## Illinois

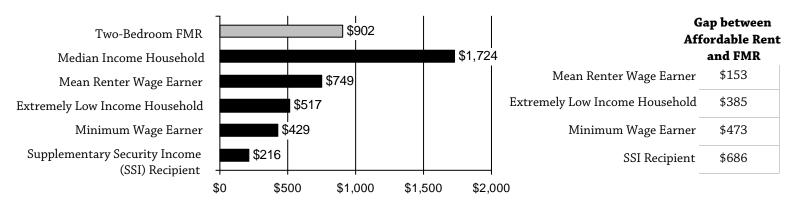
In Illinois, the Fair Market Rent (FMR) for a two-bedroom apartment is \$902. In order to afford this level of rent and utilities – without paying more than 30% of income on housing – a household must earn \$3,005 monthly or \$36,064 annually. Assuming a 40-hour work week, 52 weeks per year, this level of income translates into a Housing Wage of:

\$17.34

In Illinois, a minimum wage worker earns an hourly wage of \$8.25. In order to afford the FMR for a two-bedroom apartment, a minimum wage earner must work 84 hours per week, 52 weeks per year. Or a household must include 2.1 minimum wage earners working 40 hours per week year-round in order to make the two-bedroom FMR affordable.

In Illinois, the estimated mean (average) wage for a renter is \$14.40. In order to afford the FMR for a two-bedroom apartment at this wage, a renter must work 48 hours per week, 52 weeks per year. Or, working 40 hours per week year-round, a household must include 1.2 workers earning the mean renter wage in order to make the two-bedroom FMR affordable.

## Monthly Rent Affordable to Selected Income Levels Compared with Two-Bedroom FMR



| Illinois FY14                    | Illinois FY14 HOUSING WAGE HOUSING COSTS                                 |             |  |   |                            | A MEDIA  | N INCOME                   | (AMI)   | RENTER HOUSEHOLDS                  |   |   |   |   |  |
|----------------------------------|--|-------------|--|---|----------------------------|--|----------------------------|---|------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|--|
|                                  | Hourly wage<br>needed to <sub>1</sub><br>afford 2 BR<br>FMR <sup>2</sup> | 2 BR<br>FMR | Annual<br>income needed<br>to afford<br>2 BR FMR | Full-time jobs<br>at minimum<br>wage needed to<br>afford 2 BR FMR | Annual<br>AMI <sup>3</sup> | Monthly<br>rent <sub>4</sub><br>affordable<br>at AMI | 30%<br>of AMI <sup>5</sup> | Monthly<br>rent<br>affordable<br>at 30%<br>of AMI | Renter<br>Housholds<br>(2008-2012) | % of total<br>households<br>(2008-2012) | Estimated<br>hourly mean<br>renter wage<br>(2014) | Monthly<br>rent<br>affordable<br>at mean<br>renter wage | Full-time jobs<br>at mean renter<br>wage needed to<br>afford 2 BR FMR |  |
|                                  |  |             |  |   |                            |  |                            |   |                                    |   |   |   |   |  |
| Illinois                         | \$17.34  | \$902       | \$36,064   | 2.1   | \$68,973                   | \$1,724  | \$20,692                   | \$517   | 1,525,754                          | 32%                                     | \$14.40   | \$749   | 1.2   |  |
| Combined Nonmetro Areas          | \$12.74  | \$662       | \$26,495   | 1.5   | \$58,358                   | \$1,459  | \$17,507                   | \$438   | 171,811                            | 26%                                     | \$9.36  | \$487   | 1.4   |  |
| <u>Metropolitan Areas</u>        |  |             |  |   |                            |  |                            |   |                                    |   |   |   |   |  |
| Bloomington-Normal MSA           | \$16.63  | \$865       | \$34,600   | 2.0   | \$81,700                   | \$2,043  | \$24,510                   | \$613   | 20,866                             | 33%                                     | \$11.34   | \$589   | 1.5   |  |
| Bond County HMFA                 | \$13.21  | \$687       | \$27,480   | 1.6   | \$63,400                   | \$1,585  | \$19,020                   | \$476   | 1,418                              | 22%                                     | \$9.11  | \$474   | 1.5   |  |
| Cape Girardeau-Jackson MSA       | \$13.06  | \$679       | \$27,160   | 1.6   | \$53,400                   | \$1,335  | \$16,020                   | \$401   | 1,053                              | 34%                                     | \$8.68  | \$452   | 1.5   |  |
| Champaign-Urbana MSA             | \$16.58  | \$862       | \$34,480   | 2.0   | \$66,800                   | \$1,670  | \$20,040                   | \$501   | 38,431                             | 42%                                     | \$9.73  | \$506   | 1.7   |  |
| Chicago-Naperville-Joliet HMFA   | \$18.83  | \$979       | \$39,160   | 2.3   | \$72,400                   | \$1,810  | \$21,720                   | \$543   | 1,029,391                          | 34%                                     | \$16.06   | \$835   | 1.2   |  |
| Danville MSA                     | \$13.67  | \$711       | \$28,440   | 1.7   | \$53,300                   | \$1,333  | \$15,990                   | \$400   | 9,297                              | 29%                                     | \$9.19  | \$478   | 1.5   |  |
| Davenport-Moline-Rock Island MSA | \$13.13  | \$683       | \$27,320   | 1.6   | \$62,800                   | \$1,570  | \$18,840                   | \$471   | 23,376                             | 27%                                     | \$13.30   | \$692   | 1.0   |  |
| Decatur MSA                      | \$13.15  | \$684       | \$27,360   | 1.6   | \$63,700                   | \$1,593  | \$19,110                   | \$478   | 13,738                             | 30%                                     | \$11.85   | \$616   | 1.1   |  |
| DeKalb County HMFA               | \$16.85  | \$876       | \$35,040   | 2.0   | \$67,600                   | \$1,690  | \$20,280                   | \$507   | 14,564                             | 38%                                     | \$8.98  | \$467   | 1.9   |  |
| Grundy County HMFA               | \$17.56  | \$913       | \$36,520   | 2.1   | \$79,900                   | \$1,998  | \$23,970                   | \$599   | 4,296                              | 24%                                     | \$14.54   | \$756   | 1.2   |  |
| Kankakee-Bradley MSA             | \$14.58  | \$758       | \$30,320   | 1.8   | \$53,800                   | \$1,345  | \$16,140                   | \$404   | 12,662                             | 31%                                     | \$10.13   | \$527   | 1.4   |  |
| Kendall County HMFA              | \$19.21  | \$999       | \$39,960   | 2.3   | \$94,500                   | \$2,363  | \$28,350                   | \$709   | 5,603                              | 15%                                     | \$10.24   | \$533   | 1.9   |  |
| Macoupin County HMFA             | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$63,500                   | \$1,588  | \$19,050                   | \$476   | 4,446                              | 23%                                     | \$8.03  | \$418   | 1.5   |  |
| Peoria MSA                       | \$13.94  | \$725       | \$29,000   | 1.7   | \$63,700                   | \$1,593  | \$19,110                   | \$478   | 41,407                             | 27%                                     | \$13.82   | \$719   | 1.0   |  |
| Rockford MSA                     | \$14.50  | \$754       | \$30,160   | 1.8   | \$55,900                   | \$1,398  | \$16,770                   | \$419   | 39,541                             | 30%                                     | \$10.45   | \$544   | 1.4   |  |
| Springfield MSA                  | \$14.29  | \$743       | \$29,720   | 1.7   | \$69,600                   | \$1,740  | \$20,880                   | \$522   | 24,621                             | 28%                                     | \$9.60  | \$499   | 1.5   |  |
| St. Louis HMFA                   | \$15.65  | \$814       | \$32,560   | 1.9   | \$67,100                   | \$1,678  | \$20,130                   | \$503   | 69,233                             | 28%                                     | \$9.15  | \$476   | 1.7   |  |
| <u>Counties</u>                  |  |             |  |   |                            |  |                            |   |                                    |   |   |   |   |  |
| Adams County                     | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$58,100                   | \$1,453  | \$17,430                   | \$436   | 6,863                              | 26%                                     | \$9.54  | \$496   | 1.3   |  |
| Alexander County                 | \$13.06  | \$679       | \$27,160   | 1.6   | \$53,400                   | \$1,335  | \$16,020                   | \$401   | 1,053                              | 34%                                     | \$8.68  | \$452   | 1.5   |  |
| Bond County                      | \$13.21  | \$687       | \$27,480   | 1.6   | \$63,400                   | \$1,585  | \$19,020                   | \$476   | 1,418                              | 22%                                     | \$9.11  | \$474   | 1.5   |  |
| Boone County                     | \$14.50  | \$754       | \$30,160   | 1.8   | \$55,900                   | \$1,398  | \$16,770                   | \$419   | 2,843                              | 16%                                     | \$9.52  | \$495   | 1.5   |  |
| Brown County                     | \$14.96  | \$778       | \$31,120   | 1.8   | \$56,400                   | \$1,410  | \$16,920                   | \$423   | 572                                | 27%                                     | \$13.83   | \$719   | 1.1   |  |
| Bureau County                    | \$12.79  | \$665       | \$26,600   | 1.6   | \$60,400                   | \$1,510  | \$18,120                   | \$453   | 3,516                              | 25%                                     | \$9.80  | \$510   | 1.3   |  |
| Calhoun County                   | \$15.65  | \$814       | \$32,560   | 1.9   | \$67,100                   | \$1,678  | \$20,130                   | \$503   | 424                                | 20%                                     | \$5.04  | \$262   | 3.1   |  |
| Carroll County                   | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$57,500                   | \$1,438  | \$17,250                   | \$431   | 1,608                              | 24%                                     | \$8.46  | \$440   | 1.4   |  |

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|-------------------|--|-------------|--|---|----------------------------|--|----------------------------|---|------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|--|--|
|                   | Hourly wage<br>needed to <sub>1</sub><br>afford 2 BR<br>FMR <sup>2</sup> | 2 BR<br>FMR | Annual<br>income needed<br>to afford<br>2 BR FMR | Full-time jobs<br>at minimum<br>wage needed to<br>afford 2 BR FMR | Annual<br>AMI <sup>3</sup> | Monthly<br>rent <sub>4</sub><br>affordable<br>at AMI | 30%<br>of AMI <sup>5</sup> | Monthly<br>rent<br>affordable<br>at 30%<br>of AMI | Renter<br>Housholds<br>(2008-2012) | % of total<br>households<br>(2008-2012) | Estimated<br>hourly mean<br>renter wage<br>(2014) | Monthly<br>rent<br>affordable<br>at mean<br>renter wage | Full-time jobs<br>at mean renter<br>wage needed to<br>afford 2 BR FMR |  |  |
|                   |  |             |  |   |                            |  |                            |   |                                    |   |   |   |   |  |  |
| Cass County       | \$12.52  | \$651       | \$26,040   | 1.5   | \$53,800                   | \$1,345  | \$16,140                   | \$404   | 1,483                              | 29%                                     | \$10.34   | \$538   | 1.2   |  |  |
| Champaign County  | \$16.58  | \$862       | \$34,480   | 2.0   | \$66,800                   | \$1,670  | \$20,040                   | \$501   | 36,145                             | 46%                                     | \$9.68  | \$504   | 1.7   |  |  |
| Christian County  | \$12.92  | \$672       | \$26,880   | 1.6   | \$58,200                   | \$1,455  | \$17,460                   | \$437   | 3,695                              | 26%                                     | \$9.27  | \$482   | 1.4   |  |  |
| Clark County      | \$13.40  | \$697       | \$27,880   | 1.6   | \$57,200                   | \$1,430  | \$17,160                   | \$429   | 1,592                              | 24%                                     | \$10.28   | \$534   | 1.3   |  |  |
| Clay County       | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$51,400                   | \$1,285  | \$15,420                   | \$386   | 1,244                              | 22%                                     | \$10.44   | \$543   | 1.2   |  |  |
| Clinton County    | \$15.65  | \$814       | \$32,560   | 1.9   | \$67,100                   | \$1,678  | \$20,130                   | \$503   | 2,483                              | 18%                                     | \$8.41  | \$437   | 1.9   |  |  |
| Coles County      | \$12.83  | \$667       | \$26,680   | 1.6   | \$59,900                   | \$1,498  | \$17,970                   | \$449   | 7,964                              | 38%                                     | \$8.31  | \$432   | 1.5   |  |  |
| Cook County       | \$18.83  | \$979       | \$39,160   | 2.3   | \$72,400                   | \$1,810  | \$21,720                   | \$543   | 793,535                            | 41%                                     | \$17.30   | \$900   | 1.1   |  |  |
| Crawford County   | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$56,300                   | \$1,408  | \$16,890                   | \$422   | 1,467                              | 19%                                     | \$10.61   | \$552   | 1.2   |  |  |
| Cumberland County | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$57,500                   | \$1,438  | \$17,250                   | \$431   | 715                                | 17%                                     | \$9.81  | \$510   | 1.2   |  |  |
| De Witt County    | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$63,400                   | \$1,585  | \$19,020                   | \$476   | 1,524                              | 23%                                     | \$13.92   | \$724   | 0.9   |  |  |
| DeKalb County     | \$16.85  | \$876       | \$35,040   | 2.0   | \$67,600                   | \$1,690  | \$20,280                   | \$507   | 14,564                             | 38%                                     | \$8.98  | \$467   | 1.9   |  |  |
| Douglas County    | \$13.35  | \$694       | \$27,760   | 1.6   | \$64,300                   | \$1,608  | \$19,290                   | \$482   | 1,641                              | 22%                                     | \$8.58  | \$446   | 1.6   |  |  |
| DuPage County     | \$18.83  | \$979       | \$39,160   | 2.3   | \$72,400                   | \$1,810  | \$21,720                   | \$543   | 83,947                             | 25%                                     | \$16.11   | \$838   | 1.2   |  |  |
| Edgar County      | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$59,200                   | \$1,480  | \$17,760                   | \$444   | 1,961                              | 25%                                     | \$7.91  | \$411   | 1.5   |  |  |
| Edwards County    | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$53,000                   | \$1,325  | \$15,900                   | \$398   | 556                                | 20%                                     | \$11.67   | \$607   | 1.0   |  |  |
| Effingham County  | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$65,400                   | \$1,635  | \$19,620                   | \$491   | 2,881                              | 21%                                     | \$8.92  | \$464   | 1.4   |  |  |
| Fayette County    | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$55,000                   | \$1,375  | \$16,500                   | \$413   | 1,554                              | 19%                                     | \$7.82  | \$407   | 1.6   |  |  |
| Ford County       | \$16.58  | \$862       | \$34,480   | 2.0   | \$66,800                   | \$1,670  | \$20,040                   | \$501   | 1,224                              | 22%                                     | \$11.18   | \$581   | 1.5   |  |  |
| Franklin County   | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$48,100                   | \$1,203  | \$14,430                   | \$361   | 3,648                              | 23%                                     | \$9.03  | \$470   | 1.4   |  |  |
| Fulton County     | \$12.35  | \$642       | \$25,680   | 1.5   | \$54,500                   | \$1,363  | \$16,350                   | \$409   | 3,748                              | 26%                                     | \$6.96  | \$362   | 1.8   |  |  |
| Gallatin County   | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$53,600                   | \$1,340  | \$16,080                   | \$402   | 494                                | 21%                                     | \$8.39  | \$436   | 1.5   |  |  |
| Greene County     | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$53,500                   | \$1,338  | \$16,050                   | \$401   | 1,378                              | 24%                                     | \$9.10  | \$473   | 1.3   |  |  |
| Grundy County     | \$17.56  | \$913       | \$36,520   | 2.1   | \$79,900                   | \$1,998  | \$23,970                   | \$599   | 4,296                              | 24%                                     | \$14.54   | \$756   | 1.2   |  |  |
| Hamilton County   | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$56,400                   | \$1,410  | \$16,920                   | \$423   | 711                                | 20%                                     | \$9.09  | \$473   | 1.3   |  |  |
| Hancock County    | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$56,900                   | \$1,423  | \$17,070                   | \$427   | 1,745                              | 22%                                     | \$9.63  | \$501   | 1.3   |  |  |
| Hardin County     | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$42,700                   | \$1,068  | \$12,810                   | \$320   | 391                                | 21%                                     | \$5.40  | \$281   | 2.3   |  |  |
| Henderson County  | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$63,200                   | \$1,580  | \$18,960                   | \$474   | 625                                | 19%                                     | \$6.53  | \$339   | 1.9   |  |  |
| Henry County      | \$13.13  | \$683       | \$27,320   | 1.6   | \$62,800                   | \$1,570  | \$18,840                   | \$471   | 4,399                              | 21%                                     | \$9.97  | \$518   | 1.3   |  |  |
| Iroquois County   | \$12.48  | \$649       | \$25,960   | 1.5   | \$60,700                   | \$1,518  | \$18,210                   | \$455   | 2,894                              | 24%                                     | \$9.35  | \$486   | 1.3   |  |  |
| Jackson County    | \$13.12  | \$682       | \$27,280   | 1.6   | \$52,500                   | \$1,313  | \$15,750                   | \$394   | 10,908                             | 46%                                     | \$7.38  | \$384   | 1.8   |  |  |

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|                   |  |             |  |   |                            |  |                            |   |                                    |   |   |   |   |  |
| Jasper County     | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$56,200                   | \$1,405  | \$16,860                   | \$422   | 646                                | 16%                                     | \$10.30   | \$536   | 1.2   |  |
| Jefferson County  | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$56,400                   |  | \$16,920                   | \$423   | 4,075                              | 27%                                     | \$9.81  | \$510   | 1.2   |  |
| Jersey County     | \$15.65  | \$814       | \$32,560   | 1.9   | \$67,100                   |  | \$20,130                   | \$503   | 1,830                              | 21%                                     | \$7.48  | \$389   | 2.1   |  |
| Jo Daviess County | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$64,400                   |  | \$19,320                   | \$483   | 2,052                              | 21%                                     | \$8.25  | \$429   | 1.5   |  |
| Johnson County    | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$51,800                   |  | \$15,540                   | \$389   | 733                                | 17%                                     | \$7.31  | \$380   | 1.7   |  |
| Kane County       | \$18.83  | \$979       | \$39,160   | 2.3   | \$72,400                   |  | \$21,720                   | \$543   | 41,060                             | 24%                                     | \$10.02   | \$521   | 1.9   |  |
| Kankakee County   | \$14.58  | \$758       | \$30,320   | 1.8   | \$53,800                   |  | \$16,140                   | \$404   | 12,662                             | 31%                                     | \$10.13   | \$527   | 1.4   |  |
| Kendall County    | \$19.21  | \$999       | \$39,960   | 2.3   | \$94,500                   | \$2,363  | \$28,350                   | \$709   | 5,603                              | 15%                                     | \$10.24   | \$533   | 1.9   |  |
| Knox County       | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$55,500                   | \$1,388  | \$16,650                   | \$416   | 7,171                              | 33%                                     | \$7.85  | \$408   | 1.6   |  |
| La Salle County   | \$14.75  | \$767       | \$30,680   | 1.8   | \$63,500                   | \$1,588  | \$19,050                   | \$476   | 10,514                             | 24%                                     | \$9.90  | \$515   | 1.5   |  |
| Lake County       | \$18.83  | \$979       | \$39,160   | 2.3   | \$72,400                   | \$1,810  | \$21,720                   | \$543   | 55,745                             | 23%                                     | \$15.72   | \$818   | 1.2   |  |
| Lawrence County   | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$49,400                   | \$1,235  | \$14,820                   | \$371   | 1,606                              | 27%                                     | \$9.58  | \$498   | 1.3   |  |
| Lee County        | \$12.31  | \$640       | \$25,600   | 1.5   | \$66,900                   | \$1,673  | \$20,070                   | \$502   | 3,491                              | 26%                                     | \$11.21   | \$583   | 1.1   |  |
| Livingston County | \$13.08  | \$680       | \$27,200   | 1.6   | \$65,200                   | \$1,630  | \$19,560                   | \$489   | 3,693                              | 26%                                     | \$10.72   | \$557   | 1.2   |  |
| Logan County      | \$12.29  | \$639       | \$25,560   | 1.5   | \$68,300                   | \$1,708  | \$20,490                   | \$512   | 3,257                              | 30%                                     | \$7.58  | \$394   | 1.6   |  |
| Macon County      | \$13.15  | \$684       | \$27,360   | 1.6   | \$63,700                   | \$1,593  | \$19,110                   | \$478   | 13,738                             | 30%                                     | \$11.85   | \$616   | 1.1   |  |
| Macoupin County   | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$63,500                   | \$1,588  | \$19,050                   | \$476   | 4,446                              | 23%                                     | \$8.03  | \$418   | 1.5   |  |
| Madison County    | \$15.65  | \$814       | \$32,560   | 1.9   | \$67,100                   | \$1,678  | \$20,130                   | \$503   | 28,142                             | 26%                                     | \$9.12  | \$474   | 1.7   |  |
| Marion County     | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$54,100                   | \$1,353  | \$16,230                   | \$406   | 4,053                              | 25%                                     | \$8.88  | \$462   | 1.4   |  |
| Marshall County   | \$13.94  | \$725       | \$29,000   | 1.7   | \$63,700                   | \$1,593  | \$19,110                   | \$478   | 931                                | 18%                                     | \$8.82  | \$459   | 1.6   |  |
| Mason County      | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$55,200                   | \$1,380  | \$16,560                   | \$414   | 1,300                              | 20%                                     | \$6.72  | \$350   | 1.8   |  |
| Massac County     | \$12.90  | \$671       | \$26,840   | 1.6   | \$54,700                   | \$1,368  | \$16,410                   | \$410   | 1,332                              | 22%                                     | \$11.58   | \$602   | 1.1   |  |
| McDonough County  | \$13.62  | \$708       | \$28,320   | 1.7   | \$55,600                   | \$1,390  | \$16,680                   | \$417   | 4,989                              | 39%                                     | \$6.78  | \$352   | 2.0   |  |
| McHenry County    | \$18.83  | \$979       | \$39,160   | 2.3   | \$72,400                   | \$1,810  | \$21,720                   | \$543   | 18,683                             | 17%                                     | \$9.99  | \$520   | 1.9   |  |
| McLean County     | \$16.63  | \$865       | \$34,600   | 2.0   | \$81,700                   | \$2,043  | \$24,510                   | \$613   | 20,866                             | 33%                                     | \$11.34   | \$589   | 1.5   |  |
| Menard County     | \$14.29  | \$743       | \$29,720   | 1.7   | \$69,600                   | \$1,740  | \$20,880                   | \$522   | 972                                | 19%                                     | \$6.53  | \$339   | 2.2   |  |
| Mercer County     | \$13.13  | \$683       | \$27,320   | 1.6   | \$62,800                   | \$1,570  | \$18,840                   | \$471   | 1,333                              | 20%                                     | \$8.60  | \$447   | 1.5   |  |
| Monroe County     | \$15.65  | \$814       | \$32,560   | 1.9   | \$67,100                   | \$1,678  | \$20,130                   | \$503   | 2,242                              | 18%                                     | \$8.27  | \$430   | 1.9   |  |
| Montgomery County | \$13.10  | \$681       | \$27,240   | 1.6   | \$60,700                   | \$1,518  | \$18,210                   | \$455   | 2,924                              | 25%                                     | \$10.10   | \$525   | 1.3   |  |
| Morgan County     | \$12.52  | \$651       | \$26,040   | 1.5   | \$62,400                   | \$1,560  | \$18,720                   | \$468   | 4,045                              | 29%                                     | \$9.40  | \$489   | 1.3   |  |
| Moultrie County   | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$57,000                   | \$1,425  | \$17,100                   | \$428   | 1,117                              | 20%                                     | \$10.55   | \$549   | 1.2   |  |

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| Illinois           | FY14 HOUSING WAGE  | н           | OUSING C   | OSTS  | ARE                        | A MEDIA  | N INCOME                   | (AMI)   | RENTER HOUSEHOLDS                  |   |   |   |   |  |  |
|--------------------|--|-------------|--|---|----------------------------|--|----------------------------|---|------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|--|--|
|                    | Hourly wage<br>needed to <sub>1</sub><br>afford 2 BR<br>FMR <sup>2</sup> | 2 BR<br>FMR | Annual<br>income needed<br>to afford<br>2 BR FMR | Full-time jobs<br>at minimum<br>wage needed to<br>afford 2 BR FMR | Annual<br>AMI <sup>3</sup> | Monthly<br>rent <sub>4</sub><br>affordable<br>at AMI | 30%<br>of AMI <sup>5</sup> | Monthly<br>rent<br>affordable<br>at 30%<br>of AMI | Renter<br>Housholds<br>(2008-2012) | % of total<br>households<br>(2008-2012) | Estimated<br>hourly mean<br>renter wage<br>(2014) | Monthly<br>rent<br>affordable<br>at mean<br>renter wage | Full-time jobs<br>at mean renter<br>wage needed to<br>afford 2 BR FMR |  |  |
|                    |  |             |  |   |                            |  |                            |   |                                    |   |   |   |   |  |  |
| Ogle County        | \$13.25  | \$689       | \$27,560   | 1.6   | \$69,700                   | \$1,743  | \$20,910                   | \$523   | 5,232                              | 25%                                     | \$13.22   | \$688   | 1.0   |  |  |
| Peoria County      | \$13.94  | \$725       | \$29,000   | 1.7   | \$63,700                   | \$1,593  | \$19,110                   | \$478   | 25,102                             | 33%                                     | \$12.34   | \$642   | 1.1   |  |  |
| Perry County       | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$54,100                   | \$1,353  | \$16,230                   | \$406   | 1,741                              | 21%                                     | \$7.04  | \$366   | 1.7   |  |  |
| Piatt County       | \$16.58  | \$862       | \$34,480   | 2.0   | \$66,800                   | \$1,670  | \$20,040                   | \$501   | 1,062                              | 17%                                     | \$8.51  | \$442   | 1.9   |  |  |
| Pike County        | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$52,400                   | \$1,310  | \$15,720                   | \$393   | 1,466                              | 22%                                     | \$7.70  | \$400   | 1.6   |  |  |
| Pope County        | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$51,000                   | \$1,275  | \$15,300                   | \$383   | 357                                | 20%                                     | \$7.20  | \$374   | 1.7   |  |  |
| Pulaski County     | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$42,800                   | \$1,070  | \$12,840                   | \$321   | 509                                | 21%                                     | \$9.44  | \$491   | 1.3   |  |  |
| Putnam County      | \$12.56  | \$653       | \$26,120   | 1.5   | \$67,800                   | \$1,695  | \$20,340                   | \$509   | 520                                | 21%                                     | \$11.67   | \$607   | 1.1   |  |  |
| Randolph County    | \$12.54  | \$652       | \$26,080   | 1.5   | \$61,400                   | \$1,535  | \$18,420                   | \$461   | 2,820                              | 24%                                     | \$8.81  | \$458   | 1.4   |  |  |
| Richland County    | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$57,500                   | \$1,438  | \$17,250                   | \$431   | 1,508                              | 23%                                     | \$8.08  | \$420   | 1.5   |  |  |
| Rock Island County | \$13.13  | \$683       | \$27,320   | 1.6   | \$62,800                   | \$1,570  | \$18,840                   | \$471   | 17,644                             | 29%                                     | \$14.02   | \$729   | 0.9   |  |  |
| Saline County      | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$49,700                   | \$1,243  | \$14,910                   | \$373   | 2,770                              | 27%                                     | \$11.08   | \$576   | 1.1   |  |  |
| Sangamon County    | \$14.29  | \$743       | \$29,720   | 1.7   | \$69,600                   | \$1,740  | \$20,880                   | \$522   | 23,649                             | 29%                                     | \$9.65  | \$502   | 1.5   |  |  |
| Schuyler County    | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$56,800                   | \$1,420  | \$17,040                   | \$426   | 584                                | 19%                                     | \$13.28   | \$691   | 0.9   |  |  |
| Scott County       | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$67,100                   | \$1,678  | \$20,130                   | \$503   | 568                                | 27%                                     | \$11.23   | \$584   | 1.1   |  |  |
| Shelby County      | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$60,000                   | \$1,500  | \$18,000                   | \$450   | 1,676                              | 19%                                     | \$9.10  | \$473   | 1.3   |  |  |
| St. Clair County   | \$15.65  | \$814       | \$32,560   | 1.9   | \$67,100                   | \$1,678  | \$20,130                   | \$503   | 34,112                             | 33%                                     | \$9.47  | \$493   | 1.7   |  |  |
| Stark County       | \$13.94  | \$725       | \$29,000   | 1.7   | \$63,700                   | \$1,593  | \$19,110                   | \$478   | 479                                | 20%                                     | \$12.21   | \$635   | 1.1   |  |  |
| Stephenson County  | \$12.56  | \$653       | \$26,120   | 1.5   | \$58,800                   | \$1,470  | \$17,640                   | \$441   | 5,490                              | 28%                                     | \$9.53  | \$496   | 1.3   |  |  |
| Tazewell County    | \$13.94  | \$725       | \$29,000   | 1.7   | \$63,700                   | \$1,593  | \$19,110                   | \$478   | 12,388                             | 23%                                     | \$17.78   | \$925   | 0.8   |  |  |
| Union County       | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$53,100                   | \$1,328  | \$15,930                   | \$398   | 1,802                              | 26%                                     | \$7.47  | \$389   | 1.6   |  |  |
| Vermilion County   | \$13.67  | \$711       | \$28,440   | 1.7   | \$53,300                   | \$1,333  | \$15,990                   | \$400   | 9,297                              | 29%                                     | \$9.19  | \$478   | 1.5   |  |  |
| Wabash County      | \$12.54  | \$652       | \$26,080   | 1.5   | \$59,300                   | \$1,483  | \$17,790                   | \$445   | 1,007                              | 21%                                     | \$8.40  | \$437   | 1.5   |  |  |
| Warren County      | \$13.31  | \$692       | \$27,680   | 1.6   | \$51,800                   | \$1,295  | \$15,540                   | \$389   | 1,957                              | 28%                                     | \$8.38  | \$436   | 1.6   |  |  |
| Washington County  | \$12.73  | \$662       | \$26,480   | 1.5   | \$67,500                   | \$1,688  | \$20,250                   | \$506   | 1,162                              | 19%                                     | \$13.46   | \$700   | 0.9   |  |  |
| Wayne County       | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$51,000                   | \$1,275  | \$15,300                   | \$383   | 1,593                              | 22%                                     | \$9.85  | \$512   | 1.2   |  |  |
| White County       | \$12.25  | \$637       | \$25,480   | 1.5   | \$55,400                   | \$1,385  | \$16,620                   | \$416   | 1,311                              | 21%                                     | \$7.97  | \$415   | 1.5   |  |  |
| Whiteside County   | \$13.15  | \$684       | \$27,360   | 1.6   | \$57,900                   | \$1,448  | \$17,370                   | \$434   | 5,680                              | 24%                                     | \$9.00  | \$468   | 1.5   |  |  |
| Will County        | \$18.83  | \$979       | \$39,160   | 2.3   | \$72,400                   | \$1,810  | \$21,720                   | \$543   | 36,421                             | 16%                                     | \$9.77  | \$508   | 1.9   |  |  |
| Williamson County  | \$12.50  | \$650       | \$26,000   | 1.5   | \$56,200                   | \$1,405  | \$16,860                   | \$422   | 7,682                              | 29%                                     | \$8.89  | \$462   | 1.4   |  |  |
| Winnebago County   | \$14.50  | \$754       | \$30,160   | 1.8   | \$55,900                   | \$1,398  | \$16,770                   | \$419   | 36,698                             | 32%                                     | \$10.57   | \$550   | 1.4   |  |  |

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| Illinois        | FY14 HOUSING WAGE HOUSING COSTS  |                  |  |   |                            | AREA MEDIAN INCOME (AMI)                             |                            |   |                                    | RENTER HOUSEHOLDS                       |   |   |   |  |  |
|-----------------|--|------------------|--|---|----------------------------|--|----------------------------|---|------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|--|--|
|                 | Hourly wage<br>needed to <sub>1</sub><br>afford 2 BR<br>FMR <sup>2</sup> | incon<br>2 BR to | nnual<br>ne needed<br>afford<br>BR FMR | Full-time jobs<br>at minimum<br>wage needed to<br>afford 2 BR FMR | Annual<br>AMI <sup>3</sup> | Monthly<br>rent <sub>4</sub><br>affordable<br>at AMI | 30%<br>of AMI <sup>5</sup> | Monthly<br>rent<br>affordable<br>at 30%<br>of AMI | Renter<br>Housholds<br>(2008-2012) | % of total<br>households<br>(2008-2012) | Estimated<br>hourly mean<br>renter wage<br>(2014) | Monthly<br>rent<br>affordable<br>at mean<br>renter wage | Full-time jobs<br>at mean renter<br>wage needed to<br>afford 2 BR FMR |  |  |
|                 |  |                  |  |   |                            |  |                            |   |                                    |   |   |   |   |  |  |
| Woodford County | \$13.94  | \$725            | \$29,000                               | 1.7   | \$63,700                   | \$1,593  | \$19,110                   | \$478   | 2,507                              | 18%                                     | \$6.97  | \$362   | 2.0   |  |  |

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