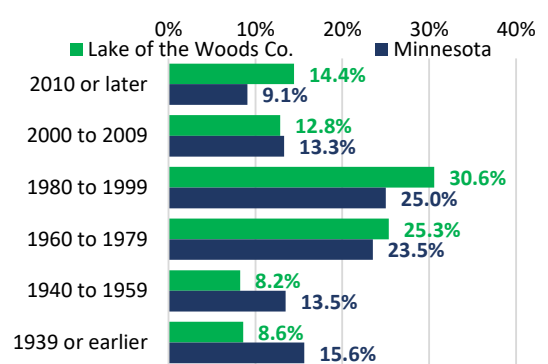
Source: DEED Cost of Living tool

Lake of the Woods Co. had a lower median house value than the state, having the 52nd highest value of the 87 counties in 2024. Lake of the Woods Co.'s housing stock was newer than the state's, with a higher percentage of units built since 2000 (see Figure 12).

Table 10. Estimated Value of Owner-occupied Housing Units, 2024	Lake of the Woods Co.		Minnesota
	Total	Percent	Percent
Total	1,486	100.0%	100.0%
Less than \$50,000	144	9.7%	4.0%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	172	11.6%	3.7%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	125	8.4%	5.2%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	243	16.4%	8.1%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	344	23.1%	22.6%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	403	27.1%	36.9%
\$500,000 or more	55	3.7%	19.6%
Median (dollars)	\$216,100		\$329,300

Source: 2020-2024 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

Figure 12. Year Structure Built, 2024



Median monthly owner costs, owner-occupied units with a mortgage	\$1,412
state	\$1,947

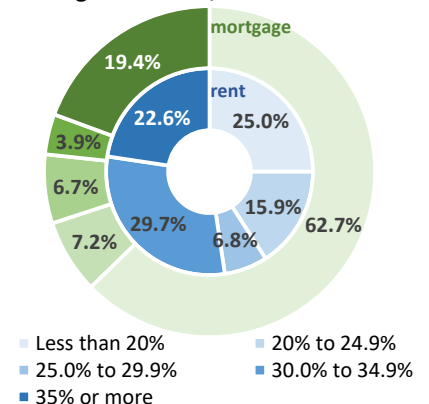
Percentage of households with a mortgage spending 30% or more of their income on housing costs	23.3%
state	23.2%

Median monthly rent costs	\$955
state	\$1,280

Percentage of renters spending 30% or more of their household income on rent	52.4%
state	48.1%

Source: 2020-2024 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

Figure 13. Housing Costs as a Percentage of Income, 2024



OCCUPATIONS

At \$22.84 in 2025, wages were lower in Region 2 than the state. Overall, Region 2 had the 3rd lowest median hourly wage level of the 13 economic development regions in the state. Wages were highest for management occupations (\$47.51) and lowest for food preparation and serving related jobs (\$14.6) (see Table 11).

Table 11. Occupational Employment & Wage Statistics, 2025

Occupational Group	Region 2				State of Minnesota		
	Median Hourly Wage	Estimated Regional Jobs	Share of Total Jobs	Regional Location Quotient	Median Hourly Wage	Estimated Statewide Jobs	Share of Total Jobs
Total, All Occupations	\$22.84	32,920	100.0%	1.0	\$26.22	2,920,470	100.0%
Management	\$47.51	1,730	5.3%	0.8	\$59.38	200,060	6.9%
Business & Financial Operations	\$35.25	1,210	3.7%	0.5	\$39.95	208,210	7.1%
Computer & Mathematical	\$37.41	240	0.7%	0.2	\$50.02	97,460	3.3%
Architecture & Engineering	\$40.00	440	1.3%	0.7	\$45.03	57,950	2.0%
Life, Physical & Social Science	\$35.35	340	1.0%	0.9	\$38.33	32,150	1.1%
Community & Social Service	\$30.19	1,030	3.1%	1.5	\$29.82	59,290	2.0%
Legal	\$45.77	170	0.5%	0.7	\$49.52	20,750	0.7%
Education, Training & Library	\$24.41	2,510	7.6%	1.3	\$27.84	170,270	5.8%
Arts, Design, Entertainment & Media	\$21.09	270	0.8%	0.7	\$28.84	36,030	1.2%
Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	\$39.97	2,300	7.0%	1.1	\$46.51	187,480	6.4%
Healthcare Support	\$18.49	1,990	6.0%	1.0	\$18.67	176,750	6.1%
Protective Service	\$29.07	830	2.5%	1.6	\$29.37	46,960	1.6%
Food Preparation & Serving Related	\$14.60	3,340	10.1%	1.2	\$16.05	240,830	8.2%
Building, Grounds Cleaning & Maint.	\$18.05	1,160	3.5%	1.3	\$19.16	81,700	2.8%
Personal Care & Service	\$16.78	740	2.2%	1.0	\$17.54	63,300	2.2%
Sales & Related	\$16.87	3,240	9.8%	1.2	\$18.66	244,780	8.4%
Office & Administrative Support	\$22.46	3,700	11.2%	1.0	\$24.07	340,040	11.6%
Farming, Fishing & Forestry	\$23.65	90	0.3%	2.4	\$23.48	3,300	0.1%
Construction & Extraction	\$30.56	1,890	5.7%	1.5	\$34.20	114,050	3.9%
Installation, Maintenance & Repair	\$27.93	1,590	4.8%	1.3	\$30.40	105,650	3.6%
Production	\$22.65	1,620	4.9%	0.7	\$23.56	205,220	7.0%
Transportation & Material Moving	\$21.38	2,480	7.5%	1.0	\$19.80	228,260	7.8%

Source: DEED Occupational Employment & Wage Statistics, Qtr. 1 2025

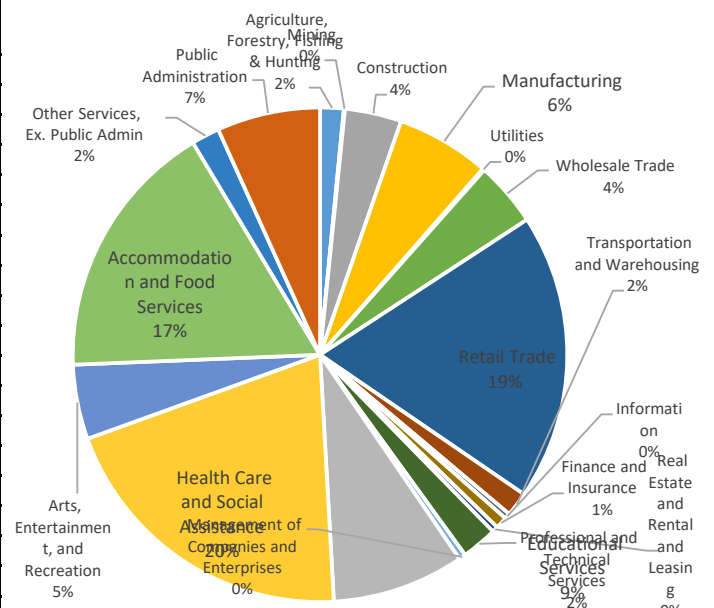
JOB VACANCY SURVEY

Lake of the Woods Co. is a part of the Northwest planning region. There were 12718 job vacancies posted by employers in 2024, indicating extensive opportunity in the region, with openings across several occupations and industries (see Figure 14).

Table 12. Northwest Job Vacancy Survey Results, 2024

Occupational Group	Number of Vacancies	Wage Offer
Total, All Occupations	12,718	\$18.57
Management	171	\$30.60
Business & Financial Operations	215	\$21.51
Computer & Mathematical	63	\$19.52
Architecture & Engineering	322	\$34.28
Life, Physical & Social Sciences	57	\$25.42
Community & Social Service	386	\$21.69
Education, Training & Library	638	\$20.64
Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	1,009	\$31.22
Healthcare Support	1,082	\$18.32
Protective Service	188	\$23.57
Food Preparation & Serving Related	2,330	\$15.00
Building, Grounds Cleaning & Maint.	625	\$17.65
Personal Care & Service	327	\$18.14
Sales & Related	1,850	\$15.63
Office & Administrative Support	525	\$18.77
Construction & Extraction	441	\$23.70
Installation, Maintenance & Repair	751	\$20.05
Production	604	\$19.93
Transportation & Material Moving	662	\$18.81

Figure 14. Job Vacancies by Industry, 2024



OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND

Table 13. Northwest Planning Region Occupations in Demand, 2025

High School or Less	Vocational Training	Associate Degree	Bachelor's Degree or Higher
Retail Salespersons \$34,731/yr	Nursing Assistants \$42,735/yr	Registered Nurses \$87,175/yr	Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education \$62,671/yr
Home Health and Personal Care Aides \$37,192/yr	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers \$57,658/yr	Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers \$77,799/yr	General and Operations Managers \$77,911/yr
Fast Food and Counter Workers \$30,264/yr	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses \$58,256/yr	Radiologic Technologists and Technicians \$79,629/yr	Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical \$62,998/yr
Cashiers \$29,907/yr	Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists \$60,780/yr	Dental Hygienists \$93,217/yr	Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education \$38,558/yr
Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners \$34,874/yr	Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks \$50,072/yr	Civil Engineering Technologists and Technicians \$76,366/yr	Accountants and Auditors \$68,758/yr
Waiters and Waitresses \$23,459/yr	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics \$49,015/yr	Paralegals and Legal Assistants \$60,312/yr	Substitute Teachers, Short-Term \$44,046/yr
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers \$46,176/yr	Substance abuse, behavioral disorder, and mental health counselors \$56,834/yr	Industrial Engineering Technologists and Technicians \$61,026/yr	Child, Family, and School Social Workers \$66,942/yr
Cooks, Restaurant \$36,688/yr	Machinists \$51,108/yr	Surgical Technologists \$67,653/yr	Civil Engineers \$95,647/yr
Stockers and Order Fillers \$41,330/yr	Farm Equipment Mechanics and Service Technicians \$59,711/yr	Veterinary Technologists and Technicians \$48,247/yr	Business Operations Specialists, All Other \$65,312/yr
Food Preparation Workers \$33,374/yr	Electricians \$73,544/yr	Architectural and Civil Drafters \$64,617/yr	Human Resources Specialists \$67,419/yr

Source: DEED Occupations in Demand

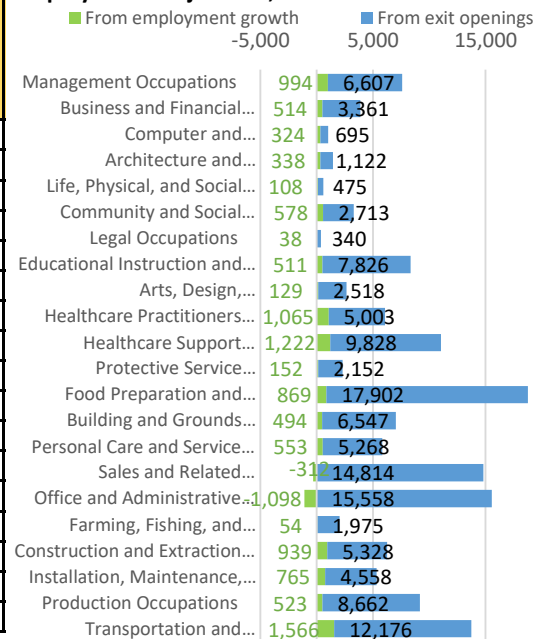
Lake of the Woods Co. is a part of the Northwest planning region, which is projected to see a 3.9% increase in employment levels over the next decade. In addition to new jobs created, there will be a much larger number of exit openings (see Figure 15).

Table 14. Regional Industry Employment Projections, 2022-2032

Northwest Planning Region	Estimated Employment 2022	Projected Employment 2032	Percent Change 2022-2032
Total, All Industries	265,321	275,647	3.9%
Natural Resources & Mining	6,095	6,335	3.9%
Utilities	1,126	1,125	-0.1%
Construction	11,719	12,715	8.5%
Manufacturing	29,871	31,429	5.2%
Wholesale Trade	12,936	14,034	8.5%
Retail Trade	27,705	27,590	-0.4%
Transportation & Warehousing	5,579	5,997	7.5%
Information	2,451	2,470	0.8%
Finance & Insurance, Real Estate	8,067	8,366	3.7%
Professional Services & Mgmt. of Companies	5,609	6,152	9.7%
Admin. Support & Waste Mgmt.	4,192	4,460	6.4%
Educational Services	22,849	22,989	0.6%
Health Care & Social Assistance	36,421	38,978	7.0%
Leisure & Hospitality	24,958	26,706	7.0%
Other Services	9,824	10,129	3.1%
Public Administration	24,161	24,869	2.9%

Source: DEED 2022-2032 Employment Outlook

Figure 15. Regional Occupational Employment Projections, 2022-2032



ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

After losing jobs over the past year, Lake of the Woods Co. had the 84th largest economy of the 87 counties in the state. Lake of the Woods Co. was the 85th fastest growing in the past year and the 82nd fastest growing since 2020. From 2020 to 2025, employment in Lake of the Woods Co. is still down from the pandemic recession.

181 business establishments

\$57,928 annual average wage

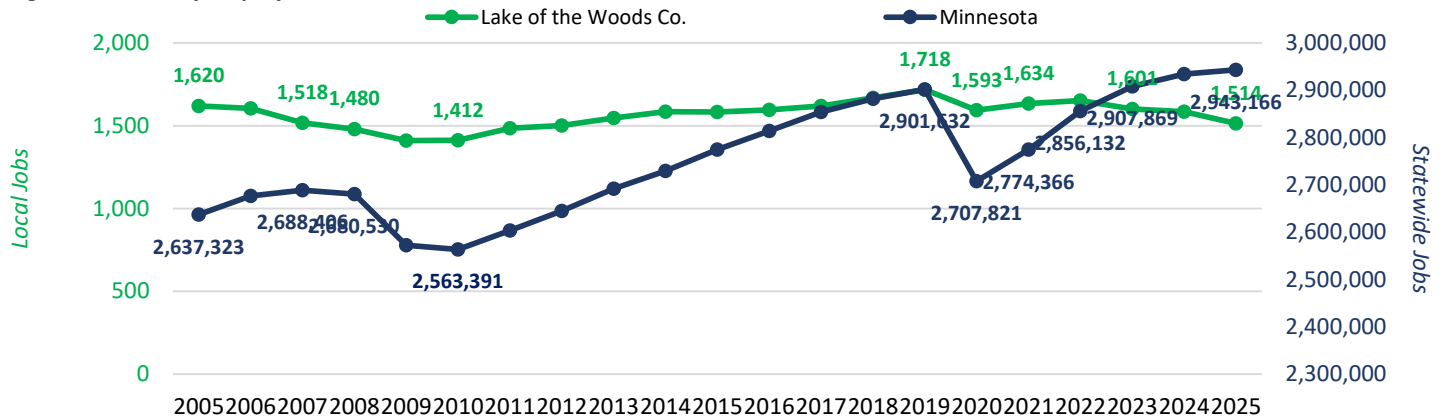
1,514 jobs

\$88,118,021 total industry payroll

Job change, 2020-2025	-79 jobs -5.0% decline
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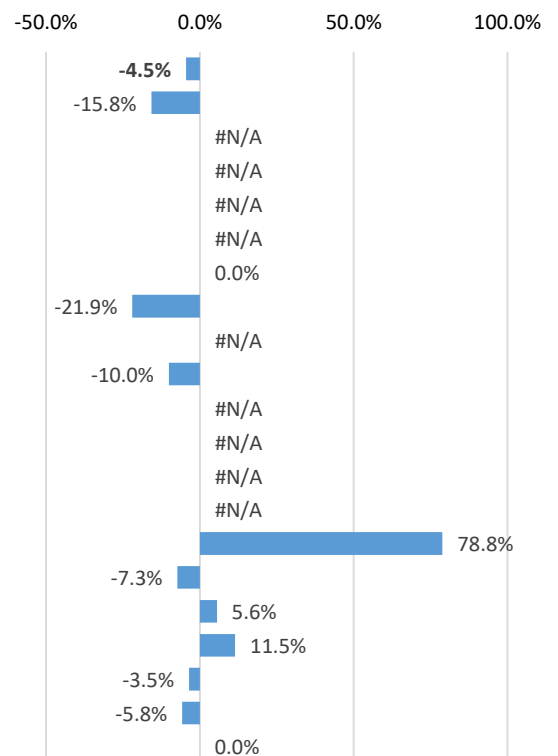
Figure 16. Industry Employment Statistics, 2005-2025

Source: DEED QCEW program



Industry	Number of Jobs	Percent of Total Jobs	Average Annual Wage
Total, All Industries	1,514	100.0%	\$57,928
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing & Hunting	41	2.7%	\$59,748
Mining	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Construction	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Manufacturing	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Utilities	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Wholesale Trade	26	1.7%	\$77,948
Retail Trade	146	9.6%	\$33,072
Transportation & Warehousing	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Information	9	0.6%	\$28,912
Finance & Insurance	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Professional & Technical Services	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Management of Companies	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Admin. Support & Waste Mgmt. Services	31	2.0%	\$59,800
Educational Services	89	5.9%	\$47,528
Health Care & Social Assistance	152	10.0%	\$68,952
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	68	4.5%	\$25,532
Accommodation & Food Services	410	27.1%	\$28,080
Other Services	49	3.2%	\$16,172
Public Administration	143	9.4%	\$70,252

Figure 17. Change in Jobs, 2024-2025



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

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