

City of Sparta Profile

Monroe County, WI

POPULATION

	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010
City of Sparta	6,258	6,934	7,788	8,648	9,522
County of Monroe	31,610	35,074	36,633	40,899	42,510
State of Wisconsin	4,417,821	4,705,642	4,891,599	5,363,675	5,686,986

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

HOUSING UNITS

	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010
City of Sparta	2,248	2,839	3,266	3,733	4,192
County of Monroe	10,168	12,741	14,135	16,671	19,204
State of Wisconsin	1,472,332	1,863,897	2,055,676	2,321,144	2,624,358

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

REAL ESTATE EQUALIZED VALUES

Millions of Dollars

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
City of Sparta \$	384	394	404	418	428
County of Monroe \$	2,226	2,396	2,531	2,544	2,562
State of Wisconsin \$	458,541	486,959	502,446	499,856	483,967

Source: State of Wisconsin Department of Revenue

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

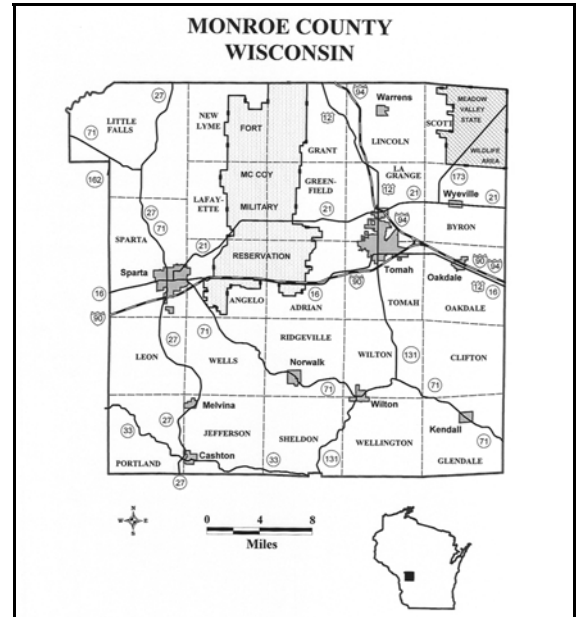
	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
County of Monroe \$	26,729	27,660	29,086	30,335	30,577
State of Wisconsin \$	33,664	35,637	36,891	37,905	37,373
United States \$	35,424	37,698	39,461	40,674	39,635

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce

UNEMPLOYMENT TRENDS

	2007	2008	2009	2010
Monroe County Labor Force	24,166	24,427	24,778	24,526
Number Employed	23,077	23,293	22,850	22,763
Number Unemployed	1,089	1,134	1,928	1,763
Monroe County Unemployment Rate %	4.5	4.6	7.8	7.2
Wisconsin Unemployment Rate %	4.8	4.9	8.7	8.3
U.S. Unemployment Rate %	4.8	4.9	9.3	9.6

Source: State of Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development



TRANSPORTATION

-Highways-

State Highways 16, 21, 27, 71 (0 miles)

US Highways _____

Interstates 90 (0 miles)

-Rail-

Canadian Pacific; Amtrak at La Crosse

-Air-

Local Airport: Sparta/Fort McCoy

Nearest Sched Transport: La Crosse Municipal Airport

Delta, American

Mileage to Local Airport: 2 miles

Mileage to Nearest Sched Transport: 31 miles

-Water-

Nearest available facility is located in La Crosse - 32 miles

UTILITIES

-Electricity-

Provider: Xcel Energy
 Contact: (800) 895-4999

-Natural Gas-

Provider: Wisconsin Gas & Electric Company
 Contact: (608) 269-6757

-Water System 2010-

Provider: Municipal Act'l Cap (GPM): 12,896
 No of Wells: 6 Ground Storage: 600,000
 Elev Storage: 1,635,000

-Wastewater Treatment Facility 2009-

Provider: C. Sparta Construction Date: 1964
 Compliance Maintenance Annual Report Grade Point Average (GPA): 4

Grade Pts	Meaning	Response Range	Grade Pts	Meaning	Response Range
4	Good	Voluntary	1	Poor	Action
3	Satisfactory	Voluntary	0	Fail	Action
2	Marginal	Recommendation			

-Telecommunications-

Provider(s): CenturyLink
 Contact(s) Residential: (877) 290-5458
 Contact(s) Business: (877) 365-0045
 Fiberoptics: CenturyLink
 Contact(s) Residential: (800) 366-8201
 Contact(s) Business: (800) 365-0045

-Solid Waste-

Provider(s): Erickson Sanitation
 Contact(s): (608) 269-2789
 Recycling Provider: Erickson Sanitation (608) 269-2789

2010 TAXES

-Local Property Taxes-

2010 Effective Full Value Rate/\$1000: 23.61
 2010 Real and Pers Property Full Value: 450,547,700
 Tax on machinery, equip inventory: Exempt
 County Sales Tax %: 0.50

-State Taxes-

Sales Tax %: 5.0%
 Corporate Income Tax %: 7.90%
 Gasoline Tax \$: .329 gallon
 Personal Income Tax: 4.6% - 7.75% (married filing jointly)
 Capital Gains Tax: 30% Exemption, 60% Exemp. Farm Assets, Exemptions for investment in WI businesses, go to: www.revenue.wi.gov

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY - 2000

Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing/Hunting, Mining:	14
Construction:	288
Manufacturing:	846
Wholesale Trade:	66
Retail Trade:	501
Transportation and Warehousing and Utilities:	249
Information:	112
Finance, Ins, Real Estate, Rental/leasing:	154
Prof, Scientific, Mgt, Admin and Waste Mgt Serv:	173
Educational, Health Social Serv:	856
Arts, Entertain, Rec, Accom and Food Serv:	341
Other Services (except public admin):	181
Public Admin:	404
Total Employment by Industry	4185

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

2009 WAGE ESTIMATES

	Average	Experienced
Office clerks, general:	12.01	13.80
*Welders, Cutters, and Welder Fitters:	16.75	18.39
Truck Drivers, heavy and tractor trailer:	17.96	19.68
Computer Support Specialists:	18.49	21.35
Construction Laborers:	15.75	18.60
Mgrs, all other (wide variety, wages estimates are variable):	32.26	36.49
Mtce Workers, Machinery:	16.62	18.32
*Janitors and cleaners, except maids and hskkeeping:	11.53	13.53
Licensed Practical and Vocational Nurses:	16.86	18.84
Retail Salespersons:	11.23	13.12

*Occupation data not available, data shown reflects nearest match to occupation.

Source: Wis. Dept. of Workforce Development

EDUCATION AND HEALTH CARE

2009-2010	County	State
High School Drop Out Rate %:	1.04	1.60
Voch Tech:	Western Wis Tech, 27 mi	
University(s):	UW La Crosse & Viterbo, 27 mi	
Hospital(s):	Sparta	

-LOCAL CONTACT-

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