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**Table 1. Demographic Characteristics** 

	Zip Cod	e 58067			Sargent	County		
						Projec	ctions	
Demographics	1990	2000	1990	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020
Total population	1,130	337	4,549	4,366	4,258	4,230	4,225	4,272
AGE								
Ages 0 to 19	317	103	1,327	1,211	1,176	1,075	1,012	1,058
% of total population	28.1	30.6	29.2	27.7	27.6	25.4	24.0	24.8
Ages 65 and Older	287	58	813	747	784	896	983	1,106
% of total population	25.4	17.2	17.9	17.1	18.4	21.2	23.3	25.9
RACE*								
White	1,123	323	4,535	4,306				
% of total population	99.4	95.8	99.7	98.6				
Black	0	0	3	4				
% of total population	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1				
American Indian or Alaska Native	5	7	9	23				
% of total population	0.4	2.1	0.2	0.5				
Asian, Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0				
% of total population	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0				
Other	2	0	2	0				
% of total population	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0				
Two or more races	-	7	-	33				
ETHNICITY								
Hispanic Origin of any race	2	0	4	6				
% of total population	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1				

Note: \*Racial reporting procedures changed with Census 2000, allowing persons to report multiple races.

Data Sources: AGE - U.S. Census Bureau, 1990 Census, Summary Tape File 3 (STF3) Table P13, http://factfinder.census.gov/; 2000 Census, Summary File 3 (SF3) Table P8, http://factfinder.census.gov/; North Dakota Center, North Dakota Population Projections: 2005 to 2020-Including County Distributions by Age and Gender, Issued September 2002, http://www.ndsu.edu/sdc/data/ndpopulationprojections.htm RACE - U.S. Census Bureau, 1990 Census, Summary Tape File 3 (STF3) Table P8; 2000 Census, Summary File 3 (SF3) Table P6. ETHNICITY - U.S. Census Bureau, 1990 Census, Summary Tape File 3 (STF3) Table P7.

- The boundaries for zip code 58067 changed significantly between 1990 and 2000 (see boundary maps). Therefore, an assessment of change between 1990 and 2000 using these data is not appropriate.
- In 1990, zip code 58067 encompassed most of the southeast corner of Sargent County with 1,130 residents. A boundary change in 2000 reduced the territory to an area from Rutland to Cayuga which had only 337 residents.
- Sargent County experienced a modest decline in population between 1990 and 2000. Population projections for Sargent County indicate that population declines are likely to continue over the next two decades.
- In 2000, 31 percent of the residents in zip code 58067 and 28 percent in Sargent County were youth under 20 years of age. In addition, the proportion of elderly ages 65 and older represented 17 percent of the total population in both areas. Sargent County experienced a decline in the proportion of youth and relatively little change in the proportion of elderly between 1990 and 2000. Projections for Sargent County indicate that this loss of youth will likely continue over the next couple decades; however, the proportion of elderly is expected to increase.
- In 2000, nearly all residents in both zip code 58067 and Sargent County were white.

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**Table 2. Housing Characteristics** 

	Zip Code 58067			Sargent County				
	199	1990 2000		19	90	2000		
Housing	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total housing units	514	100.0	152	100.0	2,057	100.0	2,016	100.0
Occupied housing units	443	86.2	139	91.4	1,763	85.7	1,786	88.6
Owner-occupied housing units	337	65.6	121	79.6	1,400	68.1	1,422	70.5
Renter-occupied housing units	106	20.6	18	11.8	363	17.6	364	18.1
Vacant housing units	71	13.8	13	8.6	294	14.3	230	11.4
For rent	NA	NA	3	2.0	37	1.8	54	2.7
For sale only	NA	NA	4	2.6	29	1.4	54	2.7
Rented or sold, not occupied	NA	NA	0	0.0	36	1.8	33	1.6
For seasonal or recreational use	NA	NA	0	0.0	34	1.7	16	0.8
For migrant workers	NA	NA	0	0.0	0	0.0	7	0.3
Other vacant	NA	NA	6	3.9	158	7.7	66	3.3
Median value for specified owner-occupied								
housing units (2000 inflation adjusted dollars)	\$29,512		\$20,800		\$32,543		\$44,800	
Median year housing structure built (all housing								
units)	1940		1949		1939		1962	
Median price asked for specified vacant-for-								
sale-only housing units (dollars)	NA		\$10,000-		NA		\$10,000-	

Notes: "\$10,000-" indicates that the median falls below \$10,000. For 1990 data, occupied and vacant housing units may not sum to total housing units due to two different data sets used to collect 1990 data; see Data Sources. The 1990 median values for owner-occupied housing units are inflated to their 2000 values using the consumer price index. NA indicates that data are not available. Data Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, 1990 Census, Summary Tape File 3 (STF3) Tables H1, H8, H61A, and H25A, Summary Tape File 1 (STF1) Table H5, http://factfinder.census.gov/; 2000 Census, Summary File 3 (SF3) Tables H1, H7, H8, H76, H37, and H88, http://factfinder.census.gov/.

- The boundaries for zip code 58067 changed significantly between 1990 and 2000 (see boundary maps). Therefore, an assessment of change between 1990 and 2000 using these data is not appropriate.
- Sargent County experienced a slight decline in the total number of housing units between 1990 and 2000. In 2000, 71 percent of housing in Sargent County and 80 percent in zip code 58067 was owner-occupied.
- Vacant housing units declined in Sargent County between 1990 and 2000. In 2000, vacant units represented 11 percent of all housing in Sargent County and 9 percent of housing in zip code 58067.
- In 2000, the median value of an owner-occupied home in zip code 58067 was \$20,800, compared to \$44,800 in Sargent County. This may reflect the relatively older housing that exists in zip code 58067 compared to Sargent county.
- In 2000, half of all housing units in zip code 58067 were built before 1949; half of all housing units in Sargent County were built before 1962.

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**Table 3. Income and Poverty Characteristics** 

	Zip Cod	e 58067	Sargent County			
Income and Poverty	1990	2000	1990	2000		
Median household income (2000 inflation						
adjusted dollars)	\$24,817	\$30,455	\$31,407	\$37,213		
Per capita income (2000 inflation adjusted						
dollars)	\$12,524	\$15,290	\$14,318	\$18,689		
Persons for whom poverty is determined	1,077	337	4,496	4,331		
Living below poverty	157	62	517	357		
% of all persons	14.6	18.4	11.5	8.2		
Ages 0 to 17 below poverty	36	25	156	102		
% of all persons below poverty	22.9	40.3	30.2	28.6		
Ages 65 and older below poverty	69	19	128	85		
% of all persons below poverty	43.9	30.6	24.8	23.8		

Note: The 1990 median household income and per capita income values are inflated to their 2000 values using the consumer price index.

Data Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, 1990 Census, Summary Tape File 3 (STF3) Tables P80A, P114A, and P117, http://factfinder.census.gov/; 2000 Census, Summary File 3 (SF3) Tables P53, P82, and P87, http://factfinder.census.gov/.

- The boundaries for zip code 58067 changed significantly between 1990 and 2000 (see boundary maps). Therefore, an assessment of change between 1990 and 2000 using these data is not appropriate.
- The median household income in zip code 58067 was \$30,455 in 2000, compared to \$37,213 in Sargent County. When the 1990 median values are adjusted for inflation, the 2000 median household income represents an increase in purchasing power for Sargent County residents.
- The proportion of residents living below poverty declined in Sargent County between 1990 and 2000. In 2000, 8 percent of residents in Sargent County and 18 percent of residents in zip code 58067 were impoverished.
- Between 1990 and 2000, the number of both impoverished children and impoverished elderly declined in Sargent County. In 2000, children comprised 29 percent of impoverished residents in Sargent County and 40 percent in zip code 58067. The elderly comprised 24 percent of impoverished residents in Sargent County and 31 percent in zip code 58067 in 2000.

Table 4. Religious Congregation and Membership Characteristics

	Zip Cod	e 58067	Sargent County			
Religion	1990	2000	1990	2000		
Number of churches, synagogues, mosques,						
and temples	NA	NA	23	20		
Full-time members	NA	NA	2,499	2,170		
Number of attendees	NA	NA	NA	890		

Note: NA indicates that data are not available for this geography.

Data Sources: "Religious Congregations and Membership in the United States 2000: An Enumeration by Region, State, and County Based on Data Reported by 49 Religious Bodies." Nashville, TN: Glenmary Research Center, 2002; "Churches and Church Membership in the United States 1990: An Enumeration by Region, State, and County Based on Data Reported for 133 Church Groupings." Atlanta, GA: Glenmary Research Center, 1992.

• The number of churches, synagogues, mosques, and temples in Sargent County declined by three between 1990 and 2000 and the number of full-time members declined as well. These declines may be a reflection of the overall population loss the county experienced during the same time period.

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**Table 5. Health Characteristics** 

	Sargent County							
Health	2002	2003	2004	2005				
Total resident births	36	40	41	48				
Birth rate (births per 1,000 persons)	8.25	9.16	9.39	10.99				
Births to teenage mothers	0	NR	NR	7				
Total resident deaths	33	40	23	38				
Death rate (deaths per 1,000 persons)	7.56	9.16	5.27	8.70				
Deaths due to suicide	0	NR	0	0				
Deaths due to cancer	12	9	NR	9				
Deaths due to heart disease	8	12	10	12				
Foster care placements	10	13	13	12				

Note: NR - Data are not reported for geographies where the number of events is five or less.

Data Sources: BIRTHS and DEATHS - Calendar year data. North Dakota Department of Health, Vital Records, http://www.vitalnd.com/. FOSTER CARE - Fiscal year data. North Dakota Department of Human Services, Children and Family Services Division, unpublished data.

- Sargent County reported 48 births in 2005, a rate of 10.99 per 1,000 persons. Over the past few years, this rate increased consistently, up from 8.25 in 2002.
- The number of deaths occurring in Sargent County has fluctuated over the past few years, totaling 38 in 2005. Major contributors to death were heart disease and cancer.
- In 2005, there were 12 foster care placements in Sargent County, little change from the previous few years.

Table 6 Labor Force Characteristics

	Zip Cod	e 58067	Sargent County			
Labor Force	1990	2000	1990	2000		
Persons 16 years and older	850	249	3,473	3,349		
In the labor force	480	175	2,129	2,182		
Armed Forces	0	0	0	4		
Civilian employed	468	173	2,055	2,136		
Civilian unemployed	12	2	74	42		
Unemployment rate (unemployed as a %						
of civilian labor force)	2.5	1.1	3.5	1.9		
Not in the labor force	370	74	1,344	1,167		

Data Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, 1990 Census, Summary Tape File 3 (STF3) Table P70, http://factfinder.census.gov/; 2000 Census, Summary File 3 (SF3) Table P43, http://factfinder.census.gov/.

- The boundaries for zip code 58067 changed significantly between 1990 and 2000 (see boundary maps). Therefore, an assessment of change between 1990 and 2000 using these data is not appropriate.
- The labor force experienced a slight increase in Sargent County between 1990 and 2000, despite a decline in the number of persons 16 years and older.
- In 2000, the unemployment rate was 1.9 percent in Sargent County and 1.1 percent in zip code 58067.

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**Table 7. Employment Characteristics** 

	Zip Code 58067				Sargent County				
	19	90	20	00	19	1990		2000	
Employment	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Total employed (in civilian labor force)	468	100.0	173	100.0	2,055	100.0	2,136	100.0	
GENDER									
Females	205	43.8	77	44.5	745	36.3	889	41.6	
Males	263	56.2	96	55.5	1,310	63.7	1,247	58.4	
INDUSTRY									
Agriculture, forestry, mining	90	19.2	27	15.6	562	27.3	373	17.5	
Manufacturing	89	19.0	41	23.7	504	24.5	658	30.8	
Retail Trade	71	15.2	10	5.8	278	13.5	147	6.9	
Services	124	26.5	50	28.9	370	18.0	554	25.9	
Other	94	20.1	45	26.0	341	16.6	404	18.9	

Data Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, 1990 Census, Summary Tape File 3 (STF3) Tables P70 and P77, http://factfinder.census.gov/; 2000 Census, Summary File 3 (SF3) Tables P43 and P49, http://factfinder.census.gov/

- The boundaries for zip code 58067 changed significantly between 1990 and 2000 (see boundary maps). Therefore, an assessment of change between 1990 and 2000 using these data is not appropriate.
- Total employment increased in Sargent County between 1990 and 2000.
- The percentage of employment that was female increased in Sargent County between 1990 and 2000. In 2000, females comprised 45 percent of all employed in zip code 58067 and 42 percent of all employed in Sargent County.
- Sargent County experienced declines in the proportion of agricultural and retail trade employment between 1990 and 2000 and experienced growth in the proportion of manufacturing and service industry employment. In 2000, the service sector was the largest industry in zip code 58067 employing 29 percent of all workers, just slightly more than the manufacturing industry which employed 24 percent of the workforce in 2000. In Sargent County, manufacturing was the largest industry in 2000 employing 31 percent of all workers, just slightly more than the service industry which employed 26 percent of the workforce.

**Table 8. Educational Attainment Characteristics** 

	Zip Code 58067			Sargent County				
	199	90	2000		1990		2000	
Educational Attainment	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and older	785	100.0	231	100.0	3,050	100.0	2,989	100.0
Less than High School	237	30.2	37	16.0	834	27.3	564	18.9
Less than 9th grade	160	20.4	15	6.5	523	17.1	256	8.6
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	77	9.8	22	9.5	311	10.2	308	10.3
High school graduate (or equivalency)	278	35.4	100	43.3	1,132	37.1	1,051	35.2
Some college, no degree	118	15.0	37	16.0	493	16.2	722	24.2
College degree	152	19.4	57	24.7	591	19.4	652	21.8
Associate degree	46	5.9	14	6.1	295	9.7	273	9.1
Bachelor's degree	79	10.1	39	16.9	248	8.1	324	10.8
Graduate or professional degree	27	3.4	4	1.7	48	1.6	55	1.8

Data Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, 1990 Census, Summary Tape File 3 (STF3) Table P57, http://factfinder.census.gov/; 2000 Census, Summary File 3 (SF3) Table P37, http://factfinder.census.gov/.

- The boundaries for zip code 58067 changed significantly between 1990 and 2000 (see boundary maps). Therefore, an assessment of change between 1990 and 2000 using these data is not appropriate.
- The proportion of persons ages 25 and older with a college degree and the proportion with some college but no degree increased between 1990 and 2000 in Sargent County. In 2000, 25 percent of the residents ages 25 and older in zip code 58067 and 22 percent county-wide had a college degree.

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**Table 9. School District Characteristics** 

	Sargent Central Public School District								
Enrollment, Achievement, and Proficiency	2001-2002	2002-2003	2003-2004	2004-2005					
Total K-12 enrollment	334	321	306	303					
GRADE									
Kindergarten to 6th grade	169	159	159	147					
7th to 8th grade	44	47	44	50					
9th to 12th grade	121	115	103	106					
RACE*									
% White	98.5	98.1	98.4	99.0					
% Black	0.9	1.2	0.0	0.7					
% American Indian	0.6	0.6	1.6	0.3					
% Asian	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0					
% Hispanic	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0					
High school graduation rate	96.6	96.6	100.0	100.0					
High school dropouts	0	1	0	0					
Student to classroom teacher ratio	13.4	12.8	12.7	14.8					
% of students who scored at the proficient or									
advanced achievement level in reading	63.8	69.5	72.0	75.6					
% of students who scored at the proficient or									
advanced achievement level in math	45.8	46.4	35.4	69.7					

Notes: \*The North Dakota Department of Public Instruction classifies Hispanic origin as a separate race, not as an ethnic origin of any race. NA indicates that data are not available. Data Sources: Academic year data. North Dakota Department of Public Instruction, North Dakota School District Profiles, http://www.dpi.state.nd.us/dpi/reports/Profile/index.shtm.

- Enrollment within the Sargent Central Public School District declined over the past few years, from 334 students in 2001-2002 to 303 students in 2004-2005.
- In 2004-2005, 76 percent of students in the Sargent Central Public School District were proficient or advanced in reading, up from 64 percent in 2001-2002. In addition, 70 percent of students were proficient or advanced in math in 2004-2005, up from 46 percent in 2001-2002.