

Profile of Participating Nebraska Communities: 2000

Sidney (Cheyenne County)

Sidney, with 6,282 residents, is home to *Cabela's*, a nationally prominent and highly successful retail sporting goods enterprise currently employing 1,300 workers in their home facility, with plans for expansion that will require an additional 700 workers over the next four years.

Population	6,282
Households	2,621
% w/Children	31.0
Families	1,672
% Population <18 yrs	26.2
% Population 65+ yrs	17.2
% Population 19 – 64 yrs	56.6
Median Age	38
Housing Units	2,890
Median HH Income	\$33,935
Per Capita Income	\$17,158
% Population < Poverty	9.0

Wayne (Wayne County)

Wayne is a small trade center of 5,583 located in close proximity to both a Metropolitan and a Micropolitan center, Wayne is home to a State University campus and has a significant manufacturing base.

Population	5,583
Households	1,850
% w/Children	24.6
Families	989
% Population <18 yrs	15.7
% Population 65+ yrs	13.4
% Population 19 – 64 yrs	70.9
Median Age	23
Housing Units	1,963
Median HH Income	\$27,730
Per Capita Income	\$13,984
% Population < Poverty	20.0

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Stanley (Mountrail County)

Stanley is a county seat community of 1,279 which is experiencing an employment boom related to oil production.

Population	1,279
Households	576
% w/Children	24.0
Families	332
% Population <18 yrs	22.3
% Population 65+ yrs	30.3
% Population 19 – 64 yrs	47.4
Median Age	47
Housing Units	664
Median HH Income	\$23,993
Per Capita Income	\$15,349
% Population < Poverty	10.7

Underwood (McLean County)

Underwood is a community of 812 residents at the northern edge of the Bismarck labor shed and characterized by rapid growth in mining and energy generation, and expecting significant workforce turnover in the near future.

Population	812
Households	323
% w/Children	27.2
Families	229
% Population <18 yrs	20.9
% Population 65+ yrs	22.8
% Population 19 – 64 yrs	56.3
Median Age	46
Housing Units	381
Median HH Income	\$35,250
Per Capita Income	\$17,916
% Population < Poverty	11.7

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Edgemont - Hot Springs (Fall River County)

Edgemont and Hot Springs are neighboring communities with 5,000 residents and significant railroad and mining employment located on the edge of the rapidly growing Black Hills region.

Edgemont

Population	867
Households	409
% w/Children	21.0
Families	260
% Population <18 yrs	20.0
% Population 65+ yrs	24.6
% Population 19 – 64 yrs	56.4
Median Age	49
Housing Units	516
Median HH Income	\$24,919
Per Capita Income	\$17,273
% Population < Poverty	18.6

Hot Springs

Population	4,129
Households	1,704
% w/Children	23.5
Families	962
% Population <18 yrs	24.0
% Population 65+ yrs	24.2
% Population 19 – 64 yrs	51.8
Median Age	45
Housing Units	1,900
Median HH Income	\$27,079
Per Capita Income	\$16,618
% Population < Poverty	14.8

Groton (Brown County)

Groton is a community of 1,356 residents with a diversified economy located in a largely agricultural area.

Population	1,356
Households	524
% w/Children	35.7
Families	372
% Population <18 yrs	27.8
% Population 65+ yrs	22.0
% Population 19 – 64 yrs	50.2
Median Age	39
Housing Units	581
Median HH Income	\$38,125
Per Capita Income	\$17,248
% Population < Poverty	5.8