

# 2014 HOUSING FACT BOOK Housing Works Ring at Roger Williams University





ADVISORY BOARD Ian Lang - Chair Richard F. Staples, Jr. - Vice Chair Amy Rainone - Treasurer Robert I. Stolzman, Esq. - Secretary Constantine Andrews Stephen Antoni David Caldwell, Jr. Michael Emmer Paola Fernandez Joseph Garlick Geoffrey A. Marchant Rhonda Mitchell Barbara J. Silvis Dr. June Speakman Allan W. Stein Peter Wilbur

### WHO IS HOUSINGWORKS RI AT RWU?

HousingWorks RI at Roger Williams University is an authoritative source of information about housing in Rhode Island. We conduct research and analyze data to inform public policy. We develop communications strategies and promote dialogue about the relationship between housing and the state's economic future.

HousingWorks RI at Roger Williams University envisions a Rhode Island in which communities embrace a variety of housing choices so that residents, regardless of income, can live in healthy, quality homes in vibrant and thriving neighborhoods.

### **ORIGINS & FUNDERS**

With funding from the Rhode Island Foundation, Rhode Island Housing, and the United Way of Rhode Island, HousingWorks RI began as a campaign to educate the public and business community about a rapidly emerging economic development problem: the lack of affordable housing options for the state's workforce.

In 2014, Roger Williams University integrated HousingWorks RI into its University Outreach and Engagement division. Roger Williams University has long valued a campus-wide commitment to the greater community. As part of Roger Williams University, HousingWorks RI at RWU acts as a bridge for the University and provides a "think and do" laboratory that faculty, students, and staff can leverage to better all of Rhode Island.

### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT & THANKS**

J. Scott Wolf

The Housing Fact Book is always a collective endeavor. The 2014 Housing Fact Book would not have been possible without the dedication, input, and energy of the following people: Stephen Antoni, Amy Cola, Jerry Dauterive, Barbara Fields, Rupayan Gupta, Courtland H. Hall III, Amy Rainone, Eric Rollins, Noreen Shawcross, Richard Staples, the Community Development Corporations across the state, and all of our dedicated Advisory Board members.

The 2014 Housing Fact Book was made possible with funding from:













HousingWorks RI @ RWU | 2014 Housing Fact Book | 1

### Dear Reader:

Welcome to the 2014 Housing Fact Book. This is a very special edition as it not only marks our 10th anniversary, but also represents the first publication for HousingWorks RI in our new home at Roger Williams University. To celebrate this milestone, we thought it only appropriate to take a look back at housing affordability over the last decade. From the surging home prices in 2003 to when the bubble burst in 2007 to the lingering effects of the foreclosure crisis today, Rhode Island's housing market has changed dramatically during the last decade. What has the impact been for Rhode Islanders at various income levels?

To find out, we will revisit our fictional couple "Jennifer and Mike" introduced back in the 2007 Housing Fact Book. At that time they were a typical young couple, a few years out of college, looking for a place to settle down and raise a family. They decided to purchase a home in one of just six communities affordable to them with their household income of \$78,874. We'll see how the economy and foreclosures have left them "underwater" with few options despite having made appropriate decisions along the way.

We'll also take a look at housing affordability in the state's rental housing market and how that affordability varies according to income. Documented throughout our analysis are persistent housing cost burdens for homeowners and renters alike, despite marked highs and lows in home and rent prices over the last decade.

As we look ahead to another decade, HousingWorks RI at Roger Williams University will continue to advance housing affordability as a public policy priority. We hope that the 2014 Housing Fact Book is a useful tool for you as you engage in initiatives to inform state and local decision makers on the importance of an integrated approach to improving housing affordability in Rhode Island.

Ian Lang

Board Chair, HousingWorks RI

Director, HousingWorks RI

### INSIDE THE HOUSINGWORKS RI 2014 HOUSING FACT BOOK

### **OVERVIEW AND ANALYSIS**

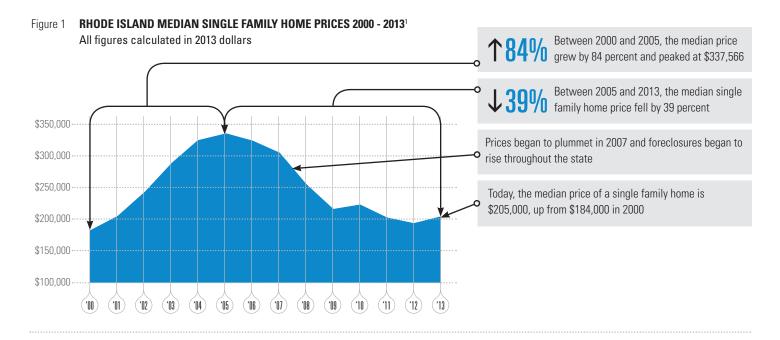
Who is HousingWorks RI at RWU?	Inside Cover
Welcome Letter	1
HOMEOWNERS	
Single Family Home Costs & Incomes	4
Jennifer and Mike: Then & Now	5
Percent Changes in Spending & Income	6
Housing Cost Burdens	7
RENTERS	
2-Bedroom Apartment Costs & Incomes	8
Foreclosures & The Rental Market	9
Percent Changes in Spending & Income	10
Housing Cost Burdens	11
What it All Means / What is Being Done / Looking to the Future	12
Rhode Island	14
Barrington	
Bristol	
Burrillville	
Central Falls	
Charlestown	
Coventry	
Cranston	
Cumberland	
East Greenwich	
East Providence	
Exeter	
Foster	
Glocester	27
Hopkinton	
Jamestown	29
Johnston	30

Lincoln	31
Little Compton	32
Middletown	33
Narragansett	34
Newport	35
New Shoreham	36
North Kingstown	37
North Providence	38
North Smithfield	39
Pawtucket	40
Portsmouth	41
Providence (without East Side)	42
Providence (East Side)	43
Richmond	44
Scituate	45
Smithfield	46
South Kingstown	47
Tiverton	48
Warren	49
Warwick	50
Westerly	51
West Greenwich	52
West Warwick	53
Woonsocket	54
THE STATE OF HOUSING IN RHODE ISLAND: DATA & REFEREN	ICES
THE STATE OF HOOSING IN INTODE ISLAND. DATA & HEI EILEN	
Where Can You Afford to Buy a Home?	56
Where Can You Afford to Rent a Home?	57
The Success of Building Homes Rhode Island	58
Foreclosures in Rhode Island	59
Rental Data	62
Sales Data	64
Progress Toward Affordable Housing Goals	66
Where Did the Numbers and Research in This Book Come From?	67
References	67

### **HOMEOWNERS**

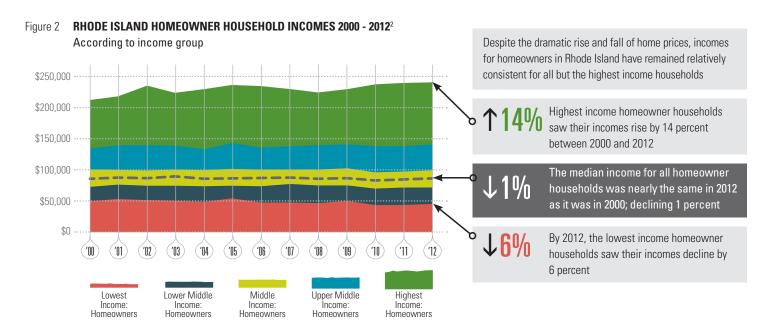
### SINGLE FAMILY HOME COSTS & INCOMES

The last decade has been a volatile time for Rhode Island's homebuyer market. In order to give a complete picture of the past ten years, we need to go even further back to the year 2000 when Rhode Island first started showing signs of dramatic growth in single family home prices.



Although housing prices are lower now than 2005 levels, stagnant incomes mean that many Rhode Island households find themselves vulnerable to high housing cost burdens when owning a home today.

We ordered Rhode Island homeowner households by income and then divided them into five equally sized groups. We further refined the analysis by looking only at homeowner households with mortgages. By doing this, we can see the differences in housing affordability for different income groups in Rhode Island.



# 2007 Fact Book THEN

## JENNIFER & MIKE THEN & NOW

We first met "Jennifer and Mike" back in 2007 when they were a typical young couple, a few years out of college, looking for a place to settle down and raise a family. Jennifer was a registered nurse and Mike worked in retail; both their jobs were among the most high-demand occupations in Rhode Island at the time.

Checking in with Jennifer and Mike today, we find the couple now has a second child named Olivia. Jennifer makes \$41.64 an hour, the state's median wage for an

experienced registered nurse. She usually works four

10-hour shifts a week and occasionally picks up extra shifts

from his retail position and the couple decided he would remain

to bring her annual income up to \$90,942. Mike was laid off

They decided to purchase their first home in Warwick, one of just six communities with prices they could afford.



Purchase Price \$230,000 | \$1,826

**Monthly Payment** 

When their daughter Emily was born a year later, their income was \$74,243. They worried about their mounting bills and worked hard to tighten their budget.3





Principal payments as of 2013

\$17,837

Interest payments as of 2013

\$80,726

Principal remaining

\$205,263

Current value of Jennifer & Mike's home \$177,300

Unfortunately, due to several short sales and foreclosures in their neighborhood, the value of their home was reduced to \$177,300,4 placing Jennifer and Mike among the 17 percent of Rhode Island homeowners who are "underwater", meaning that their home is worth less than the amount they still owe on their mortgage.



Jennifer and Mike now pay \$2,212 per month on housing and utilities (29 percent of their household income), meaning they are not housing cost burdened. Unfortunately, because they have negative equity in their home, they are finding it difficult to refinance their mortgage to an interest rate lower than 6.35%. The couple is considering applying to the Home Affordable Refinance Program (HARP); this program helps owners that have consistently paid their mortgage but are still underwater.

### **HOUSEHOLD BUDGET**



### **HOMEOWNERS**

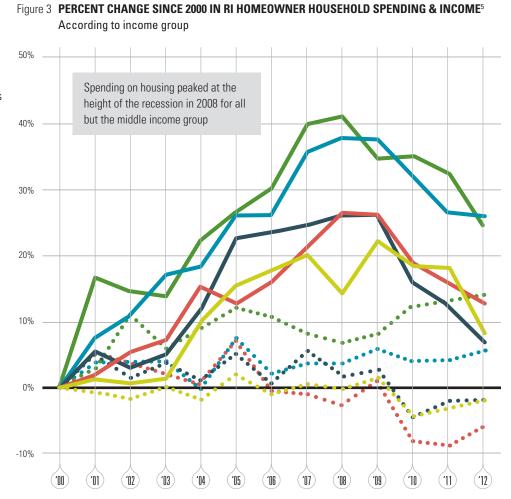
### PERCENT CHANGES IN SPENDING & INCOME

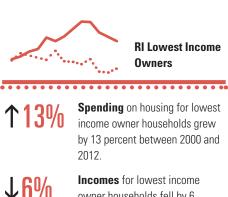
Now that we've established incomes for homeowners and median single family home prices since 2000, let's take a look at what this means for the five income groups of homeowner households in Rhode Island.

In Figure 3 we can see the percent change since 2000 in housing spending for homeowner households with a mortgage compared to the percent change in household incomes for each of the five income groups.



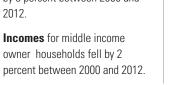
We've isolated the changes in spending and income over time for three of our five income groups below.













Spending on housing for highest income owner households grew by 25 percent between 2000 and 2012.

**Incomes** for highest income owner households grew by 14 percent between 2000 and 2012.

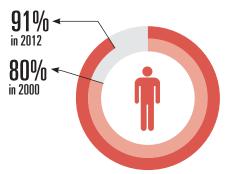
### HOUSING COST BURDENS

**HOMEOWNERS** 

Given that spending on housing has outpaced incomes for Rhode Island households in all five income groups, it is not surprising to see high levels of housing cost burdens.

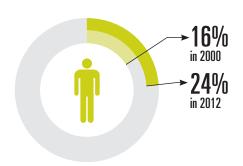
### RISE IN OWNER COST BURDENS BETWEEN 2000 AND 20126

The percent of homeowner households that spend more than 30 percent of their income on housing has grown for every income group since the year 2000.



The percent of cost burdened households has grown by 14 percent for lowest income owners

80 percent of lowest income owners were cost burdened in 2000. By 2012, 91 percent were.



The percent of cost burdened households has grown by 53 percent for middle income owners

16 percent of middle income owners were cost burdened in 2000. By 2012, 24 percent were.





### **Decreased Purchasing Power for Rhode Island Homeowners**<sup>7</sup>

Cost burdened households from the three lowest owner income groups, those earning up to \$99,300

### **Current Housing**

### If Housing were **NOT** a Cost Burden

### **Decreased Purchasing Power**

**AVERAGE YEARLY** 

\$22,670 PER YEAR

It is estimated that a typical cost burdened household spends an average of \$22,670 per year on their mortgage and housing expenses

\$13,535 PER YEAR

This household would average \$13,535 per year on their mortgage and housing expenses if they lived in housing affordable to them

\$9,135 PER YEAR

Housing cost burdens decrease this household's purchasing power by an average of \$9,135 annually

**STATEWIDE** 

**BILLION PER YEAR** 

Collectively, these 59,000 households spend an estimated \$1.34 billion on their mortgage and housing expenses

**MILLION PER YEAR** 

Collectively, these households would spend an estimated \$800 million a year on their mortgage and housing expenses if they lived in housing affordable to them

**MILLION PER YEAR** 

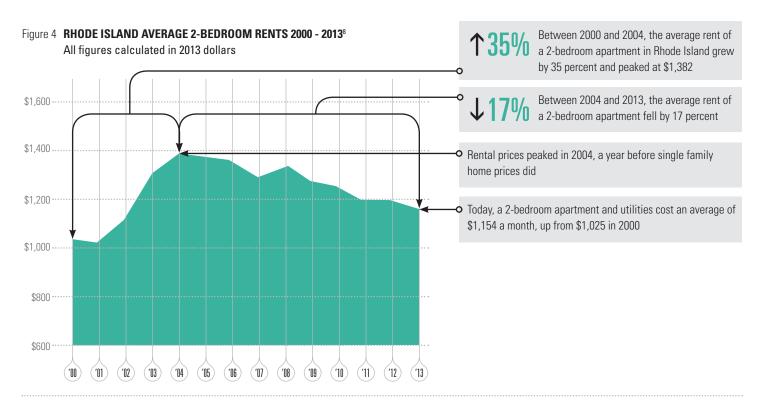
Collectively, housing cost burdens decrease these 59,000 households' purchasing power by an estimated \$540 million annually



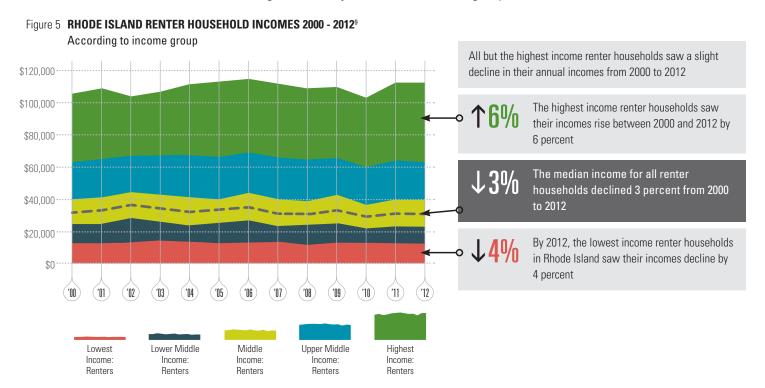
The savings generated through housing that is affordable allows households to more actively participate in their local economy, build equity in their homes, and afford daily necessities such as healthcare and reliable transportation.

### 2-BEDROOM APARTMENT COSTS & INCOMES

Similar to Rhode Island's homebuyer market, rental prices in the state increased in the early part of the last decade; but unlike home sale prices, the rental market did not see as dramatic a decline.



We ordered Rhode Island renter households by income and then divided them into five equally sized groups. By doing this, we can see the differences in housing affordability for different income groups in Rhode Island.





# FORECLOSURES &

THE RENTAL MARKET

### RESIDENTIAL FORECLOSURES 2009 - 02 2014<sup>10</sup>





**Apartments** 

Single family homes

**16,279** 

Foreclosures have played a big part in Rhode Island's housing story over the past decade, particularly in the rental market. Unlike other areas of the country hard hit by residential foreclosures, Rhode Island saw large numbers of multi-family homes foreclosed, especially in the urban core.

> Looking back to 2009 when data became reliable, there were 3,183 multi-family foreclosure deeds filed through Q2 2014, about 30 percent of residential foreclosure deeds statewide. These multi-family foreclosures represent 8,715 rental homes.

### **VACANT PROPERTIES 2012**"



Single family homes

32%

**Multi-family** 2-4 units

8%

Multi-family / 4 + units

More properties are vacant today in Rhode Island than a decade ago and these properties are vacant longer. Residential vacancies in Rhode Island increased 42 percent between 2000 and 2012.

Recent HousingWorks RI analysis of US Postal Service vacancy data found that the percent of properties vacant for at least one year more than doubled during the aftermath of the foreclosure crisis. In the first quarter of 2009, 1.5 percent of Rhode Island properties had been vacant for at least one year. By the second quarter of 2014, that figure had risen to 3.6 percent.12



While we cannot directly link individual foreclosure deed properties to vacant properties, we can offer insight into possible connections by looking across RI neighborhoods.

Neighborhoods with higher rates of foreclosures also have higher rates of properties vacant for a year or more. Currently, neighborhoods with foreclosure rates above the statewide average have nearly twice the rate of vacant properties as neighborhoods below the statewide foreclosure average.13

### **RENTERS**

### PERCENT CHANGES IN SPENDING & INCOME

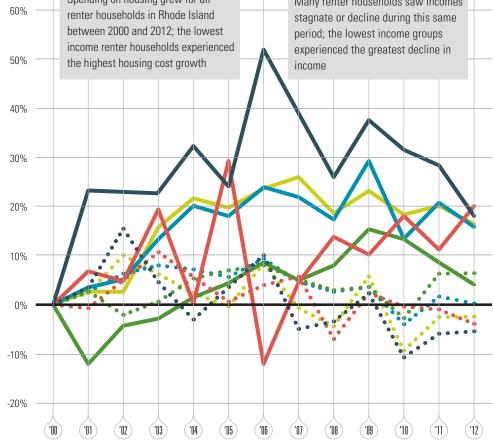
Now that we've established incomes for renter households and average rental prices since 2000, let's take a look at what this means for the five income groups of renter households in Rhode Island.

Figure 6 looks at the percent change since 2000 in housing spending for renter households compared to the change in household incomes for each of the five income groups.



We've isolated the changes in spending and income over time for three of our five income groups below.

Figure 6 PERCENT CHANGE SINCE 2000 IN RI RENTER HOUSEHOLD SPENDING & INCOME<sup>14</sup> According to income group Spending on housing grew for all Many renter households saw incomes 60% renter households in Rhode Island between 2000 and 2012; the lowest period; the lowest income groups income renter households experienced





income renter households grew by 20 percent between 2000 and 2012.

**Ա4**‰

Incomes for lowest income renter households fell by 4 percent between 2000 and 2012.



income renter households grew by 17 percent between 2000 and 2012.

**↓3**%

**Incomes** for middle income renter households fell by 3 percent between 2000 and 2012.



income renter households grew by 4 percent between 2000 and 2012.

**16**%

**Incomes** for highest income renter households grew by 6 percent between 2000 and 2012.

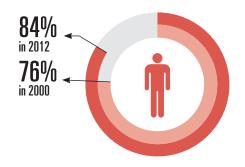
### HOUSING COST BURDENS

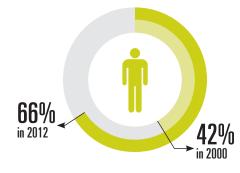
RENTERS

Just as we saw with owner households, spending on rental costs outpaced incomes for most renter households in Rhode Island and we find high levels of renter housing cost burdens over time.

### RISE IN RENTER COST BURDENS BETWEEN 2000 AND 2012<sup>15</sup>

The percent of renter households that spend more than 30 percent of their income on housing has grown for every income group since 2000.









### The percent of cost burdened households has grown by 11 percent for lowest income renters

76 percent of lowest income renter households were cost burdened in 2000. By 2012, 84 percent were.

The percent of cost burdened households has grown by 58 percent for middle income renters

42 percent of middle income renter households were cost burdened in 2000. By 2012, 66 percent were.

### **Decreased Purchasing Power for Rhode Island Renters**<sup>16</sup>

Cost burdened households from the three lowest renter income groups, those earning up to \$39,000

**Current Housing** 

### If Housing were NOT a Cost Burden

### **Decreased Purchasing Power**

**AVERAGE YEARLY** 

\$10.245 PER YEAR

It is estimated that a typical cost burdened renter household spends an average of \$10,245 per year on rent and utilities

This household would average \$4,887 per year on rent and utilities if they lived in housing affordable to them

\$5,357 PER YEAR

Housing cost burdens decrease this household's purchasing power by an average of \$5,357 annually

**STATEWIDE** 

**MILLION PER YEAR** 

Collectively, these 71,500 households spend an estimated \$740 million on rent and utilities **MILLION PER YEAR** 

\$4,887

Collectively, these households would spend an estimated \$353 million a year on rent and utilities if they lived in housing affordable to them

**MILLION PER YEAR** 

Collectively, housing cost burdens decrease these 71,500 households' purchasing power by \$387 million annually



The savings generated through housing that is affordable allows renter households to pursue homeownership and continuing education, and afford daily necessities such as healthcare and reliable transportation.

### WHAT IT ALL MEANS....

HousingWorks RI began ten years ago in response to a growing economic development problem: lack of housing affordable to Rhode Island's workers. Housing prices in Rhode Island surged in the early part of the last decade and incomes did not keep pace. By the time the national economic downturn began in 2007, Rhode Island was already in its own recession, facing high rates of unemployment, residential foreclosures, and plummeting home prices. But the decline in home prices did not solve the issue of housing affordability in the Ocean State and today homeowners and renters alike continue to struggle with high housing costs relative to their incomes.

"GREEN" & "AFFORDABLE":

Ten years later housing affordability remains problematic for Rhode Island's economic outlook. High housing cost burdens decrease the purchasing power of over 130,000 Rhode Island households and restrict their ability to diversify their spending in our local economy. HousingWorks RI analysis estimates this figure at \$927 million annually.

### WHAT IS BEING DONE ....

The good news is that the state has already made progress in addressing housing affordability with the Building Homes Rhode Island program. The \$50 million bond approved by voters in 2006 and another \$25 million bond approved in 2012 funded BHRI to support the development of 1,670 affordable rental and ownership homes in 31 communities. These funds will be fully expended in fiscal year 2015. New funding will be needed to build on that success moving forward.

The state has also developed a plan to end chronic homelessness in Rhode Island called Opening Doors RI. The plan requires public investment in permanent supportive housing, and will lead to greater cost savings for the state than the current emergency shelter system. Earlier this year the General Assembly created a permanent funding stream that will help to fund implementation of the plan.

Finally, there is RhodeMap RI, the state's effort to strengthen Rhode Island's economy, meet current and future housing needs and plan for future growth. RhodeMap RI is developing a plan to ensure that all Rhode Islanders have safe and healthy housing and access to jobs and economic opportunities.

BHRI, Opening Doors RI, and RhodeMap RI are all great examples of how the state is addressing housing affordability, but as the numbers in this year's Housing Fact Book indicate, more must be done.

### LOOKING TO THE FUTURE....

Next year brings a newly elected Governor with a new vision for our state. This Governor has a unique opportunity to advance housing affordability as a public policy priority and invest in housing as an economic driver for Rhode Island. By recognizing the importance of an integrated approach to improving housing affordability that includes public investment and a supportive regulatory climate, our next Governor can ensure a wide range of housing options that support the well-being and prosperity of our residents. In turn, this will lead to a brighter economic future for all of Rhode Island.

How BHRI works

"If the first few years of a child's life include support for heathy development in families



HousingWorks RI @ RWU 2014 Housing Fact Book

# HOUSING AFFORDABILITY FACTS



### RHODE ISLAND

How much does it cost to live here?



### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$205,000

Assumed down payment*	\$7,175
Mortgage amount	
Monthly housing payment**	\$1,580
INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS	\$63,192

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

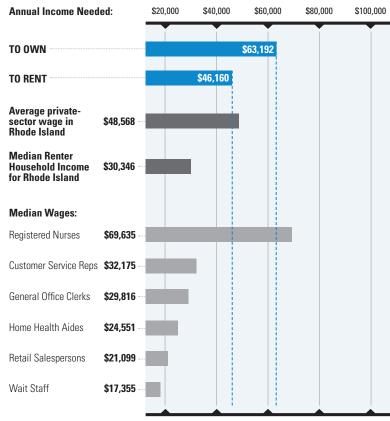
2003	2013	11%
\$230,000	\$205,000	DECREASE



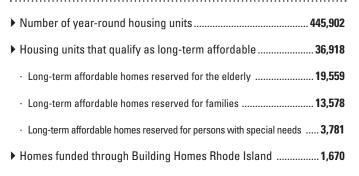
INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ......\$46,160

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON			
2003 2013 12%			
\$1,032	\$1,154	INCREASE	

### **INCOME NEEDED**

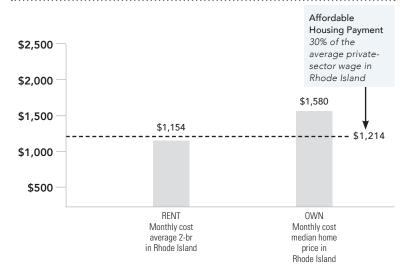


### **HOUSING UNITS IN RHODE ISLAND**



### How much housing is needed?

### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN RHODE ISLAND**





• To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php.
• This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRl.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.





	V
•	

MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$372,000

Assumed down payment*	\$13,020
▶ Mortgage amount	\$358,980
► Monthly housing payment**	\$2,817
INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS	\$112,668

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

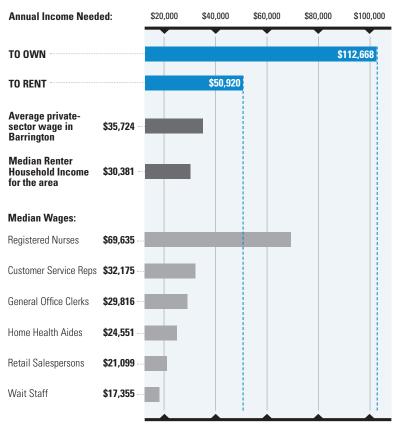
2003	2013	4%
\$359,000	\$372,000	INCREASE



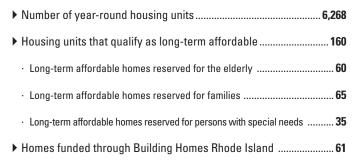
INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ......\$50,920

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON			
2003	2013	6%	
\$1,198	\$1,273	INCREASE	

### **INCOME NEEDED**

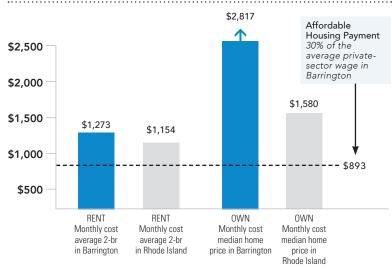


### **HOUSING UNITS IN BARRINGTON**



### How much housing is needed?

### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN BARRINGTON**



<sup>•</sup> To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php.
• This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

### BRISTC

How much does it cost to live here?



MEDIAN HOME PRICE:

\$280,000

\$9,800	Assumed down payment*
\$270,200	Mortgage amount
\$2,010	▶ Monthly housing payment**
\$80,416	INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

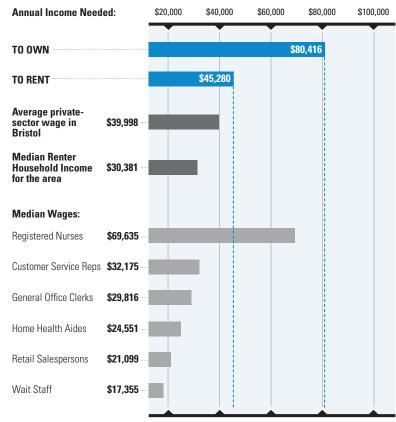
2003	2013	2%
\$285,000	\$280,000	DECREASE



\$45.280 INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .....

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	6%
\$1 206	\$1 132	DECREASE

### **INCOME NEEDED**



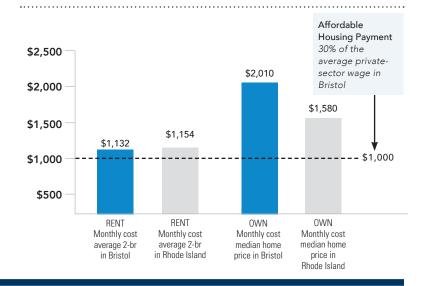
### **HOUSING UNITS IN BRISTOL**

Number of year-round housing units	9,015
Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	535
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	359
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	100
$\cdot$ Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs $\ \dots \dots$	76
Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	19
	Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable  Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly  Long-term affordable homes reserved for families  Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs

### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act

### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN BRISTOL





• To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php. • This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA







### \$200,000 **MEDIAN HOME PRICE:**

Assumed down payment\*......\$7,000 ▶ Monthly housing payment\*\*......\$1,543 

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	13%
\$230,000	\$200,000	DECREASE



INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ......\$48.440

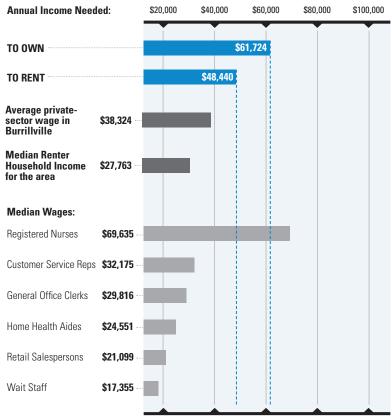
RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	NI/A
N/A	\$1,211	N/A

N/A: Insufficient data

\$1,211

Annual Income Needed:	

**INCOME NEEDED** 



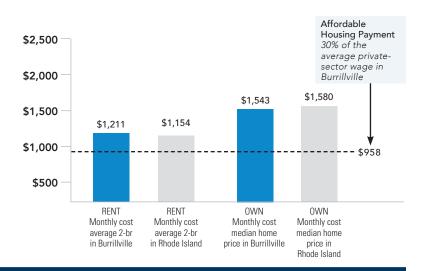
### **HOUSING UNITS IN BURRILLVILLE**

▶ Number of year-round housing units	189
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	532
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	242
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	262
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs	28
▶ Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	36

### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act of 2004.......**87** 

### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN BURRILLVILLE



<sup>•</sup> To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php. • This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRl.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA

### entral falls

How much does it cost to live here?



\$99,500 **MEDIAN HOME PRICE:** 

\$3,483	Assumed down payment*
	Mortgage amount
\$873	► Monthly housing payment**
\$34,932	INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

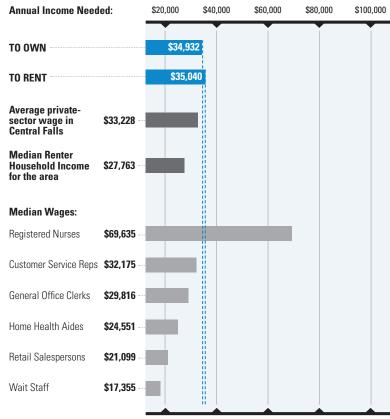
2003	2013	31%
\$144,000	\$99,500	DECREASE



\$35.040 INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .....

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	10%
\$796	\$876	INCREASE

### **INCOME NEEDED**



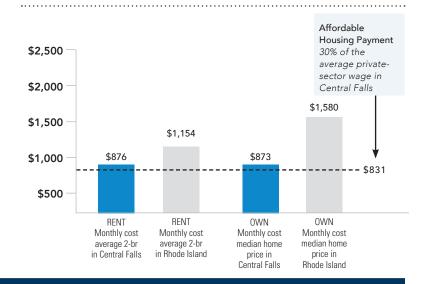
### **HOUSING UNITS IN CENTRAL FALLS**

▶ Number of year-round housing units	7,473
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	874
▶ Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	632
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	195
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs	47
· Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	19

### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act of 2004......**0** 

### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN CENTRAL FALLS





🗎 • To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php. • This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA

How much does it cost to live here?

MEDIAN HOME PRICE:	\$289,450
--------------------	-----------

Assumed down payment*	\$10,131
▶ Mortgage amount	\$279,319
► Monthly housing payment**	\$1,998
INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS	\$79,925

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	3%
\$299,900	\$289,450	DECREASE

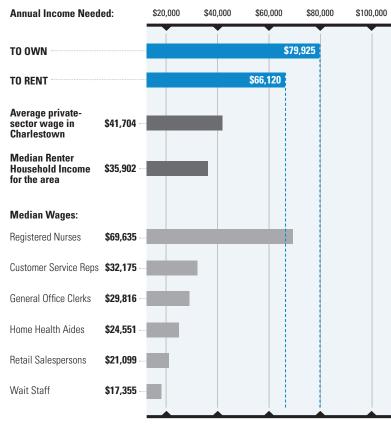


### 

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	NI/A
N/A	\$1,653	N/A

N/A: Insufficient data

### **INCOME NEEDED**



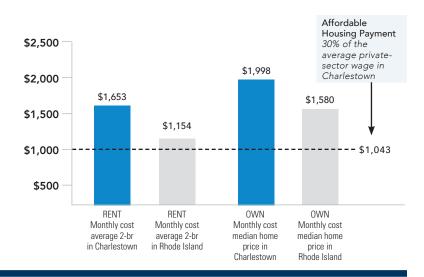
### **HOUSING UNITS IN CHARLESTOWN**

▶ Number of year-round housing units	3,494
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	70
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	0
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	16
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs	54
· Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	8

### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act 

### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN CHARLESTOWN



<sup>•</sup> To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php. • This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

# How much does it cost to live here?

BUILDING MOMES R

### \$175,000 MEDIAN HOME PRICE:

\$6,125	Assumed down payment*
\$168,875	► Mortgage amount
\$1,365	▶ Monthly housing payment**
\$54,600	INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

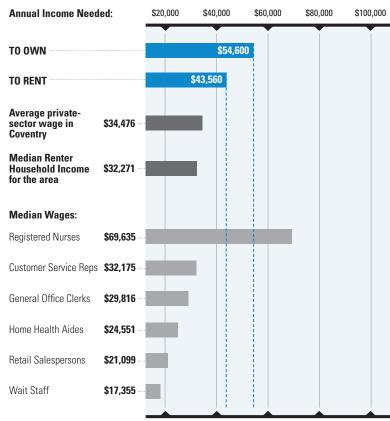
2003	2013	17%
\$210,000	\$175,000	DECREASE



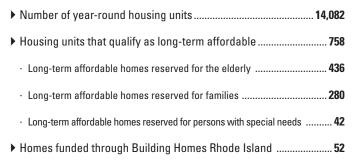
### \$43,560 INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .....

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	18%
\$919	\$1,089	INCREASE

### **INCOME NEEDED**



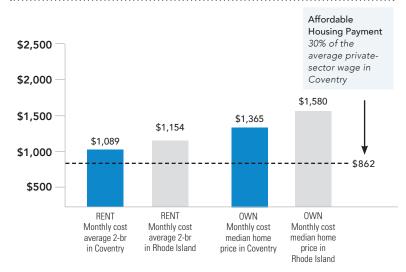
### **HOUSING UNITS IN COVENTRY**



### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act 

### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN COVENTRY





🗎 • To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php. • This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA

# CRANSTON How much does it cost to live here?

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$175,000

Assumed down payment*	\$6,125
Mortgage amount	\$168,875
▶ Monthly housing payment**	\$1,433
INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS	\$57,317

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	11%
\$195,900	\$175,000	DECREASE

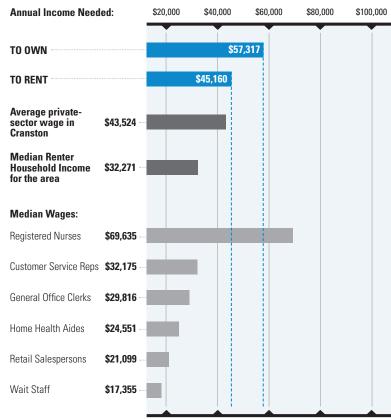


INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ......\$45,160

# RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON 2003 2013 13%

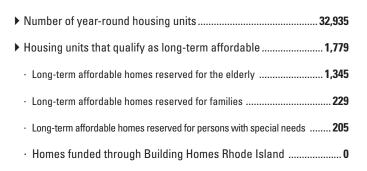
\$1,129

### **INCOME NEEDED**



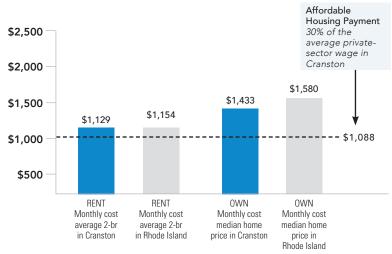
### **HOUSING UNITS IN CRANSTON**

\$1,002



### How much housing is needed?

### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN CRANSTON



<sup>•</sup> To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php.
• This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

**INCREASE** 

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

### JMBERLAND

How much does it cost to live here?



	V	
•	Ē	

### \$240,000 **MEDIAN HOME PRICE:**

Assumed down payment*	\$8,400
Mortgage amount	\$231,600
▶ Monthly housing payment**	\$1,778
INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS	\$71,115

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

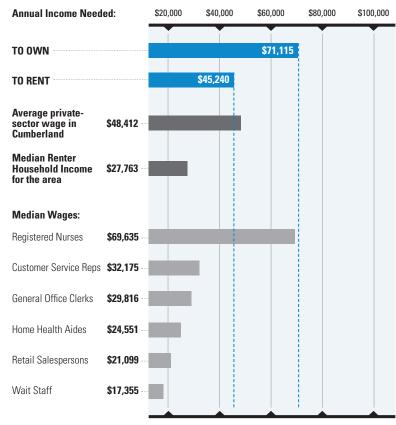
2003	2013	4%
\$250,000	\$240,000	DECREASE



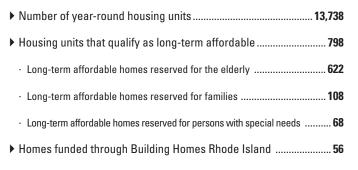
### INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ..... \$45.240

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON			
2003	2013	15%	
\$987	\$1,131	INCREASE	

### **INCOME NEEDED**



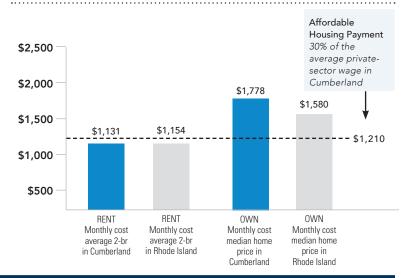
### **HOUSING UNITS IN CUMBERLAND**



### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act of 2004......**576** 

### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN CUMBERLAND





🗎 🖣 To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php. • This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA



# EAST GREENWICH How much does it cost to live here?

MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$429,000

Assumed down payment*	\$15,015
▶ Mortgage amount	\$413,985
▶ Monthly housing payment**	\$3,404
INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS	\$136.140

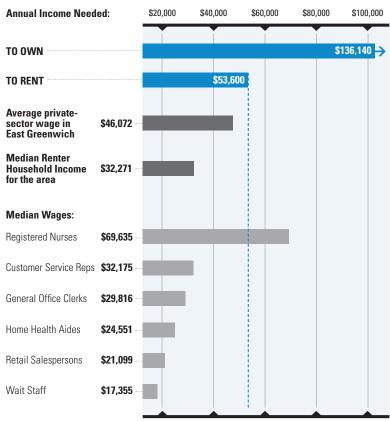
2003	2013	1%
\$426,250	\$429,000	INCREASE



INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ......**\$53,600** 

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON			
2003	2013	11%	
\$1.210	\$1,340	INCREASE	

### **INCOME NEEDED**

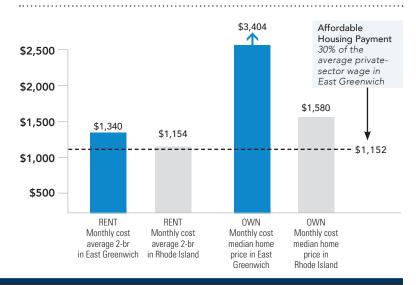


### **HOUSING UNITS IN EAST GREENWICH**

Number of year-round housing units	5,342
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	232
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	141
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	50
$\cdot$ Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) \left( $	41
▶ Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	10

### How much housing is needed?

### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN EAST GREENWICH**



<sup>•</sup> To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php.
• This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

### EAST PROVIDENCE

How much does it cost to live here?



### \$170,000 MEDIAN HOME PRICE:

\$5,950	Assumed down payment*
	Mortgage amount
\$1,389	Monthly housing payment**
\$55,544	INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

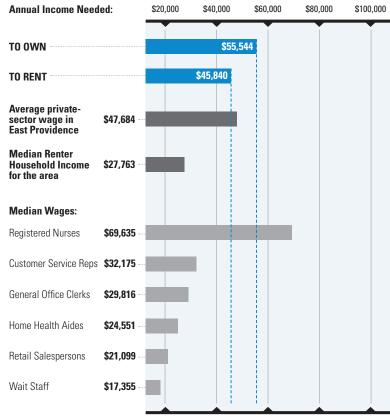
2003	2013	11%
\$190,000	\$170,000	DECREASE



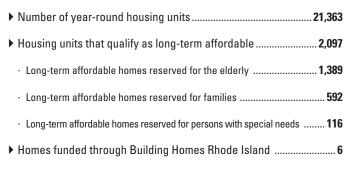
### INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ..... \$45.840

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON			
2003	2013	17%	
\$980	\$1,146	INCREASE	

### **INCOME NEEDED**



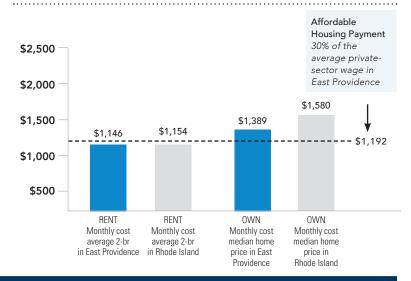
### **HOUSING UNITS IN EAST PROVIDENCE**



### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act of 2004......**39** 

### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN EAST PROVIDENCE





🗎 • To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php. • This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRl.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA





-	

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$299,000

Assumed down payment*	\$10,465
▶ Mortgage amount	\$288,535
▶ Monthly housing payment**	\$2,182
INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS	\$87,274

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	7%
\$279,900	\$299,000	INCREASE



### INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ......\$43,240

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	N/A
N/A	\$1,081	12,71

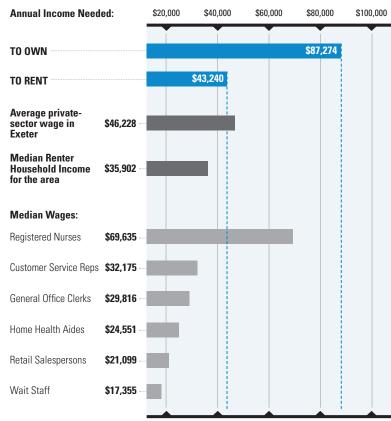
N/A: Insufficient data

### HOUSING UNITS IN EXETER

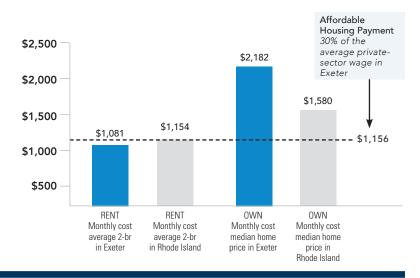
ar-round housing units <b>2,453</b>
that qualify as long-term affordable <b>57</b>
fordable homes reserved for the elderly <b>0</b>
fordable homes reserved for families
ordable homes reserved for persons with special needs24
d through Building Homes Rhode Island <b>26</b>

### How much housing is needed?

### **INCOME NEEDED**



### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN EXETER**



<sup>•</sup> To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php.
• This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

### OSTER

How much does it cost to live here?

### \$206,500 **MEDIAN HOME PRICE:**

Assumed down payment*	\$7,228
▶ Mortgage amount	. \$199,273
▶ Monthly housing payment**	\$1,638

### INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .....

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	21%
\$260,000	\$206,500	DECREASE

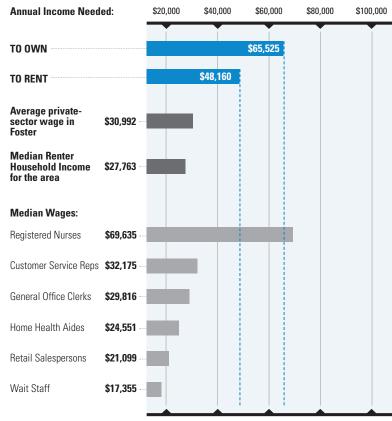


### \$48,160 INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .....

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003 N/A	<b>2013</b> \$1,204	N/A

N/A: Insufficient data

### **INCOME NEEDED**



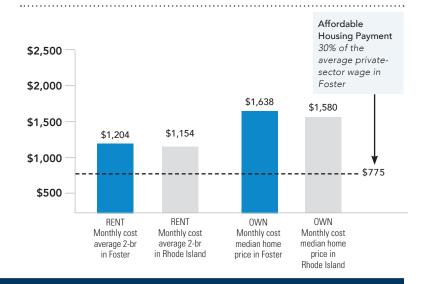
### **HOUSING UNITS IN FOSTER**

▶ Number of year-round housing units	1,760
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	41
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	30
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	0
$\cdot$ Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs $$ .	11
▶ Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	0

### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act

### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN FOSTER**



🗎 • To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php. • This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA

# GLOCESTER How much does it cost to live here?

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$213,000

\$7,455	Assumed down payment*
	Mortgage amount
\$1,708	► Monthly housing payment**
\$68,331	INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	10%
\$237,450	\$213,000	DECREASE



### 

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	NI / A
N/A	N/A	N/A

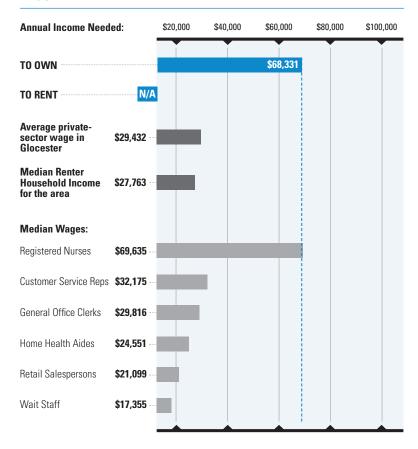
N/A: Insufficient data

### **HOUSING UNITS IN GLOCESTER**

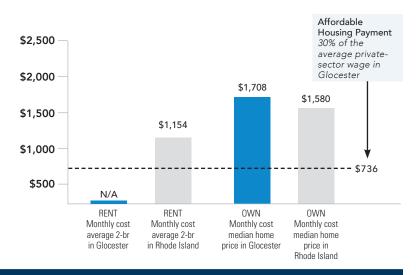
▶ Number of year-round housing units	3,848
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	82
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	62
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	5
$\cdot$ Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs $$	15
▶ Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	0

### How much housing is needed?

### **INCOME NEEDED**



### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN GLOCESTER**



<sup>•</sup> To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php.
• This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

### HOPKINTO How much does it cost to live here?



### \$213,800 **MEDIAN HOME PRICE:**

\$7,483	Assumed down payment*
	Mortgage amount
\$1,669	Monthly housing payment**
\$66,758	INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	8%
\$232,500	\$213,800	DECREASE

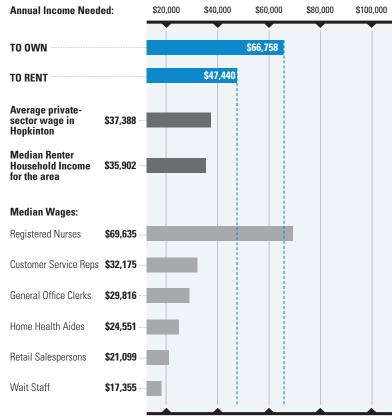


### \$47,440 INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .....

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003 N/A	<b>2013</b> \$1,186	N/A

N/A: Insufficient data

### **INCOME NEEDED**



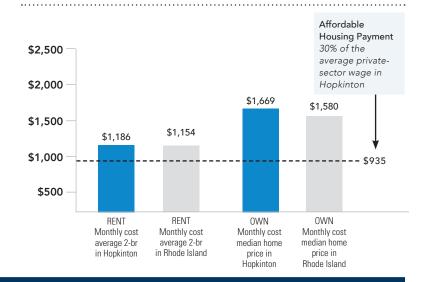
### **HOUSING UNITS IN HOPKINTON**

Þ	Number of year-round housing units3,	370
Þ	Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	238
	· Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	190
	· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	21
	· Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs	<b>27</b>
Þ	Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	20

### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act

### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN HOPKINTON





🗎 • To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php. • This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA



# JAMESTOWN How much does it cost to live here?

MI MI

MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$467,800

Assumed down payment\*......\$16,373
 Mortgage amount .......\$451,427
 Monthly housing payment\*\*....\$3,133

INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ......\$125,339

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	21%
\$385,500	\$467,800	INCREASE



### 

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON			
2003	2013	B1 / A	
N/A	N/A	N/A	

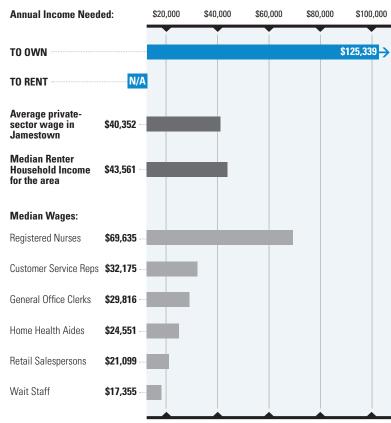
N/A: Insufficient data

### **HOUSING UNITS IN JAMESTOWN**

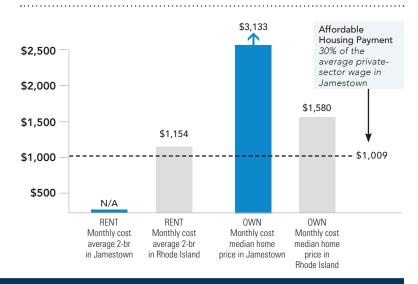
▶ Number of year-round housing units	2,529
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	111
▶ Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	66
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	29
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs	16
▶ Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	3

### How much housing is needed?

### **INCOME NEEDED**



### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN JAMESTOWN**



<sup>•</sup> To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php.
• This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

# How much does it cost to live here?



### \$169,000 MEDIAN HOME PRICE:

Assumed down payment*	\$5,915
▶ Mortgage amount	. \$163,085
▶ Monthly housing payment**	\$1,463

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .....

2003	2013	21%
\$215,000	\$169,000	DECREASE

\$1,205 **AVERAGE 2-BEDROOM RENT:** 

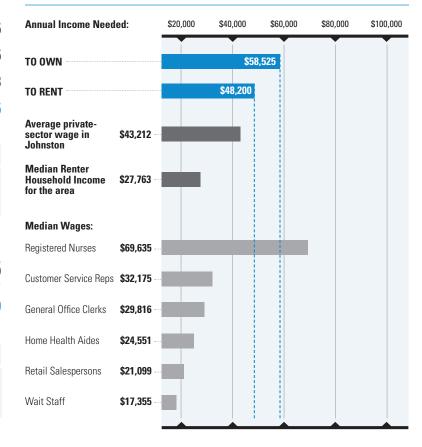
\$48.200 INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .....

### RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	<b>35</b> %
\$895	\$1,205	INCREASE

N/A: Insufficient data

### **INCOME NEEDED**



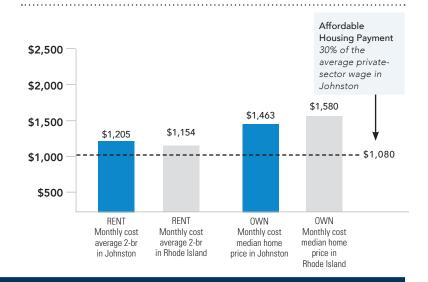
### **HOUSING UNITS IN JOHNSTON**

12,381
1,008
737
149
122
13

### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act

### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN JOHNSTON





• To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php. • This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA







### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$247,000

Assumed down payment*	\$8,645
Mortgage amount	
► Monthly housing payment**	\$1,988
INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS	\$79.537

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	17%
\$296,700	\$247,000	DECREASE

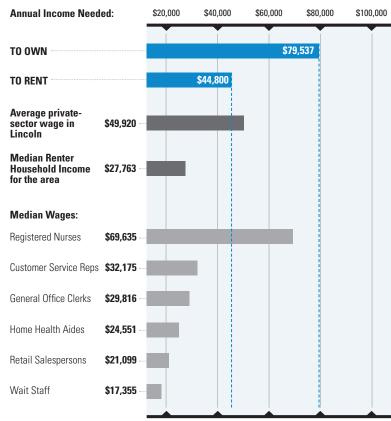


INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ......\$44,800

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	15%
\$972	\$1,120	INCREASE

### **INCOME NEEDED**

2014 Housing Fact Book

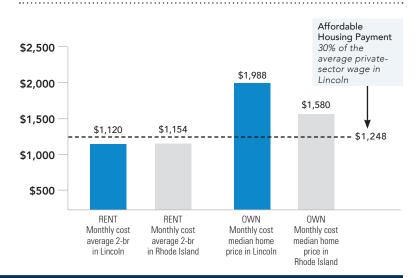


### **HOUSING UNITS IN LINCOLN**

▶ Number of year-round housing units	9,015
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	598
▶ Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	366
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	166
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs	66
▶ Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	2

### How much housing is needed?

### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN LINCOLN**



• To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php.
• This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRl.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

How much does it cost to live here?



MEDIAN HOME PRICE:	\$554,500
--------------------	-----------

▶ Assumed down payment*	\$19,408
▶ Mortgage amount	. \$535,093
▶ Monthly housing payment**	\$3,564

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	<b>35</b> %
\$410,000	\$554,500	INCREASE

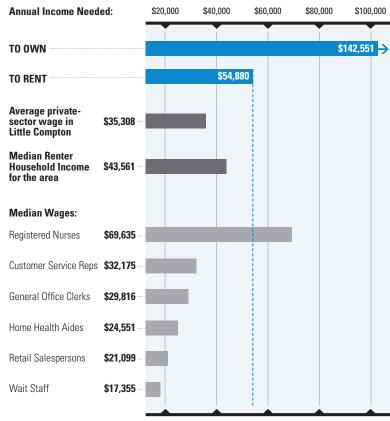


### \$54,880 INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .....

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003 N/A	<b>2013</b> \$1,372	N/A

N/A: Insufficient data

### **INCOME NEEDED**



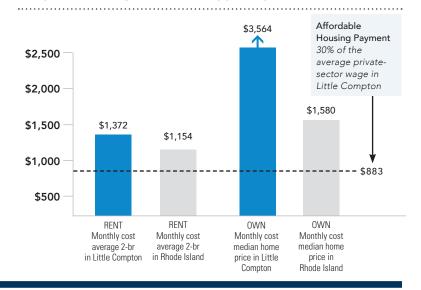
### HOUSING UNITS IN LITTLE COMPTON

▶ Number of year-round housing units1	,615
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	9
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	0
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	9
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs	0
▶ Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	7

### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act 

### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN LITTLE COMPTON





🗎 • To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php. • This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA

### MIDDLETOWN

How much does it cost to live here?



### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$321,500

Assumed down payment*	\$11,253
► Mortgage amount	\$310,248
► Monthly housing payment**	\$2,393
INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS	\$95,735

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

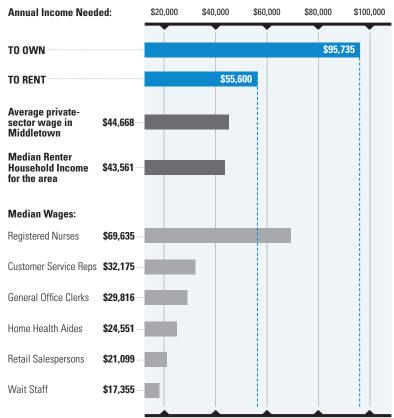
2003	2013	<b>7</b> %
\$345,000	\$321,500	DECREASE



INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .......\$55,600

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	9%
\$1,276	\$1,390	INCREASE

### **INCOME NEEDED**

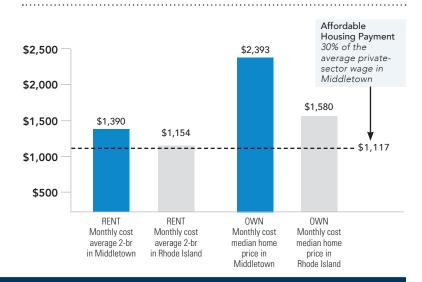


### **HOUSING UNITS IN MIDDLETOWN**

▶ Number of year-round housing units	6,874
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	385
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	99
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	185
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs	101
▶ Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	0

### How much housing is needed?

### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN MIDDLETOWN



<sup>•</sup> To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php.
• This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

### NARRAGANSETT

How much does it cost to live here?



### \$365,000 MEDIAN HOME PRICE:

▶ Assumed down payment*	\$12,775
▶ Mortgage amount	\$352,225

Monthly housing payment\*\*.....\$2,492

### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	5%
\$347,250	\$365,000	INCREASE

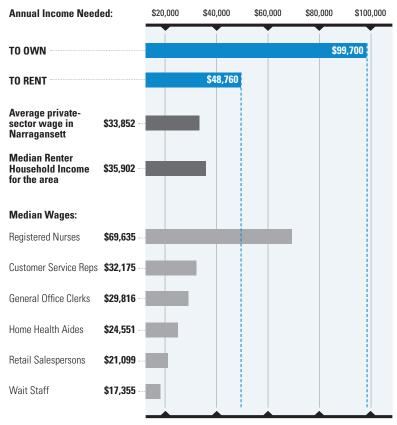


\$48,760 INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .....

### RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON 2003 2013 N/A N/A \$1,219

N/A: Insufficient data

### **INCOME NEEDED**



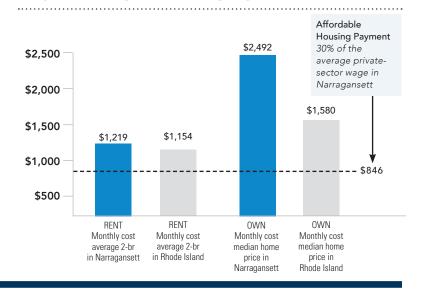
### **HOUSING UNITS IN NARRAGANSETT**

▶ Number of year-round housing units	7,156
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	261
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	108
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	123
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs	30
▶ Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	2

### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act

### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN NARRAGANSETT





🗎 • To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php. • This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRl.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA





#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$390,000

\$13,650	Assumed down payment*
\$376,350	▶ Mortgage amount
\$2,748	► Monthly housing payment**
\$109,914	INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

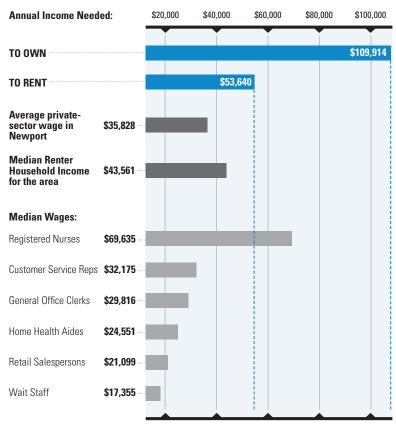
2003	2013	18%
\$330,000	\$390,000	INCREASE



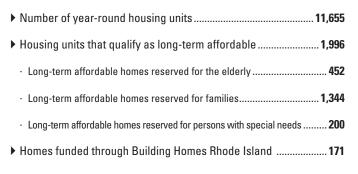
#### INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ......\$53,640

RENTAL /	2BR: 10 YEAR COM	PARISON
2003	2013	11%
\$1 209	\$1 341	INCREASE

#### **INCOME NEEDED**

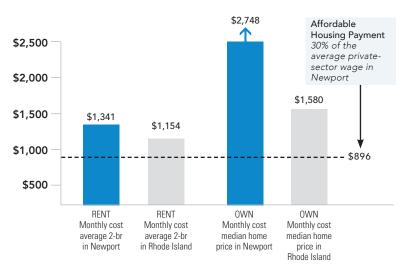


#### **HOUSING UNITS IN NEWPORT**



#### How much housing is needed?

#### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN NEWPORT**



<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

How much does it cost to live here?



#### \$1,100,000 **MEDIAN HOME PRICE:**

ssumed down payment*	\$38,500
ortgage amount	. \$1,061,500
onthly housing payment**	\$6,960
OME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS	\$278,406

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	38%
\$800,000	\$1,100,000	INCREASE

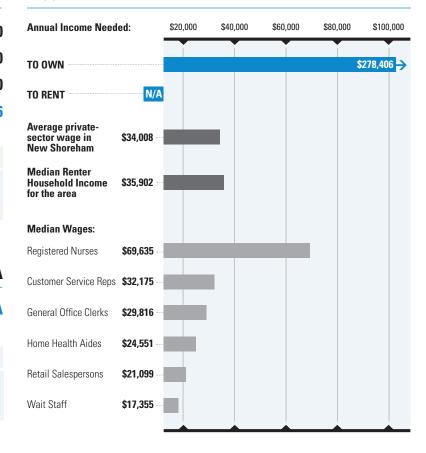
#### **VERAGE 2-BEDROOM RENT:** N/A

#### 

RENTAL /	2BR: 10 YEAR COMI	PARISON
2003	2013	NI/A
N/A	N/A	N/A

N/A: Insufficient data

#### **INCOME NEEDED**



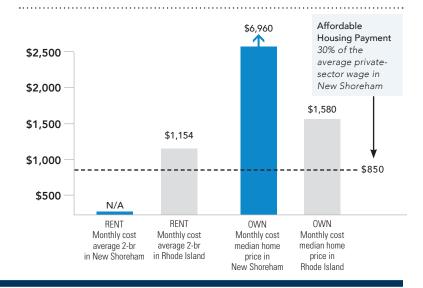
#### **HOUSING UNITS IN NEW SHOREHAM**

Number of year-round housing units	5
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable5	7
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	0
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	7
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs	0
▶ Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island1	1

#### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act of 2004......**0** 

#### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN NEW SHOREHAM





<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA



## NORTH KINGSTOWN

2014 Housing Fact Book

How much does it cost to live here?

BAEDLAN	

MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$285,000

Assumed down payment*	\$9,975
▶ Mortgage amount	\$275,025
► Monthly housing payment**	\$2,204

INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ......**\$88,141** 

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

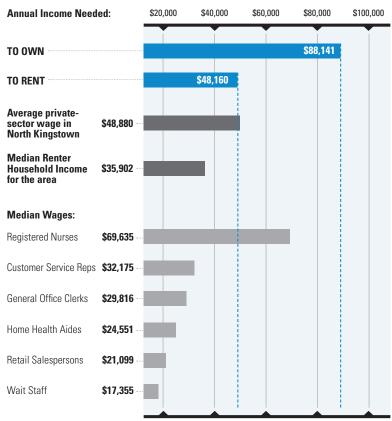
2003	2013	13%
\$329,000	\$285,000	DECREASE



INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .......\$48,160

# RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON 2003 2013 6% \$1,133 \$1,204 INCREASE

#### **INCOME NEEDED**

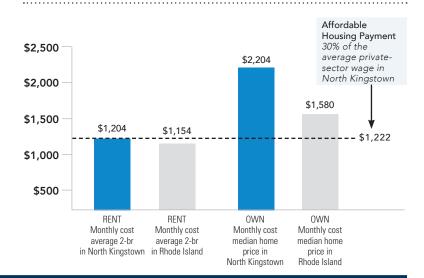


#### **HOUSING UNITS IN NORTH KINGSTOWN**

▶ Number of year-round housing units10,953	
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	
▶ Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs 131	
▶ Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island67	

#### How much housing is needed?

#### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN NORTH KINGSTOWN**



<sup>•</sup> To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php.
• This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

# IORTH PROVIDENCE

How much does it cost to live here?

<b>"</b> n"	•

#### \$159,500 **MEDIAN HOME PRICE:**

\$5.583	Assumed down payment*
	Mortgage amount
\$1,331	► Monthly housing payment**
\$53,227	INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

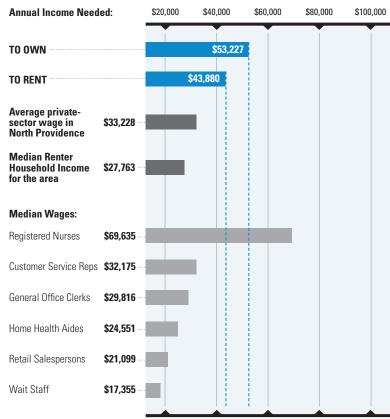
2003	2013	20%
\$199,900	\$159,500	DECREASE



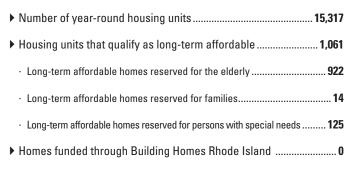
#### \$43.880 INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .....

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	14%
\$964	\$1,097	INCREASE

#### **INCOME NEEDED**



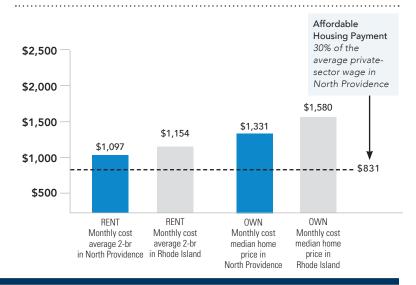
#### **HOUSING UNITS IN NORTH PROVIDENCE**



#### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act of 2004.......471

#### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN NORTH PROVIDENCE



<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA



# NORTH SMITHFIELD

How much does it cost to live here?



MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$230,000

Assumed down payment*	\$8,050
Mortgage amount	\$221,950
► Monthly housing payment**	\$1,708
INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS	\$68,320

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	14%
\$268,250	\$230,000	DECREASE

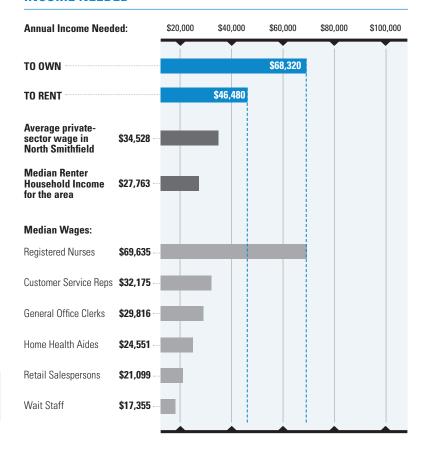
AVERAGE 2-BEDROOM RENT: \$1,162

INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ......\$46,480

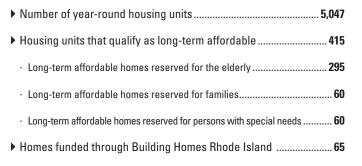
#### RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	14%
\$1,021	\$1,162	INCREASE

#### **INCOME NEEDED**

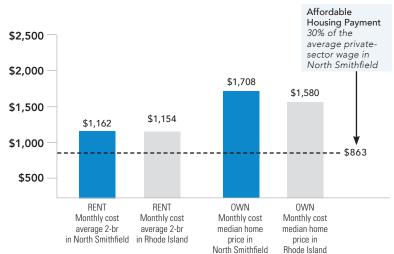


#### **HOUSING UNITS IN NORTH SMITHFIELD**



#### How much housing is needed?

#### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN NORTH SMITHFIELD



<sup>•</sup> To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php.
• This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

How much does it cost to live here?



#### \$134,900 **MEDIAN HOME PRICE:**

\$4,722	Assumed down payment*
\$130,179	Mortgage amount
\$1,117	Monthly housing payment**
\$44,696	INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

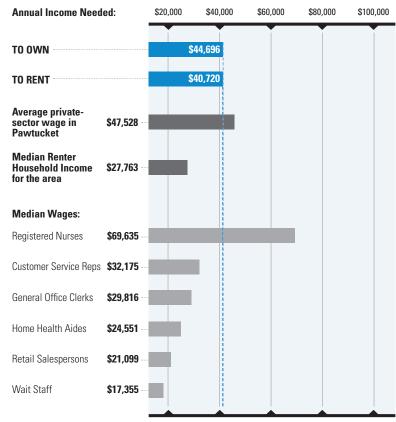
2003	2013	26%
\$182,900	\$134,900	DECREASE



\$40.720 INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .....

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	10%
\$924	\$1,018	INCREASE

#### **INCOME NEEDED**



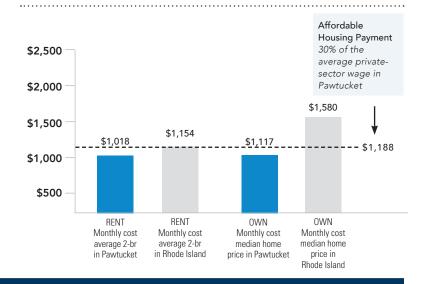
#### **HOUSING UNITS IN PAWTUCKET**

Number of year-round housing units	31,979
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	2,780
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	1,351
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	1,201
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs	eds <b>228</b>
▶ Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	108

#### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act

#### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN PAWTUCKET





<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA

# PORTSMOUTH How much does it cost to live here?

M
•

MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$299,500

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

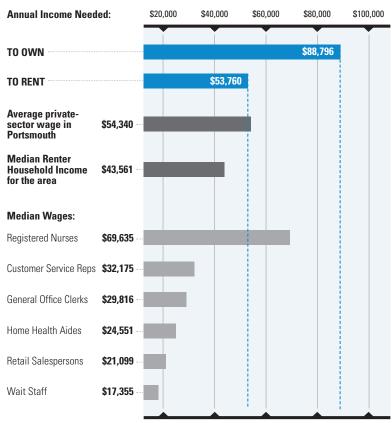
2003	2013	6%
\$320,000	\$299,500	DECREASE



INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .......\$53,760

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	<b>7</b> %
\$1,255	\$1,344	INCREASE

#### **INCOME NEEDED**

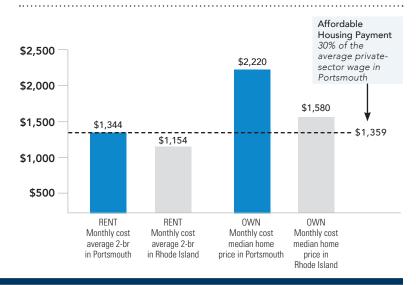


#### **HOUSING UNITS IN PORTSMOUTH**

▶ Number of year-round housing units	7,412
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	209
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	167
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	12
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs	30
▶ Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	0

#### How much housing is needed?

#### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN PORTSMOUTH**



<sup>•</sup> To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php.
• This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

### DENCE (WITHOUT EAST SIDE) How much does it cost to live here?

BUILDING MOMES R

#### \$105,000 **MEDIAN HOME PRICE:**

\$3,675	Assumed down payment*
\$101,325	Mortgage amount
\$866	► Monthly housing payment**
\$34,625	INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

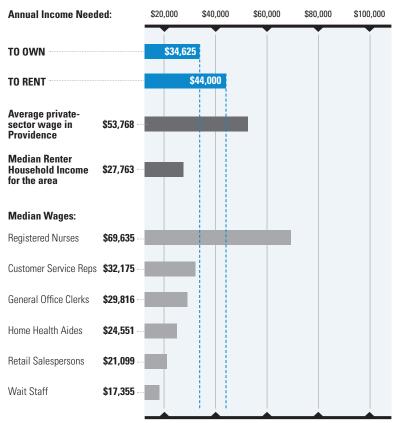
2003	2013	29%
\$147,750	\$105,000	DECREASE



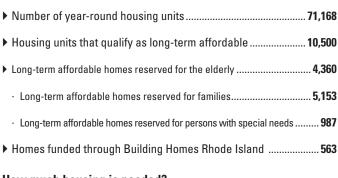
INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ..... \$44.000

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	15%
\$960	\$1,100	INCREASE

#### **INCOME NEEDED**



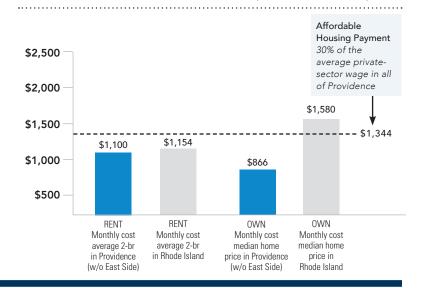
#### **HOUSING UNITS IN ALL OF PROVIDENCE**



#### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act

#### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN PROVIDENCE** (WITHOUT EAST SIDE)





<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA



# PROVIDENCE (EAST SIDE) How much does it cost to live here?

MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$439,500

Assumed down payment*	\$15,383
Mortgage amount	\$424,118
► Monthly housing payment**	\$3,336
INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS	\$133 438

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

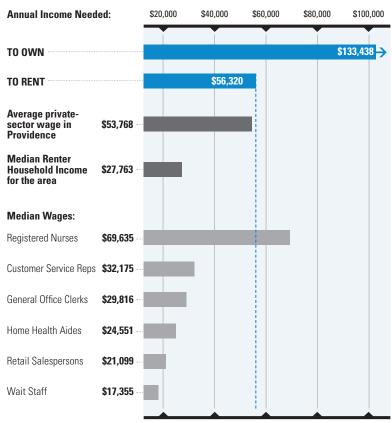
2003	2013	12%
\$392,625	\$439,500	INCREASE



INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ......**\$56,320** 

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	19%
\$1,179	\$1,408	INCREASE

#### **INCOME NEEDED**

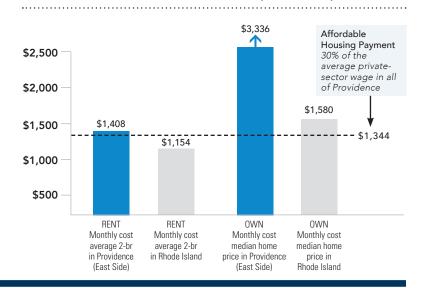


#### **HOUSING UNITS IN ALL OF PROVIDENCE**

▶ Number of year-round housing units	71,168
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	10,500
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	4,360
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	5,153
$\cdot$ Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs .	987
▶ Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	3

#### How much housing is needed?

#### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN PROVIDENCE (EAST SIDE)**



<sup>•</sup> To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php.
• This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

# How much does it cost to live here?

#### \$222,000 **MEDIAN HOME PRICE:**

\$7,770	Assumed down payment*
\$214,230	Mortgage amount
\$1,732	► Monthly housing payment**
\$69,265	INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	15%
\$260,000	\$222,000	DECREASE

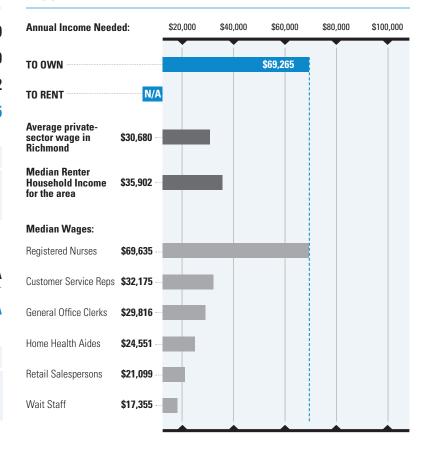
#### AVERAGE 2-BEDROOM RENT: N/A

#### 

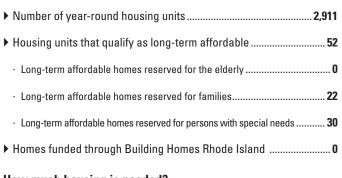
RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON			
2003	2013	B1 / A	
N/A	N/A	N/A	

N/A: Insufficient data

#### **INCOME NEEDED**



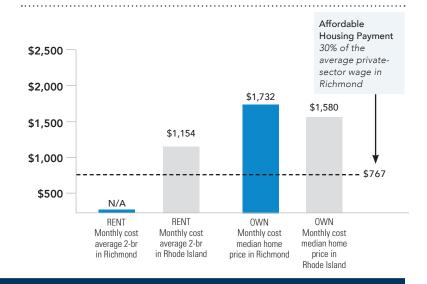
#### **HOUSING UNITS IN RICHMOND**



#### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act

#### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN RICHMOND



<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA

# SCITUATE How much does it cost to live here?

MED

MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$229,950

Assumed down payment*	\$8,048
▶ Mortgage amount	\$221,902
▶ Monthly housing payment**	\$1,774
INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS	\$70,943

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	13%
\$265,000	\$229,950	DECREASE



#### INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ......**\$52,320**

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON			
2003	2013	N/A	
N/A	\$1,308	12,71	

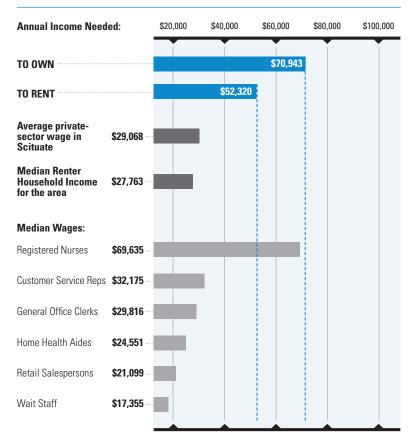
N/A: Insufficient data

#### **HOUSING UNITS IN SCITUATE**

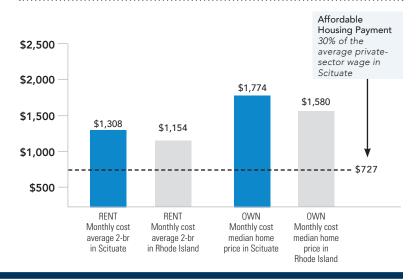
▶ Number of year-round housing units	. 4,102
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	35
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	24
Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	0
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs	11
▶ Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	0

#### How much housing is needed?

#### **INCOME NEEDED**



#### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN SCITUATE**



<sup>•</sup> To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php.
• This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

# SMITHFIELD How much does it cost to live here?



#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$227,000

\$7,945	Assumed down payment*
\$219,055	Mortgage amount
\$1,719	► Monthly housing payment**
\$68,764	INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	13%
\$259,950	\$227,000	DECREASE

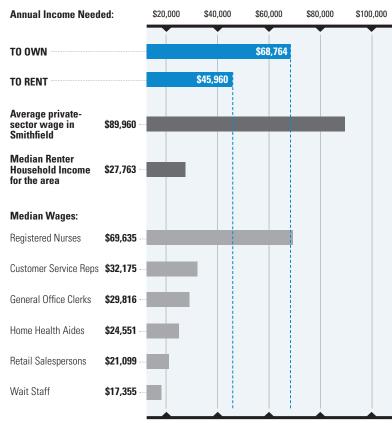


#### INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ......\$45,960

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	20%
\$955	\$1,149	INCREASE

N/A: Insufficient data

#### **INCOME NEEDED**

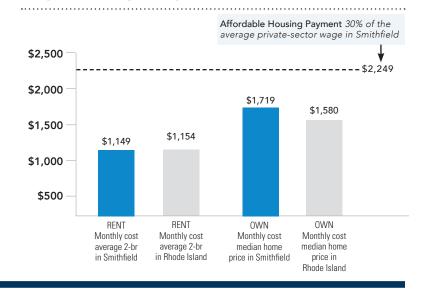


#### **HOUSING UNITS IN SMITHFIELD**

Þ	Number of year-round housing units	45
Þ	Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable3	96
	$\cdot$ Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	90
	· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	5
	$\cdot$ Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs $\boldsymbol{1}$	01
Þ	Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	5

#### How much housing is needed?

#### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN SMITHFIELD**





<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.



# SOUTH KINGSTOWN

2014 Housing Fact Book

How much does it cost to live here?

MEDIAN HOME

\$295,000

\$10,325	Assumed down payment*
\$284,675	► Mortgage amount
\$2,190	► Monthly housing payment**
\$87,597	INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS

PRICE:

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

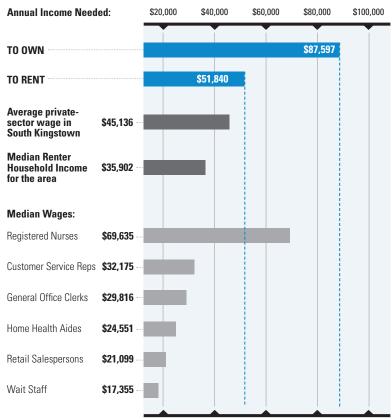
2003	2013	8%
\$321,500	\$295,000	DECREASE



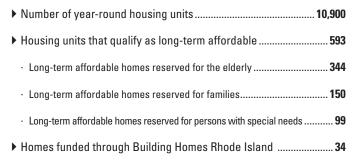
INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ......**\$51,840** 

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON				
2003 2013 <b>20</b> %				
\$1,082	\$1,296	INCREASE		

#### **INCOME NEEDED**

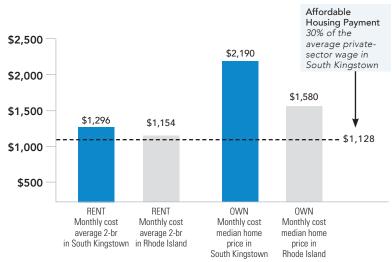


#### **HOUSING UNITS IN SOUTH KINGSTOWN**



#### How much housing is needed?

#### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN SOUTH KINGSTOWN**



<sup>•</sup> To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php.
• This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

# How much does it cost to live here?



#### \$226,000 MEDIAN HOME PRICE:

\$7,910	Assumed down payment*
\$218,090	Mortgage amount
\$1,765	► Monthly housing payment**
\$70,617	INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

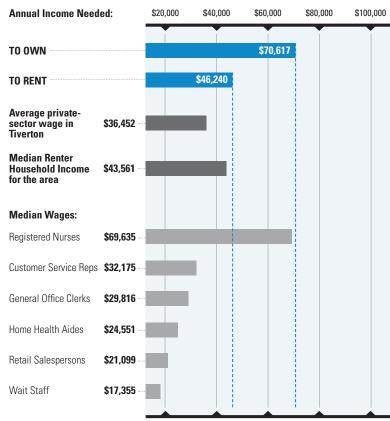
2003	2013	10%
\$252,250	\$226,000	DECREASE



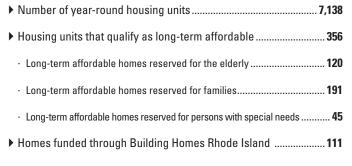
#### INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ..... \$46.240

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	12%
\$1.032	\$1,156	INCREASE

#### **INCOME NEEDED**



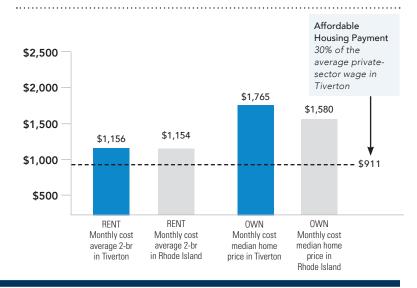
#### **HOUSING UNITS IN TIVERTON**



#### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act

#### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN TIVERTON





<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA







#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$230,000

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	3%
\$237,000	\$230,000	DECREASE

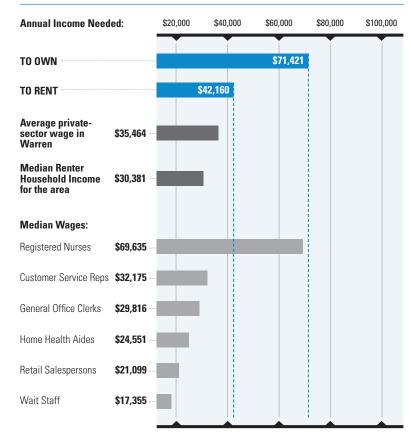


INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ......\$42,160

#### RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	11%
\$950	\$1,054	INCREASE

#### **INCOME NEEDED**

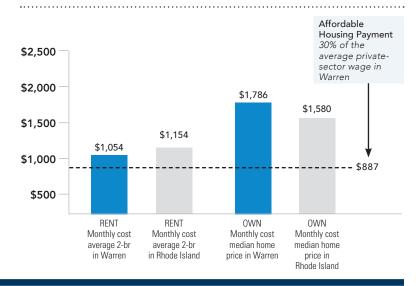


#### **HOUSING UNITS IN WARREN**

▶ Number of year-round housing units	. 5,031
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	225
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	153
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	7
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs	65
▶ Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	3

#### How much housing is needed?

#### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN WARREN**



<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

### Warwick How much does it cost to live here?



#### \$165,000 MEDIAN HOME PRICE:

\$5,775	Assumed down payment*
	Mortgage amount
\$1,318	► Monthly housing payment**
\$52,724	INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

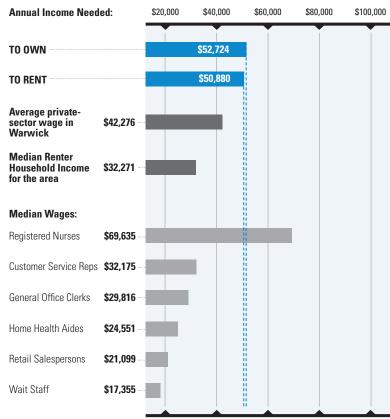
2003	2013	10%
\$183,555	\$165,000	DECREASE



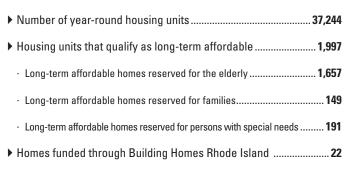
\$50.880 INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .....

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	28%
\$990	\$1,272	INCREASE

#### **INCOME NEEDED**



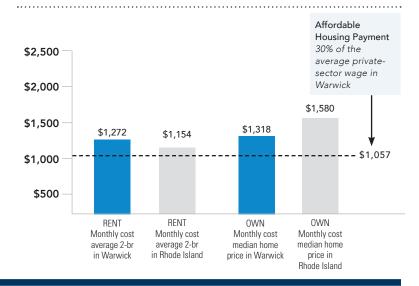
#### **HOUSING UNITS IN WARWICK**



#### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act

#### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN WARWICK





<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA







#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$269,500

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	1%
\$267,750	\$269,500	INCREASE



#### INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ......\$44,000

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	NI/A
N/A	\$1,100	N/A

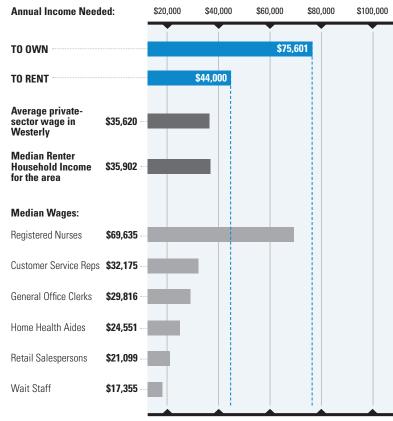
N/A: Insufficient data

#### **HOUSING UNITS IN WESTERLY**

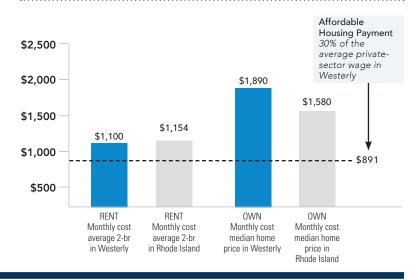
▶ Number of year-round housing units	10,430
▶ Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	547
▶ Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	359
· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	125
$\cdot$ Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs .	63
▶ Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	15

#### How much housing is needed?

#### **INCOME NEEDED**



#### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN WESTERLY**



<sup>•</sup> To review current approved Comprehensive Plans, visit www.planning.ri.gov/statewideplanning/compplanning/approvedplans.php.
• This data is also accessible at www.HousingWorksRI.org. Look for your city/town.

<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

# EST GREENWICH

How much does it cost to live here?



#### \$259,100 MEDIAN HOME PRICE:

\$9,069	Assumed down payment*
\$250,032	Mortgage amount
\$2,073	▶ Monthly housing payment**
\$82,910	INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	9%
\$283,750	\$259,100	DECREASE

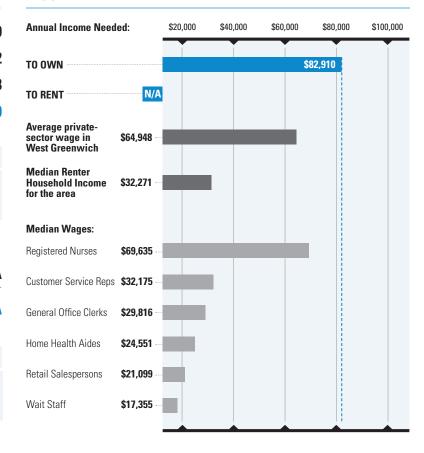
#### N/A **AVERAGE 2-BEDROOM RENT:**

#### 

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	N/A
N/A	N/A	,

N/A: Insufficient data

#### **INCOME NEEDED**



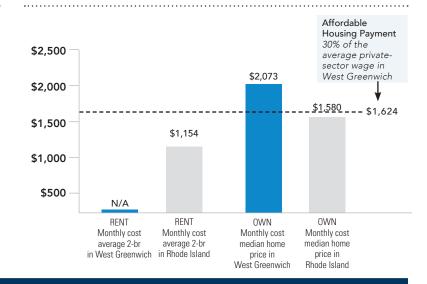
#### **HOUSING UNITS IN WEST GREENWICH**

	Number of year-round housing units2,3	334
Þ	Housing units that qualify as long-term affordable	. 33
	· Long-term affordable homes reserved for the elderly	0
	· Long-term affordable homes reserved for families	. 19
	· Long-term affordable homes reserved for persons with special needs	14
Þ	Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island	50

#### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act

#### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN WEST GREENWICH





<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA



# WEST WARWICK How much does it cost to live here?

MEDIAN HOME PRICE: \$153,500

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

2003	2013	17%
\$185,000	\$153,500	DECREASE

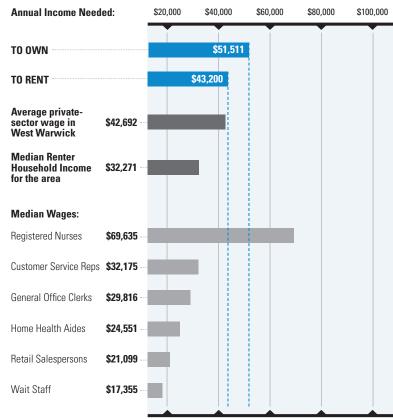


INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS ......**\$43,200** 

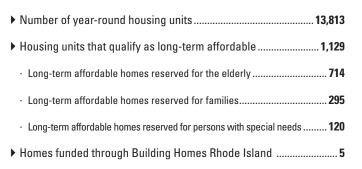
RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON		
2003	2013	20%
\$902	\$1,080	INCREASE

#### **INCOME NEEDED**

2014 Housing Fact Book

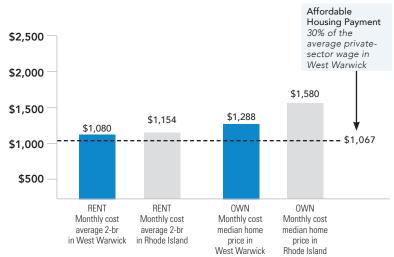


#### **HOUSING UNITS IN WEST WARWICK**



#### How much housing is needed?

#### **AFFORDABILITY GAP IN WEST WARWICK**



<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA.

\$46,395

### DONSOCKFT

How much does it cost to live here?



#### \$125,000 **MEDIAN HOME PRICE:**

Assumed down payment*	\$4,375
▶ Mortgage amount	. \$120,625
▶ Monthly housing payment**	\$1,160

#### MEDIAN HOME PRICE: 10 YEAR COMPARISON

INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .....

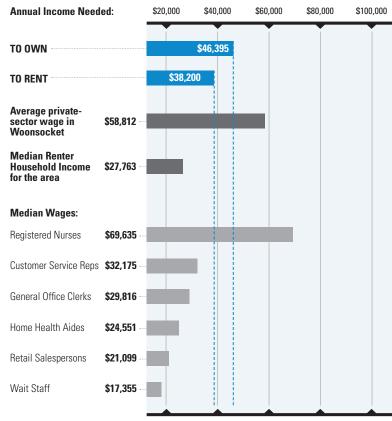
2003	2013	33%
\$186,000	\$125,000	DECREASE



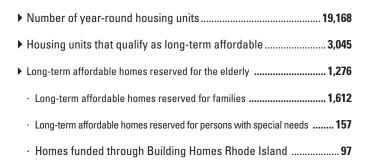
#### \$38,200 INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD THIS .....

RENTAL / 2BR: 10 YEAR COMPARISON						
2003 2013 <b>2</b> %						
\$932	\$955 INCREASE					

#### **INCOME NEEDED**



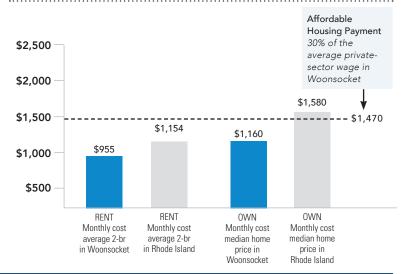
#### HOUSING UNITS IN WOONSOCKET



#### How much housing is needed?

Additional long-term homes necessary to meet the 10% threshold established by Rhode Island's Low and Moderate Income Housing Act of 2004......**0** 

#### AFFORDABILITY GAP IN WOONSOCKET





<sup>\*</sup> Mortgages that require mortgage insurance are now typically insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA), which requires a down payment of 3.5%

<sup>\*\*</sup> The calculation for the monthly housing payment includes: a 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate; municipal property taxes, hazard insurance; and FHA mortgage insurance of 1.35% as well as a financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA



HousingWorks RI @ RWU 2014 Housing Fact Book

# THE STATE OF HOUSING IN RHODE ISLAND



# WHERE CAN YOU AFFORD TO **BUY** A HOME?

In 2013, a household earning the state's median household income of \$54,554 would only be able to afford a median priced single family home in nine of Rhode Island's cities and towns. What income do you need to afford to purchase a median priced single family home in your community? How do your neighboring communities compare?

Households earning

**\$30,000** or less

In 2013, RI households earning \$30,000 or less could not affordably buy a median priced single family home in any Rhode Island city or town.

Households earning

**\$50,000** or less

Households earning

**\$70,000** or less

Households earning

**00,000** or less

Households earning more than

\$100,000

Median household

Median owner household income

Town	Annual income n affordably purchase a priced home in t	eeded to a median this town	≤ \$30,000	≤ \$50,000	≤ <b>\$70,000</b>	≤ <b>\$100,000</b>	> \$100,000
PROVID	ENCE (without East Side)	\$34,625					
CENTRA	IL FALLS	\$34,932					
PAWTU	CKET	\$44,696					
WOONS	OCKET	\$46,395					
WEST V	VARWICK	\$51,511					
WARWI	CK	\$52,724					
NORTH	PROVIDENCE	\$53,227					
COVENT	TRY	\$54,600					
EAST PI	ROVIDENCE FON	\$55,544 \$57,317	• • • • • •	•••••	• • • • •	• • • • •	•••••
JOHNS	ΓΟΝ	\$58,525					
BURRIL	LVILLE	\$61,724					
FOSTER		\$65,525					
HOPKIN	TON	\$66,758					
NORTH	SMITHFIELD	\$68,320					
GLOCES	TER	\$68,331					
SMITHE	IELD	\$68,764					
RICHMO	OND	\$69,265					
TIVERTO	)N	\$70,617					
SCITUA	ГЕ	\$70,943					
CUMBE	RLAND	\$71,115					
WARRE	N	\$71,421					
WESTE	RLY	\$75,601					
LINCOLI	V	\$79,537					
CHARLE	STOWN	\$79,925					
BRIST0	L	\$80,416					
WEST G	REENWICH	\$82,910					
EXETER		\$87,274					
SOUTH	KINGSTOWN	\$87,597					
NORTH	KINGSTOWN	\$88,141					
PORTSN	/IOUTH	\$88,796					
MIDDLE	TOWN	\$95,735					
NARRA	GANSETT	\$99,700					
NEWP0	RT	\$109,914					
BARRIN	GTON	\$112,668					
JAMES	ΓOWN	\$125,339					
PROVID	ENCE (East Side)	\$133,438					
EAST G	REENWICH	\$136,140					
LITTLE (	COMPTON	\$142,551					
NEW SH	IOREHAM	\$278,406					

# WHERE CAN YOU AFFORD TO **RENT** A HOME?

In 2013, the state's median renter household income was \$30,344 which is \$24,210 below the state's overall median household income. What income do you need to afford to rent an average 2-bedroom apartment in your community? How do your neighboring communities compare?

Households earning

**\$30,000** or less

In 2013, RI households earning \$30,000 or less could not affordably rent an average priced 2-bedroom apartment in any Rhode Island city or town.

Households earning

**\$50,000** or less

Households earning

**\$70,000** or less

Households earning

**00,000** or less

Households earning more than

\$100,000

Median household

Median renter household income

Town	Annual income n affordably rent a 2- apartment in	eeded to bedroom this town	≤ \$30,000	≤ \$50,000	≤ <b>\$70,000</b>	≤ \$100,000	> \$100,000
CENTRAL F	FALLS	\$35,040					
WOONSOO	CKET	\$38,200					
PAWTUCK	ET	\$40,720					
WARREN		\$42,160					
WEST WAI	RWICK	\$43,200					
EXETER		\$43,240					
COVENTRY	/	\$43,560					
NORTH PR	OVIDENCE	\$43,880					
PROVIDEN	CE (without East Side)	\$44,000					
WESTERLY	′	\$44,000					
LINCOLN		\$44,800					
CRANSTO	N	\$45,160					
CUMBERLA	AND	\$45,240					
BRISTOL		\$45,280					
EAST PROV	VIDENCE	\$45,840					
SMITHFIEL	_D	\$45,960					
TIVERTON		\$46,240					
NORTH SM	/ITHFIELD	\$46,480					
HOPKINTO	IN	\$47,440					
FOSTER		\$48,160					
NORTH KIN	NGSTOWN	\$48,160					
JOHNSTO	N	\$48,200					
BURRILLVI	LLE	\$48,440					
NARRAGA	NSETT	\$48,760					
WARWICK		\$50,880					
BARRINGT	ON .	\$50,920					
SOUTH KIN	NGSTOWN	\$51,840					
SCITUATE		\$52,320					
EAST GREE	ENWICH	\$53,600					
NEWPORT		\$53,640					
PORTSMO	UTH	\$53,760					
LITTLE CO	MPTON	\$54,880					
MIDDLETO	IWN	\$55,600					
PROVIDEN	CE (East Side)	\$56,320					
CHARLEST	OWN	\$66,120					
GLOCESTE	R	N/A					
JAMESTO\	WN	N/A					
NEW SHOP	REHAM	N/A					
RICHMONI	D	N/A					
WEST GRE	ENWICH	N/A					

THE SUCCESS OF **BUILDING HOMES RHODE ISLAND** 



Building Homes Rhode Island (BHRI) is the program established by the State's Housing Resources Commission (HRC) to distribute Rhode Island's affordable housing bonds. An initial \$50 million approved by voters in 2006 was fully allocated over four years between 2007 and 2010. In 2012, voters approved a second affordable housing bond of \$25 million, to be allocated over two years. Monies for the first year of the second bond, known as BHRI Year Five, were allocated in 2013. The bonds have made it possible for low- and moderate-income families to decrease their housing cost burden by renting or buying a long-term affordable home.

To date, BHRI funding has helped support the development of 1,670 long-term affordable homes in 31

Rhode Island communities. Eighty-five percent of these homes are long-term affordable rental apartments and 15 percent are long-term affordable ownership opportunities. More than half of BHRI monies were used for the rehabilitation of foreclosed and abandoned properties.

Each BHRI-funded home has added to the tax base in those municipalities. Additionally, reducing the cost burdens borne by households has allowed more money to circulate freely through local economies.

These funds will be fully expended in fiscal year 2015. New funding will be needed to build on the prior successes moving forward.

### FORECLOSURES IN RHODE ISLAND

In the first half of 2014 there was an overall increase in foreclosure deed filings from the prior year. Looking just at the second quarter, foreclosure deed filings declined from 412 in 2013 to 377 in 2014. However, looking at Q1 & Q2 of 2014 combined, 829 residential foreclosure deeds were filed; this is a 5 percent increase from the same period in the previous year.

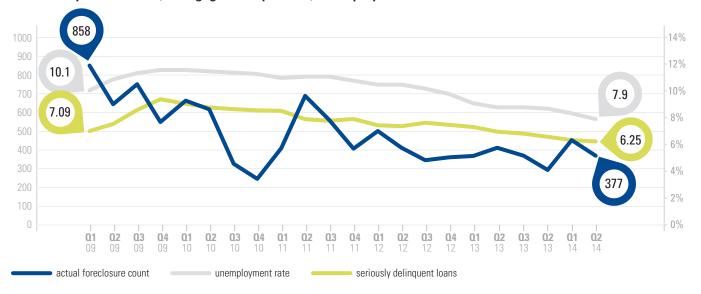
Twenty-one communities had an increase in foreclosure deed filings in the first half of 2014 when compared

to 2013. Thirteen communities and the East Side of Providence reported decreases. Five communities saw no change at all.

During Q2 of 2014 Rhode Island was 3rd in New England and 9th in the nation for percent of seriously delinquent loans. At 6.25 percent Rhode Island surpassed the national figure of 4.80 percent.



#### RI Quarterly Foreclosures, Mortgage Delinquencies, Unemployment Q1 '09 - Q2 '14



Sources include HousingWorks RI Analysis of The Warren Group Foreclosure Deed Data 2009-2014; Mortgage Bankers Association National Delinquency Survey Q1 2009 - Q2 2014; Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training 2009-2014.

### Municipal Rankings – Actual Foreclosures as % of Mortgaged Housing Stock

City/Town	Total Foreclosures 2009-Q2 2014	Single Family and Condos 2009-Q2 2014	Multi-family 2009-Q2 2014	O2 2014 TOTAL	Total Foreclosures as % of Mortgaged Stock (Q2 2014)
Providence (w/o East Side)	2342	907	1435	85	0.65%
Woonsocket	664	350	314	30	0.59%
Exeter	39	39	0	6	0.37%
West Warwick	480	337	143	16	0.30%
North Providence	495	432	63	17	0.29%
Tiverton	99	95	4	10	0.28%
Pawtucket	900	494	406	23	0.25%
Coventry	429	407	22	20	0.25%
Warwick	1300	1216	84	47	0.25%
Warren	58	40	18	5	0.25%
Westerly	141	121	20	10	0.23%
Hopkinton	75	74	1	5	0.22%
Charlestown	47	47	0	4	0.22%
Richmond	61	58	3	4	0.19% RIS
Johnston	437	392	45	11	0.19%
Foster	42	42	0	2	0.18%
East Providence	329	281	48	15	0.18%
North Smithfield	73	65	8	4	0.15%
Bristol	88	72	16	6	0.14%
South Kingstown	112	109	3	7	0.12%
Glocester	101	97	4	3	0.12%
Cranston	816	651	165	17	0.12%
Burrillville	148	126	22	4	0.12%
North Kingstown	150	134	16	7	0.12%
Portsmouth	65	63	2	4	0.11%
Lincoln	155	117	38	4	0.09%
Scituate	68	66	2	2	0.09%
Jamestown	10	10	0	1	0.08%
West Greenwich	59	57	2	1	0.08%
East Greenwich	58	56	2	2	0.07%
Providence (East Side)	123	65	58	2	0.05%
Narragansett	57	55	2	1	0.03%
Newport	101	69	32	1	0.03%
Barrington	46	43	3	1	0.03%
Central Falls	209	39	170	0	0.00%
Cumberland	198	177	21	0	0.00%
Little Compton	12	12	0	0	0.00%
Middletown	46	42	4	0	0.00%
New Shoreham	2	2	0	0	0.00%
Smithfield	125	113	12	0	0.00%
Rhode Island	10,760	7,572	3,188	377	0.20%

### Comparison: Q1 & Q2 Actual Foreclosures 2011 - 2014

City/Town	Q1 & Q2 2011	Q1 & Q2 2012	Q1 & Q2 2013	Q1 & Q2 2014	% Change 2013 - 2014
Barrington	4	3	2	2	0%
Bristol	11	10	7	12	<b>71</b> % ↑
Burrillville	5	9	18	15	-17% ↓
Central Falls	29	22	12	0	-100% ↓
Charlestown	10	5	3	4	33% ↑
Coventry	41	35	48	34	-29% ↓
Cranston	80	88	59	67	14% ↑
Cumberland	19	20	30	2	-93% ↓
East Greenwich	4	8	10	5	-50% ↓
East Providence	21	28	25	30	20% ↑
Exeter	1	5	2	8	300% ↑
Foster	4	3	5	4	-20% ↓
Glocester	13	8	12	8	-33% ↓
Hopkinton	10	11	5	10	100% ↑
Jamestown	1	1	0	1	* ↑
Johnston	49	30	35	33	-6% ↓
Lincoln	16	9	10	7	-30% ↓
Little Compton	1	0	0	0	*
Middletown	6	3	1	1	0%
Narragansett	3	4	3	4	33% ↑
New Shoreham	0	0	0	0	*
Newport	14	6	5	7	<b>40</b> % ↑
North Kingstown	20	20	4	15	<b>275</b> % ↑
North Providence	57	48	33	27	-18% ↓
North Smithfield	10	9	5	7	40% ↑
Pawtucket	95	72	59	66	<b>12</b> % ↑
Portsmouth	6	3	3	6	100% ↑
Providence (w/o East Side)	252	186	138	166	<b>20</b> % ↑
Providence (East Side)	13	8	12	4	-67% ↓
Richmond	5	5	5	8	60% ↑
Scituate	6	5	9	7	-22% ↓
Smithfield	14	14	19	0	-100% ↓
South Kingstown	11	3	6	13	117% ↑
Tiverton	11	16	7	17	143% ↑
Warren	7	4	3	10	233% ↑
Warwick	131	116	94	109	16% ↑
West Greenwich	3	3	3	3	0%
West Warwick	57	34	41	37	-10% ↓
Westerly	14	12	4	20	400% ↑
Woonsocket	50	46	51	60	18% ↑
Rhode Island	1104	912	788	829	5%

<sup>\*</sup> Note: Division by zero is not possible. The true figure for percent change is not applicable.

#### **2013 RENTAL DATA**

City/Town	2013 Average Rent: 2-Bedroom Apartment	Income Needed per Year	Income Needed per Hour (37.5-hour work week)	
Barrington	\$1,273	\$50,920	\$26.11	
Bristol	\$1,132	\$45,280	\$23.22	
Burrillville	\$1,211	\$48,440	\$24.84	
Central Falls	\$876	\$35,040	\$17.97	
Charlestown	\$1,653	\$66,120	\$33.91	
Coventry	\$1,089	\$43,560	\$22.34	
Cranston	\$1,129	\$45,160	\$23.16	
Cumberland	\$1,131	\$45,240	\$23.20	
East Greenwich	\$1,340	\$53,600	\$27.49	
East Providence	\$1,146	\$45,840	\$23.51	
Exeter	\$1,081	\$43,240	\$22.17	
Foster	\$1,204	\$48,160	\$24.70	
Glocester	*	*	*	
Hopkinton	\$1,186	\$47,440	\$24.33	
Jamestown	*	*	*	
Johnston	\$1,205	\$48,200	\$24.72	
Lincoln	\$1,120	\$44,800	\$22.97	
Little Compton	\$1,372	\$54,880	\$28.14	
Middletown	\$1,390	\$55,600	\$28.51	
Narragansett	\$1,219	\$48,760	\$25.01	
Newport	\$1,341	\$53,640	\$27.51	
New Shoreham	*	*	*	
North Kingstown	\$1,204	\$48,160	\$24.70	
North Providence	\$1,097	\$43,880	\$22.50	
North Smithfield	\$1,162	\$46,480	\$23.84	
Pawtucket	\$1,018	\$40,720	\$20.88	
Portsmouth	\$1,344	\$53,760	\$27.57	
Providence (w/o East Side)	\$1,100	\$44,000	\$22.56	
Providence (East Side)	\$1,408	\$56,320	\$28.88	
Richmond	*	*	*	
Scituate	\$1,308	\$52,320	\$26.83	
Smithfield	\$1,149	\$45,960	\$23.57	
South Kingstown	\$1,296	\$51,840	\$26.58	
Tiverton	\$1,156	\$46,240	\$23.71	
Warren	\$1,054	\$42,160	\$21.62	
Warwick	\$1,272	\$50,880	\$26.09	
Westerly	\$1,100	\$44,000	\$22.56	
West Greenwich	*	*	*	
West Warwick	\$1,080	\$43,200	\$22.15	
Woonsocket	\$955	\$38,200	\$19.59	
Rhode Island	\$1,154	\$46,160	\$23.67	

### FIRST HALF 2014 RENTAL DATA

City/Town	First half 2014 Average Rent: 2-Bedroom Apartment	Income Needed per Year	Income Needed per Hour (37.5-hour work week)
Barrington	\$1,349	\$53,960	\$27.67
Bristol	\$1,237	\$49,480	\$25.37
Burrillville	\$1,071	\$42,840	\$21.97
Central Falls	\$894	\$35,760	\$18.34
Charlestown	*	*	*
Coventry	\$1,167	\$46,680	\$23.94
Cranston	\$1,198	\$47,920	\$24.57
Cumberland	\$1,285	\$51,400	\$26.36
East Greenwich	\$1,359	\$54,360	\$27.88
East Providence	\$1,259	\$50,360	\$25.83
Exeter	*	*	*
Foster	*	*	*
Glocester	\$1,455	\$58,200	\$29.85
Hopkinton	*	*	*
Jamestown	*	*	*
Johnston	\$1,232	\$49,280	\$25.27
Lincoln	\$1,234	\$49,360	\$25.31
Little Compton	*	*	*
Middletown	*	*	*
Narragansett	*	*	*
New Shoreham	*	*	*
Newport	\$1,481	\$59,240	\$30.38
North Kingstown	*	*	*
North Providence	\$1,212	\$48,480	\$24.86
North Smithfield	\$1,251	\$50,040	\$25.66
Pawtucket	\$1,045	\$41,800	\$21.44
Portsmouth	*	*	*
Providence (w/o East Side)	\$1,067	\$42,680	\$21.89
Providence (East Side)	\$1,357	\$54,280	\$27.84
Richmond	*	*	*
Scituate	*	*	*
Smithfield	*	*	*
South Kingstown	*	*	*
Tiverton	*	*	*
Warren	\$1,150	\$46,000	\$23.59
Warwick	\$1,323	\$52,920	\$27.14
Westerly	\$1,182	\$47,280	\$24.25
West Greenwich	*	*	*
West Warwick	\$1,112	\$44,480	\$22.81
Woonsocket	\$980	\$39,200	\$20.10
Rhode Island	\$1,177	\$47,080	\$24.14

### 2013 SALES DATA

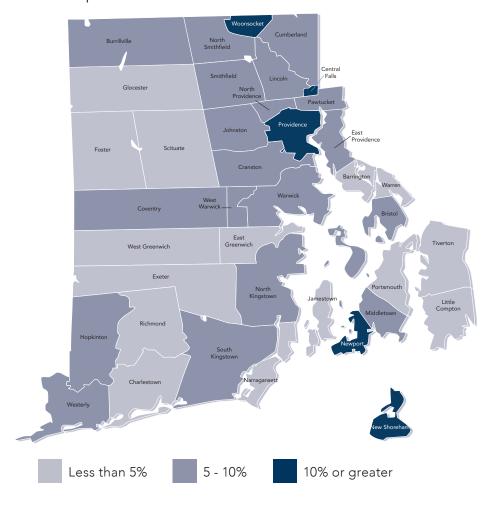
City/Town	Median Price: Single Family Home 2013	Monthly Housing Payment	Income Needed per Year	Income Needed per Hour (37.5 hour work week)	Percentage of Distressed Properties Affecting Median Price
Barrington	\$372,000	\$2,817	\$112,668	\$57.78	5%
Bristol	\$280,000	\$2,010	\$80,416	\$41.24	16%
Burrillville	\$200,000	\$1,543	\$61,724	\$31.65	24%
Central Falls	\$99,500	\$873	\$34,932	\$17.91	29%
Charlestown	\$289,450	\$1,998	\$79,925	\$40.99	8%
Coventry	\$175,000	\$1,365	\$54,600	\$28.00	22%
Cranston	\$175,000	\$1,433	\$57,317	\$29.39	23%
Cumberland	\$240,000	\$1,778	\$71,115	\$36.47	17%
East Greenwich	\$429,000	\$3,404	\$136,140	\$69.82	6%
East Providence	\$170,000	\$1,389	\$55,544	\$28.48	16%
Exeter	\$299,000	\$2,182	\$87,274	\$44.76	15%
Foster	\$206,500	\$1,638	\$65,525	\$33.60	25%
Glocester	\$213,000	\$1,708	\$68,331	\$35.04	23%
Hopkinton	\$213,800	\$1,669	\$66,758	\$34.24	17%
Jamestown	\$467,800	\$3,133	\$125,339	\$64.28	4%
Johnston	\$169,000	\$1,463	\$58,525	\$30.01	27%
Lincoln	\$247,000	\$1,988	\$79,537	\$40.79	12%
Little Compton	\$554,500	\$3,564	\$142,551	\$73.10	3%
Middletown	\$321,500	\$2,393	\$95,735	\$49.10	11%
Narragansett	\$365,000	\$2,492	\$99,700	\$51.13	4%
Newport	\$390,000	\$2,748	\$109,914	\$56.37	9%
New Shoreham	\$1,100,000	\$6,960	\$278,406	\$142.77	4%
North Kingstown	\$285,000	\$2,204	\$88,141	\$45.20	10%
North Providence	\$159,500	\$1,331	\$53,227	\$27.30	23%
North Smithfield	\$230,000	\$1,708	\$68,320	\$35.04	17%
Pawtucket	\$134,900	\$1,117	\$44,696	\$22.92	28%
Portsmouth	\$299,500	\$2,220	\$88,796	\$45.54	11%
Providence (w/o East Side)	\$105,000	\$866	\$34,625	\$17.76	39%
Providence (East Side)	\$439,500	\$3,336	\$133,438	\$68.43	4%
Richmond	\$222,000	\$1,732	\$69,265	\$35.52	21%
Scituate	\$229,950	\$1,774	\$70,943	\$36.38	18%
Smithfield	\$227,000	\$1,719	\$68,764	\$35.26	17%
South Kingstown	\$295,000	\$2,190	\$87,597	\$44.92	7%
Tiverton	\$226,000	\$1,765	\$70,617	\$36.21	13%
Warren	\$230,000	\$1,786	\$71,421	\$36.63	10%
Warwick	\$165,000	\$1,318	\$52,724	\$27.04	24%
Westerly	\$269,500	\$1,890	\$75,601	\$38.77	10%
West Greenwich	\$259,100	\$2,073	\$82,910	\$42.52	24%
West Warwick	\$153,500	\$1,288	\$51,511	\$26.42	27%
Woonsocket	\$125,000	\$1,160	\$46,395	\$23.79	39%
Rhode Island	\$205,000	\$1,580	\$63,192	\$32.41	18.8%

### **SECOND QUARTER 2014 SALES DATA**

City/Town	Median Price: Single Family Home Q2 2014	Monthly Housing Payment	Income Needed per Year	Income Needed per Hour (37.5 hour work week)	Percentage of Distressed Properties Affecting Median Price
Barrington	\$387,500	\$2,930	\$117,192	\$60.10	4%
Bristol	\$307,500	\$2,199	\$87,949	\$45.10	22%
Burrillville	\$217,500	\$1,671	\$66,855	\$34.28	32%
Central Falls	\$65,000	\$600	\$23,996	\$12.31	33%
Charlestown	\$352,500	\$2,412	\$96,493	\$49.48	6%
Coventry	\$187,750	\$1,459	\$58,342	\$29.92	19%
Cranston	\$185,000	\$1,510	\$60,391	\$30.97	20%
Cumberland	\$279,950	\$2,061	\$82,454	\$42.28	9%
East Greenwich	\$440,000	\$3,488	\$139,523	\$71.55	7%
East Providence	\$175,000	\$1,427	\$57,080	\$29.27	26%
Exeter	\$290,000	\$2,119	\$84,752	\$43.46	24%
Foster	\$225,000	\$1,777	\$71,061	\$36.44	27%
Glocester	\$204,000	\$1,640	\$65,613	\$33.65	21%
Hopkinton	\$202,500	\$1,585	\$63,401	\$32.51	23%
Jamestown	\$413,500	\$2,780	\$111,199	\$57.03	0%
Johnston	\$158,000	\$1,373	\$54,927	\$28.17	24%
Lincoln	\$309,000	\$2,468	\$98,728	\$50.63	3%
Little Compton	\$455,000	\$2,944	\$117,759	\$60.39	0%
Middletown	\$320,000	\$2,383	\$95,310	\$48.88	3%
Narragansett	\$385,000	\$2,624	\$104,978	\$53.83	3%
Newport	\$457,500	\$3,204	\$128,157	\$65.72	2%
New Shoreham	\$1,200,000	\$7,582	\$303,267	\$155.52	0%
North Kingstown	\$307,500	\$2,369	\$94,754	\$48.59	10%
North Providence	\$178,000	\$1,475	\$59,003	\$30.26	18%
North Smithfield	\$204,000	\$1,523	\$60,933	\$31.25	18%
Pawtucket	\$149,900	\$1,233	\$49,318	\$25.29	22%
Portsmouth	\$297,500	\$2,206	\$88,237	\$45.25	12%
Providence (w/o East Side)	\$125,000	\$1,013	\$40,533	\$20.79	26%
Providence (East Side)	\$463,500	\$3,513	\$140,528	\$72.07	0%
Richmond	\$262,000	\$2,029	\$81,149	\$41.61	11%
Scituate	\$263,750	\$2,022	\$80,864	\$41.47	29%
Smithfield	\$231,000	\$1,748	\$69,923	\$35.86	14%
South Kingstown	\$300,875	\$2,231	\$89,259	\$45.77	8%
Tiverton	\$268,950	\$2,083	\$83,322	\$42.73	17%
Warren	\$206,000	\$1,609	\$64,378	\$33.01	29%
Warwick	\$176,000	\$1,400	\$55,993	\$28.71	23%
Westerly	\$319,250	\$2,221	\$88,851	\$45.56	6%
West Greenwich	\$255,000	\$2,041	\$81,654	\$41.87	9%
West Warwick	\$157,000	\$1,315	\$52,608	\$26.98	22%
Woonsocket	\$135,000	\$1,246	\$49,859	\$25.57	29%
Rhode Island	\$220,000	\$1,689	\$67,560	\$34.65	16%

# PROGRESS TOWARD AFFORDABLE HOUSING **GOALS**

Rhode Island State Law requires that 10 percent of every city or town's housing stock be affordable. How does each community measure up?



Five of Rhode Island's 39 communities meet this goal: Central Falls, Newport, New Shoreham, Providence, and Woonsocket.\*

RI General Law 42-128-8.1(d)(1) defines affordable as "Residential housing that has a sales price or rental amount that is within the means of a household that is of moderate income or less. For dwelling units for sale...housing in which principal, interest, taxes, and insurance constitute no more than 30% of gross annual household income for a household with less than 120% of area median income, adjusted for family size. For rental units, housing for which the rent, heat, and utilities (other than telephone) constitute no more than 30% of gross annual income for a household with 80% of area median income adjusted for family size." Affordable homes are required to remain affordable through a land lease or/and deed restriction for no less than 30 years from initial occupancy.

TOWN	% of housing stock that is affordable	
Newport	17.13%	
Woonsocket	15.89%	
Providence	14.75%	
Central Falls	11.70%	
New Shoreham	10.27%	
East Providence	9.82%	
Pawtucket	8.69%	
Burrillville	8.60%	
North Smithfield	8.22%	
West Warwick	8.17%	
Johnston	8.14%	
North Kingstown	7.92%	
Hopkinton	7.06%	
North Providence	6.93%	
Lincoln	6.63%	
Bristol	5.93%	
Cumberland	5.81%	
Middletown	5.60%	
South Kingstown	5.44%	
Cranston	5.40%	
Coventry	5.38%	
Warwick	5.36%	
Westerly	5.24%	
Smithfield	5.05%	
Tiverton	4.99%	
Warren	4.47%	
Jamestown	4.39%	
East Greenwich	4.34%	
Narragansett	3.65%	
Portsmouth	2.82%	
Barrington	2.55%	
Foster	2.33%	
Exeter	2.32%	
Glocester	2.13%	
Charlestown	2.00%	
Richmond	1.79%	
West Greenwich	1.41%	
Scituate	0.85%	
Little Compton	0.56%	
STATEWIDE	8.28%	

#### WHERE DID THE NUMBERS AND RESEARCH IN THIS BOOK COME FROM?

The data and research presented in this book were obtained from the latest official, industry, and other expert sources as well as from academic research databases, professional journals, and other peer-reviewed research sources. Data in tables, graphs, and infographics are rounded to the nearest decimal place.

#### HOUSING AFFORDABILITY

Home price Median sales price of single-family homes. 2nd Quarter 2014 and Year-End 2013 and 2003 Single-Family Home Sales Statistics, from www.riliving.com, website of the Rhode Island Association of Realtors and Statewide Multiple Listing Service.

Average monthly rent 2013 and 2003 Year-End Rent Survey, Rhode Island Housing (www.rhodeislandhousing.org).

Typical monthly housing payment for homeownership Methodology for calculation of monthly housing payment:

- → Assumed 3.5% down payment of 2013 median sale price of single family homes
- 30-year mortgage at 3.98% interest rate, the 2013 annual average as reported by Freddie Mac at www.freddiemac.com/pmms/pmms30.htm
- → Tax Year 2013 municipal property taxes for individual municipalities (excluding homestead exemptions); statewide calculations are based on the average
- Estimated Hazard Insurance for each municipality
- FHA mortgage insurance at 1.35%/month
- Financed upfront 1.75% insurance fee required by FHA

Household income required to afford the median-price home and average rent Methodology: Based on the generally accepted federal standard that a household should be spending no more than 30 percent of its income on housing payments (including rent or mortgage, utilities, taxes, and insurance). Calculated by annualizing the typical housing payment and dividing by 30% to get the income required to pay no more than 30%.

#### AFFORDABLE HOUSING

Number of year-round housing units and housing units that qualify as affordable 2013 Low and Moderate Income Housing Chart, Rhode Island Housing (www.rhodeislandhousing.org).

Homes funded through Building Homes Rhode Island Rhode Island Housing Resources Commission and Rhode Island Housing (www.rhodeislandhousing.org).

Additional housing units necessary to meet the 10 percent threshold Methodology: Calculated by subtracting the number of units that qualify as affordable from 10 percent of the city or town's number of year-round housing units. (The Low and Moderate Income Housing Act established a goal that 10 percent of each community's housing stock be affordable to people with low or moderate incomes. In order to count toward that threshold, a home must be subsidized by a federal, state, or municipal government subsidy under any program to assist the construction or rehabilitation of housing affordable to low or moderate income households, and must remain affordable through a land lease and/or deed restrictions for no less than 30 years from initial occupancy.)

#### **FORECLOSURES**

Number of Actual Foreclosures HousingWorks RI analysis of The Warren Group Foreclosure Deed data, 2009-Q2 2014.

Mortgaged Housing Units US Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2006-2010 5-year estimates of the number of housing units with mortgages.

Distressed Property Sales 2013 Distressed Single Family Home Sales Statistics, from the Rhode Island Association of Realtors and Statewide Multiple Listing Service (www.riliving.com)

#### **INCOME CALCULATIONS**

Average wage for a private sector job in each city/town Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, Private Sector, 4th Quarter 2013. Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training (http://www.dlt.ri.gov/lmi/pdf/qcew413.pdf). The average weekly wage is multiplied by 52 weeks for an annualized figure.

Median Renter Household Income by Area US Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2012 1-year estimate of the median household income for renter households in each Rhode Island county and Statewide. A description of counties by cities and towns is here: http://www.dlt.ri.gov/lmi/maps/county.htm.

Median wage for selected occupations Occupational Employment Statistics, May 2013, All Industries Statewide. Rhode Island Department of Labor & Training (www. dlt.ri.gov/lmi/pdf/oesstatealpha.pdf). Median hourly wages are calculated into 37.5 hour workweeks and a 52-week year to arrive at annualized median wages.

#### **REFERENCES**

- <sup>1</sup> Median Sales Price Single Family Homes, 2000-2013. All prices adjusted for inflation in 2013 dollars. Rhode Island Association of Realtors and Statewide Multiple Listing Service.
- <sup>2</sup> U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey Public Use Microdata Sample, 1-year, 2000-2012, Rhode Island. All incomes have been adjusted for inflation in 2013 dollars.
- <sup>3</sup> Housing Works RI Housing Fact Books, 2007 & 2008.
- <sup>4</sup> HousingWorks RI analysis of City of Warwick Tax Assessment Data, 2013.
- <sup>5</sup> U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey Public Use Microdata Sample, 1-year, 2000-2012, Rhode Island. All housing costs and incomes have been adjusted for inflation in 2013 dollars.
- <sup>6</sup> U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey Public Use Microdata Sample, 1-year, 2000 and 2012, Rhode Island.
- <sup>7</sup> U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey Public Use Microdata Sample, 1-year, 2012, Rhode Island.
- <sup>8</sup> Average Monthly 2-Bedroom Apartment Rent Price, 2000-2013. All prices adjusted for inflation in 2013 dollars. Rhode Island Housing Annual Rent Survey.
- <sup>9</sup> U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey Public Use Microdata Sample, 1-year, 2000-2012, Rhode Island. All incomes have been adjusted for inflation in 2013 dollars.
- <sup>10</sup> Housing Works RI @ RWU analysis of The Warren Group Residential Foreclosure Deeds, 2009-Q2 2014.
- <sup>11</sup> U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey Public Use Microdata Sample, 1-year, 2012
- <sup>12</sup> U.S. Postal Service Quarterly Vacancy Data 2010 Census Tracts, 2009-Q2 2014. U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.
- <sup>13</sup> Housing Works RI @ RWU analysis of U.S. Postal Service Quarterly Data and The Warren Group Foreclosure Deeds, 2009-Q2 2014.
- <sup>14</sup>U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey Public Use Microdata Sample, 1-year, 2000-2012, Rhode Island. All housing costs and incomes have been adjusted for inflation in 2013 dollars.
- <sup>15</sup>U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey Public Use Microdata Sample, 1-year, 2000 and 2012. Rhode Island.
- <sup>16</sup> U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey Public Use Microdata Sample, 1-year, 2012.





150 Washington Street Providence, Rhode Island 02903 www.HousingWorksRl.org

#### CREDITS

WRITING Jessica Cigna | Nicole Lagace

COPYEDITING Molly Sexton

RESEARCH & DATA ANALYSIS Jessica Cigna

DESIGN Lakuna Design

# Roger Williams University

One Old Ferry Road Bristol, Rhode Island 02809 www.rwu.edu

