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# Socio-Economic Analysis of Neighborhood Issues facing MPS Students and Their Families in Zipcode 53218

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## **Appendix 8**

# **Socio-Economic Analysis of Neighborhood Issues Facing Milwaukee Public Schools Students and Their Families in Zip Code 53218**

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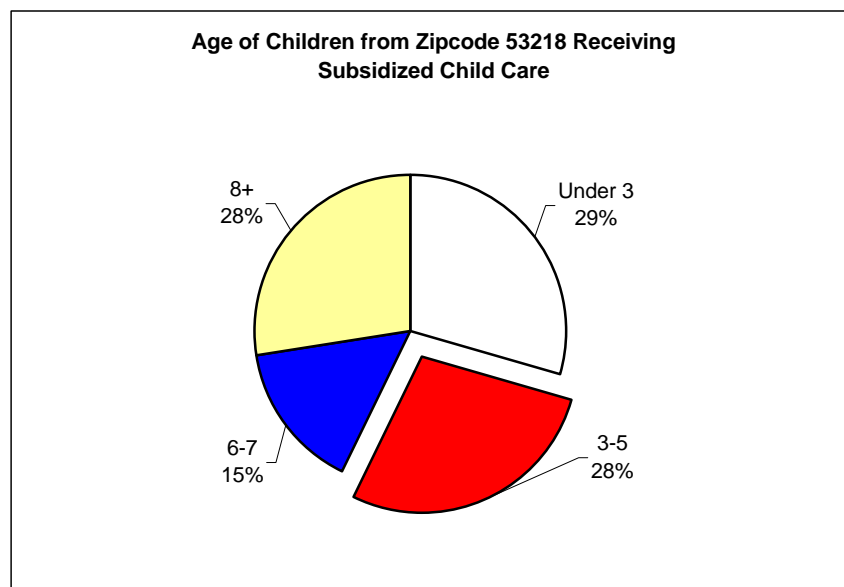
As a planning supplement to the annual count of school children in the city of Milwaukee, the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Employment and Training Institute assembled institutional and administrative data bases to help provide a socio-economic analysis of neighborhood issues facing Milwaukee Public School students and their families. This report provides neighborhood drilldowns for Milwaukee zip code 53218.

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## Child Care Availability and Subsidies 1996-2009

The Wisconsin Shares program provides child care subsidies for employed parents (and those in approved “W-2” activities), utilizing federal Child Care and Development Funds (CCDF) and Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF). Families are eligible for support if their income is at or below 185% of poverty and may continue to receive support until their income reaches 200% of poverty.

In zip code 53218 a total of 2,958 children received Wisconsin Shares child care subsidies the week of March 15, 2009. Children ages 3 through 5 made up 819 (28%) of the children in care, and another 1,266 children ages 6 and above were in before and after school care.

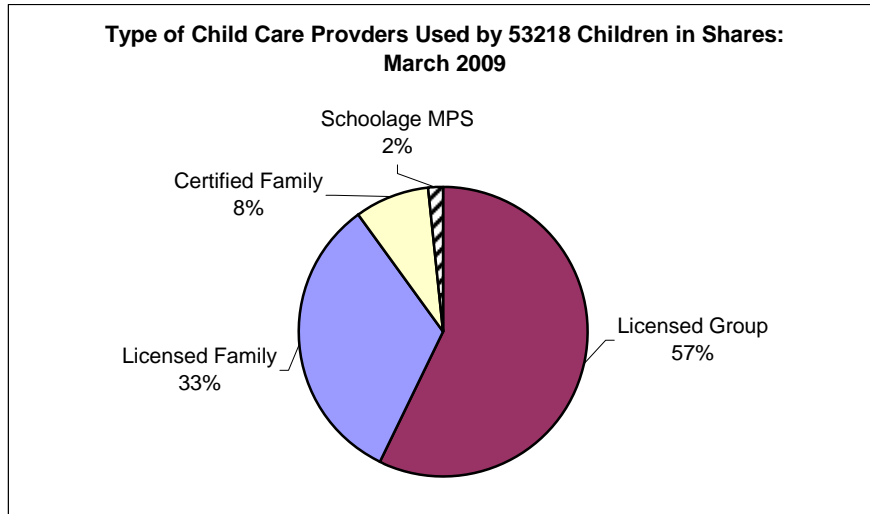


Under the Shares program parents may choose among several types of child care: licensed group care (centers licensed by the Wisconsin Department of Children and Families to serve 9 or more children), licensed family care (family providers licensed by the state to serve 4-8 children), certified family care (providers certified by Milwaukee County to care for up to 6 children in their home), and school-age programs operated by Milwaukee Public Schools.<sup>1</sup>

In zip code 53218, 57% of the children were in licensed group centers and 33% in licensed family care. Only 51 children (2%) were in MPS school-age child care in March 2009.

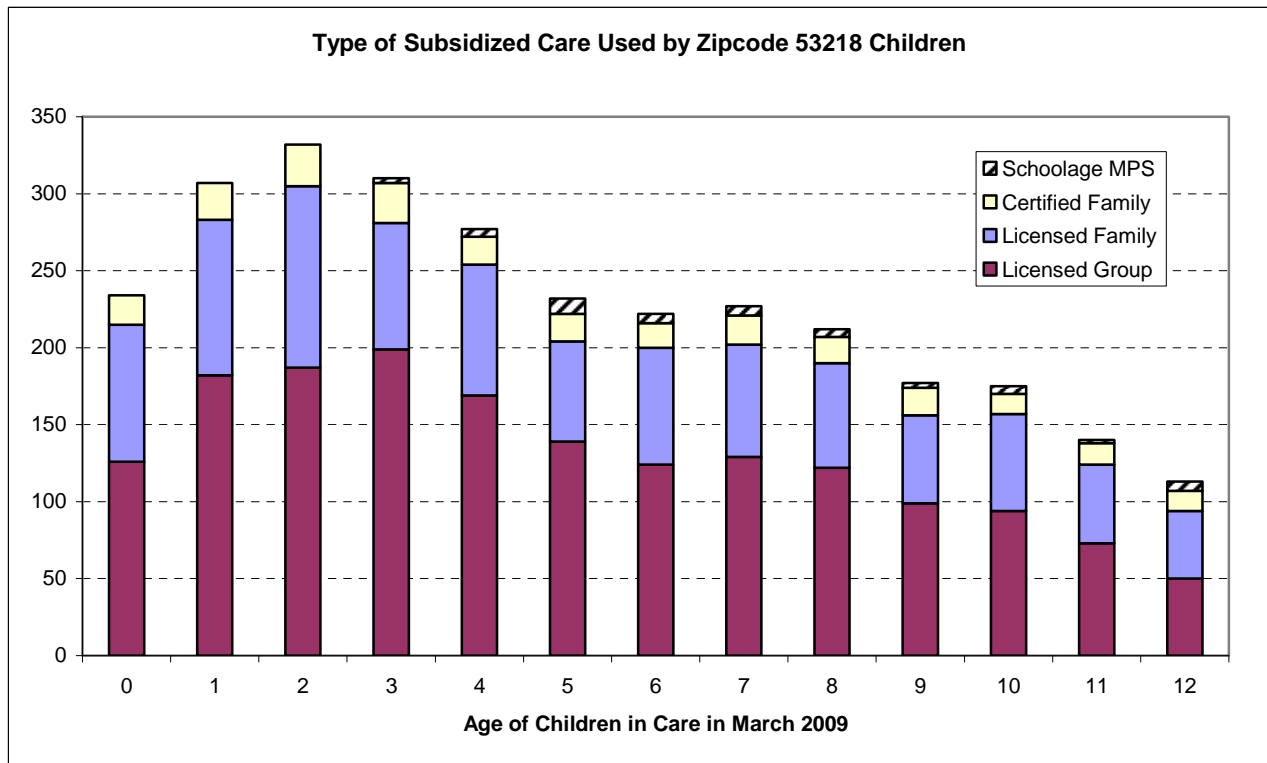
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<sup>1</sup> “Lead teachers” in licensed group child care centers must complete only an 80-hour training class (and 25 hours of continuing education each year). “Lead teachers” caring for children under age 2 also must take a 10-hour training on infants and toddlers. “Assistant teachers” in group centers must complete only a 40-hour child care class (and take 25 hours of continuing education each year). Licensed family providers also must complete a 40-hour training class (and take 15 hours of in-service training each year). Regularly certified providers must complete a 20-hour training class (and take 5 hours of continuing education annually). Provisionally certified providers are not required to complete any training. See the Milwaukee County “Child Care Providers” website at [www.county.milwaukee.gov/ChildCare9969/Providers.htm](http://www.county.milwaukee.gov/ChildCare9969/Providers.htm).



**Zip Code 53218 Children in Subsidized Care as of March 2009**

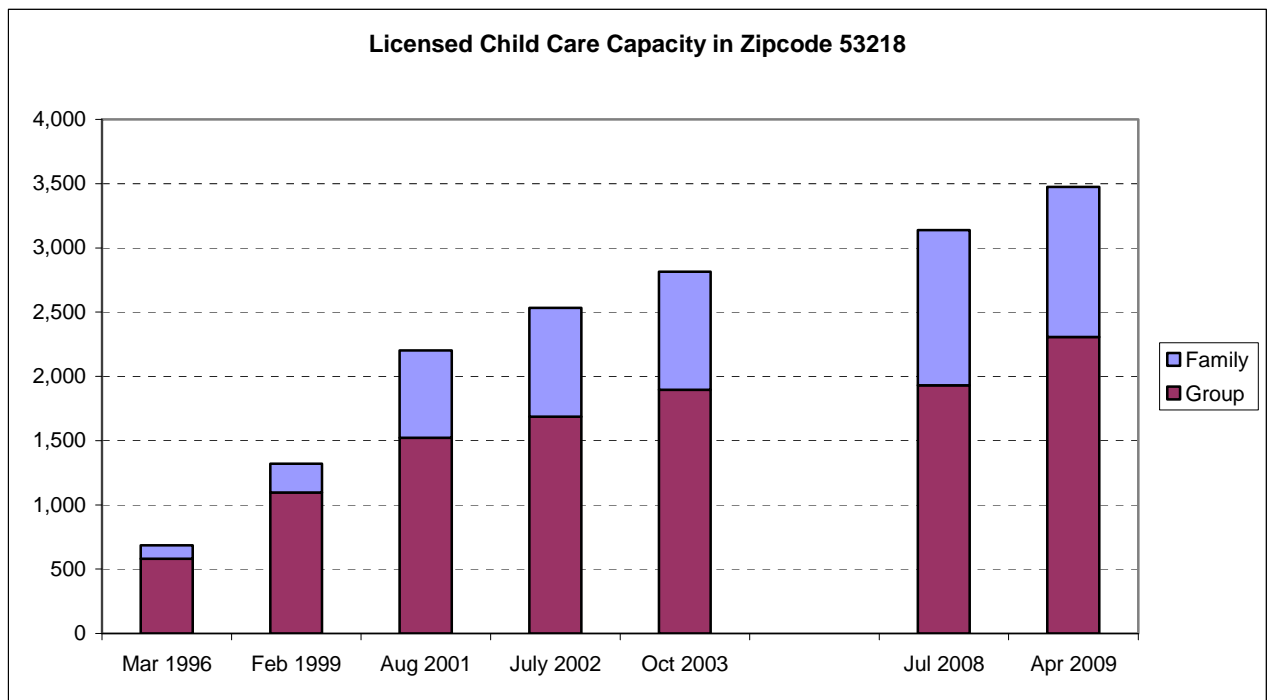
<b>Type of Care</b>	<b>Age as of March 2009:</b>													<b>Total</b>
	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	
Licensed Group	126	182	187	199	169	139	124	129	122	99	94	73	50	1,693
Licensed Family	89	101	118	82	85	65	76	73	68	57	63	51	44	972
Regularly Certified Family	16	20	26	20	13	16	14	15	14	14	12	11	8	199
Provisionally Certified Family	3	4	1	6	5	2	2	4	3	4	1	3	5	43
Schoolage MPS				3	5	10	6	6	5	3	5	2	6	51
<b>All</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>2,958</b>



### Licensed Child Care Providers Located in Zip Code 53218

The state Department of Health and Family Services had licensed 39 group centers located in zip code 53218, with a licensed capacity for 2,307 children and 148 family providers with a capacity for 1,168 children as of April 2009. (In addition, parents may place their children in the care of neighbors, friends or relatives and receive subsidy support if the provider has been certified by Milwaukee County as meeting minimum state requirements.)

The capacity of licensed child care has increased five-fold since the Wisconsin Shares program was developed using funded through federal Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) and the Child Care and Development Fund (CCDF).



**Licensed Group Centers in Milwaukee Zip Code 53218**  
(as of April 2009)

<u>Facility Name</u>	<u>Street Address</u>	<u>Capacity</u>	<u>Ages Accepted</u>	<u>Days Open</u>
ROBERSON'S KIDDIE LANE DAY CARE	6260 N 76TH ST	191	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
SILVER SPRING DAY CARE CENTER	5460 N 64TH ST	168	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
LITTLE CAMP CONGRESS	5225 W LINCOLN CREEK DR	100	2 yrs - 8 yrs	Mon-Fri
KINDER KORNER ACADEMY II LLC	6003 W VILLARD AVE	98	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
ARK OF SAFETY DAY CARE CENTER	8057 W APPLETON AVE	93	4 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
ONLY GOD CAN CHILDREN'S ACADEMY INC	7626 W FLORIST AVE	75	1 day - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
OUR OPEN ARMS CHILDCARE AND DEVELOP	5615 W HAMPTON AVE	75	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
TINA-N-TOTS CHILDREN ACADEMY LLC	7968 W APPLETON AVE	71	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
TINA-N-TOTS CHILDRENS ACAD	7968 W APPLETON AVE	71	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
GROWING AND LEARNING DAY CARE INC	5810 W FOND DU LAC AVE	70	2 wks - 13 yrs	Mon-Fri
ALPHABET ST PRESCHOOL	4473 N 76TH ST	68	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
LIL' RED'S CHILD CARE & DEV CTR	6915 W FOND DU LAC AVE	68	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
WHITLEY'S FAMILY CHILD DEV CTR	6245 W FOND DU LAC AVE	68	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
COMMUNITY LEARNING ACADEMY	5030 W HAMPTON AVE	67	2 wks - 13 yrs	Sun-Sat
TAMMY'S TOTS CHILD CARE CENTER	7625 W FOND DU LAC AVE	66	4 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
THE KID DEPOT DEVELOPMENT CENTER	4851-55 N 76TH ST	65	4 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
CREATIVE MINDS LEARNING ACADEMY	5833 W SILVER SPRING DR	63	4 wks - 15 yrs	Sun-Sat
FIRST CAMPUS CHILD'S DEV INST INC	7418 W HAMPTON AVE	56	4 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
MRS T'S 1ST FOUNDATION LRNG CTR LLC	7625-27 W MILL RD	54	4 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
E M JONES LRNG CTR CHRISTIAN ACAD	5200 N 51ST BLVD	50	2 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
HOUSE OF DESTINY LIT'L SAINTS CCC	4701 N 76TH ST	50	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
KNOWLEDGE IS POWER CHRISTIAN CCC	5226 W HAMPTON AVE	50	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
NURTURING R KIDZ 2GETHER LLC	5576 N 76TH ST	50	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
BABES IN JOYLAND CHILD CARE CENTER	7526 W FOND DU LAC AVE	46	2 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
HOSPITALITY CHILDCARE CENTER	6107 W LEON TER	44	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
CHILDREN'S KNOWLEDGE CENTER	6140 N 60TH ST	43	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
MUSTARD SEED CHILD CARE & LEARNING	7110 W FOND DU LAC AVE	42	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
FUTURISTIC CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER	6709 W VILLARD AVE	41	4 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
BABY STEPS DAYCARE II INC	7605 W FLORIST AVE	40	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
JALEN'S TOYLAND CHILD CARE CENTER	6831 W VILLARD	40	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
MARY QUEEN OF MARTYRS CHILDCARE	5140 N 55TH ST	39	3 yrs - 14 yrs	Mon-Fri
ODLCI INC DBA OPEN DOORS LRNG CTR	8301 W SILVER SPRING DR	39	4 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
PRIORITY KIDS CHILDCARE & YOUTH CTR	6525 W FOND DU LAC AVE	33	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
HEAVEN'S ANGEL DAY CARE	6342 W FOND DU LAC AVE	25	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
DESTINY'S CHILD CHRISTIAN ACAD II	7412 W VILLARD AVE	20	2 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
DCSC PARKLAWN II	4455 W CONGRESS ST	19	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
KIDS R JUST KIDS CHILD CARE	5301 W VILLARD	19	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
CHRIST TABERNACLE CHILD DEV CTR	5865 N 75TH ST	15	2 yrs - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
VISION CHILD CARE CENTER LLC	7021 W MEDFORD AVE	15	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri

**Licensed Family Centers in Milwaukee Zip Code 53218**  
(as of April 2009)

<u>Facility Name</u>	<u>Street Address</u>	<u>Capacity</u>	<u>Ages Accepted</u>	<u>Days Open</u>
A BRIGHT FUTURE CHILD CARE	5250 N 48TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
A GRANDMOTHER'S TOUCH	4476B N 60TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
A GRANDMOTHER'S TOUCH II	4460 N 58TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
A GRANDMOTHER'S TOUCH III	4821 N 71ST ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
A MOTHER'S LOVE CHILD CARE	4923 N 76TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
A SAFE PLACE CHILD CARE	4477 N 66TH ST	8	4 wks - 13 yrs	Sun-Sat
ACADEMICS R US CHILDCARE ACADEMY II	4649 N 52ND ST	8	3 wks - 13 yrs	Sun-Sat
ACTIVE MINDS INC	7116 W GRANTOSA DR	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
ADDIE B HAPPYLAND DAYCARE	4666 N 46TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
AJ'S CHILD DEVELOPMENT	5841 N 66TH ST	8	2 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
ALL MI CHILDREN DAY CARE	5359 N 58TH ST	8	1 wk - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
ALL MY CHILDREN DC EDUC START UP	4430 W GLENDALE AVE	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
ALL STAR FAMILY CHILD CARE	4834 N 67TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
ANITRA'S PRECIOUS FAMILY DAY CARE	5062 N 51ST ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
AUNTEE'S CHRISTIAN FAMILY CENTER	4611 W VILLARD AVE	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
B J'S CHILD CARE CENTER	4713 N 46TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
BEGINNING 2 BLOSSOM CHILD DEV	5729 N 58TH ST	8	6 wks - 13 yrs	Sun-Sat
BIG MAMA'S LEARNING CENTER	5064 N 48TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
BIRT FAMILY CHILD CARE	5500 W THURSTON AVE	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
BLESS IT CHILD CARE CENTER	4747 N 54TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
BOBBIE'S FAMILY DAY CARE	6710 W COURTLAND AVE	8	4 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
BOBOLINK DAYCARE	5900 N 75TH ST	8	1 mo - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
BRANCH'S OPEN ARM CHILD CARE	4475 N 72ND ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
BRENDA'S ROMPER ROOM CDC	7518 W MEDFORD AVE	8	6 wks - 13 yrs	Sun-Sat
BRIGHTER DAYS CHILD DEV CENTER II	4745 N 49TH ST	8	1 day - 13 yrs	Sun-Sat
BROOKS QUALITY LEARNING CHILD CARE	5027 N 66TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
CARTER FAMILY CHILD CARE CENTER	5186 N 63RD ST	8	4 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
CHARLENE'S LOVING ARMS CHILDCARE	4843 N 63RD ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
CHILDREN ARE THE FUTURE CC CENTER	4660 N 54TH ST	8	2 wks - 10 yrs	Mon-Fri
CHILDREN FIRST CHILD CARE CENTER	5254 N 50TH ST	8	3 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
CHILDREN'S GARDEN CHILDCARE	4604 N 69TH ST	8	4 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
CHILDRENS PLACE LEARNING CENTER	7909 W MEDFORD AVE	8	4 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
CHRISTIAN FOUNDATION DAYCARE	4725 N 52ND ST	8	2 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
CHRISTY'S FAMILY DAY CARE	5123 N 48TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
CLAY'S LITTLE LEADERS CHILDCARE	4518 N 69TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
CLOSE NIT CARE	4933 N 50TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
COUNT ON ME CHILDCARE	7866 W PALMETTO AVE	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
CREATIVE WONDERS CHILDCARE	7861 W CALDWELL CT	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
CUDDLE ME CHILDCARE	5657 N 58TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
EARLY BIRD DAY CARE	6514 W CARMEN AVE	8	3 days - 13 yrs	Mon-Fri
EMMA'S DAY CARE	4555 N 60TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
FALLING INTO LOVING ARMS	8018 W MILL RD	8	4 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
FALLING INTO LOVING ARMS PHASE II	5865 N 69TH ST	8	4 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
FLETCHER'S FAMILY DAY CARE	4549 N 58TH ST	8	4 yrs - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
FUTURE FAMILY DAY CARE	5311 N 67TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
GERMINIE'S PRECIOUS KINGDOM	4866 N 48TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
GOD'S PRECIOUS FAMILY CCC	5278 N 48TH ST	8	4 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
GOD'S TINY ANGELS	6948 W HERBERT	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
GRACE AND MERCY CHILD DEV CTR	4471 N 53RD ST	8	1 Year - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
GRANNI GIRL	5803 N 76TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
GRANNY WORD CHILD DEV CENTER	4401 N 65TH ST	8	4 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat



<u>Facility Name</u>	<u>Street Address</u>	<u>Capacity</u>	<u>Ages Accepted</u>	<u>Days Open</u>
GROWING TOGETHER FAMILY DEV CTR	4643 N 56TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
GUARDIAN CHILD CARE CENTER	4574 N 48TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
HEAVENLY ARMS CHILD CARE & LC	7739 W BECKETT AVE	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
HEAVENS LITTLE HELPER FAMILY DC	4900 N 49TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
HER'S HOME DAY CARE LLC	5220 N 58TH ST APT 1	8	1 mo - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
HOME AWAY FROM HOME CHILD CARE CTR	8040 W GRANTOSA DR	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
HONEST TO GOD FAMILY DAY CARE	4451 N 57TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
HONEY "CHILE" CHILD CARE INC	6215 W LEON TER	8	4 wks - 13 yrs	Sun-Sat
HOUSE OF ANGELS	5164 N 67TH ST	8	4 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
JOHNSON'S PRESCHOOL & LEARNING CTR	7939 W KATHRYN AVE	8	2 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
JORDAN FAMILY CHILD CARE	5124 N 77TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
KBY'S FAMILY DAY CARE	7805 W BENDER AVE #2	8	1 day - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
KD'S ACADEMY	4703 N 74TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
KEVIONS KREATIVE KIDS DAYCARE	5073 N 51ST ST	8	2 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
KIDZ INC	6311 W SPENCER PL	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
KIDZ-N-PLAYHOUSE CC ACADEMY	7019 W TALLMADGE CT	8	6 wks - 16 yrs	Mon-Fri
KIDZONE CHILD CARE INC	5210 N 64TH ST	8	4 wks - 13 yrs	Sun-Sat
KNOWLEDGE NEST CHILD CARE CENTER	4851 N 50TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
KNOWLEDGE UNLIMITED CHILD CARE CTR	4878 N 57TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
LAFORDABLES CHILD CARE CENTER	5812 N 80TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
LEE'S FAMILY DAYCARE	8128 W WINFIELD AVE	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
LIT'L D'VINE PROSPUREERS FAM CC INC	4738 N 68TH ST	8	4 wks - 13 yrs	Sun-Sat
LITTLE PEOPLE DEVELOPMENT CENTER	4628 N 70TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
LITTLE'S LUV 'N CARE	4421 N 76TH ST	8	3 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
LOUISE'S PLAYHOUSE	5610 W SHERIDAN AVE	8	2 wks - 13 yrs	Mon-Fri
LOVE WITH CARE	5207 N 63RD ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
LOVING & CARING CHILDRENS LRNG CTR	8028 W GRANTOSA DR	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
LUV 2 B LUV CHILD CARE	4463 N 73RD ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
MAGIC YEARS	5180 N 63RD ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
MARCY'S UNIQUE CHILD CARE	5515 N 52ND ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
MARIE'S FAMILY DAY CARE CENTER	5842 N 70TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
MCNEAL'S FAMILY CHILD CARE	4800 W EGGERT PL	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
MRS CICELY'S TOTTY POTTIES	5280 N 69TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
MRS CLAUDY'S TENDER & LOVING DC	5169 N 67TH ST	8	3 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
MRS LANE FAMILY DAY CARE CENTER	6001 W LINCOLN CREEK DR	8	1 day - 11 yrs	Mon-Fri
MS ETHEL'S CHILD CARE ACADEMY 2	5944 N 69TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
M-T FAMILY DAY CARE	8209 W THURSTON AVE	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
MY FAMILY DAY CARE	4469 N 68TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
NANNA'S LEARNING ACADEMY	4801 W VILLARD AVE	8	2 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
OUR CHILDREN'S FUTURE	6314 W MEDFORD AVE	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
OUR FUTURE CHILDCARE CENTER	5962 N 64TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
PATE'S PALS FAMILY CHILD CARE	5650 N 70TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
PHATHI DAY CARE	4743 N 68TH ST	8	6 mos - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
PLATINUM CARE	8035 W APPLETON AVE	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
POOH BEAR CHILD CARE ACADEMY LLC	4454 N 52ND ST	8	6 wks - 13 yrs	Sun-Sat
PRECIOUS DREAMLAND DAYCARE CENTER	4859 N 54TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
PRECIOUS HANDS CHRISTIAN CHILD CARE	6334 W MEDFORD AVE	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
PRECIOUS LIFE LEARNING CENTER	5847 N 66TH ST	8	4 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
PRECIOUS LOVE CHILD CARE	5381 N 67TH ST	8	4 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
PRETTY'S CHILD CARE LLC	7120 W VILLARD AVE	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
PRIDE & JOY LEARNING AND DEVEL CTR	4877 N 47TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
Q & C CHILD CARE DEVELOPMENT CTR	4556 N 71ST ST	8	3 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
REACH FOR THE STARS LEARNING CENTER	4825 N 54TH ST	8	6 wks - 13 yrs	Sun-Sat
REGINA'S CHILD CARE CENTER	5154 N 63RD ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
RESIE'S DISCOVERY LAND FAM DAY CARE	4893 N 66TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri

<b>Facility Name</b>	<b>Street Address</b>	<b>Capacity</b>	<b>Ages Accepted</b>	<b>Days Open</b>
ROBIN'S NEST DAYCARE	4913 W CUSTER AVE	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
ROSA'S LOVING LEARNING DAY CARE	5311 N 49TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
ROSES OF SHARON	4939 N 76TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
ROSES TINY TOWN FAMILY DAY CARE CTR	4518 N 64TH ST	8	6 wks - 13 yrs	Sun-Sat
SAFE LIKE HOME CHILD CARE	5538 N 55TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
SECOND HOME DAYCARE LLC	4740 N 75TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Fri
SHARON'S LITTLE CRUM SNATCHERS	4868 N 49TH ST	8	4 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
SNUGGLES FAMILY CHILD CARE CENTER	4606 N 70TH ST	8	2 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
STEP BY STEP FAMILY CHILD CARE CTR	4845 N 54TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
STRONG'S LEARNING STATION LLC	5937 N 68TH ST	8	4 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
SUGAR PEA'S	6442 W MEDFORD AVE	8	4 wks - 5 yrs -	Mon-Fri
TAMI'S HOME AWAY FROM A HOME DC	6564 W MEDFORD AVE	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
TATUM'S TOTS QUALITY CHILD CARE CTR	5930 N 61ST ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
TENDER MOMENTS CHILD CARE	5510 N 58TH ST	8	4 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
TERRI'S TEACHING CENTER	7863 W BECKETT AVE	8	6 wks - 13 yrs	Mon-Fri
THE GLORY OF JESUS' DAY CARE	4951 N 49TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
THE JOHNSON FAMILY CC LEARNING CTR	6900 W CALDWELL CT	8	6 wks - 10 yrs	Mon-Sat
THE KIDZONE	4747 N 69TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
THORNTON'S CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER	8208 W EGGERT PL	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
TICK TOCK TODDLERS	5461 N 57TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
TINESHA'S TINY TOTS	5209 W VILLARD AVE	8	4 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
TINY TOONES CHILD CARE CENTER	4413 N 57TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
TISA'S CHILD CARE	4485 N 45TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
TOSHA'S LOVABLE DAY CARE	4557 N 58TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
TRUE LOVE FAMILY CHILD CARE	4563 N 49TH ST	8	2 wks - 13 yrs	Sun-Sat
TRUE'S FAMILY DAY CARE	4731 N 45TH ST	8	4 wks - 13 yrs	Mon-Fri
TUTE & TUTE DAY CARE	5329 N 68TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
VES TINY TOTS	7630 W BOBOLINK AVE	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
WALKER DAY CARE	5908 N 75TH ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
WEE LITTLE DAYCARE	4679 N 71ST ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
WEEZIE'S LOVING HANDS	4843 N 71ST ST	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
WHOLISTIC DEVELOPMENT CENTER	6231 W LEON TERRACE	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
XE'S CHILD CARE	4421 N 73RD ST	8	1 mo - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
YANGS LOVE AND CARE	4807 W VILLARD AVE	8	4 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
YOUNG'S BIRDS NEST	7822 W VILLARD AVE	8	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Sat
YOUNG'S FAMILY DAY CARE	5957 N 72ND ST	8	4 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
PRECIOUS BLESSINGS LEARNING CENTER	8049 W CUSTER AVE	7	6 wks - 12 yrs	Sun-Sat
WENDY'S WORLD	5145 N 51ST ST	7	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
CHUE'S CHILD CARE CENTER	4622 N 54TH ST	6	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
YOUR CHILD MY CHILD	5758 N 62ND ST	6	6 wks - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
CHOSIAB	5941 N 68TH ST	4	2 yrs - 12 yrs	Mon-Fri
TWEETS DAY CARE CENTER	5018 N 66TH ST	2	5 yrs - 10 yrs	Sun-Sat

## Child Safety: Crime and Traffic Accidents 2008

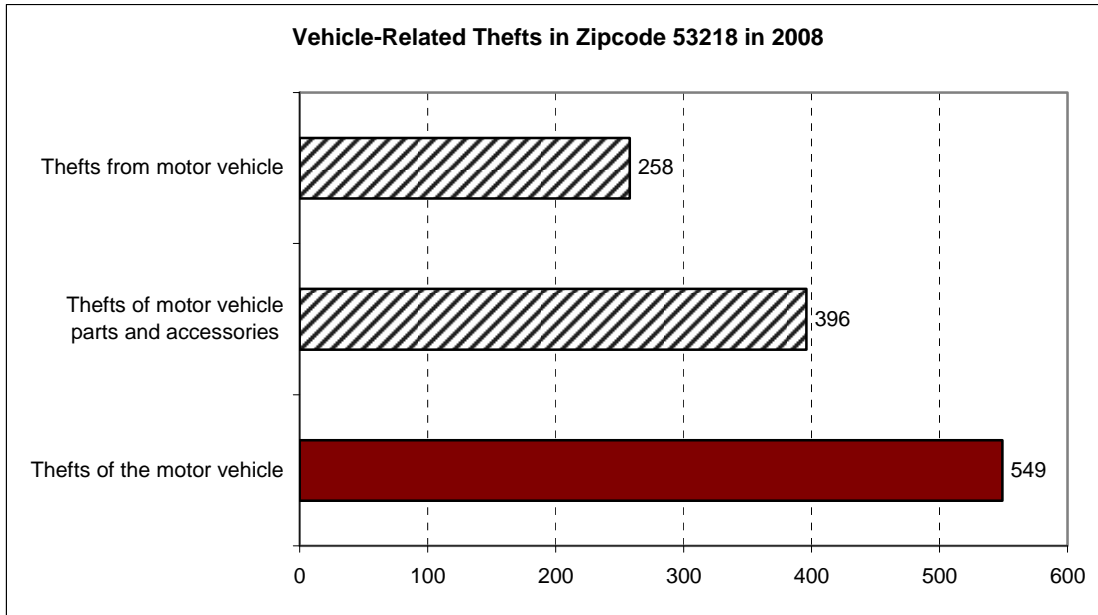
Safety is a primary concern for parents living in inner city neighborhoods where crime remains at high levels and large numbers of traffic accidents are reported.

- In the 2008 calendar year, the Milwaukee Police Department reported 3,818 Class A crimes in zip code 53218, including 203 cases of aggravated assault, 520 cases of simple assault, 535 burglaries, 275 robberies, and 4 homicides.

<b>2008 Crimes Reported in Zip Code 53218</b>	<b>Total Reported</b>
Destruction/damage/vandalism of property	580
Motor vehicle theft	549
Burglary/breaking and entering	535
Simple assault	520
Theft of motor vehicle parts/accessories	396
All other larceny	340
Robbery	275
Theft from motor vehicle	258
Aggravated assault	203
Theft from building	30
Shoplifting	24
Forcible fondling	22
Statutory rape	13
Arson	12
Forcible rape	12
Purse snatching	9
Forcible sodomy	9
Pocket picking	7
Sexual assault with an object	5
Homicide	4
All other offenses	15
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>3,818</b>

**Source: Milwaukee Police Department, posted on the City of Milwaukee COMPASS website.**

- Even parking near the school is an issue, with 258 thefts from motor vehicles, 396 thefts of motor vehicle parts and accessories, and 549 thefts of the vehicles themselves reported.



Concerns about the safety of children are heightened by the number of traffic accidents reported in the inner city.

- In 2008, 1,534 traffic accidents were reported in zip code 53218. A total of 892 people were injured in these accidents and 3 were killed.
- Over a fourth (27%) of the traffic accidents were “hit and run” where the driver did not remain at the scene to aid victims or to report damages.

<b>2008 Traffic Accidents Reported in Zip Code 53218</b>	<u>Total Accidents</u>	<u>Total Persons Injured</u>	<u>Total Persons Killed</u>
Hit and run	413	73	0
Other	1,121	819	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,534</b>	<b>892</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>% Hit and Run</b>	<b>27%</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>0%</b>

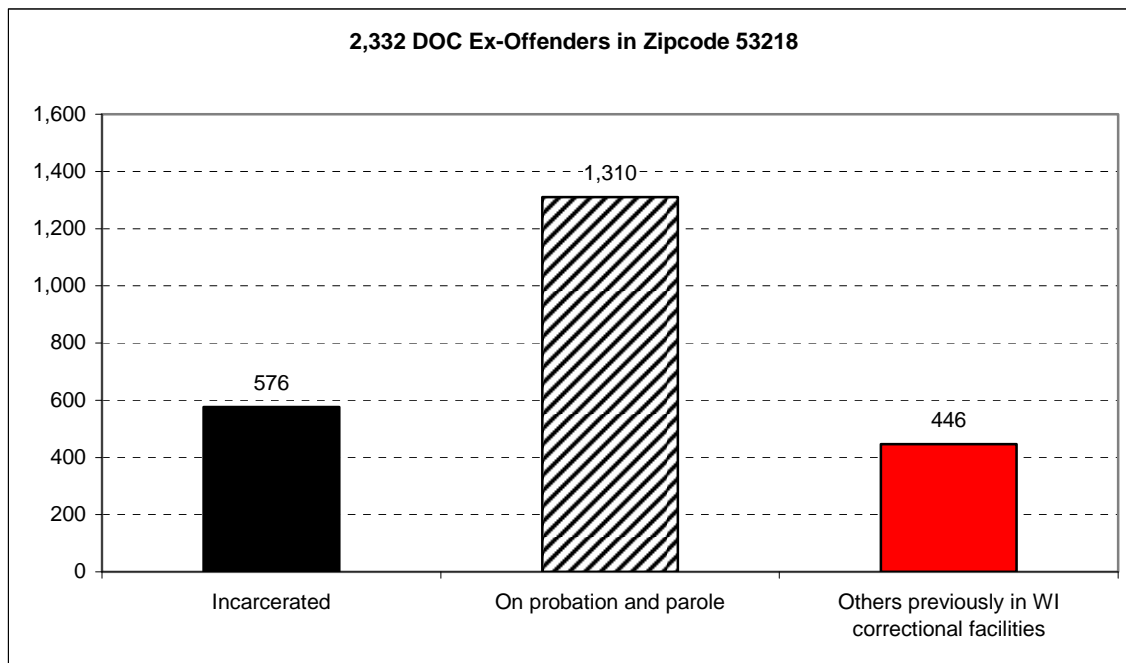
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- In 2008 in zip code 53218, 73 people were injured in accidents involving “hit and run” drivers.

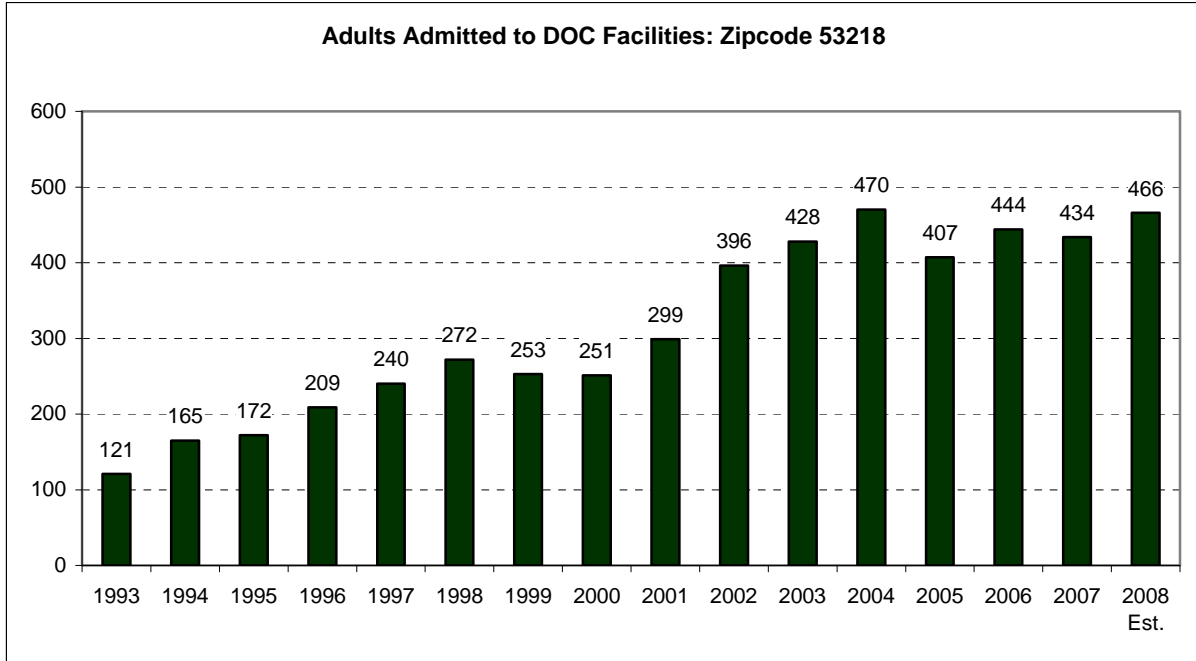
## High Incarceration Rates and Returning Prisoners 1993-2009

The absence of many males of prime workforce age and the high numbers of men incarcerated and released from state correctional facilities each year have tremendous impact on the stability and earnings of families. The Department of Corrections (DOC) public inmate data files from January 1993 through August 2008 and the probation and parole file for March 2009 were examined to gain information on adult inmates from state correctional facilities. The DOC files identify individuals in the Wisconsin Department of Corrections system but do not include other inmates in the House of Corrections or city jail. Data entries for admission and release from DOC facilities are for any reason, including alternatives to revocation or for temporary probation and parole holds.

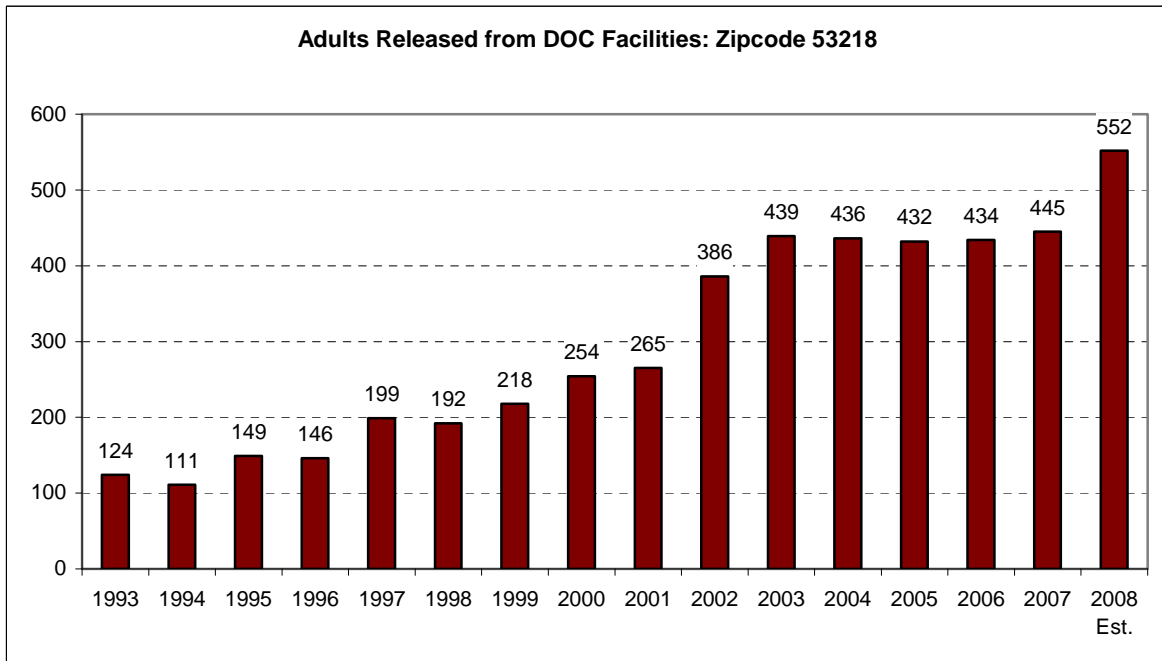
- A total of 2,332 adults from zip code 53218 are in the state corrections system. These include 576 adults incarcerated in state facilities (as of August 2008), 1,310 adults on probation and parole, and another 446 adults who had been previously incarcerated (1993-2008). This total is likely on the low end as no address was available for 10% of DOC ex-offenders from Milwaukee County. It is likely that at least some of these ex-offenders are living in the 53218 zip code.



- The number of adults incarcerated from zip code 53218 each year has more than tripled since the mid-1990s. Given high rates of recidivism many adults are incarcerated several times.



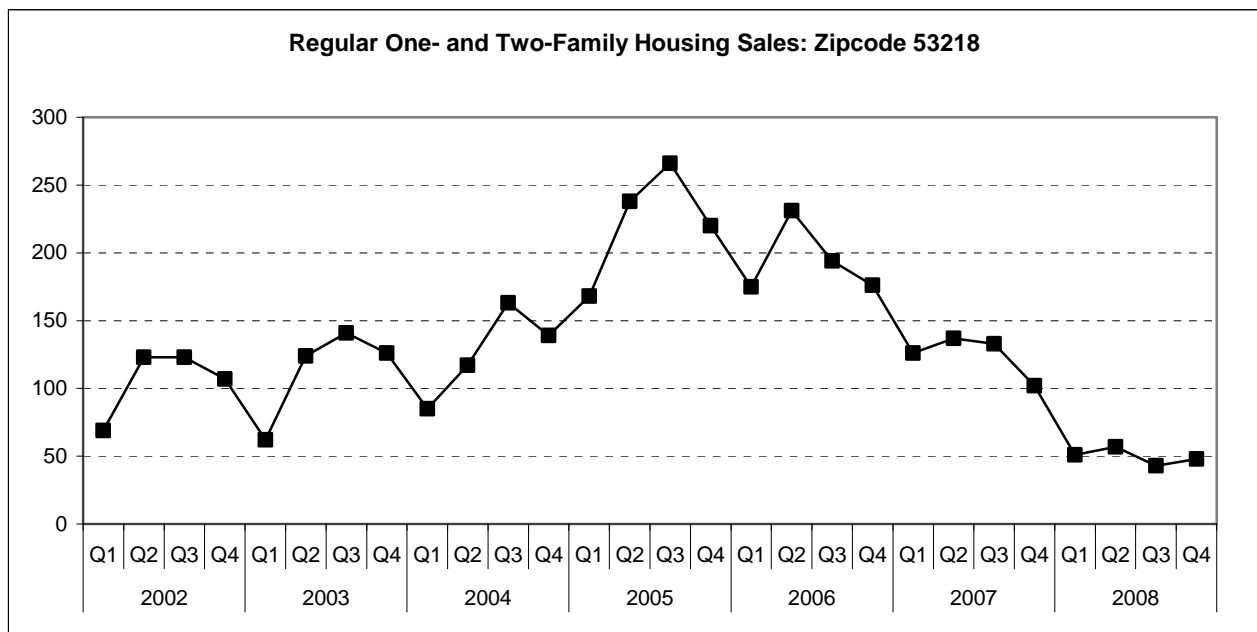
- Since 1993 the number of individuals being released from state adult correctional facilities into zip code 53218 has grown dramatically from 124 in 1993 to 439 by 2003. Many ex-offenders subsequently returned to prison.



## The Housing Crisis Hits Home 1994-2009

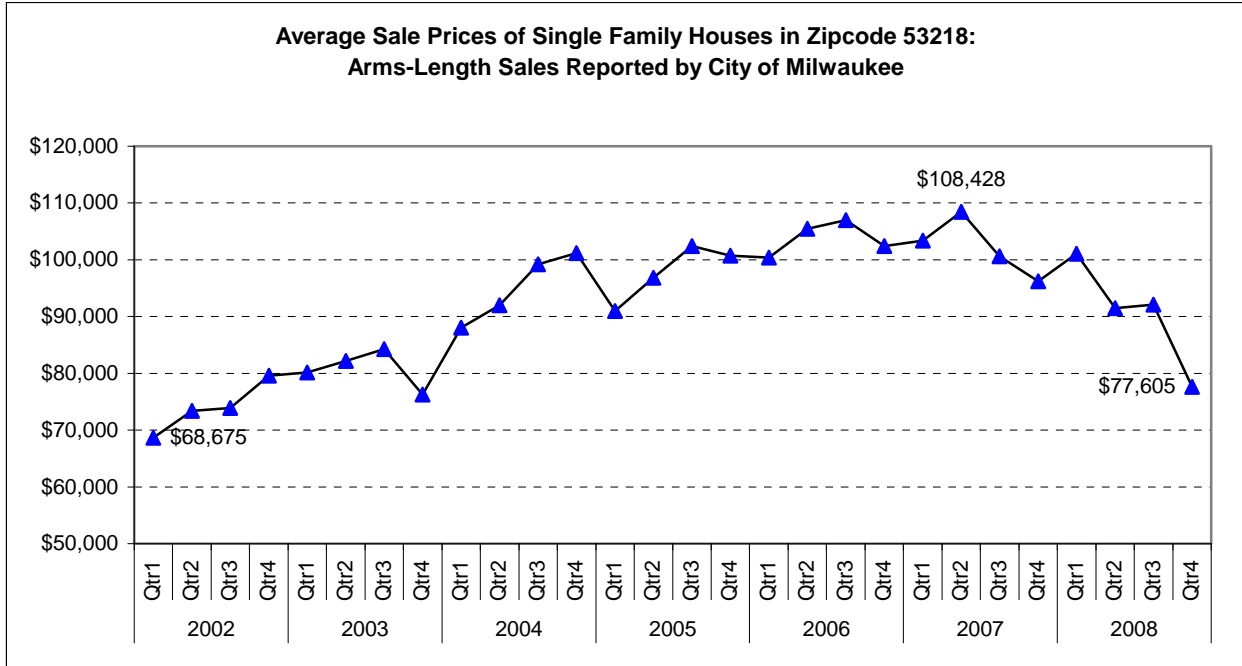
While an analysis of the mortgage crisis in Milwaukee is beyond the scope of this paper, several data sources indicate that the problem has been extremely severe for Milwaukee families and that the effects are far from over. The mobility rates seen among MPS families can be expected to continue at high rates. Many home-owning families are unable to meet their mortgage, insurance, property tax, utilities bill and other housing obligations. Renters, already paying large portions of their income for housing, are caught in the middle of foreclosure actions against property owners as well as escalating rents due to rising utility bills and disproportionately high property taxes for inner city properties.

The flurry of housing sales in zip code 53218 reached its peak in 2005 and 2006, declined in 2007, and by 2008 was down to around 50 regular housing sales a quarter.

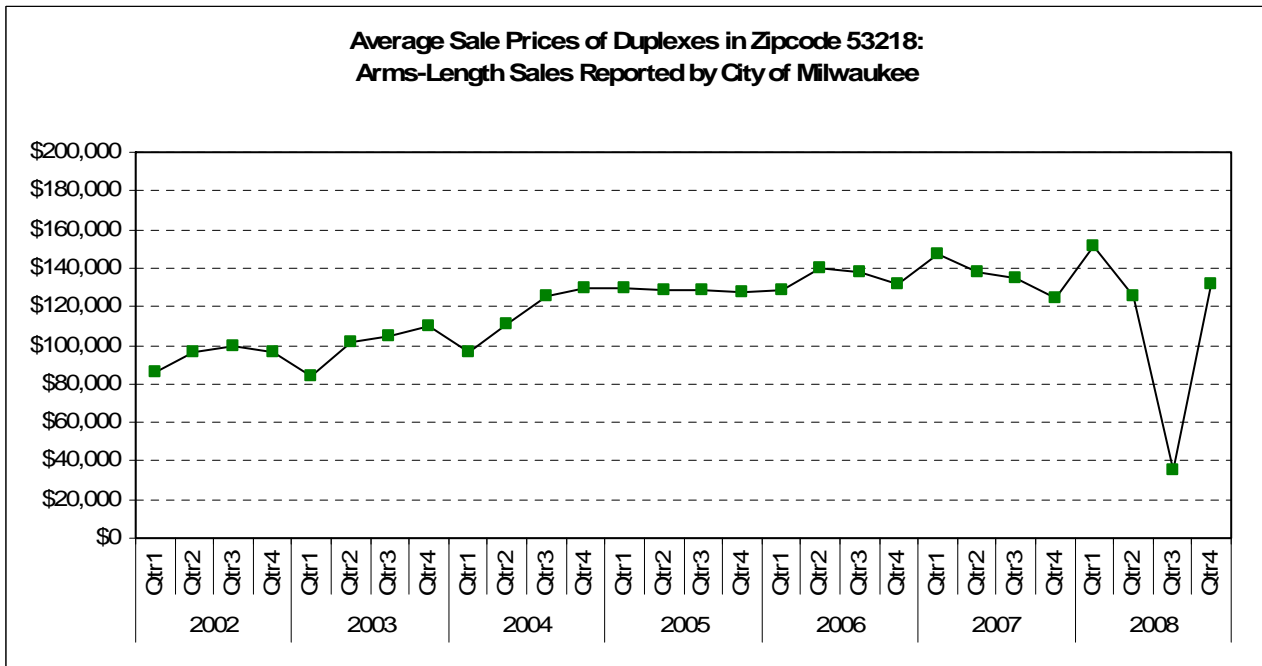


As mortgage funds (including subprime mortgages and adjustable rate mortgages with low initial payment schedules) became readily available and existing homeowners were encouraged to refinance their mortgages to obtain cash for increased “equity” in their homes, the average sales price of single family houses in zip code 53218 reached \$108,400 in the second quarter of 2007, according to City of Milwaukee records on arms-length sales used to establish property assessments.

By fourth quarter 2008, sale prices had dropped down near those seen in early 2002 when the subprime mortgage lending activity started escalating.

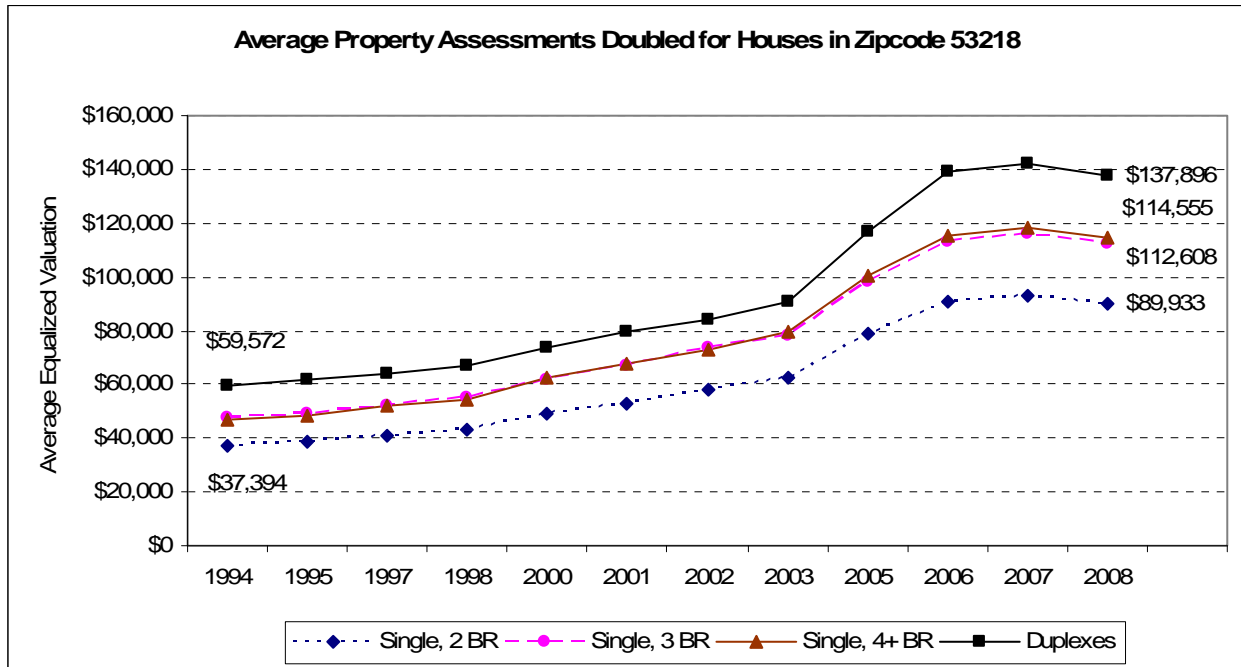


Zip code 53218 showed only a handful of sales of duplex units in 2008, contributing to the wide sale price fluctuations.





Based on the large increase in real estate prices fueled by the booming mortgage activity in 2005 through 2007, the City of Milwaukee raised property assessments on single family and duplex housing in the zip code. These assessments further raised housing costs for many residents as the inner city took on an increasing share of the total city property tax burden.

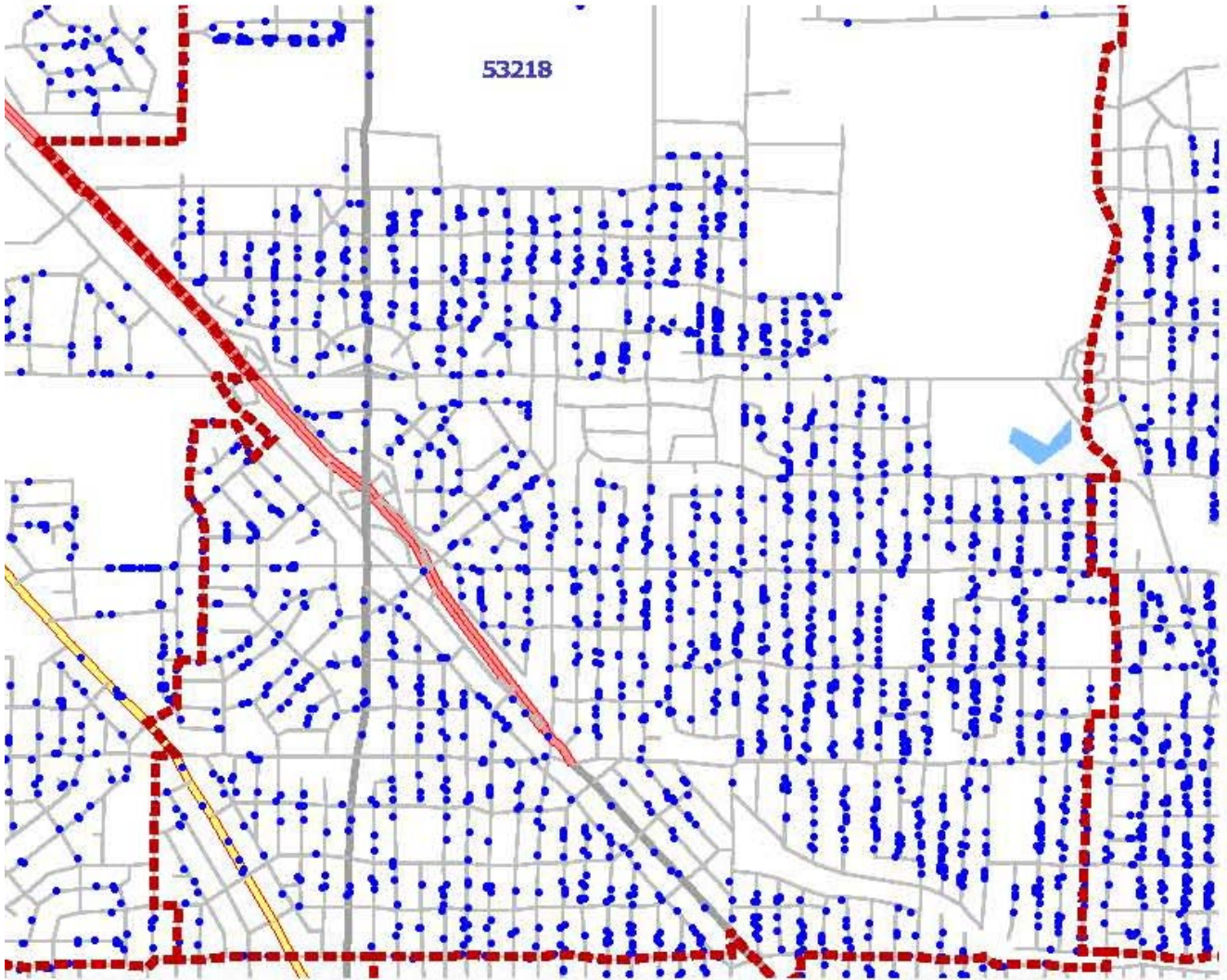


Source: City of Milwaukee Master Property file. Property assessments are converted to full value based on reported equalized assessment ratios

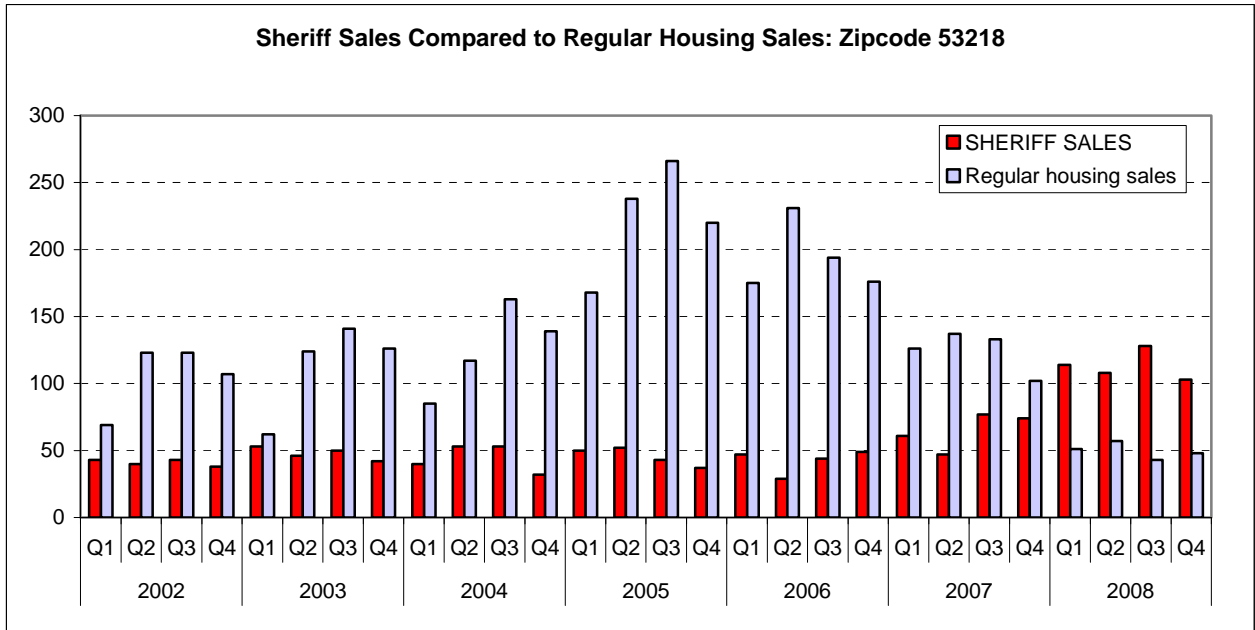
Foreclosure cases filed with the Milwaukee County circuit courts and reaching the Milwaukee County sheriff's office for auction sales were analyzed to shed light on the extent to which the national mortgage crisis reached Milwaukee neighborhoods and MPS families. Foreclosure activity has reached the stage where each Monday morning the Milwaukee County sheriff holds real estate auctions for houses that have been foreclosed for non-payment of mortgages. The foreclosure cases filed with the Milwaukee County circuit courts and reaching the sheriff for auction sales were analyzed to shed light on the extent to which the national mortgage crisis reached Milwaukee neighborhoods and MPS families.

The map below shows sheriff sales scheduled in zip code 53218 for the recent period from January 1, 2007 – May 1, 2009. **Nearly every block in the zip code has multiple problem properties reaching the sheriff sale stage.** The properties up for auction are often in severe distress. Some may have already been abandoned, renters may be displaced or uncertain about who owns the property, repairs are frequently delayed, and vandalism is not uncommon.

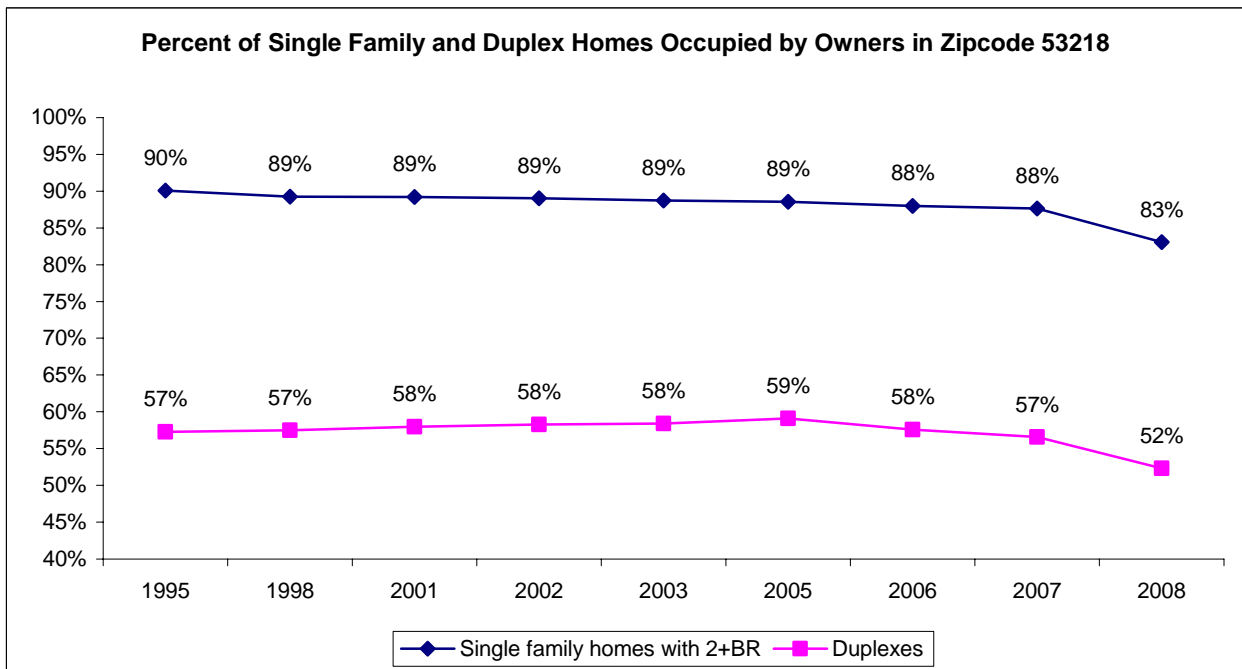
**One and Two-Family Houses Put Up for Sheriff Sales: Zip Code 53218**  
(January 1, 2007 – May 1, 2009)



**The annual number of one-family and two-family houses put up for sheriff sales in zip code 53218 rose from 169 houses in 2006 to 259 houses in 2007, and up to 453 houses in 2008. In 2008 the number of sheriff sales scheduled for auction was more than double the number of regular housing sales.**



It appears that an immediate impact of the housing crisis has been a **drop in home ownership**. Home ownership rates for single family houses with 2 or more bedrooms dropped from 88% in 2007 to 83% in 2008. The home ownership rate for duplexes (where the owner lived in one of the units) went from 59% in 2005 down to 52% in 2008.

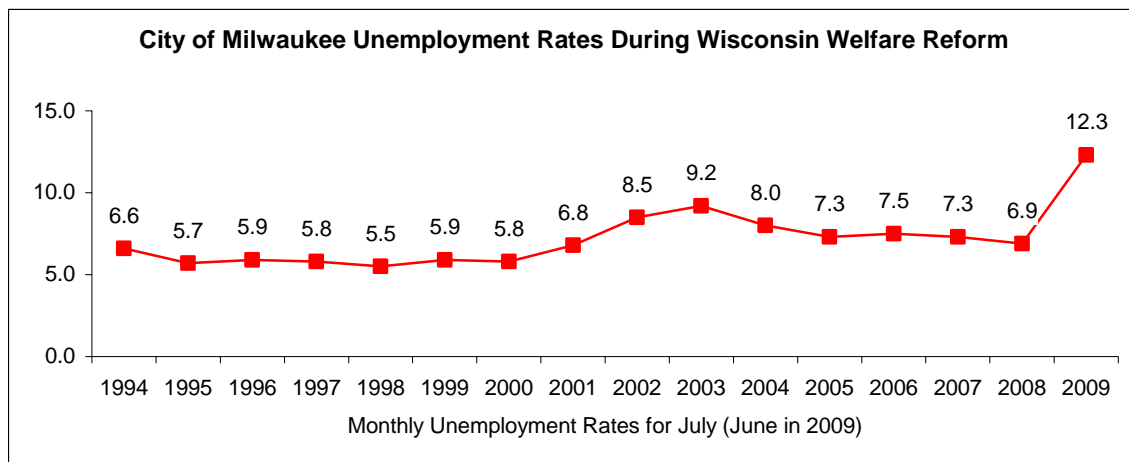


Source: City of Milwaukee property file.

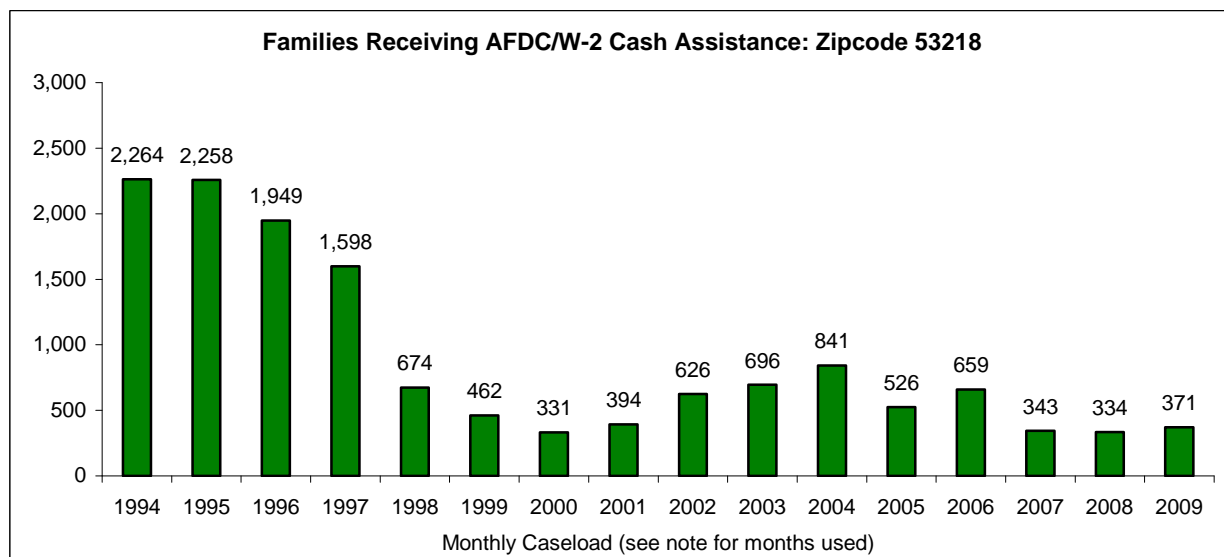
## Public Assistance to Families during the Recession 1994-2008

Enrollments in BadgerCare Plus (medical insurance for low-income families and children) and FoodShares (food stamps) have increased substantially over the past year as the economy has worsened, but there has been little change in the number of Milwaukee families receiving “W-2” income support.

- The city of Milwaukee unemployment rate has nearly doubled over the past year, from 6.9% in July 2008 to 12.3% in June 2009. During this period, however, the number of families in zip code 53218 receiving W-2 income support remains very low, increasing by only 37 families from July 2008 to May 2009.

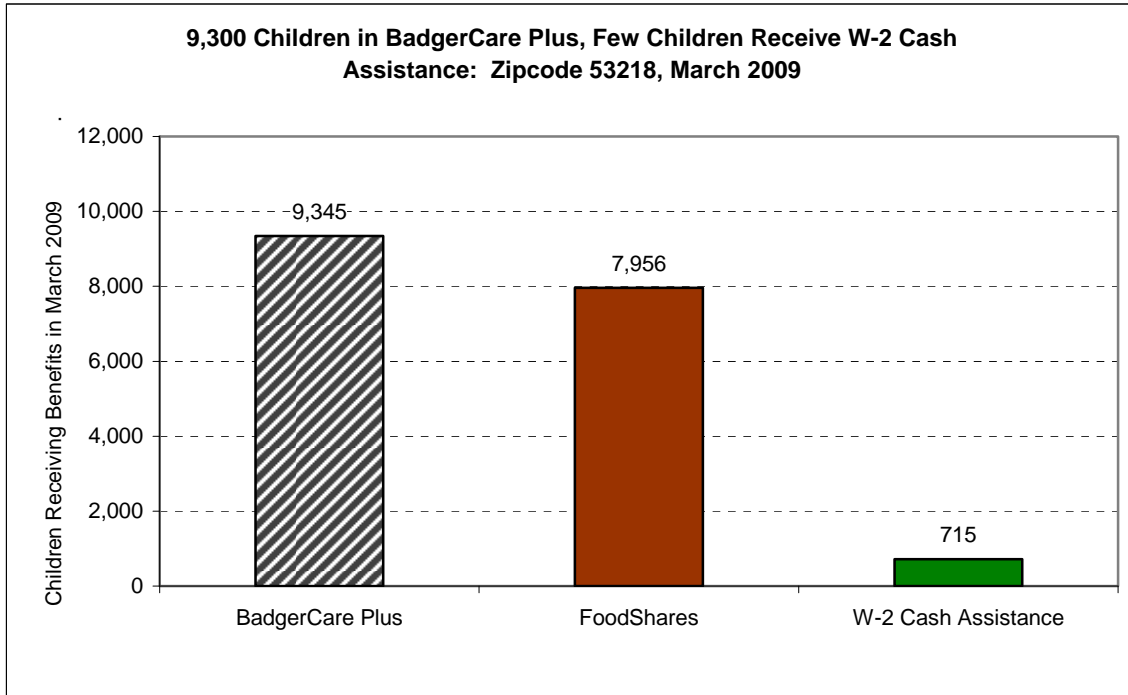


- Fewer families received W-2 income support in May 2009 (when the city unemployment rate reached 12.3%) than five years ago in July 2004 (when the city unemployment rate was at 8%). In May 2009 only 371 families in zip code 53218 were receiving W-2 cash assistance; in July 2004 there were 841 families receiving income support.



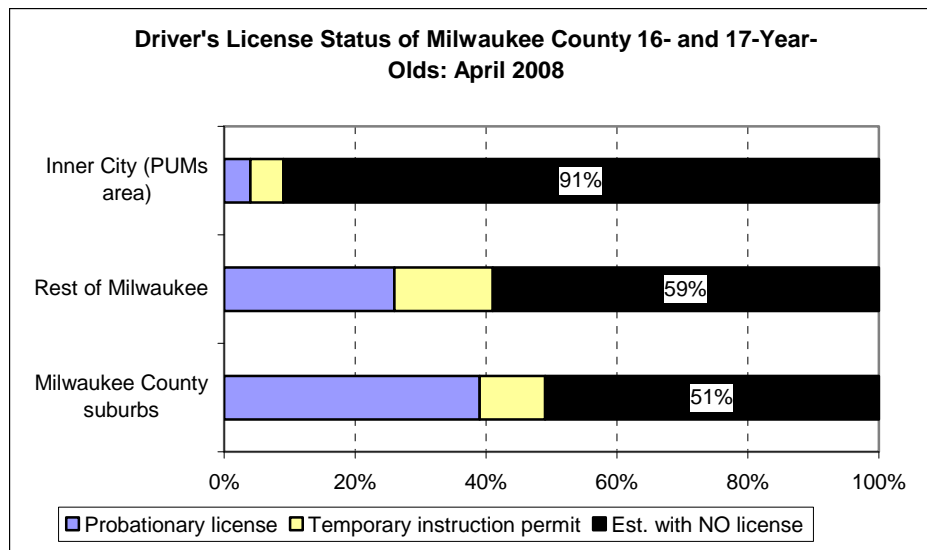
*Note: Monthly caseloads shown above are for July for the years 2001-2008 and in other years for March 1994, December 1995, September 1996, June 1997, April 1998, February 1999, April 2000, June 2001, and May 2009.*

- The state is making substantial efforts to increase enrollment of low-income children and families in federal/state medical insurance and FoodShare programs during the economic recession. As of March 2009, 9,345 children were enrolled in BadgerCare Plus and 7,956 children were receiving food stamp benefits in zip code 53218. Only 715 children were in families receiving W-2 income support.



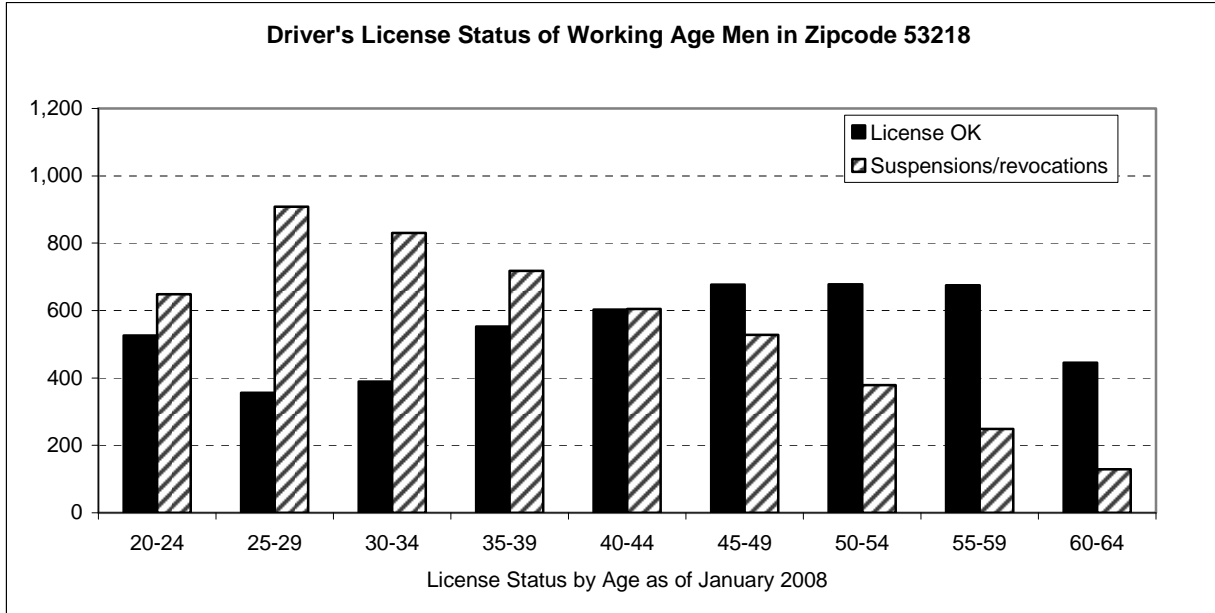
## Driver's License Suspensions and Revocations 2008

Only 9% of inner city Milwaukee teens aged 16 and 17 have probationary licenses (4%) or learner's permits (5%), according to 2008 Wisconsin Department of Transportation (DOT) driver's license files and U.S. Census population counts. Most (91%) inner city teens have NO license. By contrast, only 49% of 16- and 17-year-old teens living in the Milwaukee County suburbs have no license.

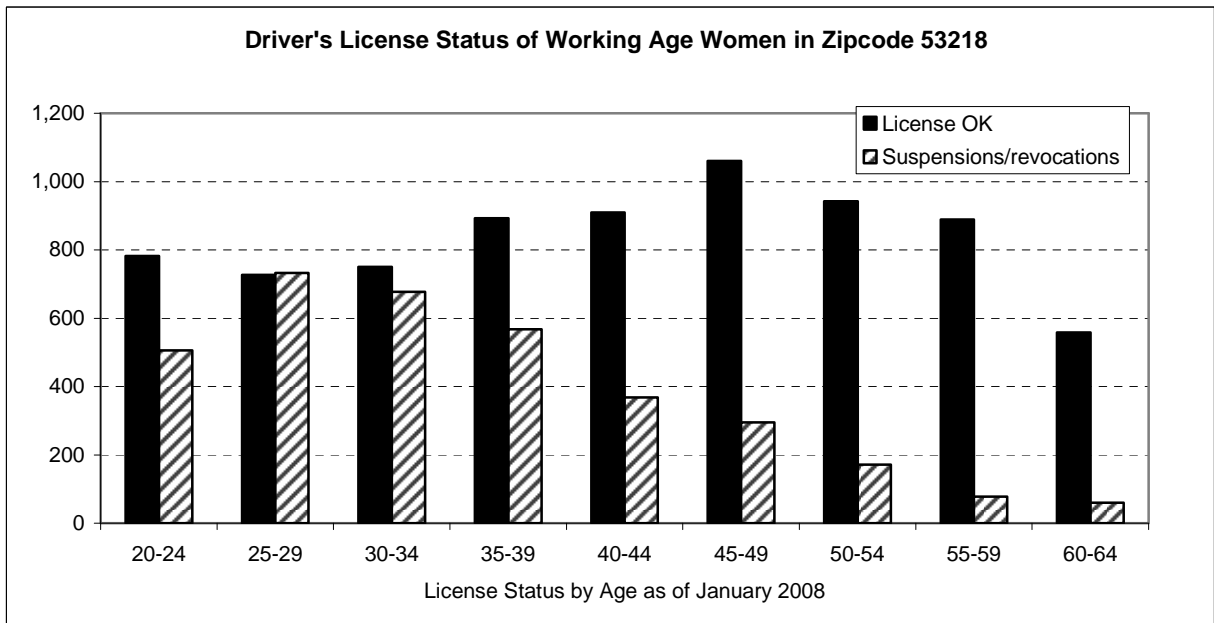


**The problems of teens lacking driver's licenses persist into adulthood.** Access to private transportation is critical for reaching most job openings in the metro area, yet few teens obtain their license while in school and dropouts under age 18 are prohibited from obtaining licenses. A host of factors contribute to the lack of driver's licenses among central city residents -- the lack of affordable driver's education programs for teens, the high cost of auto insurance in inner city neighborhoods, lack of vehicles among low-income residents, and high rates of license suspensions and revocations. Minorities are far more likely to have license suspensions and revocations than whites in Milwaukee County where minor vehicle infractions related to older cars ("driving while poor") may turn into felony violations if the individual is stopped while driving with a suspended license.

- In zip code 53218 state DOT files showed 5,178 males and 3,543 females with suspensions and revocations.
- In this zip code 9,239 women have valid licenses compared to only 6,459 men.
- More men of prime working age have suspended and revoked licenses than hold clear licenses.



- Women in their twenties and thirties are most likely to have suspensions and revocations.

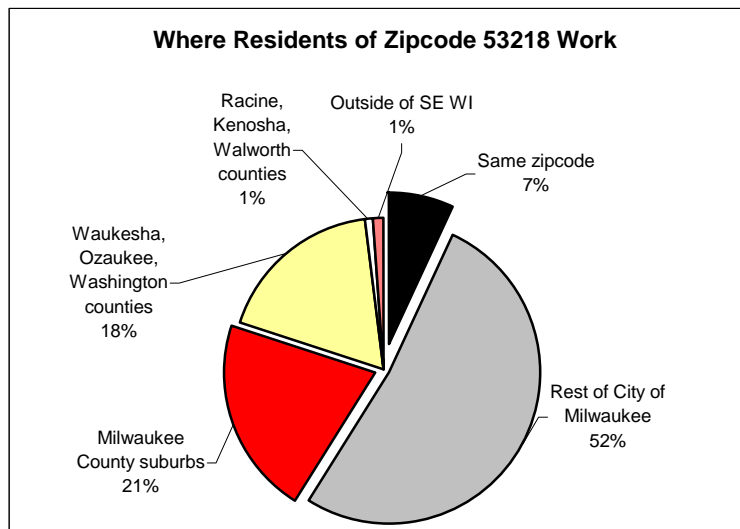




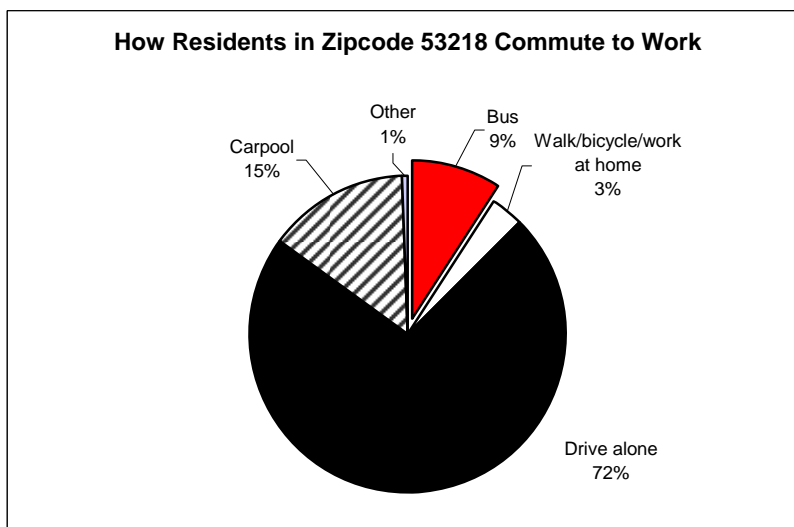
## Commuting Patterns 2000 CTPP

The 2000 Census Transportation Planning Package, released in 2004/2005, offered a unique opportunity to assess the commuting patterns of workers from zip code 53218. Responses to the Census long-form questionnaire (issued to one out of 6 households) were coded by address for residence and place of work.

- For many residents of zip code 53218, the labor market was very limited. According to the Census 2000 transportation files, 80% of 53218 residents worked in Milwaukee County, including 59% of 53218 residents who were employed at jobsites within the City of Milwaukee. About 18% of residents ha3 jobs in Waukesha, Ozaukee and Washington (WOW) counties. Almost no residents commuted to Racine, Kenosha and Walworth counties for work.

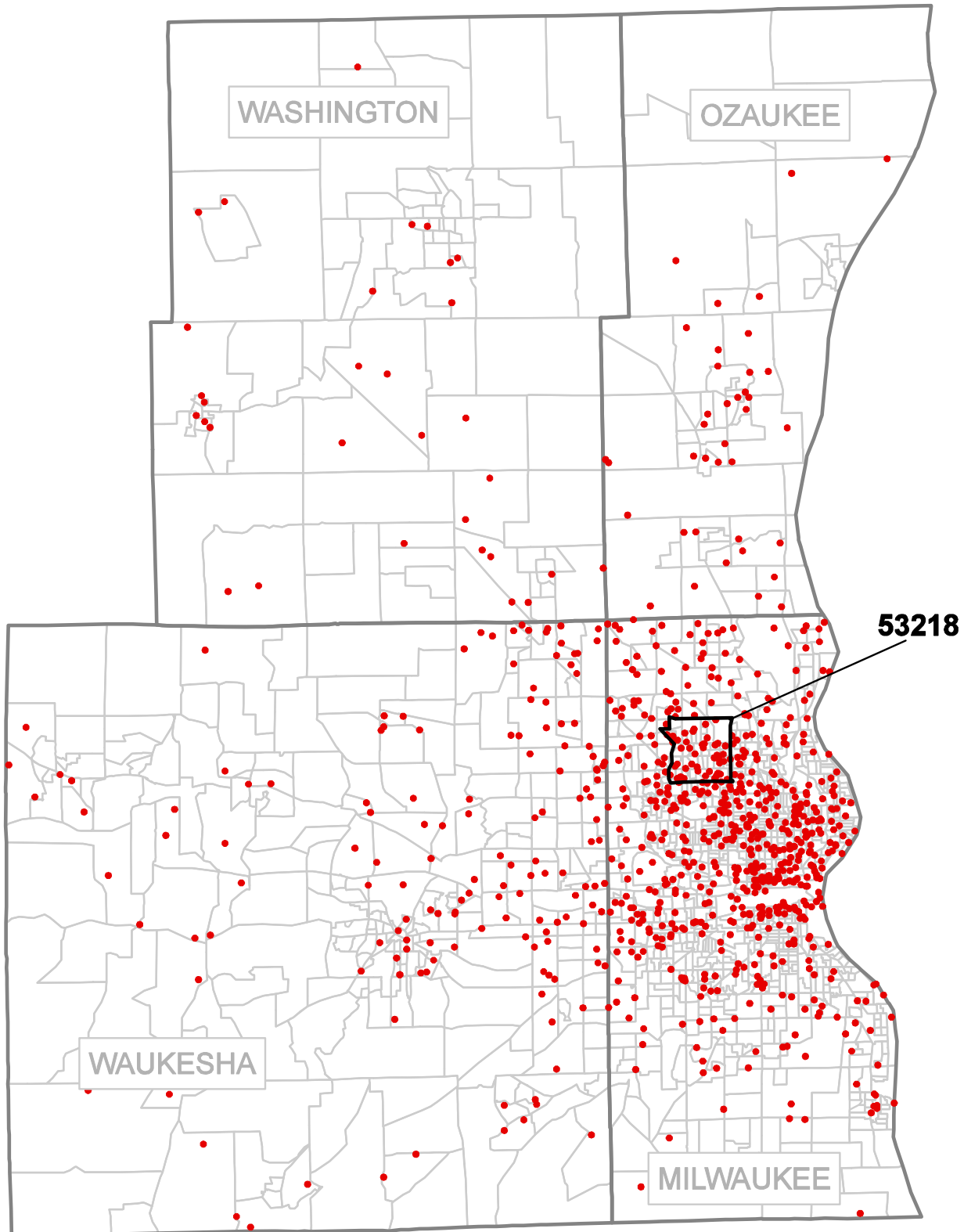


- Bus transportation is critical for many workers residing in zip code 53218. While 72% of resident workers drove to work alone in 2000, 9% (an estimated 2,085 workers) used the bus to get to their jobs. Nearly a fourth (23%) of workers with income below 100% of poverty bussed to work.





# Where People Work Who Live in Zipcode 53218



Source: U.S. Census 2000 Transportation Planning Package data files (1 dot = 5 workers)  
Analysis by Employment and Training Institute, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee.

## Employed Parents with Income Below or Near Poverty 1994-2009

Wisconsin income tax returns were reviewed to assess the income of families with children and living in central city Milwaukee zip codes. These tax data are for single and married (non-elderly) filers claiming dependents in the 2007 tax year based on filings in 2008. As a result the data are far more current than the 2000 U.S. Census (based on 1999 income) and more comprehensive than the American Community Survey for 2005-2007. Federal poverty guidelines and adjusted gross income ranges for non-elderly single and married tax filers with dependents were used to estimate the number of employed parents with income earnings below the poverty level.

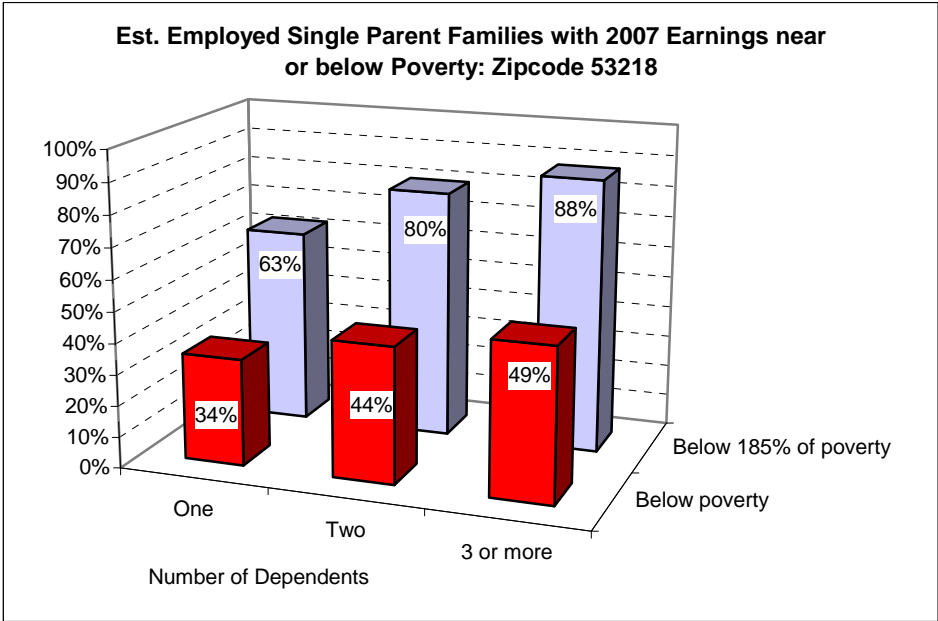
The poverty guidelines reflect the federal government's estimate of the bare minimum required by families to meet their basic needs and are used to determine eligibility for federal support programs. In 2007, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services set the poverty guidelines at \$13,690 for a 2-person (e.g., parent and 1 child) family and \$17,170 for a 3-person family. The department estimated that it took \$3,480 to support each additional family member in 2007. These very low guidelines were used to determine the number of family tax filers showing income below the poverty line. A second, commonly used federal standard is 185% of poverty (or \$25,327 annual income to support 2 persons, \$31,765 to support 3 persons, and \$38,203 to support a family of four in 2007). The 185% of poverty standard was used to determine eligibility of families for reduced price school lunches and to qualify employed parents for eligibility for the Wisconsin Shares child care subsidy program.

<u>2007 Federal Poverty Standards</u>	<u>Family Size:</u>			
	<u>2-persons</u>	<u>3-persons</u>	<u>4-persons</u>	<u>1 additional person</u>
Poverty level	\$13,690	\$17,170	\$20,650	+\$3,480
130% of poverty (free lunch standard)	\$17,797	\$22,321	\$26,845	+\$4,524
185% of poverty (reduced price lunch standard; eligible for Shares child care subsidies)	\$25,327	\$31,765	\$38,203	+\$6,438

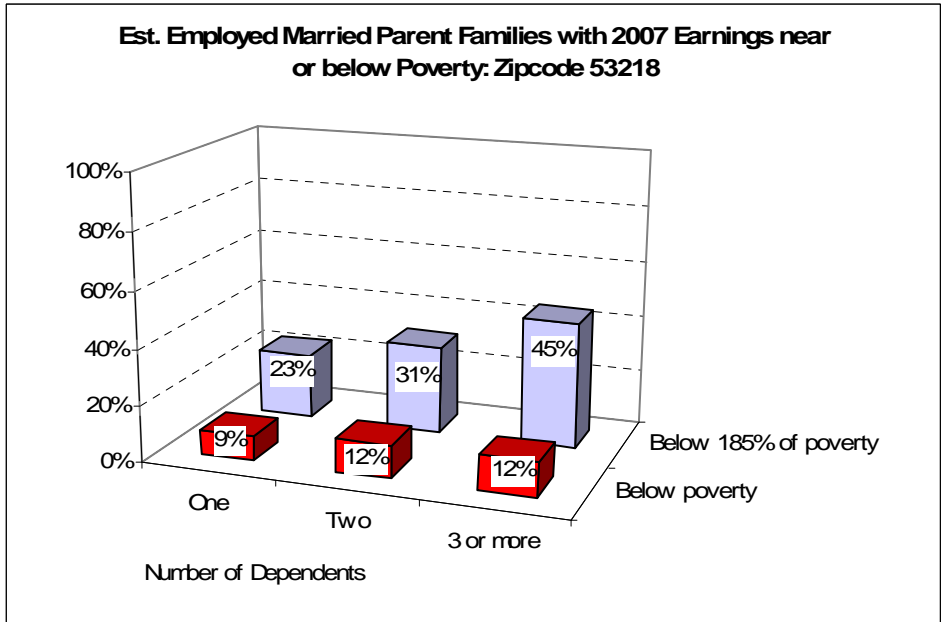
Note: the 2009 federal poverty standards are \$xx for a 2-person family and \$xx for each additional person.

In the city of Milwaukee (as measured by predominantly city zip codes), a majority (62%) of all employed parents with children made below 185% of the poverty level and a third of employed parents have earnings below the poverty level in 2007, according to state tax returns. In the inner city poverty rates and near poverty rates among working families are even higher.

- **For single parent families with dependents, in zip code 53218 in 2007 nearly half (49%) of the filers with more than 2 children had income below the poverty level**, and an estimated third of single tax filers with one dependent showed adjusted gross income below the poverty level (\$13,690 for two persons).
- When 185% of poverty (the standard for reduced price school meals) is used, **most (80-88%) single parents with 2 or more children had inadequate income.**

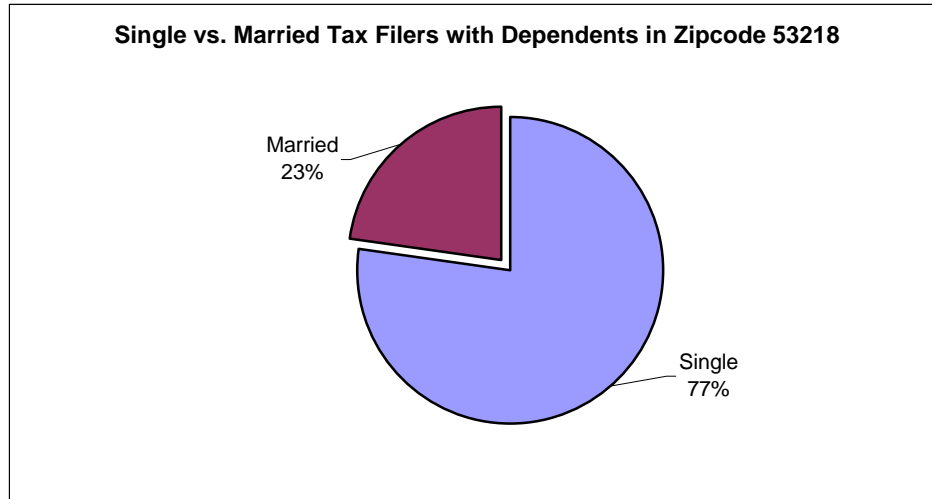


- **Married parent families were far less likely to be living in poverty**, often by combining incomes from two adult workers. Even still, 45% (or more) of married filers with more than 2 dependents had income below 185% of poverty.

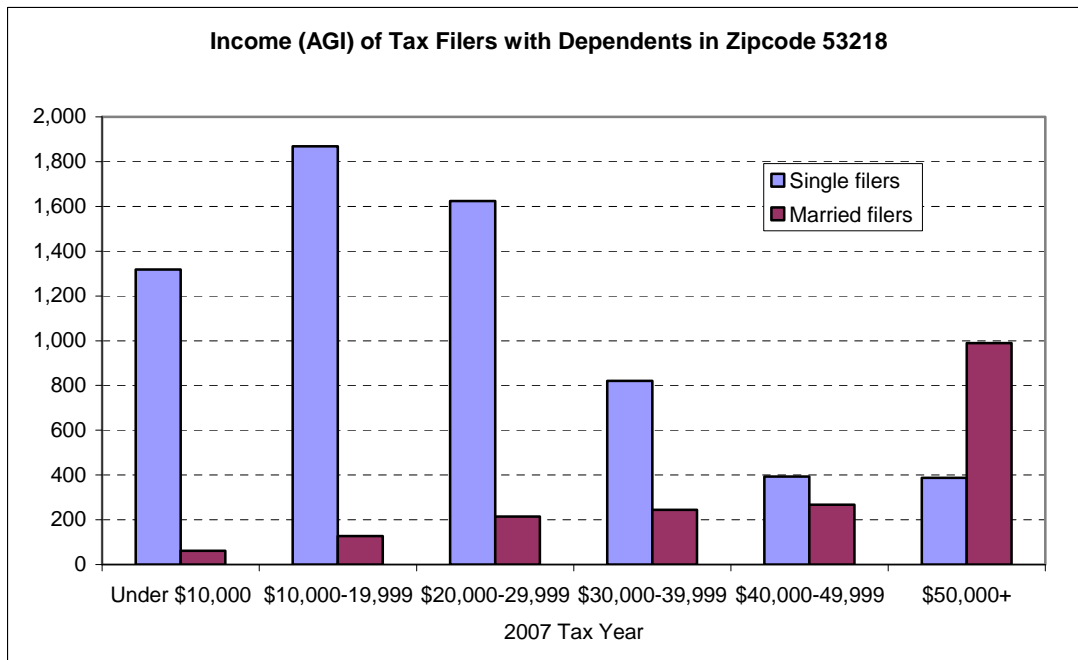


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- The Wisconsin Department of Revenue 2007 tax data showed **only 1,902 married tax filers with dependents compared to 6,412 single tax filers with dependents** in zip code 53218.



- The challenges of securing and maintaining full-time, year-round employment are particularly difficult for lower-income single parents; **1,318 single parents (with dependents) earned less than \$10,000 in 2007** and another 989 earned less than \$15,000.
- Over half of the married filers with dependents had income of \$50,000 or more.



## Earned Income Tax Credit Helps Families

Federal and state earned income tax credits offer a substantial boost to working families at the lower end of the wage scale. The federal earned income tax credit (EIC) offers a tax benefit to help reduce the payroll and social security tax burdens and to supplement wages for low and moderate income working families and single persons. Wisconsin has been a leader in providing a state credit for families.<sup>2</sup> For this analysis federal credits were estimated based on Wisconsin usage ratios.

- In zip code 53218, a total of **5,317 families were helped by the EIC**, or 64% of all single and married tax filers with dependents.

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### Zip Code 53218 Parents Receiving the Earned Income Tax Credit (EIC) in 2007

Families receiving the EIC	5,317
Average state credit	\$479
Est. average federal credit	\$2,900
Average federal and state credit	\$3,379
% of family tax filers helped	64%

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<sup>2</sup> For those employed family tax filers who claim the credit, Wisconsin adds 4% to the federal credit for families with one qualifying child, 14% to the federal credit for families with two qualifying children, and 43% to the federal credit for families with three or more qualifying children.

*The summary report on **Socio-Economic Analysis of Neighborhood Issues Facing Milwaukee Public Schools Students and Their Families** and analyses of other zip codes are available online at [www.eti.uwm.edu](http://www.eti.uwm.edu).*