

GROWTH OF THE TWO-BEDROOM HOUSING WAGE, 2000-2009

States¹	Percent Change, 2000-2009
Hawaii	83.9%
Rhode Island	64.4%
Louisiana	63.1%
New York	54.1%
Maryland	53.6%
Vermont	52.8%
Florida	50.9%
California	50.6%
New Jersey	48.1%
Wyoming	47.9%

Metropolitan Areas	Percent Change, 2000-2009
New Orleans-Metairie-Kenner, LA MSA	89.0%
Honolulu, HI MSA	87.3%
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA MSA	78.0%
Brockton, MA HMFA	74.0%
Midland, TX MSA	71.3%
Lowell, MA HMFA	69.7%
Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA HMFA	69.5%
New Bedford, MA HMFA	68.6%
Odessa, TX MSA	67.8%
Westchester, NY County	66.5%

Counties²	Percent Change, 2000-2009
Starr County, TX	99.7%
Jefferson Parish, LA	89.0%
Orleans Parish, LA	89.0%
Plaquemines Parish, LA	89.0%
St. Bernard Parish, LA	89.0%
St. Charles Parish, LA	89.0%
St. John the Baptist Parish, LA	89.0%
St. Tammany Parish, LA	89.0%
Honolulu County, HI	87.3%
Choctaw County, OK	86.5%

Combined Nonmetro Areas	Percent Change, 2000-2009
Hawaii	72.6%
Maryland	51.6%
Massachusetts	51.3%
California	50.5%
Florida	49.9%
New Hampshire	48.5%
Puerto Rico	47.6%
New York	47.4%
Vermont	47.1%
Oklahoma	46.8%

¹ Excludes the District of Columbia.

² Excludes metropolitan counties in New England.