**DISTRICT 38B**

**RENTER STATISTICS**

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<th>MEDIAN RENT 2013</th>
<th>$1,106</th>
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<td><strong>9%</strong> 2013 vs 2018</td>
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Median rent is an indicator of affordability. If rent is increasingly greatly, that can be an indicator of lack of affordability. In district 38B, rent increased 9% between 2013 and 2018. The district saw the 40th highest rent increase out of 134 districts.

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<th>MEDIAN RENTER INCOME 2013</th>
<th>$37,971</th>
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Median renter income is an indicator of what people can afford for rent. If incomes stay flat or decline, it can be an indication that cost burden is increasing. In District 38B, renter income increased 27% between 2013 and 2018. The district ranked 22nd of 134 in terms of renter income increase.

**INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD RENT:**

$48,240

The income needed to afford rent -- $48,240 -- is greater than the median renter income in the district. With a gap of $-93, rent in District 38B is affordable.

**3,732 RENTERS**

**22% RENTERS**

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<th># COST BURDENED RENTERS</th>
<th>1,804</th>
<th>2013 vs 2018</th>
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Cost-burdened renters pay 30% or more of their income on rent and an estimated 1,804 District 38B residents may have to sacrifice education, food, and medicine to afford a place to live. For highest cost burden, the district ranked 29th.

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<th># COST BURDENED SENIORS</th>
<th>683</th>
<th>2013 vs 2018</th>
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District 38B ranked 22nd out of 134 for the percentage of seniors struggling to afford housing.

**SEVERE COST BURDEN**

20%

Severe cost burden means a family is paying 50% or more of their income on housing. District 38B was the 67th highest of 134.

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<th>% RENTERS THAT ARE POCI</th>
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People of color and indigenous people are more likely to be renters and less likely to own their own home. They are also much more likely to experience cost burden.

**SOURCES**

- Renter households: Rent and income adjusted for inflation. U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey 2018, 5 year estimates
- Owner households: Home value and income adjusted for inflation. U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey 2018, 5 year estimates
- Cost burden: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey 2018, 5 year estimates
- Wages: Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development (MN DEED), Occupations in Demand, July 2019
- Homelessness: Wilder Research Center, 2019

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**HOMEOWNER STATISTICS**

**MEDIAN HOME VALUE 2013**
$257,256

**2%**

**MEDIAN HOME VALUE 2018**
$263,600

In District 38B, median home values have increased in the last 5 years. In terms of home value increase, 38B was ranked 76th out of 134.

**MEDIAN OWNER INCOME 2013**
$95,663

**8%**

**MEDIAN OWNER INCOME 2018**
$103,486

Homeowner income has increased in the last 5 years. The district ranked 43rd out of 134.

**INCOME NEEDED TO AFFORD MEDIAN HOME:**
$79,080

Regional Data

**Top jobs & income in the Twin Cities Region**

- **Retail Sales:** $26,029
- **Truck Driver:** $52,343
- **Food Service:** $24,190
- **Personal Care Aide:** $26,766
- **Registered Nurse:** $86,042

Without reliable shelter, productive work, progress at school and positive health outcomes are extremely difficult. Just a few decades ago, homelessness didn’t exist – and Minnesota has made strides in recent years, with a 9% reduction from 2012 to 2015.

**Number of Homeless on a given night in 2018**
- **6,763**

**Change in Homelessness 2015 to 2018**
- **9%**

**# of homeless kids**
- **2,277**

**# of homeless seniors**
- **798**

Cost-burdened owners pay 30% or more of their income on housing and an estimated 2,448 residents of District 38B may have to sacrifice education, food, and medicine to afford a place to live. For highest cost burden, the district ranked 79th.

**COST BURDENED OWNERS**

| PERCENT COST BURDENED | 2,448 |
| CHANGE IN COST BURDEN | 18% |
| -25% |

**COST BURDENED SENIORS**

| SENIOR COST BURDEN | 1,048 |
| 28% |

District 38B ranked 34th out of 134 for the percentage of seniors struggling to afford their homes.

**% OWNERS THAT ARE POCI**

| OWNERS | 6% |
| renters | 14% |

People of color and indigenous people are less likely to own their home, a key to building wealth.