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## Introduction and Executive Summary

This report is part of a Statewide Affordable Housing Market Study commissioned by the Oklahoma Department of Commerce (ODOC) in partnership with the Oklahoma Housing Finance Agency (OHFA), as an outgrowth of the 2013 tornado outbreak in Oklahoma. It was funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (USHUD) through the Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery program (CDBG-DR). This study was conducted by a public/private partnership between Integra Realty Resources - Tulsa/OKC, the University of Oklahoma College of Architecture, Division of Regional and City Planning, and DeBruler Inc. IRR-Tulsa/OKC, The University of Oklahoma, and DeBruler Inc. also prepared a prior statewide study in 2001, also commissioned by ODOC in partnership with OHFA.

This study is a value-added product derived from the original 2001 statewide housing study that incorporates additional topics and datasets not included in the 2001 study, which impact affordable housing throughout the state. These topic areas include:

- Disaster Resiliency
- Homelessness
- Assessment of Fair Housing
- Evaluation of Residential Lead-Based Paint Hazards

These topics are interrelated in terms of affordable housing policy, housing development, and disaster resiliency and recovery. Homeless populations are more vulnerable in the event of a disaster, as are many of the protected classes under the Fair Housing Act. Lead-based paint is typically more likely to be present in housing units occupied by low-to-moderate income persons, and can also present an environmental hazard in the wake of a disaster. Effective affordable housing policy can mitigate the impact of natural and manmade disasters by encouraging the development and preservation of safe, secure, and disaster-resilient housing for Oklahoma's most vulnerable populations.

## Housing Market Analysis Specific Findings:

1. The population of Delaware County is projected to grow by $0.20 \%$ per year over the next five years, underperforming the State of Oklahoma.
2. Delaware County is projected to need a total of 210 housing units for ownership and 60 housing units for rent over the next five years.
3. Median Household Income in Delaware County is estimated to be $\$ 39,229$ in 2015, compared with $\$ 47,049$ estimated for the State of Oklahoma. The poverty rate in Delaware County is estimated to be $21.23 \%$, compared with $16.85 \%$ for Oklahoma.
4. Homeowner and rental vacancy rates in Delaware County are higher than the state averages, though the rental vacancy rate in Grove is somewhat lower.
5. Home values and rental rates in Delaware County are also lower than the state averages, though home values in Grove are higher than the state as a whole.
6. Average sale price for homes in Grove was $\$ 191,478$ in 2015 , with an average price per square foot of $\$ 101.36$. The average year of construction for homes sold in 2015 is estimated to be 1995.
7. Approximately $30.56 \%$ of renters and $23.56 \%$ of owners are housing cost overburdened.

## Disaster Resiliency Specific Findings:

1. Tornadoes (1959-2014): Number: 49 Injuries:53 Fatalities:0 Damages (1996-2014): \$14,310,000.00
2. Social Vulnerability: Below state score at the county level; Delaware (town) at the census tract level has an elevated score.
3. Floodplain: Delaware County, Oklahoma experienced 20 floods from 05/09/1993 to $07 / 03 / 2004$ that resulted in $\$ 85,000$ in property damage from flash floods. No injuries or deaths were reported.

## Homelessness Specific Findings

1. Delaware County is located in the Northeast Oklahoma Continuum of Care.
2. There are an estimated 383 homeless individuals in this area, 300 of which are identified as sheltered.
3. There is a disproportionately high number of homeless households comprised of children in this $\operatorname{CoC}$ (24 out of 300 ).
4. This area also has a high incidence of homeless victims of domestic violence (168).
5. The majority of homeless veterans are unsheltered.

## Fair Housing Specific Findings

1. Units at risk for poverty: 695
2. Units in mostly non-white enclaves: 285
3. Units nearer higher number of disabled persons: 712
4. Units further than 15 miles to a hospital: 28

## Lead-Based Paint Specific Findings

5. We estimate there are 1,942 occupied housing units in Delaware County with lead-based paint hazards.
6. 966 of those housing units are estimated to be occupied by low-to-moderate income households.
7. We estimate that 259 of those low-to-moderate income households have children under the age of 6 present.

## Report Format and Organization

The first section of this report comprises the housing market analysis for Delaware County. This section is divided into general area information, followed by population, household and income trends and analysis, then followed by area economic conditions. The next area of analysis concerns the housing stock of Delaware County, including vacancy rates, construction activity and trends, and analyses of the homeowner and rental markets. This section is followed by five-year forecasts of housing need for owners and renters, as well as specific populations such as low-to-moderate income households, the elderly, and working families.

The next section of this report addresses special topics of concern:

- Disaster Resiliency
- Homelessness
- Fair Housing
- Lead-Based Paint Hazards

This last section is followed by a summary of the conclusions of this report for Delaware County.

## General Information

## Purpose and Function of the Market Study

The purpose of this market study is to evaluate the need for affordable housing units in Delaware County, Oklahoma. The analysis will consider existing supply and projected demand and overall market trends in the Delaware County area.

## Effective Date of Consultation

The Delaware County area was inspected and research was performed during November, 2015. The effective date of this analysis is November 13, 2015. The date of this report is December 31, 2015. The market study is valid only as of the stated effective date or dates.

## Scope of the Assignment

1. The Delaware County area was inspected during November, 2015. The inspection included visits to all significant population centers in the county and portions of the rural county areas.
2. Regional, city and neighborhood data is based on information retained from national, state, and local government entities; various Chambers of Commerce, news publications, and other sources of economic indicators.
3. Specific economic data was collected from all available public agencies. Population and household information was collected from national demographic data services as well as available local governments. Much data was gathered regarding market specific items from personal interviews.
4. Development of the applicable analysis involved the collection and interpretation of verified data from local property owners/managers, realtors, and other individuals active within the area real estate market.
5. The analyst's assemblage and analysis of the defined data provided a basis from which conclusions as to the supply of and demand for residential housing were made.

## Data Sources

Specific data sources used in this analysis include but are not limited to:

1. The 2000 and 2010 Decennial Censuses of Population and Housing
2. The 2009-2013 American Community Survey (ACS)
3. U.S. Census Bureau Residential Construction Branch, Manufacturing and Construction Division
4. The United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, including the Local Area Unemployment Statistics and the Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages programs
5. The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, including the Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy (CHAS), and the 2013 Picture of Subsidized Households
6. Continuum of Care Assistance Programs
7. The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
8. Nielsen SiteReports (formerly known as Claritas)
9. The Oklahoma State Department of Health
10. The Oklahoma Department of Human Services
11. The Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, Oklahoma City Branch
12. The Federal Reserve Bank of New York

## Delaware County Analysis

## Area Information

The purpose of this section of the report is to provide a basis for analyzing and estimating trends relating to Delaware County. The primary emphasis is concentrated on those factors that are of significance to residential development users. Residential and commercial development in the community is influenced by the following factors:

1. Population and economic growth trends.
2. Existing commercial supply and activity.
3. Natural physical elements.
4. Political policy and attitudes toward community development.

## Location

Delaware County is located in northeast Oklahoma. The eastern boundary of the county borders both Missouri and Arkansas. The Delaware County seat, Jay, is approximately 65 miles northeast of the Tulsa central business district, and 50 miles southwest of Joplin, Missouri.

Delaware County has a total area of 792 square miles ( 738 square miles of land, and 54 square miles of water), ranking 43rd out of Oklahoma's 77 counties in terms of total area. The total population of Delaware County as of the 2010 Census was 41,487 persons, for a population density of 56 persons per square mile of land.

## Access and Linkages

The county is well located in relationship to state and national highway systems. Grove is located at the intersection of U.S. Highway 59 and State Highways 10 and 25. Interstate 44, the primary northeast/southwest highway in this part of the state, is accessible 12 miles north of Grove via U.S. Highway 59. Access to the Tulsa metropolitan area, Grove, and most rural parts of the county is easily accessible from the various state and federal highways. Additionally, the county has a well-maintained interior road system.

Public transportation is provided by Pelivan Transit, which is owned and operated by Grand Gateway Economic Development Association. Pelivan provides curb-to-curb demand response service, deviated fixed employment routes, and a trolley loop in Miami. Pelivan services the counties of Craig, Delaware, Mayes, northern Tulsa, Ottawa and Rogers, along with tribal transit services. The local market perceives public transportation as average compared to other communities in the region of similar size. However, the primary mode of transportation in this area is private automobiles by far.

The area is served by two local airports: Grove Municipal Airport and Grand Lakes Regional Airport. The nearest commercial airport is Tulsa International Airport, approximately 68 miles southwest of Grove.

## Educational Facilities

All of the county communities have public school facilities. In addition, Northeastern Oklahoma A\&M has a branch located in Grove. Northeastern Technology Center has a branch campus in the town of Kansas (the main campus is in Pryor). Several other area colleges and universities are accessible to students including Northeastern Oklahoma A\&M in Miami and Missouri Southern in Joplin, Missouri.

## Medical Facilities

County medical services are provided by INTEGRIS Grove General Hospital, a 58-bed full-service hospital with intensive care rooms, private medical-surgical rooms, a comprehensive radiology department and four operating rooms. The current facility opened in 2009 at a reported cost of $\$ 56$ million. Local physicians and dentists offer additional professional services. The smaller county communities typically have either small out patient medical services or doctors offices in the community.

## Delaware County Area Map



## Grove Area Map



## Demographic Analysis

## Population and Households

The following table presents population levels and annualized changes in Delaware County and Oklahoma. This data is presented as of the 2000 Census, the 2010 Census, with 2015 and 2020 estimates and forecasts provided by Nielsen SiteReports.

| Population Levels and Annual Changes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
|  | 2000 | 2010 | Annual | 2015 | Annual | 2020 | Annual |  |
|  | Census | Census | Change | Estimate | Change | Forecast | Change |  |
| Grove | 5,131 | 6,623 | $2.59 \%$ | 6,908 | $0.85 \%$ | 7,192 | $0.81 \%$ |  |
| Delaware County | 37,077 | 41,487 | $1.13 \%$ | 41,337 | $-0.07 \%$ | 41,751 | $0.20 \%$ |  |
| State of Oklahoma | $3,450,654$ | $3,751,351$ | $0.84 \%$ | $3,898,675$ | $0.77 \%$ | $4,059,399$ | $0.81 \%$ |  |
| Sources: 2000 and 2010 Decennial Censuses, Nielsen SiteReports |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

The population of Delaware County was 41,487 persons as of the 2010 Census, a $1.13 \%$ annualized rate of change from the 2000 Census. As of 2015, Nielsen SiteReports estimates the population of Delaware County to be 41,337 persons, and projects that the population will show $0.20 \%$ annualized growth over the next five years.

The population of Grove was 6,623 persons as of the 2010 Census, a $2.59 \%$ annualized rate of change from the 2000 Census. As of 2015, Nielsen SiteReports estimates the population of Grove to be 6,908 persons, and projects that the population will show $0.81 \%$ annualized growth over the next five years.

The next table presents data regarding household levels in Delaware County over the same periods of time. This data is presented both for all households (family and non-family) as well as family households alone.

| Households Levels and Annual Changes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Total Households | 2000 | 2010 | Annual | 2015 | Annual | 2020 | Annual |
|  | Census | Census | Change | Estimate | Change | Forecast | Change |
| Grove | 2,286 | 2,996 | $2.74 \%$ | 3,113 | $0.77 \%$ | 3,259 | $0.92 \%$ |
| Delaware County | 14,838 | 17,093 | $1.42 \%$ | 17,158 | $0.08 \%$ | 17,428 | $0.31 \%$ |
| State of Oklahoma | $1,342,293$ | $1,460,450$ | $0.85 \%$ | $1,520,327$ | $0.81 \%$ | $1,585,130$ | $0.84 \%$ |
| Family Households | 2000 | 2010 | Annual | 2015 | Annual | 2020 | Annual |
|  | Census | Census | Change | Estimate | Change | Forecast | Change |
| Grove | 1,491 | 1,880 | $2.35 \%$ | 1,988 | $1.12 \%$ | 2,083 | $0.94 \%$ |
| Delaware County | 10,767 | 11,808 | $0.93 \%$ | 11,844 | $0.06 \%$ | 12,014 | $0.29 \%$ |
| State of Oklahoma | 921,750 | 975,267 | $0.57 \%$ | $1,016,508$ | $0.83 \%$ | $1,060,736$ | $0.86 \%$ |
| Sources: 2000 and 2010 Decennial Censuses, Nielsen SiteReports |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

As of 2010, Delaware County had a total of 17,093 households, representing a $1.42 \%$ annualized rate of change since the 2000 Census. As of 2015, Nielsen SiteReports estimates Delaware County to have 17,158 households. This number is expected to experience a $0.31 \%$ annualized rate of growth over the next five years.

As of 2010, Grove had a total of 2,996 households, representing a $2.74 \%$ annualized rate of change since the 2000 Census. As of 2015, Nielsen SiteReports estimates Grove to have 3,113 households. This number is expected to experience a $0.92 \%$ annualized rate of growth over the next five years.

## Population by Race and Ethnicity

The next table presents data regarding the racial and ethnic composition of Delaware County based on the U.S. Census Bureau's American Community Survey.

## 2013 Population by Race and Ethnicity

|  | Grove |  | Delaware County |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Single-Classification Race | No. | Percent | No. | Percent |
| Total Population | 6,643 |  | 41,394 |  |
| White Alone | 5,627 | $84.71 \%$ | 27,745 | $67.03 \%$ |
| Black or African American Alone | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 108 | $0.26 \%$ |
| Amer. Indian or Alaska Native Alone | 654 | $9.84 \%$ | 9,034 | $21.82 \%$ |
| Asian Alone | 98 | $1.48 \%$ | 521 | $1.26 \%$ |
| Native Hawaiian and Other Pac. Isl. Alone | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 22 | $0.05 \%$ |
| Some Other Race Alone | 12 | $0.18 \%$ | 361 | $0.87 \%$ |
| Two or More Races | 252 | $3.79 \%$ | 3,603 | $8.70 \%$ |
| Population by Hispanic or Latino Origin | Grove |  | Delaware County |  |
|  | No. | Percent | No. | Percent |
| Total Population | 6,643 |  | 41,394 |  |
| Hispanic or Latino | 83 | $1.25 \%$ | 1,278 | $3.09 \%$ |
| Hispanic or Latino, White Alone | 63 | $75.90 \%$ | 594 | $46.48 \%$ |
| Hispanic or Latino, All Other Races | 20 | $24.10 \%$ | 684 | $53.52 \%$ |
| Not Hispanic or Latino | 6,560 | $98.75 \%$ | 40,116 | $96.91 \%$ |
| Not Hispanic or Latino, White Alone | 5,564 | $84.82 \%$ | 27,151 | $67.68 \%$ |
| Not Hispanic or Latino, All Other Races | 996 | $15.18 \%$ | 12,965 | $32.32 \%$ |

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2009-2013 American Community Survey, Tables B02001 \& B03002

In Delaware County, racial and ethnic minorities comprise $34.41 \%$ of the total population. Within Grove, racial and ethnic minorities represent 16.24\% of the population.

## Population by Age

The next tables present data regarding the age distribution of the population of Delaware County. This data is provided as of the 2010 Census, with estimates and forecasts provided by Nielsen SiteReports.

| Delaware County Population By Age |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & 2010 \\ & \text { Census } \end{aligned}$ | Percent of Total | 2015 <br> Estimate | Percent of Total | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 2020 \\ & \text { Forecast } \end{aligned}$ | Percent of Total | 2000-2015 <br> Ann. Chng. | 2015-2020 <br> Ann. Chng. |
| Population by Age | 41,487 |  | 41,337 |  | 41,751 |  |  |  |
| Age 0-4 | 2,365 | 5.70\% | 2,058 | 4.98\% | 2,128 | 5.10\% | -2.74\% | 0.67\% |
| Age 5-9 | 2,570 | 6.19\% | 2,307 | 5.58\% | 2,069 | 4.96\% | -2.14\% | -2.15\% |
| Age 10-14 | 2,662 | 6.42\% | 2,624 | 6.35\% | 2,326 | 5.57\% | -0.29\% | -2.38\% |
| Age 15-17 | 1,710 | 4.12\% | 1,667 | 4.03\% | 1,666 | 3.99\% | -0.51\% | -0.01\% |
| Age 18-20 | 1,342 | 3.23\% | 1,467 | 3.55\% | 1,544 | 3.70\% | 1.80\% | 1.03\% |
| Age 21-24 | 1,546 | 3.73\% | 1,875 | 4.54\% | 2,128 | 5.10\% | 3.93\% | 2.56\% |
| Age 25-34 | 3,925 | 9.46\% | 3,920 | 9.48\% | 4,317 | 10.34\% | -0.03\% | 1.95\% |
| Age 35-44 | 4,527 | 10.91\% | 4,321 | 10.45\% | 4,014 | 9.61\% | -0.93\% | -1.46\% |
| Age 45-54 | 5,995 | 14.45\% | 5,254 | 12.71\% | 4,704 | 11.27\% | -2.60\% | -2.19\% |
| Age 55-64 | 6,309 | 15.21\% | 6,297 | 15.23\% | 6,167 | 14.77\% | -0.04\% | -0.42\% |
| Age 65-74 | 5,275 | 12.71\% | 6,022 | 14.57\% | 6,940 | 16.62\% | 2.68\% | 2.88\% |
| Age 75-84 | 2,537 | 6.12\% | 2,713 | 6.56\% | 2,840 | 6.80\% | 1.35\% | 0.92\% |
| Age 85 and over | 724 | 1.75\% | 812 | 1.96\% | 908 | 2.17\% | 2.32\% | 2.26\% |
| Age 55 and over | 14,845 | 35.78\% | 15,844 | 38.33\% | 16,855 | 40.37\% | 1.31\% | 1.24\% |
| Age 62 and over | 9,705 | 23.39\% | 10,624 | 25.70\% | 11,630 | 27.86\% | 1.83\% | 1.83\% |
| Median Age | 45.2 |  | 45.8 |  | 46.5 |  | 0.26\% | 0.30\% |
| Source: Nielsen SiteReports |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

As of 2015, Nielsen estimates that the median age of Delaware County is 45.8 years. This compares with the statewide figure of 36.6 years. Approximately $4.98 \%$ of the population is below the age of 5 , while $25.70 \%$ is over the age of 62 . Over the next five years, the population age 62 and above is forecasted to grow by $1.83 \%$ per year.

| Grove Population By Age |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 2010 \\ & \text { Census } \end{aligned}$ | Percent of Total | 2015 <br> Estimate | Percent of Total | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 2020 \\ & \text { Forecast } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | Percent of Total | 2000-2015 <br> Ann. Chng. | 2015-2020 <br> Ann. Chng. |
| Population by Age | 6,623 |  | 6,908 |  | 7,192 |  |  |  |
| Age 0-4 | 386 | 5.83\% | 355 | 5.14\% | 385 | 5.35\% | -1.66\% | 1.64\% |
| Age 5-9 | 384 | 5.80\% | 394 | 5.70\% | 367 | 5.10\% | 0.52\% | -1.41\% |
| Age 10-14 | 374 | 5.65\% | 414 | 5.99\% | 412 | 5.73\% | 2.05\% | -0.10\% |
| Age 15-17 | 228 | 3.44\% | 247 | 3.58\% | 271 | 3.77\% | 1.61\% | 1.87\% |
| Age 18-20 | 193 | 2.91\% | 216 | 3.13\% | 249 | 3.46\% | 2.28\% | 2.88\% |
| Age 21-24 | 251 | 3.79\% | 266 | 3.85\% | 328 | 4.56\% | 1.17\% | 4.28\% |
| Age 25-34 | 582 | 8.79\% | 631 | 9.13\% | 696 | 9.68\% | 1.63\% | 1.98\% |
| Age 35-44 | 636 | 9.60\% | 671 | 9.71\% | 656 | 9.12\% | 1.08\% | -0.45\% |
| Age 45-54 | 777 | 11.73\% | 746 | 10.80\% | 728 | 10.12\% | -0.81\% | -0.49\% |
| Age 55-64 | 929 | 14.03\% | 888 | 12.85\% | 839 | 11.67\% | -0.90\% | -1.13\% |
| Age 65-74 | 1,033 | 15.60\% | 1,194 | 17.28\% | 1,353 | 18.81\% | 2.94\% | 2.53\% |
| Age 75-84 | 611 | 9.23\% | 643 | 9.31\% | 653 | 9.08\% | 1.03\% | 0.31\% |
| Age 85 and over | 239 | 3.61\% | 243 | 3.52\% | 255 | 3.55\% | 0.33\% | 0.97\% |
| Age 55 and over | 2,812 | 42.46\% | 2,968 | 42.96\% | 3,100 | 43.10\% | 1.09\% | 0.87\% |
| Age 62 and over | 1,923 | 29.03\% | 2,103 | 30.45\% | 2,258 | 31.39\% | 1.81\% | 1.43\% |
| Median Age | 48.6 |  | 48.5 |  | 48.2 |  | -0.04\% | -0.12\% |
| Source: Nielsen SiteReports |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

As of 2015, Nielsen estimates that the median age of Grove is 48.5 years. This compares with the statewide figure of 36.6 years. Approximately $5.14 \%$ of the population is below the age of 5 , while $30.45 \%$ is over the age of 62 . Over the next five years, the population age 62 and above is forecasted to grow by $1.43 \%$ per year.

Compared with the state and the nation, Grove and Delaware County as a whole have relatively older populations, though the age 62 and over cohort is projected to grow at a slower rate than the population has a whole, which is contrary to state and national trends which are forecasting much faster growth in the senior population compared with the population at large.

## Families by Presence of Children

The next table presents data for Delaware County regarding families by the presence of children.

## 2013 Family Type by Presence of Children Under 18 Years

|  | Grove |  | Delaware County |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | No. | Percent | No. | Percent |
| Total Families: | 1,961 |  | 11,582 |  |
| Married-Couple Family: | 1,650 | $84.14 \%$ | 9,178 | $79.24 \%$ |
| With Children Under 18 Years | 359 | $18.31 \%$ | 2,535 | $21.89 \%$ |
| No Children Under 18 Years | 1,291 | $65.83 \%$ | 6,643 | $57.36 \%$ |
| Other Family: | 311 | $15.86 \%$ | 2,404 | $20.76 \%$ |
| Male Householder, No Wife Present | 66 | $3.37 \%$ | 843 | $7.28 \%$ |
| $\quad$ With Children Under 18 Years | 24 | $1.22 \%$ | 379 | $3.27 \%$ |
| $\quad$ No Children Under 18 Years | 42 | $2.14 \%$ | 464 | $4.01 \%$ |
| Female Householder, No Husband Present | 245 | $12.49 \%$ | 1,561 | $13.48 \%$ |
| $\quad$ With Children Under 18 Years | 157 | $8.01 \%$ | 820 | $7.08 \%$ |
| No Children Under 18 Years | 88 | $4.49 \%$ | 741 | $6.40 \%$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Single Parent Families | 181 |  | 1,199 |  |
| Male Householder | 24 | $13.26 \%$ | 379 | $31.61 \%$ |
| Female Householder | 157 | $86.74 \%$ | 820 | $68.39 \%$ |
| Source: U.s. Census Bureau, 2009-2013 American Community Survey, Table B11003 |  |  |  |  |

As shown, within Delaware County, among all families $10.35 \%$ are single-parent families, while in Grove, the percentage is $9.23 \%$.

## Population by Presence of Disabilities

The following table compiles data regarding the non-institutionalized population of Delaware County by presence of one or more disabilities.

2013 Age by Number of Disabilities

|  | Grove |  | Delaware County |  | State of Oklahoma <br> No. | Percent |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2009-2013 American Community Survey, Table C18108

Within Delaware County, $20.71 \%$ of the civilian non-institutionalized population has one or more disabilities, compared with $15.59 \%$ of Oklahomans as a whole. In Grove the percentage is $24.21 \%$. Compared with the rest of the state, persons in Delaware County and particularly Grove are more likely to have one or more disabilities.

We have also compiled data for the veteran population of Delaware County by presence of disabilities, shown in the following table:

| 2013 Population by Veteran and Disability Status |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Grove |  | Delaware County | State of Oklahoma |  |  |
|  | No. | Percent | No. | Percent | No. | Percent |
| Civilian Population Age 18+ For Whom |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Poverty Status is Determined | 5,357 |  | 31,935 |  | $2,738,788$ |  |
| Veteran: | 876 | $16.35 \%$ | 4,284 | $13.41 \%$ | 305,899 | $11.17 \%$ |
| With a Disability | 370 | $42.24 \%$ | 1,649 | $38.49 \%$ | 100,518 | $32.86 \%$ |
| No Disability | 506 | $57.76 \%$ | 2,635 | $61.51 \%$ | 205,381 | $67.14 \%$ |
| Non-veteran: | 4,481 | $83.65 \%$ | 27,651 | $86.59 \%$ | $2,432,889$ | $88.83 \%$ |
| With a Disability | 1,177 | $26.27 \%$ | 6,205 | $22.44 \%$ | 430,610 | $17.70 \%$ |
| No Disability | 3,304 | $73.73 \%$ | 21,446 | $77.56 \%$ | $2,002,279$ | $82.30 \%$ |
| Source: $2009-2013$ American Community Survey, Table C21007 |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Within Delaware County, the Census Bureau estimates there are 4,284 veterans, $38.49 \%$ of which have one or more disabilities (compared with $32.86 \%$ at a statewide level). In Grove, there are an estimated 876 veterans, $42.24 \%$ of which are estimated to have a disability. Like the population as a whole, veterans in Delaware County are more likely to have one or more disabilities compared with veterans in the rest of the state.

## Group Quarters Population

The next table presents data regarding the population of Delaware County living in group quarters, such as correctional facilities, skilled-nursing facilities, student housing and military quarters.

| 2010 Group Quarters Population |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Grove | Delaware County |  |  |
|  | No. | Percent | No. | Percent |
| Total Population | 6,623 |  | 41,487 |  |
| Group Quarters Population | 133 | $2.01 \%$ | 356 | $0.86 \%$ |
| Institutionalized Population | 133 | $2.01 \%$ | 321 | $0.77 \%$ |
| $\quad$ Correctional facilities for adults | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 62 | $0.15 \%$ |
| $\quad$ Juvenile facilities | 8 | $0.12 \%$ | 39 | $0.09 \%$ |
| $\quad$ Nursing facilities/Skilled-nursing facilities | 125 | $1.89 \%$ | 220 | $0.53 \%$ |
| Other institutional facilities | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 0 | $0.00 \%$ |
| Noninstitutionalized population | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 35 | $0.08 \%$ |
| $\quad$ College/University student housing | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 0 | $0.00 \%$ |
| Military quarters | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 0 | $0.00 \%$ |
| $\quad$ Other noninstitutional facilities | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 35 | $0.08 \%$ |

Source: 2010 Decennial Census, Table P42

The percentage of the Delaware County population in group quarters is somewhat lower than the statewide figure, which was $2.99 \%$ in 2010.

## Household Income Levels

Data in the following chart shows the distribution of household income in Delaware County, as well as median and average household income. Data for Oklahoma is included as a basis of comparison. This data is provided by Nielsen SiteReports for 2015.

| 2015 Household Income Distribution |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Grove |  | Delaware County |  | State of Oklahoma |  |
|  | No. | Percent | No. | Percent | No. | Percent |
| Households by HH Income | 3,113 |  | 17,158 |  | $1,520,327$ |  |
| $<\$ 15,000$ | 483 | $15.52 \%$ | 2,664 | $15.53 \%$ | 213,623 | $14.05 \%$ |
| $\$ 15,000-\$ 24,999$ | 552 | $17.73 \%$ | 2,896 | $16.88 \%$ | 184,613 | $12.14 \%$ |
| $\$ 25,000-\$ 34,999$ | 386 | $12.40 \%$ | 2,268 | $13.22 \%$ | 177,481 | $11.67 \%$ |
| $\$ 35,000-\$ 49,999$ | 431 | $13.85 \%$ | 2,664 | $15.53 \%$ | 229,628 | $15.10 \%$ |
| $\$ 50,000-\$ 74,999$ | 561 | $18.02 \%$ | 3,157 | $18.40 \%$ | 280,845 | $18.47 \%$ |
| $\$ 75,000-\$ 99,999$ | 227 | $7.29 \%$ | 1,508 | $8.79 \%$ | 173,963 | $11.44 \%$ |
| $\$ 100,000-\$ 124,999$ | 147 | $4.72 \%$ | 842 | $4.91 \%$ | 106,912 | $7.03 \%$ |
| $\$ 125,000-\$ 149,999$ | 106 | $3.41 \%$ | 446 | $2.60 \%$ | 57,804 | $3.80 \%$ |
| $\$ 150,000-\$ 199,999$ | 100 | $3.21 \%$ | 332 | $1.93 \%$ | 48,856 | $3.21 \%$ |
| $\$ 200,000-\$ 249,999$ | 28 | $0.90 \%$ | 141 | $0.82 \%$ | 18,661 | $1.23 \%$ |
| $\$ 250,000-\$ 499,999$ | 66 | $2.12 \%$ | 169 | $0.98 \%$ | 20,487 | $1.35 \%$ |
| $\$ 500,000+$ | 26 | $0.84 \%$ | 71 | $0.41 \%$ | 7,454 | $0.49 \%$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Median Household Income | $\$ 39,716$ |  | $\$ 39,229$ |  | $\$ 47,049$ |  |
| Average Household Income | $\$ 60,621$ |  | $\$ 53,948$ |  | $\$ 63,390$ |  |

Source: Nielsen SiteReports

As shown, median household income for Delaware County is estimated to be $\$ 39,229$ in 2015. By way of comparison, the median household income of Oklahoma is estimated to be $\$ 47,049$. For Grove, median household income is estimated to be $\$ 39,716$.


## Household Income Trend

Next we examine the long-term growth of incomes in Delaware County, from the results of the 2000 Census (representing calendar year 1999), through the current 2015 estimates provided by Nielsen SiteReports. This data is then annualized into a compounded annual growth rate to estimate nominal annual household income growth over this period of time. We then compare the rate of annual growth with the rate of inflation over the same period of time (measured using the Consumer Price Index for all urban consumers, South Region, Size Class D, from May 1999 through May 2015). Subtracting the annual rate of inflation from the nominal rate of annual income growth yields a "real" rate of income growth which takes into account the effect of increasing prices of goods and services.

| Household Income Trend |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | 1999 Median | 2015 Median | Nominal <br> GH | Inflation | Real |
|  | HH Income | HH Income | Growth | Rate | Growth |
| Grove | $\$ 28,464$ | $\$ 39,716$ | $2.10 \%$ | $2.40 \%$ | $-0.30 \%$ |
| Delaware County | $\$ 27,996$ | $\$ 39,229$ | $2.13 \%$ | $2.40 \%$ | $-0.27 \%$ |
| State of Oklahoma | $\$ 33,400$ | $\$ 47,049$ | $2.16 \%$ | $2.40 \%$ | $-0.23 \%$ |

Sources: 2000 Decennial Census, Summary File 3, Table P53; Nielsen SiteReports; CPI All Urban Consumers, South Region, Size Class D
As shown, both Delaware County and the State of Oklahoma as a whole saw negative growth in "real" median household income, once inflation is taken into account. It should be noted that this trend is not unique to Oklahoma or Delaware County, but rather a national trend. Over the same period, the
national median household income increased from \$41,994 to \$53,706 (for a nominal annualized growth rate of $1.55 \%$ ) while the Consumer Price Index increased at an annualized rate of $2.26 \%$, for a "real" growth rate of $-0.72 \%$.

## Poverty Rates

Overall rates of poverty in Delaware County and Oklahoma are shown in the following table. This data is included from the 2013 American Community Survey, as well as the 2000 Census to show how these rates have changed over the last decade. We also include poverty rates for single-parent families by gender of householder.

| Poverty Rates |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
|  | 2000 | 2013 | Change | 2013 Poverty Rates for Single-Parent Families |  |
|  | Census | ACS | (Basis Points) | Male Householder | Female Householder |
| Grove | $14.45 \%$ | $16.50 \%$ | 205 | $0.00 \%$ | $72.61 \%$ |
| Delaware County | $18.27 \%$ | $21.23 \%$ | 297 | $55.15 \%$ | $51.95 \%$ |
| State of Oklahoma | $14.72 \%$ | $16.85 \%$ | 213 | $22.26 \%$ | $47.60 \%$ |

Sources: 2000 Decennial Census Table P87, 2009-2013 American Community Survey Tables B17001 \& B17023

The poverty rate in Delaware County is estimated to be $21.23 \%$ by the American Community Survey. This is an increase of 297 basis points since the 2000 Census. Within Grove, the poverty rate is estimated to be $16.50 \%$. It should be noted that increasing poverty rates over this period of time is a national trend: between the 2000 Census and the 2013 American Community Survey, the poverty rate of the United States increased from $12.38 \%$ to $15.37 \%$, an increase of 299 basis points.

## Economic Conditions

## Employment and Unemployment

The following table presents total employment figures and unemployment rates for Delaware County, with figures for Oklahoma and the United States for comparison. This data is as of May 2015.

| Employment and Unemployment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | May-2010 | May-2015 | Annual | May-2010 | May-2015 | Change |  |
|  | Employment | Employment | Growth | Unemp. Rate | Unemp. Rate | (bp) |  |
| Delaware County | 15,998 | 17,166 | $1.42 \%$ | $7.8 \%$ | $4.7 \%$ | -310 |  |
| State of Oklahoma | $1,650,748$ | $1,776,187$ | $1.48 \%$ | $6.8 \%$ | $4.4 \%$ | -240 |  |
| United States (thsds) | 139,497 | 149,349 | $1.37 \%$ | $9.3 \%$ | $5.3 \%$ | -400 |  |
| Sources: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics and Current Population Survey |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

As of May 2015, total employment in Delaware County was 17,166 persons. Compared with figures from May 2010, this represents annualized employment growth of $1.42 \%$ per year. The unemployment rate in May was $4.7 \%$, a decrease of -310 basis points from May 2010, which was $7.8 \%$. Over the last five years, both the statewide and national trends have been improving employment levels and declining unemployment rates, and Delaware County has mirrored these trends.

## Employment Level Trends

The following chart shows total employment and unemployment levels in Delaware County from January 2000 through May 2015, as reported by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics program.

## Employment and Unemployment in Delaware County January 2000 through May 2015



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics

As shown, total employment levels have generally trended upward from 2000 the end of 2009. The sharp dip shown in January 2010 is not an actual decline in employment, but rather a recalibration on the part of the Bureau of Labor Statistics. However, since that time total employment in Delaware County had been effectively flat, excepting an upward trend in the last twelve months to the county's current employment level of 17,166 persons. The number of unemployed persons in May 2015 was 856 , out of a total labor force of 18,022 persons.

## Unemployment Rate Trends

The next chart shows historic unemployment rates for Delaware County, as well as Oklahoma and the United States for comparison. This data covers the time period of January 2000 through May 2015, and has not been seasonally adjusted.


Sources: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics and Current Population Survey

As shown, unemployment rates in Delaware County increased moderately from 2000 through 2003, and then generally declined until the $4^{\text {th }}$ quarter of 2008 as the effects of the national economic recession were felt. Unemployment rates began to decline again in 2010, to their current level of $4.7 \%$. On the whole, unemployment rates in Delaware County track very well with statewide figures but are typically somewhat above the state. Compared with the United States, unemployment rates in Delaware County and Oklahoma are and have historically been below the national average.

## Employment and Wages by Industrial Supersector

The next table presents data regarding employment in Delaware County by industry, including total number of establishments, average number of employees in 2014, average annual pay, and location quotients for each industry compared with the United States. This data is furnished by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages program.

| Employees and Wages by Supersector - 2014 |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supersector | Establishments | Avg. No. of Employees | Percent of Total | Avg. Annual Pay | Location Quotient |
| Federal Government | 10 | 79 | 0.91\% | \$51,422 | 0.46 |
| State Government | 12 | 149 | 1.72\% | \$33,962 | 0.52 |
| Local Government | 44 | 2,376 | 27.44\% | \$30,998 | 2.72 |
| Natural Resources and Mining | 11 | 52 | 0.60\% | \$24,423 | 0.40 |
| Construction | 96 | 401 | 4.63\% | \$31,003 | 1.04 |
| Manufacturing | 38 | 801 | 9.25\% | \$33,328 | 1.04 |
| Trade, Transportation, and Utilities | 188 | 1,456 | 16.81\% | \$25,672 | 0.88 |
| Information | 8 | 45 | 0.52\% | \$56,741 | 0.26 |
| Financial Activities | 75 | 349 | 4.03\% | \$35,845 | 0.72 |
| Professional and Business Services | 92 | 397 | 4.58\% | \$35,422 | 0.33 |
| Education and Health Services | 82 | 1,212 | 14.00\% | \$31,823 | 0.93 |
| Leisure and Hospitality | 74 | 1,101 | 12.71\% | \$14,013 | 1.19 |
| Other Services | 55 | 242 | 2.79\% | \$22,966 | 0.90 |
| Total | 783 | 8,660 |  | \$28,778 | 1.00 |

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

## Employment Sectors - 2014



[^0]Among private employers, the largest percentage of persons (16.81\%) are employed in Trade, Transportation, and Utilities. The average annual pay in this sector is $\$ 25,672$ per year. The industry with the highest annual pay is Information, with average annual pay of $\$ 56,741$ per year.

The rightmost column of the previous table provides location quotients for each industry for Delaware County, as compared with the United States. Location quotients (LQs) are ratios used to compare the concentration of employment in a given industry to a larger reference, in this case the United States. They are calculated by dividing the percentage of employment in a given industry in a given geography (Delaware County in this instance), by the percentage of employment in the same industry in the United States. For example, if manufacturing in a certain county comprised $10 \%$ of total employment, while in the United States manufacturing comprised 5\% of total employment, the location quotient would be 2.0:
$10 \%$ (county manufacturing \%) / 5\% (U.S. manufacturing \%) $=2.0$

Location quotients greater than 1.0 indicate a higher concentration of employment compared with the nation, and suggest that the industry in question is an important contributor to the local economic base. Quotients less than 1.0 indicate that the industry makes up a smaller share of the local economy than the rest of the nation.

Within Delaware County, among all industries the largest location quotient is in Local Government, with a quotient of 2.72 . The local government sector includes tribal government. Among private employers, the largest is Leisure and Hospitality, with a quotient of 1.19.

The next table presents average annual pay in Delaware County by industry, in comparison with Oklahoma as a whole and the United States.

| Comparison of 2014 Average Annual Pay by Supersector |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  | State of | United | Percent of | Percent of |
| Supersector | Delaware County | Oklahoma | States | State | Nation |
| Federal Government | $\$ 51,422$ | $\$ 66,411$ | $\$ 75,784$ | $77.4 \%$ | $67.9 \%$ |
| State Government | $\$ 33,962$ | $\$ 44,721$ | $\$ 54,184$ | $75.9 \%$ | $62.7 \%$ |
| Local Government | $\$ 30,998$ | $\$ 36,300$ | $\$ 46,146$ | $85.4 \%$ | $67.2 \%$ |
| Natural Resources and Mining | $\$ 24,423$ | $\$ 87,445$ | $\$ 59,666$ | $27.9 \%$ | $40.9 \%$ |
| Construction | $\$ 31,003$ | $\$ 47,127$ | $\$ 55,041$ | $65.8 \%$ | $56.3 \%$ |
| Manufacturing | $\$ 33,328$ | $\$ 53,614$ | $\$ 62,977$ | $62.2 \%$ | $52.9 \%$ |
| Trade, Transportation, and Utilities | $\$ 25,672$ | $\$ 40,563$ | $\$ 42,988$ | $63.3 \%$ | $59.7 \%$ |
| Information | $\$ 56,741$ | $\$ 54,513$ | $\$ 90,804$ | $104.1 \%$ | $62.5 \%$ |
| Financial Activities | $\$ 35,845$ | $\$ 53,212$ | $\$ 85,261$ | $67.4 \%$ | $42.0 \%$ |
| Professional and Business Services | $\$ 35,422$ | $\$ 47,890$ | $\$ 66,657$ | $74.0 \%$ | $53.1 \%$ |
| Education and Health Services | $\$ 31,823$ | $\$ 41,536$ | $\$ 45,951$ | $76.6 \%$ | $69.3 \%$ |
| Leisure and Hospitality | $\$ 14,013$ | $\$ 16,568$ | $\$ 20,993$ | $84.6 \%$ | $66.8 \%$ |
| Other Services | $\$ 22,966$ | $\$ 31,669$ | $\$ 33,935$ | $72.5 \%$ | $67.7 \%$ |
| Total | $\$ 28,778$ | $\$ 43,774$ | $\$ 51,361$ | $65.7 \%$ | $\mathbf{5 6 . 0 \%}$ |

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

## Average Annual Pay - 2014



Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

In comparison with the rest of Oklahoma, Delaware County has lower average wages in Information, and lower average wages in each of the other employment sectors, very notably so in Natural Resources and Mining.

## Working Families

The following table presents data on families by employment status, and presence of children.

| Families by Employment Status and Presence of Children |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Grove |  | Delaware County |  | State of Oklahoma |  |
|  | No. | Percent | No. | Percent | No. | Percent |
| Total Families | 1,961 |  | 11,582 |  | 961,468 |  |
| With Children <18 Years: | 540 | 27.54\% | 3,734 | 32.24\% | 425,517 | 44.26\% |
| Married Couple: | 359 | 66.48\% | 2,535 | 67.89\% | 281,418 | 66.14\% |
| Both Parents Employed | 125 | 34.82\% | 1,268 | 50.02\% | 166,700 | 59.24\% |
| One Parent Employed | 206 | 57.38\% | 1,099 | 43.35\% | 104,817 | 37.25\% |
| Neither Parent Employed | 28 | 7.80\% | 168 | 6.63\% | 9,901 | 3.52\% |
| Other Family: | 181 | 33.52\% | 1,199 | 32.11\% | 144,099 | 33.86\% |
| Male Householder: | 24 | 13.26\% | 379 | 31.61\% | 36,996 | 25.67\% |
| Employed | 24 | 100.00\% | 277 | 73.09\% | 31,044 | 83.91\% |
| Not Employed | 0 | 0.00\% | 102 | 26.91\% | 5,952 | 16.09\% |
| Female Householder: | 157 | 86.74\% | 820 | 68.39\% | 107,103 | 74.33\% |
| Employed | 141 | 89.81\% | 635 | 77.44\% | 75,631 | 70.62\% |
| Not Employed | 16 | 10.19\% | 185 | 22.56\% | 31,472 | 29.38\% |
| Without Children <18 Years: | 1,421 | 72.46\% | 7,848 | 67.76\% | 535,951 | 55.74\% |
| Married Couple: | 1,291 | 90.85\% | 6,643 | 84.65\% | 431,868 | 80.58\% |
| Both Spouses Employed | 220 | 17.04\% | 1,850 | 27.85\% | 167,589 | 38.81\% |
| One Spouse Employed | 271 | 20.99\% | 1,889 | 28.44\% | 138,214 | 32.00\% |
| Neither Spouse Employed | 800 | 61.97\% | 2,904 | 43.72\% | 126,065 | 29.19\% |
| Other Family: | 130 | 9.15\% | 1,205 | 15.35\% | 104,083 | 19.42\% |
| Male Householder: | 42 | 5.25\% | 464 | 15.98\% | 32,243 | 25.58\% |
| Employed | 0 | 0.00\% | 284 | 61.21\% | 19,437 | 60.28\% |
| Not Employed | 42 | 100.00\% | 180 | 38.79\% | 12,806 | 39.72\% |
| Female Householder: | 88 | 67.69\% | 741 | 61.49\% | 71,840 | 69.02\% |
| Employed | 29 | 32.95\% | 304 | 41.03\% | 36,601 | 50.95\% |
| Not Employed | 59 | 67.05\% | 437 | 58.97\% | 35,239 | 49.05\% |
| Total Working Families: | 1,016 | 51.81\% | 7,606 | 65.67\% | 740,033 | 76.97\% |
| With Children <18 Years: | 496 | 48.82\% | 3,279 | 43.11\% | 378,192 | 51.10\% |
| Without Children <18 Years: | 520 | 51.18\% | 4,327 | 56.89\% | 361,841 | 48.90\% |

Source: 2009-2013 American Community Survey, Table B23007

Within Delaware County, there are 7,606 working families, $43.11 \%$ of which have children under the age of 18 present. This compares with $51.10 \%$ in Oklahoma as a whole.

## Major Employers

Major employers in the Delaware County area are presented in the following table, as reported by the Grove Area Chamber of Commerce.

| Major Employers in Grove Area |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Company | No. Employees |
| Simmons Foods Inc. (5 county, 3 state area) | 3,980 |
| INTEGRIS Grove General Hospital | 354 |
| Grove Public School System | 324 |
| Wal-Mart Supercenter | 323 |
| Grand Lake Casino | 236 |
| Wyandotte Casino | 210 |
| Northeast Oklahoma Electric Cooperative | 200 |
| Precision Machine \& Manufacturing | 145 |
| Grove Nursing Center | 119 |
| Harp's | 110 |
| Lowe's \#1752 | 103 |
| City of Grove | 92 |
| Source: Grove Area Chamber of Commerce |  |

As can be seen, the area has a variety of major employers in numerous industries. Recreation related to Grand Lake is another very significant employer in the area.

## Commuting Patterns

## Travel Time to Work

The next table presents data regarding travel time to work in Delaware County.

| Workers 16 Years and Over by Commuting Time to Work |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Grove |  | Delaware County |  |  |  |  |  | State of Oklahoma |  |
|  | No. | Percent | No. | Percent | No. | Percent |  |  |  |  |
| Commuting Workers: | $\mathbf{2 , 0 9 1}$ |  | $\mathbf{1 4 , 9 8 8}$ |  | $\mathbf{1 , 6 1 3 , 3 6 4}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Less than 15 minutes | 1,235 | $59.06 \%$ | 4,765 | $31.79 \%$ | 581,194 | $36.02 \%$ |  |  |  |  |
| 15 to 30 minutes | 311 | $14.87 \%$ | 4,629 | $30.88 \%$ | 625,885 | $38.79 \%$ |  |  |  |  |
| 30 to 45 minutes | 257 | $12.29 \%$ | 2,638 | $17.60 \%$ | 260,192 | $16.13 \%$ |  |  |  |  |
| 45 to 60 minutes | 154 | $7.36 \%$ | 1,269 | $8.47 \%$ | 74,625 | $4.63 \%$ |  |  |  |  |
| 60 or more minutes | 134 | $6.41 \%$ | 1,687 | $11.26 \%$ | 71,468 | $4.43 \%$ |  |  |  |  |
| Source: $2009-2013$ American Community Survey, Table B08303 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Within Delaware County, the largest percentage of workers (31.79\%) travel fewer than 15 minutes to work. Although Delaware County has an active labor market, it also serves to some extent as a bedroom community to the greater Oklahoma City metro area.

## Means of Transportation

Data in the following table presents data regarding means of transportation for employed persons in Delaware County.

| Workers 16 Years and Over by Means of Transportation to Work |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |
|  | Grove |  | Delaware County |  |  |  |  | State of Oklahoma |
|  | No. | Percent | No. | Percent | No. | Percent |  |  |
| Total Workers Age 16+ | $\mathbf{2 , 1 5 8}$ |  | $\mathbf{1 5 , 7 8 5}$ |  | $\mathbf{1 , 6 7 3 , 0 2 6}$ |  |  |  |
| Car, Truck or Van: | 2,044 | $94.72 \%$ | 14,362 | $90.99 \%$ | $1,551,461$ | $92.73 \%$ |  |  |
| Drove Alone | 1,823 | $89.19 \%$ | 12,231 | $85.16 \%$ | $1,373,407$ | $88.52 \%$ |  |  |
| Carpooled | 221 | $10.81 \%$ | 2,131 | $14.84 \%$ | 178,054 | $11.48 \%$ |  |  |
| Public Transportation | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 8 | $0.05 \%$ | 8,092 | $0.48 \%$ |  |  |
| Taxicab | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 984 | $0.06 \%$ |  |  |
| Motorcycle | 12 | $0.56 \%$ | 29 | $0.18 \%$ | 3,757 | $0.22 \%$ |  |  |
| Bicycle | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 4,227 | $0.25 \%$ |  |  |
| Walked | 35 | $1.62 \%$ | 378 | $2.39 \%$ | 30,401 | $1.82 \%$ |  |  |
| Other Means | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 211 | $1.34 \%$ | 14,442 | $0.86 \%$ |  |  |
| Worked at Home | 67 | $3.10 \%$ | 797 | $5.05 \%$ | 59,662 | $3.57 \%$ |  |  |

Source: 2009-2013 American Community Survey, Table $B 08301$

As shown, the vast majority of persons in Delaware County commute to work by private vehicle, with a small percentage of persons working from home.

## Housing Stock Analysis

## Existing Housing Units

The following table presents data regarding the total number of housing units in Delaware County. This data is provided as of the 2000 Census, the 2010 Census, with a 2015 estimate furnished by Nielsen SiteReports.

| Total Housing Units |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | 2000 | 2010 | Annual | 2015 | Annual |
|  | Census | Census | Change | Estimate | Change |
| Grove | 2,807 | 3,665 | $2.70 \%$ | 3,781 | $0.63 \%$ |
| Delaware County | 22,290 | 24,818 | $1.08 \%$ | 25,030 | $0.17 \%$ |
| State of Oklahoma | $1,514,400$ | $1,664,378$ | $0.95 \%$ | $1,732,484$ | $0.81 \%$ |
| Sources: 2000 and 2010 Decennial Censuses, Nielsen SiteReports |  |  |  |  |  |

Since the 2010, Nielsen estimates that the number of housing units in Delaware County grew by 0.17\% per year, to a total of 25,030 housing units in 2015. In terms of new housing unit construction, Delaware County underperformed Oklahoma as a whole between 2010 and 2015.

## Housing by Units in Structure

The next table separates housing units in Delaware County by units in structure, based on data from the Census Bureau's American Community Survey.

| 2013 Housing Units by Units in Structure |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Grove |  | Delaware County |  | State of Oklahoma |  |
|  | No. | Percent | No. | Percent | No. | Percent |
| Total Housing Units | 3,839 |  | 24,754 |  | 1,669,828 |  |
| 1 Unit, Detached | 2,752 | 71.69\% | 16,573 | 66.95\% | 1,219,987 | 73.06\% |
| 1 Unit, Attached | 126 | 3.28\% | 480 | 1.94\% | 34,434 | 2.06\% |
| Duplex Units | 107 | 2.79\% | 245 | 0.99\% | 34,207 | 2.05\% |
| 3-4 Units | 214 | 5.57\% | 475 | 1.92\% | 42,069 | 2.52\% |
| 5-9 Units | 63 | 1.64\% | 203 | 0.82\% | 59,977 | 3.59\% |
| 10-19 Units | 31 | 0.81\% | 111 | 0.45\% | 57,594 | 3.45\% |
| 20-49 Units | 18 | 0.47\% | 106 | 0.43\% | 29,602 | 1.77\% |
| 50 or More Units | 30 | 0.78\% | 78 | 0.32\% | 30,240 | 1.81\% |
| Mobile Homes | 498 | 12.97\% | 6,380 | 25.77\% | 159,559 | 9.56\% |
| Boat, RV, Van, etc. | 0 | 0.00\% | 103 | 0.42\% | 2,159 | 0.13\% |
| Total Multifamily Units | 463 | 12.06\% | 1,218 | 4.92\% | 253,689 | 15.19\% |
| Source: 2009-2013 American Community Survey, Table B25024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Within Delaware County, 66.95\% of housing units are single-family, detached. $4.92 \%$ of housing units are multifamily in structure (two or more units per building), while $26.19 \%$ of housing units comprise mobile homes, RVs, etc.

Within Grove, $71.69 \%$ of housing units are single-family, detached. 12.06\% of housing units are multifamily in structure, while $12.97 \%$ of housing units comprise mobile homes, RVs, etc.

## Housing Units Number of Bedrooms and Tenure

Data in the following table presents housing units in Delaware County by tenure (owner/renter), and by number of bedrooms.

| $\mathbf{2 0 1 3}$ Housing Units by Tenure and Number of Bedrooms |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Grove |  | Delaware County |  |  |  |  |  | State of Oklahoma |  |
|  | No. | Percent | No. | Percent | No. | Percent |  |  |  |  |
| Total Occupied Housing Units | $\mathbf{3 , 0 6 3}$ |  | $\mathbf{1 6 , 5 8 9}$ |  | $\mathbf{1 , 4 4 4 , 0 8 1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Owner Occupied: | $\mathbf{2 , 1 4 8}$ | $\mathbf{7 0 . 1 3 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 2 , 9 0 2}$ | $\mathbf{7 7 . 7 7 \%}$ | $\mathbf{9 6 8 , 7 3 6}$ | $\mathbf{6 7 . 0 8 \%}$ |  |  |  |  |
| No Bedroom | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 54 | $0.42 \%$ | 2,580 | $0.27 \%$ |  |  |  |  |
| 1 Bedroom | 15 | $0.70 \%$ | 573 | $4.44 \%$ | 16,837 | $1.74 \%$ |  |  |  |  |
| 2 Bedrooms | 571 | $26.58 \%$ | 3,280 | $25.42 \%$ | 166,446 | $17.18 \%$ |  |  |  |  |
| 3 Bedrooms | 1,242 | $57.82 \%$ | 7,108 | $55.09 \%$ | 579,135 | $59.78 \%$ |  |  |  |  |
| 4 Bedrooms | 281 | $13.08 \%$ | 1,653 | $12.81 \%$ | 177,151 | $18.29 \%$ |  |  |  |  |
| 5 or More Bedrooms | 39 | $1.82 \%$ | 234 | $1.81 \%$ | 26,587 | $2.74 \%$ |  |  |  |  |
| Renter Occupied: | 915 | $\mathbf{2 9 . 8 7 \%}$ | $\mathbf{3 , 6 8 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 2 . 2 3 \%}$ | $\mathbf{4 7 5 , 3 4 5}$ | $\mathbf{3 2 . 9 2 \%}$ |  |  |  |  |
| No Bedroom | 23 | $2.51 \%$ | 114 | $3.09 \%$ | 13,948 | $2.93 \%$ |  |  |  |  |
| 1 Bedroom | 207 | $22.62 \%$ | 562 | $15.24 \%$ | 101,850 | $21.43 \%$ |  |  |  |  |
| 2 Bedrooms | 393 | $42.95 \%$ | 1,471 | $39.90 \%$ | 179,121 | $37.68 \%$ |  |  |  |  |
| 3 Bedrooms | 211 | $23.06 \%$ | 1,240 | $33.63 \%$ | 152,358 | $32.05 \%$ |  |  |  |  |
| 4 Bedrooms | 81 | $8.85 \%$ | 268 | $7.27 \%$ | 24,968 | $5.25 \%$ |  |  |  |  |
| 5 or More Bedrooms | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 32 | $0.87 \%$ | 3,100 | $0.65 \%$ |  |  |  |  |
| Source: $2009-2013$ American Community Survey, Table B25042 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

The overall homeownership rate in Delaware County is $77.77 \%$, while $22.23 \%$ of housing units are renter occupied. In Grove, the homeownership rate is $70.13 \%$, while $29.87 \%$ of households are renters.

## Housing Units Tenure and Household Income

The next series of tables analyze housing units by tenure, and by household income.

| Delaware County Owner/Renter Percentages by Income Band in 2013 |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Household Income | Total |  |  |  |  |
|  | Households | Total Owners | Total Renters | \% Owners | \% Renters |
| Total | 16,589 | 12,902 | 3,687 | 77.77\% | 22.23\% |
| Less than \$5,000 | 665 | 372 | 293 | 55.94\% | 44.06\% |
| \$5,000-\$9,999 | 768 | 436 | 332 | 56.77\% | 43.23\% |
| \$10,000-\$14,999 | 1,362 | 909 | 453 | 66.74\% | 33.26\% |
| \$15,000-\$19,999 | 1,391 | 1,076 | 315 | 77.35\% | 22.65\% |
| \$20,000-\$24,999 | 1,570 | 1,094 | 476 | 69.68\% | 30.32\% |
| \$25,000-\$34,999 | 2,245 | 1,822 | 423 | 81.16\% | 18.84\% |
| \$35,000-\$49,999 | 2,565 | 1,851 | 714 | 72.16\% | 27.84\% |
| \$50,000-\$74,999 | 2,857 | 2,380 | 477 | 83.30\% | 16.70\% |
| \$75,000-\$99,999 | 1,452 | 1,339 | 113 | 92.22\% | 7.78\% |
| \$100,000-\$149,999 | 1,091 | 1,051 | 40 | 96.33\% | 3.67\% |
| \$150,000 or more | 623 | 572 | 51 | 91.81\% | 8.19\% |
| Income Less Than \$25,000 | 5,756 | 3,887 | 1,869 | 67.53\% | 32.47\% |
| Source: 2009-2013 American Community Survey, Table B25118 |  |  |  |  |  |

Within Delaware County as a whole, $32.47 \%$ of households with incomes less than $\$ 25,000$ are estimated to be renters, while $67.53 \%$ are estimated to be homeowners.

| Grove Owner/Renter Percentages by Income Band in 2013 |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Household Income | Total |  |  |  |  |
|  | Households | Total Owners | Total Renters | \% Owners | \% Renters |
| Total | 3,063 | 2,148 | 915 | 70.13\% | 29.87\% |
| Less than \$5,000 | 123 | 43 | 80 | 34.96\% | 65.04\% |
| \$5,000-\$9,999 | 152 | 33 | 119 | 21.71\% | 78.29\% |
| \$10,000-\$14,999 | 268 | 164 | 104 | 61.19\% | 38.81\% |
| \$15,000-\$19,999 | 284 | 194 | 90 | 68.31\% | 31.69\% |
| \$20,000-\$24,999 | 282 | 210 | 72 | 74.47\% | 25.53\% |
| \$25,000-\$34,999 | 476 | 418 | 58 | 87.82\% | 12.18\% |
| \$35,000-\$49,999 | 440 | 244 | 196 | 55.45\% | 44.55\% |
| \$50,000-\$74,999 | 492 | 353 | 139 | 71.75\% | 28.25\% |
| \$75,000-\$99,999 | 203 | 156 | 47 | 76.85\% | 23.15\% |
| \$100,000-\$149,999 | 247 | 237 | 10 | 95.95\% | 4.05\% |
| \$150,000 or more | 96 | 96 | 0 | 100.00\% | 0.00\% |
| Income Less Than \$25,000 | 1,109 | 644 | 465 | 58.07\% | 41.93\% |
| Source: 2009-2013 American Community Survey, Table B25118 |  |  |  |  |  |

Within Grove, $41.93 \%$ of households with incomes less than $\$ 25,000$ are estimated to be renters, while $58.07 \%$ are estimated to be homeowners.

## Housing Units by Year of Construction and Tenure

The following table provides a breakdown of housing units by year of construction, and by owner/renter (tenure), as well as median year of construction.

## 2013 Housing Units by Tenure and Year of Construction

|  | Grove |  | Delaware County |  | State of Oklahoma |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No. | Percent | No. | Percent | No. | Percent |
| Total Occupied Housing Units | 3,063 |  | 16,589 |  | 1,444,081 |  |
| Owner Occupied: | 2,148 | 70.13\% | 12,902 | 77.77\% | 968,736 | 67.08\% |
| Built 2010 or Later | 25 | 1.16\% | 124 | 0.96\% | 10,443 | 1.08\% |
| Built 2000 to 2009 | 445 | 20.72\% | 2,440 | 18.91\% | 153,492 | 15.84\% |
| Built 1990 to 1999 | 515 | 23.98\% | 2,864 | 22.20\% | 125,431 | 12.95\% |
| Built 1980 to 1989 | 314 | 14.62\% | 2,314 | 17.94\% | 148,643 | 15.34\% |
| Built 1970 to 1979 | 325 | 15.13\% | 2,274 | 17.63\% | 184,378 | 19.03\% |
| Built 1960 to 1969 | 195 | 9.08\% | 1,206 | 9.35\% | 114,425 | 11.81\% |
| Built 1950 to 1959 | 140 | 6.52\% | 702 | 5.44\% | 106,544 | 11.00\% |
| Built 1940 to 1949 | 68 | 3.17\% | 410 | 3.18\% | 50,143 | 5.18\% |
| Built 1939 or Earlier | 121 | 5.63\% | 568 | 4.40\% | 75,237 | 7.77\% |
| Median Year Built: |  | 1987 |  | 1986 |  | 1977 |
| Renter Occupied: | 915 | 29.87\% | 3,687 | 22.23\% | 475,345 | 32.92\% |
| Built 2010 or Later | 3 | 0.33\% | 32 | 0.87\% | 5,019 | 1.06\% |
| Built 2000 to 2009 | 138 | 15.08\% | 439 | 11.91\% | 50,883 | 10.70\% |
| Built 1990 to 1999 | 169 | 18.47\% | 546 | 14.81\% | 47,860 | 10.07\% |
| Built 1980 to 1989 | 135 | 14.75\% | 768 | 20.83\% | 77,521 | 16.31\% |
| Built 1970 to 1979 | 195 | 21.31\% | 854 | 23.16\% | 104,609 | 22.01\% |
| Built 1960 to 1969 | 62 | 6.78\% | 304 | 8.25\% | 64,546 | 13.58\% |
| Built 1950 to 1959 | 150 | 16.39\% | 336 | 9.11\% | 54,601 | 11.49\% |
| Built 1940 to 1949 | 16 | 1.75\% | 146 | 3.96\% | 31,217 | 6.57\% |
| Built 1939 or Earlier | 47 | 5.14\% | 262 | 7.11\% | 39,089 | 8.22\% |
| Median Year Built: | 1979 |  | 1979 |  | 1975 |  |
| Overall Median Year Built: | 1987 |  | 1984 |  | 1976 |  |

Within Delaware County, $18.30 \%$ of housing units were built after the year 2000. This compares with $15.22 \%$ statewide. Within Grove the percentage is $19.95 \%$.
61.15\% of housing units in Delaware County were built prior to 1990, while in Grove the percentage is $57.72 \%$. These figures compare with the statewide figure of $72.78 \%$.

## Substandard Housing

The next table presents data regarding substandard housing in Delaware County. The two most commonly cited figures for substandard housing are a lack of complete plumbing, and/or a lack of a complete kitchen. We have also included statistics regarding homes heated by wood, although this is a less frequently cited indicator of substandard housing since some homes (particularly homes for seasonal occupancy) are heated by wood but otherwise not considered substandard.

The Census Bureau definition of inadequate plumbing is any housing unit lacking any one (or more) of the following three items:

1. Hot and cold running water
2. A flush toilet
3. A bathtub or shower

Inadequate kitchens are defined by the Census Bureau as housing units lacking any of the three following items:

1. A sink with a faucet
2. A stove or range
3. A refrigerator

## 2013 Substandard Housing Units

|  | Occupied | Inadequate Plumbing |  | Inadequate Kitchen |  | Uses Wood for Fuel |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Units | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Grove | 3,063 | 3 | $0.10 \%$ | 15 | $0.49 \%$ | 28 | $0.91 \%$ |
| Delaware County | 16,589 | 79 | $0.48 \%$ | 152 | $0.92 \%$ | 1,872 | $11.28 \%$ |
| State of Oklahoma | $1,444,081$ | 7,035 | $0.49 \%$ | 13,026 | $0.90 \%$ | 28,675 | $1.99 \%$ |

Sources: 2009-2013 American Community Survey, Tables B25040, B25048 \& B25052

Within Delaware County, $0.48 \%$ of occupied housing units have inadequate plumbing (compared with $0.49 \%$ at a statewide level), while $0.92 \%$ have inadequate kitchen facilities (compared with $0.90 \%$ at a statewide level). It is likely that there is at least some overlap between these two figures, among units lacking both complete plumbing and kitchen facilities.

## Vacancy Rates

The next table details housing units in Delaware County by vacancy and type. This data is provided by the American Community Survey.

| 2013 Housing Units by Vacancy |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Grove |  | Delaware County |  | State of Oklahoma |  |
|  | No. | Percent | No. | Percent | No. | Percent |
| Total Housing Units | 3,839 |  | 24,754 |  | $1,669,828$ |  |
| Total Vacant Units | 776 | $20.21 \%$ | 8,165 | $32.98 \%$ | 225,747 | $13.52 \%$ |
| For rent | 43 | $5.54 \%$ | 384 | $4.70 \%$ | 43,477 | $19.26 \%$ |
| Rented, not occupied | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 82 | $1.00 \%$ | 9,127 | $4.04 \%$ |
| For sale only | 103 | $13.27 \%$ | 637 | $7.80 \%$ | 23,149 | $10.25 \%$ |
| Sold, not occupied | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 40 | $0.49 \%$ | 8,618 | $3.82 \%$ |
| For seasonal, recreational, or |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| occasional use | 519 | $66.88 \%$ | 5,698 | $69.79 \%$ | 39,475 | $17.49 \%$ |
| For migrant workers | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 4 | $0.05 \%$ | 746 | $0.33 \%$ |
| Other vacant | 111 | $14.30 \%$ | 1,320 | $16.17 \%$ | 101,155 | $44.81 \%$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Homeowner Vacancy Rate | $4.58 \%$ |  | $4.69 \%$ |  | $2.31 \%$ |  |
| Rental Vacancy Rate | $4.49 \%$ |  | $9.25 \%$ |  | $8.24 \%$ |  |

Source: 2009-2013 American Community Survey, Tables B25001, B25003 \& B25004

Within Delaware County, the overall housing vacancy rate is estimated to be $32.98 \%$. The homeowner vacancy rate is estimated to be $4.69 \%$, while the rental vacancy rate is estimated to be $9.25 \%$.

In Grove, the overall housing vacancy rate is estimated to be $20.21 \%$. The homeowner vacancy rate is estimated to be 4.58\%, while the rental vacancy rate is estimated to be $4.49 \%$.

## Building Permits

The next table presents data regarding new residential building permits issued in Grove. This data is furnished by the U.S. Census Bureau Residential Construction Branch, Manufacturing and Construction Division. Please note that average costs reported only represent physical construction costs for the housing units, and do not include land prices, most soft costs (such as finance fees), or builder's profit.

## Grove

New Residential Building Permits Issued, 2004-2014

|  | Single Family |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Units | Avg. Construction <br> Cost | Multifamily <br> Units | Avg. Multifamily <br> Construction Cost |  |
| 2004 | 49 | $\$ 221,864$ | 23 | $\$ 70,565$ |
| 2005 | 105 | $\$ 144,258$ | 0 | N/A |
| 2006 | 79 | $\$ 159,379$ | 0 | N/A |
| 2007 | 101 | $\$ 163,303$ | 0 | N/A |
| 2008 | 27 | $\$ 133,950$ | 0 | N/A |
| 2009 | 34 | $\$ 215,704$ | 0 | N/A |
| 2010 | 24 | $\$ 205,583$ | 0 | N/A |
| 2011 | 19 | $\$ 127,632$ | 0 | N/A |
| 2012 | 12 | $\$ 179,500$ | 0 | N/A |
| 2013 | 22 | $\$ 225,159$ | 6 | $\$ 62,000$ |
| 2014 | 28 | $\$ 174,643$ | 0 | N/A |

Source: United States Census Bureau Building Permits Survey

In Grove, building permits for 529 housing units were issued between 2004 and 2014, for an average of 48 units per year. $94.52 \%$ of these housing units were single family homes, and $5.48 \%$ consisted of multifamily units.

## New Construction Activity

## For Ownership:

New home construction is occurring in many areas of Delaware County, much of it on or very near Grand Lake. In many cases these homes are constructed on rural, unplatted acreages or rural subdivisions, or in smaller communities in the county such as Jay. Within Grove, new construction has occurred in subdivisions such as Walnut Grove, Baycrest Village, Lighthouse Harbor, The Lodges at Melody Point, and Littlegate, among others.

Although there has been some relatively affordable housing constructed in Delaware County in recent years, much has consisted of high-end homes, in many cases intended for recreational occupancy. The
average sale price of homes built in Grove since 2010 (and sold after January 2014) is $\$ 303,548$ or $\$ 129.85$ per square foot, which is dramatically above what could be afforded by a person earning median household income in Grove, estimated to be \$39,716 in 2015.

## For Rent:

New rental construction in Grove has been very limited in recent years, typically consisting of very small-scale duplex/fourplex development. A relatively large market-rate complex was constructed in 2010 in the nearby Monkey Island area called The Villas of Monkey Island. The property comprised 120 townhouse units, and was not well-received. The property has since been purchased and converted to condominiums for purchase.

## Homeownership Market

This section will address the market for housing units for purchase in Delaware County, using data collected from both local and national sources.

## Housing Units by Home Value

The following table presents housing units in Delaware Country by value, as well as median home value, as reported by the Census Bureau's American Community Survey.

| 2013 Housing Units by Home Value |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Grove |  | Delaware County |  | State of Oklahoma |  |
|  | No. | Percent | No. | Percent | No. | Percent |
| Total Owner-Occupied Units: | 2,148 |  | 12,902 |  | 968,736 |  |
| Less than \$10,000 | 73 | 3.40\% | 486 | 3.77\% | 20,980 | 2.17\% |
| \$10,000 to \$14,999 | 39 | 1.82\% | 347 | 2.69\% | 15,427 | 1.59\% |
| \$15,000 to \$19,999 | 31 | 1.44\% | 430 | 3.33\% | 13,813 | 1.43\% |
| \$20,000 to \$24,999 | 15 | 0.70\% | 197 | 1.53\% | 16,705 | 1.72\% |
| \$25,000 to \$29,999 | 0 | 0.00\% | 322 | 2.50\% | 16,060 | 1.66\% |
| \$30,000 to \$34,999 | 0 | 0.00\% | 408 | 3.16\% | 19,146 | 1.98\% |
| \$35,000 to \$39,999 | 0 | 0.00\% | 180 | 1.40\% | 14,899 | 1.54\% |
| \$40,000 to \$49,999 | 11 | 0.51\% | 579 | 4.49\% | 39,618 | 4.09\% |
| \$50,000 to \$59,999 | 91 | 4.24\% | 635 | 4.92\% | 45,292 | 4.68\% |
| \$60,000 to \$69,999 | 69 | 3.21\% | 619 | 4.80\% | 52,304 | 5.40\% |
| \$70,000 to \$79,999 | 157 | 7.31\% | 764 | 5.92\% | 55,612 | 5.74\% |
| \$80,000 to \$89,999 | 146 | 6.80\% | 750 | 5.81\% | 61,981 | 6.40\% |
| \$90,000 to \$99,999 | 103 | 4.80\% | 498 | 3.86\% | 51,518 | 5.32\% |
| \$100,000 to \$124,999 | 244 | 11.36\% | 1,139 | 8.83\% | 119,416 | 12.33\% |
| \$125,000 to \$149,999 | 320 | 14.90\% | 1,100 | 8.53\% | 96,769 | 9.99\% |
| \$150,000 to \$174,999 | 222 | 10.34\% | 917 | 7.11\% | 91,779 | 9.47\% |
| \$175,000 to \$199,999 | 76 | 3.54\% | 561 | 4.35\% | 53,304 | 5.50\% |
| \$200,000 to \$249,999 | 204 | 9.50\% | 822 | 6.37\% | 69,754 | 7.20\% |
| \$250,000 to \$299,999 | 37 | 1.72\% | 501 | 3.88\% | 41,779 | 4.31\% |
| \$300,000 to \$399,999 | 42 | 1.96\% | 638 | 4.94\% | 37,680 | 3.89\% |
| \$400,000 to \$499,999 | 61 | 2.84\% | 318 | 2.46\% | 13,334 | 1.38\% |
| \$500,000 to \$749,999 | 133 | 6.19\% | 405 | 3.14\% | 12,784 | 1.32\% |
| \$750,000 to \$999,999 | 33 | 1.54\% | 113 | 0.88\% | 3,764 | 0.39\% |
| \$1,000,000 or more | 41 | 1.91\% | 173 | 1.34\% | 5,018 | 0.52\% |
| Median Home Value: |  | 2,400 |  | 5,200 |  | 2,800 |
| Sources: 2009-2013 American Community Survey, Tables B25075 and B25077 |  |  |  |  |  |  |

The median value of owner-occupied homes in Delaware County is $\$ 105,200$. This is $-6.7 \%$ lower than the statewide median, which is $\$ 112,800$. The median home value in Grove is estimated to be $\$ 132,400$, notably higher than both the countywide and statewide indications.

The geographic distribution of home values in Delaware County can be visualized by the following map. As can be seen, home values are significantly higher in the northern portion of the county near Grove and Grand Lake, than in the southern region of the county.

Delaware County Median Home Values by Census Tract


## Home Values by Year of Construction

The next table presents median home values in Delaware County by year of construction. Note that missing data fields indicate the Census Bureau had inadequate data to estimate a median value that age bracket.

## 2013 Median Home Value by Year of Construction

|  | Grove <br> Median Value | Delaware County <br> Median Value | State of Oklahoma <br> Median Value |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Total Owner-Occupied Units: | - | $\$ 169,700$ | $\$ 188,900$ |
| Built 2010 or Later | $\$ 202,200$ | $\$ 125,800$ | $\$ 178,000$ |
| Built 2000 to 2009 | $\$ 150,800$ | $\$ 122,800$ | $\$ 147,300$ |
| Built 1990 to 1999 | $\$ 126,400$ | $\$ 104,300$ | $\$ 118,300$ |
| Built 1980 to 1989 | $\$ 117,600$ | $\$ 93,100$ | $\$ 111,900$ |
| Built 1970 to 1979 | $\$ 115,100$ | $\$ 83,200$ | $\$ 97,100$ |
| Built 1960 to 1969 | $\$ 79,600$ | $\$ 96,700$ | $\$ 80,300$ |
| Built 1950 to 1959 | $\$ 110,500$ | $\$ 86,300$ | $\$ 67,900$ |
| Built 1940 to 1949 | $\$ 58,500$ | $\$ 71,800$ | $\$ 74,400$ |

Note: Dashes indicate the Census Bureau had insufficient data to estimate a median value.
Source: 2009-2013 American Community Survey, Table 25107

## Grove Single Family Sales Activity

The next series of tables provides data regarding single family home sales activity in Grove. This data was furnished by County Records, Inc. from publicly available data.

Grove Single Family Sales Activity
All Bedroom Types

| Year | $\mathbf{2 0 1 1}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 2}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 3}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ | YTD 2015 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| \# of Units Sold | 141 | 157 | 160 | 163 | 139 |
| Average Sale Price | $\$ 157,240$ | $\$ 213,168$ | $\$ 180,162$ | $\$ 178,669$ | $\$ 191,478$ |
| Average Square Feet | 1,908 | 1,965 | 1,869 | 1,921 | 1,889 |
| Average Price/SF | $\$ 82.41$ | $\$ 108.48$ | $\$ 96.39$ | $\$ 93.01$ | $\$ 101.36$ |
| Average Year Built | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1993 | 1995 |

Source: Delaware County Assessor, via County Records, Inc.

Between 2011 and 2014, the average sale price grew by $3.25 \%$ per year. The average sale price in 2015 was $\$ 191,478$ for an average price per square foot of $\$ 101.36$. The average sale price has fluctuated somewhat depending on the number of high-value homes sold in a given year. The average year of construction for homes sold in 2015 is estimated to be 1995. We also note that data from the Northeast Oklahoma Board of REALTORS ${ }^{\circledR}$ reports a median sale to list price ratio of $94.57 \%$ for December 2015, with median days on market of 128 days, with a 10.63 month supply. This data is system-wide for the area covered by the Northeast Oklahoma Board of REALTORS ${ }^{\circledR}$ and not specific to the city of Grove.

## Foreclosure Rates

The next table presents foreclosure rate data for Delaware County, compiled by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York. This data is effective as of May 2014.

| Foreclosure Rates |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Geography | \% of Outstanding Mortgages in Foreclosure, May 2014 |
| Delaware County | $2.3 \%$ |
| State of Oklahoma | $2.1 \%$ |
| United States | $2.1 \%$ |
| Rank among Counties in | 28 |
| Oklahoma*: |  |
| *Rank among the 64 counties for which foreclosure rates are available |  |
| Source: Federal Reserve Bank of New York, Community Credit Profiles |  |

According to the data provided, the foreclosure rate in Delaware County was $2.3 \%$ in May 2014. The county ranked 28 out of 64 counties in terms of highest foreclosure rates in Oklahoma. This rate compares with the statewide and nationwide foreclosure rates, both of which were $2.1 \%$.

With an above-average foreclosure rate, it is likely that foreclosures have had some impact on the local housing market. High rates of foreclosure in a neighborhood can have a depressing effect on home values, lengthening marketing times and making it more difficult for potential homebuyers to secure financing.

## Rental Market

This section will discuss supply and demand factors for the rental market in Delaware County, based on publicly available sources as well as our own surveys of landlords and rental properties in the area.

## Gross Rent Levels

The following table presents data regarding gross rental rates in Delaware County. Gross rent is the sum of contract rent, plus all utilities such as electricity, gas, water, sewer and trash, as applicable (telephone, cable, and/or internet expenses are not included in these figures).

| 2013 Rental Units by Gross Rent |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Grove |  | Delaware County |  | State of Oklahoma |  |
|  | No. | Percent | No. | Percent | No. | Percent |
| Total Rental Units: | 915 |  | 3,687 |  | 475,345 |  |
| With cash rent: | 744 |  | 2,869 |  | 432,109 |  |
| Less than \$100 | 0 | 0.00\% | 0 | 0.00\% | 2,025 | 0.43\% |
| \$100 to \$149 | 0 | 0.00\% | 3 | 0.08\% | 2,109 | 0.44\% |
| \$150 to \$199 | 40 | 4.37\% | 57 | 1.55\% | 4,268 | 0.90\% |
| \$200 to \$249 | 20 | 2.19\% | 59 | 1.60\% | 8,784 | 1.85\% |
| \$250 to \$299 | 27 | 2.95\% | 146 | 3.96\% | 8,413 | 1.77\% |
| \$300 to \$349 | 102 | 11.15\% | 152 | 4.12\% | 9,107 | 1.92\% |
| \$350 to \$399 | 14 | 1.53\% | 134 | 3.63\% | 10,932 | 2.30\% |
| \$400 to \$449 | 16 | 1.75\% | 193 | 5.23\% | 15,636 | 3.29\% |
| \$450 to \$499 | 36 | 3.93\% | 249 | 6.75\% | 24,055 | 5.06\% |
| \$500 to \$549 | 32 | 3.50\% | 232 | 6.29\% | 31,527 | 6.63\% |
| \$550 to \$599 | 12 | 1.31\% | 204 | 5.53\% | 33,032 | 6.95\% |
| \$600 to \$649 | 67 | 7.32\% | 298 | 8.08\% | 34,832 | 7.33\% |
| \$650 to \$699 | 27 | 2.95\% | 143 | 3.88\% | 32,267 | 6.79\% |
| \$700 to \$749 | 1 | 0.11\% | 84 | 2.28\% | 30,340 | 6.38\% |
| \$750 to \$799 | 41 | 4.48\% | 182 | 4.94\% | 27,956 | 5.88\% |
| \$800 to \$899 | 129 | 14.10\% | 352 | 9.55\% | 45,824 | 9.64\% |
| \$900 to \$999 | 59 | 6.45\% | 119 | 3.23\% | 34,153 | 7.18\% |
| \$1,000 to \$1,249 | 111 | 12.13\% | 184 | 4.99\% | 46,884 | 9.86\% |
| \$1,250 to \$1,499 | 0 | 0.00\% | 32 | 0.87\% | 14,699 | 3.09\% |
| \$1,500 to \$1,999 | 10 | 1.09\% | 39 | 1.06\% | 10,145 | 2.13\% |
| \$2,000 or more | 0 | 0.00\% | 7 | 0.19\% | 5,121 | 1.08\% |
| No cash rent | 171 | 18.69\% | 818 | 22.19\% | 43,236 | 9.10\% |
| Median Gross Rent | \$661 |  | \$601 |  | \$699 |  |

Sources: 2009-2013 American Community Survey, Tables B25063 and B25064

Median gross rent in Delaware County is estimated to be $\$ 601$, which is $-14.0 \%$ less than Oklahoma's median gross rent of $\$ 699 /$ month. Median gross rent in Grove is estimated to be $\$ 661$.

## Median Gross Rent by Year of Construction

The next table presents data from the American Community Survey regarding median gross rent by year of housing unit construction. Note that dashes in the table indicate the Census Bureau had insufficient data to provide a median rent figure for that specific data field.

## 2013 Median Gross Rent by Year of Construction

|  | Grove <br> Median Rent | Delaware County <br> Median Rent | State of Oklahoma <br> Median Rent |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Total Rental Units: |  |  |  |
| Built 2010 or Later | - | $\$ 1,069$ | $\$ 933$ |
| Built 2000 to 2009 | $\$ 871$ | $\$ 747$ | $\$ 841$ |
| Built 1990 to 1999 | $\$ 695$ | $\$ 619$ | $\$ 715$ |
| Built 1980 to 1989 | $\$ 414$ | $\$ 513$ | $\$ 693$ |
| Built 1970 to 1979 | $\$ 675$ | $\$ 638$ | $\$ 662$ |
| Built 1960 to 1969 | - | $\$ 559$ | $\$ 689$ |
| Built 1950 to 1959 | $\$ 333$ | $\$ 574$ | $\$ 714$ |
| Built 1940 to 1949 | - | $\$ 555$ | $\$ 673$ |
| Built 1939 or Earlier | - | $\$ 610$ | $\$ 651$ |

Note: Dashes indicate the Census Bureau had insufficient data to estimate a median gross rent.
Source: 2009-2013 American Community Survey, Table 25111

The highest median gross rent in Delaware County is among housing units constructed after 2010, which is $\$ 1,069$ per month. In order to be affordable, a household would need to earn at least $\$ 42,760$ per year to afford such a unit.

## Grove Rental Survey Data

The next table shows the results of our rental survey of Grove. The data is divided between market rate properties, and affordable properties of all types (project-based Section 8, Low-Income Housing Tax Credit, USDA Rural Development, etc.)

| Grove Rental Properties |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Name | Type | Year Built | Bedrooms | Bathrooms | Size (SF) | Rate | Rate/SF | Vacancy |
| The Village Apartments | Market Rate | 1973 | 1 | 1 | 600 | \$425 | \$0.708 | 6.00\% |
| The Village Apartments | Market Rate | 1973 | 2 | 1 | 900 | \$475 | \$0.528 | 6.00\% |
| Grand Prairie | Market Rate | 2008 | 1 | 1 | 550 | \$500 | \$0.909 | 4.00\% |
| Grand Prairie | Market Rate | 2008 | 2 | 1 | 750 | \$600 | \$0.800 | 4.00\% |
| Grand Prairie | Market Rate | 2008 | 3 | 2 | 1,200 | \$750 | \$0.625 | 4.00\% |
| Brickside Apartments | Market Rate | 1970s | 2 | 2 | 1,000 | \$445 | \$0.445 | 20.00\% |
| Baycrest Villas Duplexes | Market Rate | 2012 | 2 | 2 | 1,250 | \$800 | \$0.640 | 0.00\% |
| Grove Village | USDA / LIHTC - Family | 1985 | 1 | 1 | 614 | 30\% | N/A | 0.00\% |
| Grove Village | USDA / LIHTC - Family | 1985 | 2 | 1 | 770 | 30\% | N/A | 0.00\% |
| Grove Village | USDA / LIHTC - Family | 1985 | 4 | 1 | 1,384 | 30\% | N/A | 0.00\% |
| Garden Walk | USDA / LIHTC - Family | 1991 | 1 | 1 | 612 | 30\% | N/A | 0.00\% |
| Garden Walk | USDA / LIHTC - Family | 1991 | 2 | 2 | 708 | 30\% | N/A | 0.00\% |
| Garden Walk | USDA / LIHTC - Family | 1991 | 3 | 2 | 768 | 30\% | N/A | 0.00\% |
| Garden Walk | USDA / LIHTC - Family | 1991 | 4 | 2 | 1,043 | 30\% | N/A | 0.00\% |
| Savannah Park | USDA / LIHTC - Elderly | 1992 | 1 | 1 | N/A | 30\% | N/A | 0.00\% |
| Savannah Park | USDA / LIHTC - Elderly | 1992 | 2 | 1 | N/A | 30\% | N/A | 0.00\% |

The previous rent surveys encompass nearly three hundred rental units in seven complexes. These properties are located throughout the community and provide a good indication of the availability and rental structure of multifamily property. Concessions such as free rent or no deposit were not evident in the competitive market survey. These inducements appear to have phased out over the market, and appear only sporadically at individual complexes to induce leasing activity in a particular unit type. Review of historical rental data indicates the comparable rental rates have increased in a predominant range of $\$ 5$ to $\$ 10$ per unit per month annually over the past 36 months.

## Rental Market Vacancy - Grove

The developments outlined previously report occupancy levels typically above 95\%. These occupancy levels are typical of well-maintained and poorly maintained properties alike. The ability of older, physically deteriorating facilities to maintain high occupancy levels reflects the lack of superior alternatives in the Grove market. The USDA units, according to property managers, typically stay well occupied. The overall market vacancy of rental housing units was reported at $4.49 \%$ by the Census Bureau as of the most recent American Community Survey.


Savannah Park


Grove Village


Brickside Apartments


Garden Walk


Baycrest Villas Duplexes


Grand Prairie


The Village Apartments

## Summary of HUD Subsidized Properties

The following tables present data for housing units and households subsidized by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development, for Delaware County, the State of Oklahoma, and the United States. This data is taken from HUD's "Picture of Subsidized Households" data for 2013, the most recent year available.

| HUD Programs in Delaware County |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Delaware County | \# Units | Occupancy <br> Rate | Avg. <br> Household Income | Tenant Contribution | Federal Contribution | \% of Total <br> Rent |
| Public Housing | 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Housing Choice Vouchers | 16 | 95\% | \$10,231 | \$304 | \$365 | 45.41\% |
| Mod Rehab | 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Section 8 NC/SR | 21 | 95\% | \$10,455 | \$245 | \$473 | 34.15\% |
| Section 236 | 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Multi-Family Other | 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Summary of All HUD Programs | 37 | 95\% | \$10,362 | \$269 | \$428 | 38.61\% |
| State of Oklahoma |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Public Housing | 13,088 | 96\% | \$11,328 | \$215 | \$371 | 36.71\% |
| Housing Choice Vouchers | 24,651 | 93\% | \$10,766 | \$283 | \$470 | 37.57\% |
| Mod Rehab | 158 | 89\% | \$7,272 | \$129 | \$509 | 20.17\% |
| Section 8 NC/SR | 4,756 | 93\% | \$10,730 | \$242 | \$465 | 34.24\% |
| Section 236 | 428 | 89\% | \$8,360 | \$192 | \$344 | 35.82\% |
| Multi-Family Other | 7,518 | 91\% | \$7,691 | \$176 | \$448 | 28.18\% |
| Summary of All HUD Programs | 50,599 | 94\% | \$10,360 | \$242 | \$440 | 35.49\% |
| United States |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Public Housing | 1,150,867 | 94\% | \$13,724 | \$275 | \$512 | 34.91\% |
| Housing Choice Vouchers | 2,386,237 | 92\% | \$13,138 | \$346 | \$701 | 33.04\% |
| Mod Rehab | 19,148 | 87\% | \$8,876 | \$153 | \$664 | 18.78\% |
| Section 8 NC/SR | 840,900 | 96\% | \$12,172 | \$274 | \$677 | 28.80\% |
| Section 236 | 126,859 | 93\% | \$14,347 | \$211 | \$578 | 26.74\% |
| Multi-Family Other | 656,456 | 95\% | \$11,135 | \$255 | \$572 | 30.80\% |
| Summary of All HUD Programs | 5,180,467 | 94\% | \$12,892 | \$304 | \$637 | 32.30\% |

Source: U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development, Picture of Subsidized Households - 2013

Among all HUD programs, there are 37 housing units located within Delaware County, with an overall occupancy rate of $95 \%$. The average household income among households living in these units is $\$ 10,362$. Total monthly rent for these units averages $\$ 698$, with the federal contribution averaging \$428 (61.39\%) and the tenant's contribution averaging \$269 (38.61\%).


The following table presents select demographic variables among the households living in units subsidized by HUD.

Demographics of Persons in HUD Programs in Delaware County

| Delaware County | \# Units | \% Single <br> Mothers | \% w/ <br> Disability | \% Age 62+ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | | \% Age 62+ |
| :--- |
| w/ Disability | \% Minority

Source: U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development, Picture of Subsidized Households - 2013
$17 \%$ of housing units are occupied by single parents with female heads of household. $45 \%$ of households have at least one person with a disability. 49\% of households have either a householder or spouse age 62 or above. Of the households age 62 or above, $65 \%$ have one or more disabilities. Finally, 20\% of households are designated as racial or ethnic minorities.


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## Projected Housing Need

## Consolidated Housing Affordability Strategy (CHAS)

This section will analyze data from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development's Consolidated Housing Affordability Strategy (CHAS) dataset for Delaware County. This data is typically separated into household income thresholds, defined by HUD Area Median Family Income (HAMFI).
HUD Area Median Family Income (HAMFI) is equivalent to Area Median Income (AMI) for the purposes of this report. This data is considered the best indicator of housing need available which separates need into household income thresholds as defined by HUD.

## Cost Burden by Income Threshold

The next table presents CHAS data for Delaware County regarding housing cost burden as a percentage of household income. Renter costs are considered to be the sum of contract rent and any utilities not paid by the landlord (such as electricity, natural gas, and water, but not including telephone service, cable service, internet service, etc.). Homeowner costs include mortgage debt service (or similar debts such as deeds of trust or contracts for deed), utilities, property taxes and property insurance.

Households are considered to be cost overburdened if their housing costs (renter or owner) are greater than $30 \%$ of their gross household income. A household is "severely" overburdened if their housing costs are greater than 50\% of their gross household income.

| Delaware County : CHAS - Housing Cost Burden by HAMFI |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Owners |  |  |  |  |
| Household Income / Cost Burden | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Income < 30\% HAMFI | $\mathbf{1 , 0 2 0}$ |  | $\mathbf{7 6 5}$ |  |
| Cost Burden Less Than 30\% | 235 | $23.04 \%$ | 190 | $24.84 \%$ |
| Cost Burden Between 30\%-50\% | 140 | $13.73 \%$ | 85 | $11.11 \%$ |
| Cost Burden Greater Than 50\% | 510 | $50.00 \%$ | 430 | $56.21 \%$ |
| Not Computed (no/negative income) | 135 | $13.24 \%$ | 65 | $8.50 \%$ |
| Income 30\%-50\% HAMFI | $\mathbf{1 , 7 0 0}$ |  | 685 |  |
| Cost Burden Less Than 30\% | 880 | $51.76 \%$ | 290 | $42.34 \%$ |
| Cost Burden Between 30\%-50\% | 405 | $23.82 \%$ | 295 | $43.07 \%$ |
| Cost Burden Greater Than 50\% | 415 | $24.41 \%$ | 95 | $13.87 \%$ |
| Not Computed (no/negative income) | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 0 | $0.00 \%$ |
| Income 50\%-80\% HAMFI | $\mathbf{2 , 3 1 5}$ |  | 690 |  |
| Cost Burden Less Than 30\% | 1,610 | $69.55 \%$ | 565 | $81.88 \%$ |
| Cost Burden Between 30\%-50\% | 445 | $19.22 \%$ | 105 | $15.22 \%$ |
| Cost Burden Greater Than 50\% | 260 | $11.23 \%$ | 20 | $2.90 \%$ |
| Not Computed (no/negative income) | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 0 | $0.00 \%$ |
| Income 80\%-100\% HAMFI | $\mathbf{1 , 4 0 0}$ |  | 405 |  |
| Cost Burden Less Than 30\% | 1,040 | $74.29 \%$ | 355 | $87.65 \%$ |
| Cost Burden Between 30\%-50\% | 335 | $23.93 \%$ | 50 | $12.35 \%$ |
| Cost Burden Greater Than 50\% | 30 | $2.14 \%$ | 0 | $0.00 \%$ |
| Not Computed (no/negative income) | 0 | $0.00 \%$ | 0 | $0.00 \%$ |
| All Incomes | $\mathbf{1 2 , 7 9 5}$ |  | $\mathbf{3 , 6 0 0}$ |  |
| Cost Burden Less Than 30\% | 9,650 | $75.42 \%$ | 2,435 | $67.64 \%$ |
| Cost Burden Between 30\%-50\% | 1,710 | $13.36 \%$ | 545 | $15.14 \%$ |
| Cost Burden Greater Than 50\% | 1,305 | $10.20 \%$ | 555 | $15.42 \%$ |
| Not Computed (no/negative income) | 135 | $1.06 \%$ | 65 | $1.81 \%$ |
| Source: 2008-2012 HuD Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy, Table 8 |  |  |  |  |

The next table summarizes the data from the previous table for households with cost burden greater than $30 \%$ of gross income, followed by a chart comparing these figures for Delaware County with the State of Oklahoma as a whole, and the United States.

Delaware County : Households by Income by Cost Burden

|  | Owners |  |  | Renters |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :--- | :--- |
|  |  | $\% \mathrm{w} /$ Cost > |  | \% w/ Cost > |
| Household Income Threshold | Total | $30 \%$ Income | Total | $30 \%$ Income |
| Income < 30\% HAMFI | 1,020 | $63.73 \%$ | 765 | $67.32 \%$ |
| Income 30\%-50\% HAMFI | 1,700 | $48.24 \%$ | 685 | $56.93 \%$ |
| Income 50\%-80\% HAMFI | 2,315 | $30.45 \%$ | 690 | $18.12 \%$ |
| Income 80\%-100\% HAMFI | 1,400 | $26.07 \%$ | 405 | $12.35 \%$ |
| All Incomes | 12,795 | $23.56 \%$ | 3,600 | $30.56 \%$ |

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## Substandard Conditions / Overcrowding by Income Threshold

The following table summarizes data regarding substandard housing conditions and overcrowding, separated by owner/renter and HAMFI income threshold. Substandard housing conditions are defined by HUD as any housing unit lacking either complete plumbing or a complete kitchen.

A housing unit without "complete plumbing" is any housing unit lacking one or more of the following features (they do not need to all be present in the same room):

1. Hot and cold running water
2. A flush toilet
3. A bathtub or shower

A lack of a complete kitchen is any housing unit lacking any one or more of the three following items:

1. A sink with a faucet
2. A stove or range
3. A refrigerator

Households are considered to be "overcrowded" if the household has more than 1.0 persons per room (note that this definition is "room" including bedrooms, living rooms and kitchens, as opposed to only "bedrooms"), and is "severely overcrowded" if the household has more than 1.5 persons per room.

|  | Owners |  | Renters |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Household Income / Housing Problem | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Income < 30\% HAMFI | 1,020 |  | 765 |  |
| Between 1.0 and 1.5 Persons per Room | 20 | 1.96\% | 80 | 10.46\% |
| More than 1.5 Persons per Room | 0 | 0.00\% | 25 | 3.27\% |
| Lacks Complete Kitchen or Plumbing | 15 | 1.47\% | 10 | 1.31\% |
| Income 30\%-50\% HAMFI | 1,700 |  | 685 |  |
| Between 1.0 and 1.5 Persons per Room | 30 | 1.76\% | 75 | 10.95\% |
| More than 1.5 Persons per Room | 15 | 0.88\% | 20 | 2.92\% |
| Lacks Complete Kitchen or Plumbing | 50 | 2.94\% | 10 | 1.46\% |
| Income 50\%-80\% HAMFI | 2,315 |  | 690 |  |
| Between 1.0 and 1.5 Persons per Room | 35 | 1.51\% | 25 | 3.62\% |
| More than 1.5 Persons per Room | 25 | 1.08\% | 85 | 12.32\% |
| Lacks Complete Kitchen or Plumbing | 4 | 0.17\% | 4 | 0.58\% |
| Income 80\%-100\% HAMFI | 1,400 |  | 405 |  |
| Between 1.0 and 1.5 Persons per Room | 50 | 3.57\% | 15 | 3.70\% |
| More than 1.5 Persons per Room | 0 | 0.00\% | 4 | 0.99\% |
| Lacks Complete Kitchen or Plumbing | 30 | 2.14\% | 10 | 2.47\% |
| All Incomes | 12,795 |  | 3,600 |  |
| Between 1.0 and 1.5 Persons per Room | 255 | 1.99\% | 215 | 5.97\% |
| More than 1.5 Persons per Room | 90 | 0.70\% | 138 | 3.83\% |
| Lacks Complete Kitchen or Plumbing | 110 | 0.86\% | 54 | 1.50\% |

The next table summarizes this data for overcrowding (i.e. all households with greater than 1.0 persons per room), with a chart comparing this data between Delaware County, Oklahoma and the nation.

| Delaware County : Households by Income by Overcrowding |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Owners |  |  | Renters |
|  |  | \% > 1.0 |  | \% > 1.0 |
|  |  | Persons |  | Persons per |
| Household Income Threshold | Total | Room | Total | Room |
| Income < 30\% HAMFI | 1,020 | 1.96\% | 765 | 13.73\% |
| Income 30\%-50\% HAMFI | 1,700 | 2.65\% | 685 | 13.87\% |
| Income 50\%-80\% HAMFI | 2,315 | 2.59\% | 690 | 15.94\% |
| Income 80\%-100\% HAMFI | 1,400 | 3.57\% | 405 | 4.69\% |
| All Incomes | 12,795 | 2.70\% | 3,600 | 9.81\% |

Source: 2008-2012 HUD Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy, Table 3


The table following summarizes this data for substandard housing conditions, with a comparison chart between Delaware County, the state and the nation.

Delaware County : Households by Income by Substandard Conditions

|  | Owners |  |  | Renters |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  | $\%$ Lacking <br> Kitchen or |  | \% Lacking <br> Kitchen or |
| Household Size/Type | Total | Plumbing | Total | Plumbing |
| Income < 30\% HAMFI | 1,020 | $1.47 \%$ | 765 | $1.31 \%$ |
| Income 30\%-50\% HAMFI | 1,700 | $2.94 \%$ | 685 | $1.46 \%$ |
| Income 50\%-80\% HAMFI | 2,315 | $0.17 \%$ | 690 | $0.58 \%$ |
| Income 80\%-100\% HAMFI | 1,400 | $2.14 \%$ | 405 | $2.47 \%$ |
| All Incomes | 12,795 | $0.86 \%$ | 3,600 | $1.50 \%$ |

Source: 2008-2012 HUD Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy, Table 3


## Cost Burden by Household Type

The following table provides a breakdown of households by HAMFI, and by household type and size, and by housing cost burden. The categories of household type provided by HUD are:

- Elderly Family: Households with two persons, either or both age 62 or over.
- Small Family: 2 persons, neither age 62 or over, or families with 3 or 4 persons of any age.
- Large Family: families with 5 or more persons.
- Elderly Non-Family (single persons age 62 or over, or unrelated elderly individuals)
- Non-Elderly, Non-Family: all other households.

Delaware County : CHAS - Housing Cost Burden by Household Type / HAMFI

|  | Owners |  |  | Renters |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | No. w/ Cost | Pct. w/ Cos |  |  |  |
|  |  | > 30\% | > 30\% |  | > 30\% | > 30\% |
| Income, Household Size/Type | Total | Income | Income | Total | Income | Income |
| Income < 30\% HAMFI | 1,020 | 645 | 63.24\% | 765 | 505 | 66.01\% |
| Elderly Family | 120 | 115 | 95.83\% | 0 | 0 | N/A |
| Small Family (2-4 persons) | 225 | 130 | 57.78\% | 360 | 220 | 61.11\% |
| Large Family (5 or more persons) | 70 | 60 | 85.71\% | 80 | 75 | 93.75\% |
| Elderly Non-Family | 410 | 265 | 64.63\% | 105 | 65 | 61.90\% |
| Non-Family, Non-Elderly | 190 | 75 | 39.47\% | 220 | 145 | 65.91\% |
| Income 30\%-50\% HAMFI | 1,700 | 825 | 48.53\% | 685 | 395 | 57.66\% |
| Elderly Family | 390 | 210 | 53.85\% | 25 | 15 | 60.00\% |
| Small Family (2-4 persons) | 590 | 315 | 53.39\% | 225 | 140 | 62.22\% |
| Large Family (5 or more persons) | 60 | 40 | 66.67\% | 130 | 70 | 53.85\% |
| Elderly Non-Family | 505 | 195 | 38.61\% | 190 | 115 | 60.53\% |
| Non-Family, Non-Elderly | 155 | 65 | 41.94\% | 110 | 55 | 50.00\% |
| Income 50\%-80\% HAMFI | 2,315 | 704 | 30.41\% | 690 | 123 | 17.83\% |
| Elderly Family | 655 | 145 | 22.14\% | 85 | 14 | 16.47\% |
| Small Family (2-4 persons) | 720 | 205 | 28.47\% | 260 | 45 | 17.31\% |
| Large Family (5 or more persons) | 105 | 4 | 3.81\% | 125 | 25 | 20.00\% |
| Elderly Non-Family | 475 | 175 | 36.84\% | 40 | 4 | 10.00\% |
| Non-Family, Non-Elderly | 365 | 175 | 47.95\% | 180 | 35 | 19.44\% |
| Income 80\%-100\% HAMFI | 1,400 | 368 | 26.29\% | 405 | 53 | 13.09\% |
| Elderly Family | 470 | 120 | 25.53\% | 20 | 4 | 20.00\% |
| Small Family (2-4 persons) | 375 | 54 | 14.40\% | 225 | 25 | 11.11\% |
| Large Family (5 or more persons) | 80 | 4 | 5.00\% | 50 | 20 | 40.00\% |
| Elderly Non-Family | 285 | 75 | 26.32\% | 40 | 0 | 0.00\% |
| Non-Family, Non-Elderly | 195 | 115 | 58.97\% | 70 | 4 | 5.71\% |
| All Incomes | 12,795 | 3,015 | 23.56\% | 3,600 | 1,100 | 30.56\% |
| Elderly Family | 3,570 | 710 | 19.89\% | 225 | 47 | 20.89\% |
| Small Family (2-4 persons) | 4,975 | 908 | 18.25\% | 1,645 | 430 | 26.14\% |
| Large Family (5 or more persons) | 745 | 138 | 18.52\% | 450 | 190 | 42.22\% |
| Elderly Non-Family | 2,135 | 789 | 36.96\% | 435 | 184 | 42.30\% |
| Non-Family, Non-Elderly | 1,375 | 470 | 34.18\% | 840 | 249 | 29.64\% |
| Source: 2008-2012 HUD Comprehensive Housing | dability Strat | able 7 |  |  |  |  |

## Delaware County : Households under 80\% AMI by Cost Burden

|  | Owners |  |  |  | Renters |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  | No. w/ Cost | Pct. w/ Cost |  | No. w/ Cost Pct. w/ Cost |  |
|  |  | $>30 \%$ | $>30 \%$ |  | $>30 \%$ | $>30 \%$ |
| Household Size/Type | Total | Income | Income | Total | Income | Income |
| Income < 80\% HAMFI | $\mathbf{5 , 0 3 5}$ | $\mathbf{2 , 1 7 4}$ | $\mathbf{4 3 . 1 8 \%}$ | $\mathbf{2 , 1 4 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 0 2 3}$ | $\mathbf{4 7 . 8 0 \%}$ |
| Elderly Family | 1,165 | 470 | $40.34 \%$ | 110 | 29 | $26.36 \%$ |
| Small Family (2-4 persons) | 1,535 | 650 | $42.35 \%$ | 845 | 405 | $47.93 \%$ |
| Large Family (5 or more persons) | 235 | 104 | $44.26 \%$ | 335 | 170 | $50.75 \%$ |
| Elderly Non-Family | 1,390 | 635 | $45.68 \%$ | 335 | 184 | $54.93 \%$ |
| Non-Family, Non-Elderly | 710 | 315 | $44.37 \%$ | 510 | 235 | $46.08 \%$ |
| Source: 2008-2012 HUD Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy, Table 7 |  |  |  |  |  |  |



Source: 2008-2012 HUD Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy, Table 7

## Housing Problems by Household Type

The next set of tables presents data by household type and whether or not the household is experiencing any housing problems. Housing problems are defined by HUD as any household meeting any of the three following criteria:

1. Housing costs greater than $30 \%$ of income (cost-overburdened).
2. Living in a housing unit lacking complete plumbing or a complete kitchen (substandard housing unit).
3. Living in a housing unit with more than 1.0 persons per room (overcrowding).

## Delaware County : CHAS - Housing Problems by Household Type and HAMFI

|  |  | Owners |  |  | Renters |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Income, Household Size/Type | Total | No. w/ Housing Problems | Pct. w/ <br> Housing <br> Problems | Total | No. w/ <br> Housing <br> Problems | Pct. w/ <br> Housing <br> Problems |
| Income < 30\% HAMFI | 1,020 | 655 | 64.22\% | 765 | 555 | 72.55\% |
| Elderly Family | 120 | 115 | 95.83\% | 0 | 0 | N/A |
| Small Family (2-4 persons) | 225 | 130 | 57.78\% | 360 | 250 | 69.44\% |
| Large Family (5 or more persons) | 70 | 60 | 85.71\% | 80 | 80 | 100.00\% |
| Elderly Non-Family | 410 | 265 | 64.63\% | 105 | 75 | 71.43\% |
| Non-Family, Non-Elderly | 190 | 85 | 44.74\% | 220 | 150 | 68.18\% |
| Income 30\%-50\% HAMFI | 1,700 | 880 | 51.76\% | 685 | 480 | 70.07\% |
| Elderly Family | 390 | 210 | 53.85\% | 25 | 15 | 60.00\% |
| Small Family (2-4 persons) | 590 | 330 | 55.93\% | 225 | 165 | 73.33\% |
| Large Family (5 or more persons) | 60 | 45 | 75.00\% | 130 | 125 | 96.15\% |
| Elderly Non-Family | 505 | 195 | 38.61\% | 190 | 115 | 60.53\% |
| Non-Family, Non-Elderly | 155 | 100 | 64.52\% | 110 | 60 | 54.55\% |
| Income 50\%-80\% HAMFI | 2,315 | 780 | 33.69\% | 690 | 239 | 34.64\% |
| Elderly Family | 655 | 150 | 22.90\% | 85 | 15 | 17.65\% |
| Small Family (2-4 persons) | 720 | 220 | 30.56\% | 260 | 80 | 30.77\% |
| Large Family (5 or more persons) | 105 | 50 | 47.62\% | 125 | 85 | 68.00\% |
| Elderly Non-Family | 475 | 180 | 37.89\% | 40 | 4 | 10.00\% |
| Non-Family, Non-Elderly | 365 | 180 | 49.32\% | 180 | 55 | 30.56\% |
| Income Greater than 80\% of HAMFI | 7,760 | 1,090 | 14.05\% | 1,460 | 160 | 10.96\% |
| Elderly Family | 2,405 | 280 | 11.64\% | 115 | 15 | 13.04\% |
| Small Family (2-4 persons) | 3,435 | 320 | 9.32\% | 800 | 40 | 5.00\% |
| Large Family (5 or more persons) | 510 | 170 | 33.33\% | 115 | 70 | 60.87\% |
| Elderly Non-Family | 745 | 155 | 20.81\% | 105 | 0 | 0.00\% |
| Non-Family, Non-Elderly | 665 | 165 | 24.81\% | 330 | 35 | 10.61\% |
| All Incomes | 12,795 | 3,405 | 26.61\% | 3,600 | 1,434 | 39.83\% |
| Elderly Family | 3,570 | 755 | 21.15\% | 225 | 45 | 20.00\% |
| Small Family (2-4 persons) | 4,970 | 1,000 | 20.12\% | 1,645 | 535 | 32.52\% |
| Large Family (5 or more persons) | 745 | 325 | 43.62\% | 450 | 360 | 80.00\% |
| Elderly Non-Family | 2,135 | 795 | 37.24\% | 440 | 194 | 44.09\% |
| Non-Family, Non-Elderly | 1,375 | 530 | 38.55\% | 840 | 300 | 35.71\% |
| Source: 2008-2012 HUD Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy, Table 16 |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Delaware County : Households under 80\% AMI by Housing Problems

|  | Owners |  |  | Renters |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Household Size/Type | Total | No. w/ <br> Housing <br> Problems | Pct. w/ <br> Housing <br> Problems | Total | No. w/ <br> Housing <br> Problems | Pct. w/ <br> Housing <br> Problems |
| Income < 80\% HAMFI | 5,035 | 2,315 | 45.98\% | 2,140 | 1,274 | 59.53\% |
| Elderly Family | 1,165 | 475 | 40.77\% | 110 | 30 | 27.27\% |
| Small Family (2-4 persons) | 1,535 | 680 | 44.30\% | 845 | 495 | 58.58\% |
| Large Family (5 or more persons) | 235 | 155 | 65.96\% | 335 | 290 | 86.57\% |
| Elderly Non-Family | 1,390 | 640 | 46.04\% | 335 | 194 | 57.91\% |
| Non-Family, Non-Elderly | 710 | 365 | 51.41\% | 510 | 265 | 51.96\% |

Source: 2008-2012 HUD Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy, Table 7

Households Under 80\% of AMI: Percentage with Housing Problems



Source: 2008-2012 HUD Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy, Table 7

## Housing Problems by Race / Ethnicity

Data presented in the following tables summarizes housing problems (as previously defined), by HAMFI threshold, and by race/ethnicity, for Delaware County. Under CFR 91.305(b)(1)(ii)(2), racial or ethnic groups have disproportionate need if "the percentage of persons in a category of need who are members of a particular racial or ethnic group in a category of need is at least 10 percentage points higher than the percentage of persons in the category as a whole."

| Delaware County : CHAS - Housing Problems by Race / Ethnicity and HAMFI |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Owners |  |  | Renters |  |  |
| Income, Race / Ethnicity | Total | No. w/ Housing Problems | Pct. w/ Housing Problems | Total | No. w/ Housing Problems | Pct. w/ Housing Problems |
| Income < 30\% HAMFI | 1,020 | 660 | 64.7\% | 765 | 555 | 72.5\% |
| White alone, non-Hispanic | 695 | 460 | 66.2\% | 415 | 315 | 75.9\% |
| Black or African-American alone | 0 | 0 | N/A | 0 | 0 | N/A |
| Asian alone | 20 | 20 | 100.0\% | 4 | 4 | 100.0\% |
| American Indian alone | 235 | 130 | 55.3\% | 280 | 180 | 64.3\% |
| Pacific Islander alone | 0 | 0 | N/A | 0 | 0 | N/A |
| Hispanic, any race | 14 | 10 | 71.4\% | 35 | 35 | 100.0\% |
| Other (including multiple races) | 59 | 40 | 67.8\% | 30 | 20 | 66.7\% |
| Income 30\%-50\% HAMFI | 1,700 | 880 | 51.8\% | 685 | 480 | 70.1\% |
| White alone, non-Hispanic | 1,260 | 670 | 53.2\% | 505 | 355 | 70.3\% |
| Black or African-American alone | 0 | 0 | N/A | 10 | 10 | 100.0\% |
| Asian alone | 0 | 0 | N/A | 4 | 4 | 100.0\% |
| American Indian alone | 300 | 145 | 48.3\% | 125 | 80 | 64.0\% |
| Pacific Islander alone | 0 | 0 | N/A | 0 | 0 | N/A |
| Hispanic, any race | 60 | 25 | 41.7\% | 15 | 15 | 100.0\% |
| Other (including multiple races) | 85 | 40 | 47.1\% | 25 | 15 | 60.0\% |
| Income 50\%-80\% HAMFI | 2,315 | 775 | 33.5\% | 690 | 240 | 34.8\% |
| White alone, non-Hispanic | 1,780 | 640 | 36.0\% | 475 | 145 | 30.5\% |
| Black or African-American alone | 0 | 0 | N/A | 0 | 0 | N/A |
| Asian alone | 0 | 0 | N/A | 0 | 0 | N/A |
| American Indian alone | 360 | 90 | 25.0\% | 185 | 75 | 40.5\% |
| Pacific Islander alone | 10 | 10 | 100.0\% | 4 | 4 | 100.0\% |
| Hispanic, any race | 40 | 10 | 25.0\% | 20 | 10 | 50.0\% |
| Other (including multiple races) | 130 | 25 | 19.2\% | 8 | 4 | 50.0\% |
| Income 80\%-100\% HAMFI | 1,405 | 435 | 31.0\% | 400 | 80 | 20.0\% |
| White alone, non-Hispanic | 1,135 | 360 | 31.7\% | 240 | 55 | 22.9\% |
| Black or African-American alone | 0 | 0 | N/A | 0 | 0 | N/A |
| Asian alone | 0 | 0 | N/A | 4 | 4 | 100.0\% |
| American Indian alone | 175 | 65 | 37.1\% | 99 | 4 | 4.0\% |
| Pacific Islander alone | 0 | 0 | N/A | 15 | 15 | 100.0\% |
| Hispanic, any race | 0 | 0 | N/A | 8 | 4 | 50.0\% |
| Other (including multiple races) | 84 | 4 | 4.8\% | 39 | 4 | 10.3\% |
| All Incomes | 12,800 | 3,405 | 26.6\% | 3,595 | 1,430 | 39.8\% |
| White alone, non-Hispanic | 9,715 | 2,585 | 26.6\% | 2,525 | 930 | 36.8\% |
| Black or African-American alone | 0 | 0 | N/A | 25 | 10 | 40.0\% |
| Asian alone | 64 | 24 | 37.5\% | 12 | 12 | 100.0\% |
| American Indian alone | 2,065 | 555 | 26.9\% | 778 | 343 | 44.1\% |
| Pacific Islander alone | 10 | 10 | 100.0\% | 19 | 19 | 100.0\% |
| Hispanic, any race | 174 | 70 | 40.2\% | 113 | 64 | 56.6\% |
| Other (including multiple races) | 763 | 149 | 19.5\% | 132 | 53 | 40.2\% |
| Source: 2008-2012 HUD Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy, Table 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| Delaware County : Households under 80\% AMI by Race/Ethnicity |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Owners |  |  | Renters |  |
| Household Size/Type | Total | No. w/ <br> Housing <br> Problems | Pct. w/ <br> Housing <br> Problems | Total | No. w/ <br> Housing <br> Problems | Pct. w/ <br> Housing <br> Problems |
| Income < 80\% HAMFI | 5,035 | 2,315 | 45.98\% | 2,140 | 1,275 | 59.58\% |
| White alone, non-Hispanic | 3,735 | 1,770 | 47.39\% | 1,395 | 815 | 58.42\% |
| Black or African-American alone | 0 | 0 | N/A | 10 | 10 | 100.00\% |
| Asian alone | 20 | 20 | 100.00\% | 8 | 8 | 100.00\% |
| American Indian alone | 895 | 365 | 40.78\% | 590 | 335 | 56.78\% |
| Pacific Islander alone | 10 | 10 | 100.00\% | 4 | 4 | 100.00\% |
| Hispanic, any race | 114 | 45 | 39.47\% | 70 | 60 | 85.71\% |
| Other (including multiple races) | 274 | 105 | 38.32\% | 63 | 39 | 61.90\% |

Households Under 80\% of AMI: Percentage with Housing Problems by Race



Source: 2008-2012 HUD Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy, Table 7

## CHAS Conclusions

The previous data notes many areas of need (and severe need) among the existing population of Delaware County. The greatest needs are among households with incomes less than 30\% of Area Median Income. Several other areas of note:

- Among households with incomes less than 50\% of Area Median Income, there are 905 renter households that are cost overburdened, and 1,470 homeowners that are cost overburdened.
- Among elderly households with incomes less than 50\% of Area Median Income, there are 195 renter households that are cost overburdened, and 785 homeowners that are cost overburdened.
- $85.71 \%$ of Hispanic renters, and $100 \%$ of Pacific Islander, African-American and Asian renters with incomes less than 80\% of Area Median Income have one or more housing problems.
- $100 \%$ of Asian and Pacific Islander homeowners with incomes less than $80 \%$ of Area Median Income have one or more housing problems.


## Overall Anticipated Housing Demand

Future demand for housing units in Delaware County can be estimated from population and household growth. Population estimates are based on known factors such as noted increases in the city employment base and indications from demographic services. In this case we have considered data from both the U.S. Census Bureau and Nielsen SiteReports. The estimates of changes in households and population were presented in a previous section of this report. The anticipated future demand is estimated for Grove, as well as Delaware County as a whole. The calculations are shown in the following tables.

## Grove Anticipated Demand

Households in Grove grew at an annually compounded rate of 2.74\% from 2000 to 2010. Nielsen SiteReports estimates households have grown 0.77\% per year since that time, and that households will grow $0.92 \%$ per year through 2020. For these reasons we will rely on the Nielsen SiteReports forecast of $0.92 \%$ per year in forecasting future household growth for Grove.

The percentage of owner households was estimated at $70.13 \%$ with renter households estimated at $29.87 \%$, based on data from the U.S. Census Bureau. The estimated number of additional units needed to service increasing demand can be estimated by applying this percentage to the anticipated growth in households. It should be noted that this is an estimate of rental and owner requirements and should be relied upon only as a guideline for possible new demand. The calculations are shown below.

| Future Housing Demand Estimates for Grove |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Year | $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 8}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 9}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 2 0}$ |
| Household Estimates | 3,113 | 3,142 | 3,171 | 3,200 | 3,229 | 3,259 |
| Owner \%: | $70.13 \%$ | 2,183 | 2,203 | 2,223 | 2,244 | 2,265 |
| Renter \%: $29.87 \%$ | 930 | 938 | 947 | 956 | 965 | 974 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Total New Owner Households | $\mathbf{1 0 2}$ |  |
|  |  |  | Total New Renter Households | $\mathbf{4 4}$ |  |  |

Based on an estimated household growth rate of $0.92 \%$ per year, Grove would require 102 new housing units for ownership, and 44 units for rent, over the next five years. Annually this equates to 20 units for ownership per year, and 9 units for rent per year.

## Delaware County Anticipated Demand

Households in Delaware County grew at an annually compounded rate of 1.42\% from 2000 to 2010. Nielsen SiteReports estimates households have grown 0.08\% per year since that time, and that households will grow 0.31\% per year through 2020. For these reasons we will rely on the Nielsen SiteReports forecast of $0.31 \%$ per year in forecasting future household growth for Delaware County.

The percentage of owner households was estimated at $77.77 \%$ with renter households estimated at $22.23 \%$, based on data from the U.S. Census Bureau. The estimated number of additional units needed to service increasing demand can be estimated by applying this percentage to the anticipated growth
in households. It should be noted that this is an estimate of rental and owner requirements and should be relied upon only as a guideline for possible new demand. The calculations are shown below.

| Future Housing Demand Estimates for Delaware County |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Year | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
| Household Estimates | 17,158 | 17,212 | 17,265 | 17,319 | 17,374 | 17,428 |
| Owner \%: 77.77\% | 13,345 | 13,386 | 13,428 | 13,470 | 13,512 | 13,555 |
| Renter \%: 22.23\% | 3,813 | 3,825 | 3,837 | 3,849 | 3,861 | 3,873 |
|  |  | Total New Owner Households |  |  |  | 210 |
|  |  | Total New Renter Households |  |  |  | 60 |

Based on an estimated household growth rate of $0.31 \%$ per year, Delaware County would require 210 new housing units for ownership, and 60 units for rent, over the next five years. Annually this equates to 42 units for ownership per year, and 12 units for rent per year.

## Housing Demand - Population Subsets

This section will address 5-year forecasted needs and trends for population special population subsets for Delaware County. These forecasts are based on the previously forecasted overall trends for the next five years.

## Housing Needs by Income Thresholds

The first table will address future housing needs and trends for households in Delaware County by income threshold: households within incomes below 30\%, 50\%, 60\% and 80\% of Area Median Income, by tenure (owner/renter). These forecasts are primarily based on HUD Consolidated Housing Affordability Strategy data presented previously. Households with incomes below 60\% of Area Median Income (AMI) are estimated at $120 \%$ of the households at $50 \%$ of AMI. Note that these figures are cumulative and should not be added across income thresholds.

| Delaware County: 2015-2020 Housing | Needs by Income Threshold |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  |  |  |  | Owner |
|  | Renter |  |  |  |  |
|  | Subset $\%$ | Subset $\%$ | Owners | Renters | Total |
| Total New Demand: 2015-2020 | $100.00 \%$ | $100.00 \%$ | 210 | 60 | 270 |
| Less than 30\% AMI | $7.97 \%$ | $21.25 \%$ | 17 | 13 | $\mathbf{2 9}$ |
| Less than 50\% AMI | $21.26 \%$ | $40.28 \%$ | 45 | 24 | $\mathbf{6 9}$ |
| Less than 60\% AMI | $25.51 \%$ | $48.33 \%$ | 54 | 29 | $\mathbf{8 3}$ |
| Less than $80 \%$ AMI | $39.35 \%$ | $59.44 \%$ | 83 | 36 | $\mathbf{1 1 8}$ |

## Elderly Housing Needs

The next table will address future housing needs and trends for households with elderly persons (age 62 and up). Like the previous table, this data is based on the overall trends previously defined, and the 2008-2012 CHAS data previously discussed (specifically CHAS Table 16). It is further broken down by income threshold and tenure.

| Delaware County: 2015-2020 Housing | Needs Age $\mathbf{6 2}$ and Up |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Owner | Renter | Elderly | Elderly | Elderly |
|  | Subset $\%$ | Subset $\%$ | Owners | Renters | Total |
| Total New Elderly (62+) Demand: 2015-2020 | $44.59 \%$ | $18.33 \%$ | 94 | 11 | $\mathbf{1 0 5}$ |
| Elderly less than 30\% AMI | $4.14 \%$ | $2.92 \%$ | 9 | 2 | $\mathbf{1 0}$ |
| Elderly less than 50\% AMI | $11.14 \%$ | $8.89 \%$ | 23 | 5 | $\mathbf{2 9}$ |
| Elderly less than 60\% AMI | $13.36 \%$ | $10.67 \%$ | 28 | 6 | $\mathbf{3 4}$ |
| Elderly less than 80\% AMI | $19.97 \%$ | $12.36 \%$ | 42 | 7 | $\mathbf{4 9}$ |

## Housing Needs for Persons with Disabilities / Special Needs

The following table will address future trends and needs for households with at least one household member with at least one disability as identified by HUD CHAS Table 6 (hearing or vision impairments, ambulatory limitations, cognitive limitations, self-care limitations, or independent living limitations). As with the previous tables, this data is also further broken down by income threshold and tenure.

| Delaware County: 2015-2020 Housing | Needs for Persons with Disabilities |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Owner | Renter | Disabled | Disabled | Disabled |
|  | Subset $\%$ | Subset $\%$ | Owners | Renters | Total |
| Total New Disabled Demand (2015-2020) | $37.98 \%$ | $35.28 \%$ | 80 | 21 | $\mathbf{1 0 1}$ |
| Disabled less than 30\% AMI | $3.71 \%$ | $8.61 \%$ | 8 | 5 | $\mathbf{1 3}$ |
| Disabled less than 50\% AMI | $11.10 \%$ | $17.50 \%$ | 23 | 11 | $\mathbf{3 4}$ |
| Disabled less than 60\% AMI | $13.32 \%$ | $21.00 \%$ | 28 | 13 | $\mathbf{4 1}$ |
| Disabled less than 80\% AMI | $18.33 \%$ | $25.83 \%$ | 38 | 16 | $\mathbf{5 4}$ |

## Housing Needs for Veterans

This section will address housing needs for households with at least one veteran. This data is not available through HUD's Consolidated Housing Affordability Strategy, so we have instead relied on data from the U.S. Census Bureau, specifically the 2009-2013 American Community Survey, Table C21007. This data is further broken down by tenure, poverty status, and disability status.

| Delaware County: 2015-2020 Housing | Needs for Veterans |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Owner | Renter | Veteran | Veteran | Veteran |
|  | Subset $\%$ | Subset $\%$ | Owners | Renters | Total |
| Total New Demand (2015-2020) | $100.00 \%$ | $100.00 \%$ | 210 | 60 | 270 |
| Total Veteran Demand | $13.41 \%$ | $13.41 \%$ | 28 | 8 | $\mathbf{3 6}$ |
| Veterans with Disabilities | $5.16 \%$ | $5.16 \%$ | 11 | 3 | $\mathbf{1 4}$ |
| Veterans Below Poverty | $1.24 \%$ | $1.24 \%$ | 3 | 1 | $\mathbf{3}$ |
| Disabled Veterans Below Poverty | $0.52 \%$ | $0.52 \%$ | 1 | 0 | $\mathbf{1}$ |

## Housing Needs for Working Families

The final table addresses housing needs for working families. Working families are in this case defined as families (households with at least two members related by blood or marriage) with at least one person employed. Like the forecasts for veteran needs, this data cannot be extracted from the HUD CHAS tables, so we have again relied on the Census Bureau's American Community Survey (table B23007 in this instance). The data is further broken down by the presence of children (below the age of 18).

| Delaware County: 2015-2020 Housing | Needs for Working Families |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Owner | Renter |  |  |  |
|  | Subset $\%$ | Subset $\%$ | Owners | Renters | Total |
| Total New Demand (2015-2020) | $100.00 \%$ | $100.00 \%$ | 210 | 60 | 270 |
| Total Working Families | $45.85 \%$ | $45.85 \%$ | 96 | 28 | $\mathbf{1 2 4}$ |
| Working Families with Children Present | $19.77 \%$ | $19.77 \%$ | 42 | 12 | $\mathbf{5 3}$ |

## Population Subset Conclusions

Based on population and household growth over the next five years, a total of 270 housing units will be needed in Delaware County over the next five years. Of those units:

- 83 will be needed by households earning less than $60 \%$ of Area Median Income
- 34 will be needed by households age 62 and up, earning less than $60 \%$ of Area Median Income
- 41 will be needed by households with disabilities / special needs, earning less than $60 \%$ of Area Median Income
- Three will be needed by veterans living below the poverty line
- 53 will be needed by working families with children present

This data suggests a need in Delaware County for housing units that are both affordable and accessible to persons with disabilities / special needs, and working families with children.


[^0]:    Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

[^1]:    Source: 2013 HUD Picture of Subsidized Households

[^2]:    Source: 2013 HUD Picture of Subsidized Households

[^3]:    Source: 2008-2012 HUD Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy, Table 8

