

Chippewa Township, Mecosta County, Michigan

General Characteristics	Number	Percent	U.S.
Total population	1,239	100.0	100%
Male	632	51.0	49.1%
Female	607	49.0	50.9%
Median age (years)	43.0	(X)	35.3
Under 5 years	72	5.8	6.8%
18 years and over	982	79.3	74.3%
65 years and over	236	19.0	12.4%
One race	1,220	98.5	97.6%
White	1,206	97.3	75.1%
Black or African American	2	0.2	12.3%
American Indian and Alaska Native	6	0.5	0.9%
Asian	5	0.4	3.6%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0	0.0	0.1%
Some other race	1	0.1	5.5%
Two or more races	19	1.5	2.4%
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	4	0.3	12.5%
Average household size	2.38	(X)	2.59
Average family size	2.81	(X)	3.14
Total housing units	1,139	100.0	100.0%
Occupied housing units	518	45.5	91.0%
Owner-occupied housing units	451	87.1	66.2%
Renter-occupied housing units	67	12.9	33.8%
Vacant housing units	621	54.5	9.0%

Social Characteristics	Number	Percent	U.S.
Population 25 years and over	866	100.0	
High school graduate or higher	676	78.1	80.4%
Bachelor's degree or higher	84	9.7	24.4%
Civilian veterans (civilian population 18 years and over)	182	18.4	12.7%
Disability status (population 21 to 64 years)	152	22.0	19.2%
Foreign born	11	0.9	11.1%
Now married (population 15 years and over)	585	56.5	54.4%
Speak a language other than English at home (5 years and over)	43	3.7	17.9%

Economic Characteristics	Number	Percent	U.S.
In labor force (population 16 years and over)	527	51.9	63.9%
Mean travel time to work in minutes (population 16 years and over)	29.8	(X)	25.5
Median household income (dollars)	33,859	(X)	41,994
Median family income (dollars)	36,563	(X)	50,046
Per capita income (dollars)	17,336	(X)	21,587
Families below poverty level	29	8.1	9.2%
Individuals below poverty level	123	10.0	12.4%

Housing Characteristics	Number	Percent	U.S.
Single-family owner-occupied homes	236	100.0	
Median value (dollars)	75,900	(X)	119,600
Median of selected monthly owner costs	(X)	(X)	
With a mortgage	639	(X)	1,088
Not mortgaged	216	(X)	295

(X) Not applicable.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Summary File 1 (SF 1) and Summary File 3 (SF 3)