



SPOTLIGHT ON YOUR DISTRICT: State House District 53

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KEY METRICS



94,533
total population



\$53,912
median household income



13,050 | 14%
age 65+



37.6
median age



19%
poverty rate



5,472 | 6%
under age 5

POVERTY RATE FOR



Families with children:

22%



Children under age 18:

28%



Single parent (female) family:

35%

RACE/ETHNICITY

White	39,264	(42%)
Black or African American	28,621	(30%)
Hispanic or Latino	17,020	(18%)
Asian	3,333	(4%)
American Indian/ Alaska Native	155	(<1%)
Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander	-	(0%)
Two or More Races	5,590	(6%)

MEDIAN WAGE

\$55,509
for men

\$44,057
for women

Female-to-male earnings ratio: **79%**
(Women earn 79¢ for every dollar men earn.)

ANNUAL HOUSEHOLD INCOME

22% Under \$25,000

41% \$25,000 - \$74,999

37% \$75,000 or more

LANGUAGE SPOKEN

A language other than English spoken at home:

16,505 | 19%

Kamusta!

Habari!

Limited English proficiency (age 5+):

7,399 | 8%

Hola!

TECHNOLOGY



37,545 | 94%
Households with a computer



35,622 | 89%
Households with broadband internet subscription

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT AGE 25+

Less than ninth grade	3,256	5%
Ninth to twelfth grade, no diploma	5,608	9%
High school diploma or equivalent	22,058	33%
Some college, no degree	15,311	23%
Associate degree	5,281	8%
Bachelor's degree	10,042	15%
Graduate or professional degree	4,529	7%

DISABILITY STATUS



1,205 | 6%
children under age 18 with disability

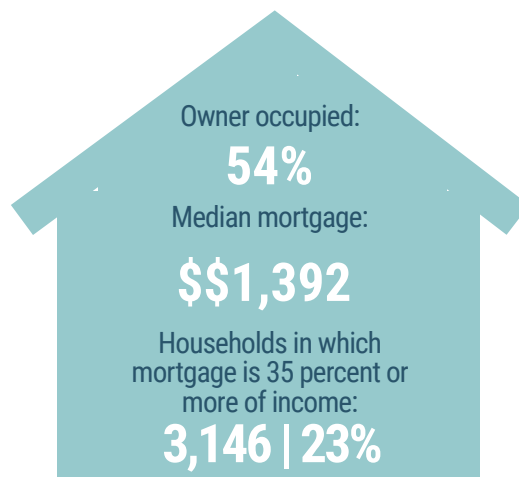
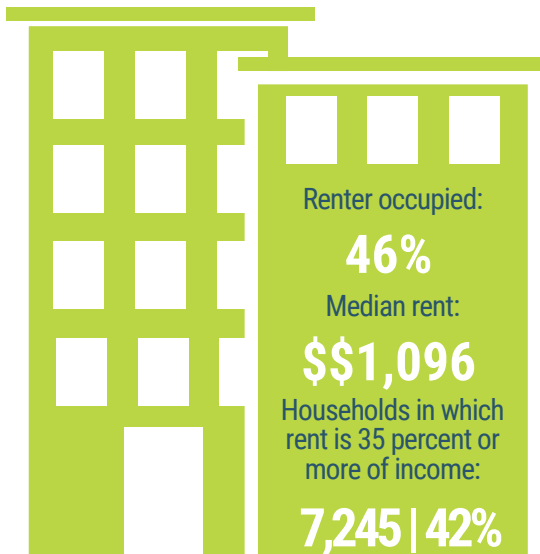


10,167 | 17%
18-64 years old with disability



5,095 | 39%
65 years old and over with disability

HOUSING



HEALTH INSURANCE



Population with Health Insurance

Private: **50,668 | 55%**

Public: **44,853 | 48%**

Population with No Health Insurance

Total: **9,736 | 11%**

Children: **905 | 4%**

COMMUTING TO WORK

Travel time to work: **23.2 minutes**



75%

Drove alone
(car, truck or van)



13%

Carpooled



<1%

Public
transportation



2%

Walked



2%

Other means



8%

Worked at
home

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Source: American Community Survey, 2024 5-Year Data Profiles