

TABLE 2C: CHANGES IN MARKET VALUE AND TAXES PAID ON AVERAGE VALUE HOMES IN 91 GREATER MINNESOTA COMMUNITIES, 2005-200

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1st Assess Unorg (181)	CROW WING	\$168,201	22	\$190,853	18	13.5%	5	\$22,652	\$1,092	89	\$1,255	90	0.009%	44	15.0%	21	\$164	29
Albert Lea (241)	FREEBORN	\$87,104	76	\$92,594	75	6.3%	70	\$5,490	\$887	55	\$1,030	40	0.093%	7	16.0%	16	\$142	40
Albertville (885)	WRIGHT	\$191,941	9	\$208,983	11	8.9%	45	\$17,042	\$1,905	61	\$2,284	44	0.100%	6	19.9%	9	\$379	3
Alexandria (206)	DOUGLAS	\$131,857	49	\$142,755	49	8.3%	53	\$10,898	\$1,108	78	\$1,206	79	0.005%	50	8.9%	45	\$98	57
Alexandria Twp (206)	DOUGLAS	\$188,203	10	\$212,776	9	13.1%	8	\$24,573	\$1,396	85	\$1,660	87	0.038%	22	18.9%	10	\$264	12
Austin (492)	MOWER	\$87,973	75	\$96,921	73	10.2%	25	\$8,948	\$688	83	\$768	86	0.010%	43	11.6%	34	\$80	63
Baldwin Twp (477)	SHERBURNE	\$185,273	12	\$206,543	12	11.5%	12	\$21,270	\$1,332	87	\$1,651	85	0.081%	9	24.0%	3	\$319	4
Baxter (181)	CROW WING	\$164,665	25	\$175,178	25	6.4%	68	\$10,513	\$1,560	69	\$1,674	70	0.008%	46	7.3%	57	\$113	48
Becker (726)	SHERBURNE	\$168,142	23	\$185,957	20	10.6%	17	\$17,815	\$1,703	57	\$1,915	56	0.017%	39	12.5%	30	\$212	18
Becker Twp (726)	SHERBURNE	\$216,091	2	\$234,451	2	8.5%	47	\$18,360	\$1,994	72	\$2,056	77	-0.046%	74	3.1%	76	\$62	73
Bemidji (31)	BELTRAMI	\$88,710	73	\$100,510	72	13.3%	6	\$11,800	\$1,058	28	\$1,138	37	-0.061%	80	7.5%	54	\$80	64
Big Lake (727)	SHERBURNE	\$160,098	26	\$177,009	24	10.6%	18	\$16,911	\$1,882	33	\$2,051	34	-0.017%	59	9.0%	44	\$169	27
Big Lake Twp (727)	SHERBURNE	\$208,931	5	\$227,671	5	9.0%	42	\$18,740	\$2,071	63	\$2,243	66	-0.006%	53	8.3%	49	\$172	26
Brainerd (181)	CROW WING	\$97,918	70	\$108,865	69	11.2%	13	\$10,947	\$801	79	\$924	78	0.031%	29	15.5%	19	\$124	45
Buffalo (877)	WRIGHT	\$178,469	17	\$197,105	17	10.4%	19	\$18,636	\$1,685	70	\$1,752	75	-0.056%	78	3.9%	72	\$66	72
Byron (531)	OLMSTED	\$147,078	31	\$154,900	37	5.3%	76	\$7,822	\$1,924	14	\$2,075	11	0.031%	30	7.8%	52	\$151	35
Cambridge (911)	ISANTI	\$145,436	35	\$157,628	33	8.4%	50	\$12,192	\$2,078	5	\$2,040	16	-0.135%	88	-1.8%	85	-\$38	86
Cannon Falls (252)	GOODHUE	\$153,370	29	\$167,984	29	9.5%	35	\$14,614	\$2,215	4	\$2,309	8	-0.069%	82	4.3%	71	\$95	58
Chisholm (695)	ST LOUIS	\$56,533	89	\$58,313	89	3.1%	85	\$1,780	\$667	32	\$586	62	-0.176%	90	-12.2%	91	-\$82	90
Cloquet (94)	CARLTON	\$103,793	65	\$115,193	63	11.0%	15	\$11,400	\$1,295	23	\$1,471	17	0.030%	32	13.6%	25	\$177	25
Crookston (593)	POLK	\$59,600	88	\$66,470	87	11.5%	11	\$6,870	\$1,111	1	\$1,039	2	-0.301%	91	-6.5%	87	-\$72	89
Delano (879)	WRIGHT	\$181,646	15	\$197,980	16	9.0%	40	\$16,334	\$1,871	54	\$1,994	61	-0.023%	65	6.6%	63	\$123	46
Detroit Lakes (22)	BECKER	\$122,324	58	\$134,101	56	9.6%	34	\$11,777	\$1,170	68	\$1,258	72	-0.018%	60	7.5%	56	\$88	60
Duluth (709)	ST LOUIS	\$129,514	51	\$146,308	45	13.0%	9	\$16,794	\$1,285	62	\$1,393	71	-0.040%	71	8.4%	48	\$108	54
East Grand Forks (595)	POLK	\$99,312	69	\$116,231	62	17.0%	1	\$16,919	\$1,472	3	\$1,731	3	0.007%	48	17.6%	11	\$259	13
Elk River (728)	SHERBURNE	\$198,960	6	\$215,057	7	8.1%	55	\$16,097	\$2,568	15	\$2,853	13	0.036%	25	11.1%	37	\$286	7
Eveleth (2154)	ST LOUIS	\$51,128	91	\$53,628	91	4.9%	78	\$2,500	\$237	91	\$225	91	-0.044%	72	-5.1%	86	-\$12	84
Fairmont (2752)	MARTIN	\$84,431	77	\$91,636	76	8.5%	46	\$7,205	\$662	82	\$762	80	0.048%	19	15.1%	20	\$100	56
Faribault (656)	RICE	\$146,376	33	\$158,521	32	8.3%	52	\$12,145	\$1,067	86	\$1,282	82	0.080%	10	20.2%	8	\$215	17
Fergus Falls (544)	OTTER TAIL	\$97,551	71	\$107,291	71	10.0%	29	\$9,740	\$736	84	\$863	83	0.049%	18	17.2%	12	\$126	44
Glencoe (2859)	MCLEOD	\$124,421	56	\$132,191	58	6.2%	71	\$7,770	\$1,559	22	\$1,667	20	0.008%	45	7.0%	59	\$108	51
Grand Rapids (318)	ITASCA	\$108,887	62	\$114,065	65	4.8%	79	\$5,178	\$1,108	56	\$1,135	63	-0.023%	64	2.4%	79	\$27	79
Hermantown (700)	ST LOUIS	\$169,008	21	\$184,261	22	9.0%	39	\$15,253	\$1,782	50	\$1,927	53	-0.008%	56	8.2%	50	\$146	39
Hibbing (701)	ST LOUIS	\$72,127	81	\$77,786	80	7.8%	56	\$5,659	\$472	88	\$548	88	0.049%	17	16.0%	18	\$75	68
Hutchinson (423)	MCLEOD	\$128,104	54	\$140,830	51	9.9%	31	\$12,726	\$1,772	9	\$1,958	6	0.007%	47	10.5%	40	\$186	24
International Falls (361)	KOOCHICHING	\$59,616	87	\$61,616	88	3.4%	84	\$2,000	\$539	73	\$495	84	-0.100%	84	-8.1%	88	-\$44	87

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Isanti (911)	ISANTI	\$137,725	44	\$150,020	42	8.9%	43	\$12,295	\$1,956	7	\$1,959	15	-0.114%	86	0.2%	83	\$3	83
Kasson (204)	DODGE	\$132,421	47	\$139,564	54	5.4%	75	\$7,143	\$1,545	35	\$1,653	31	0.018%	38	7.0%	58	\$108	52
La Crescent (300)	HOUSTON	\$142,009	37	\$152,837	39	7.6%	59	\$10,828	\$1,689	29	\$1,805	32	-0.008%	58	6.9%	60	\$116	47
La Grand Twp (206)	DOUGLAS	\$195,454	8	\$215,453	6	10.2%	23	\$19,999	\$1,584	80	\$1,751	81	0.002%	51	10.5%	39	\$167	28
Lake City (813)	WABASHA	\$132,345	48	\$145,504	46	9.9%	30	\$13,159	\$1,223	71	\$1,419	68	0.051%	15	16.1%	15	\$196	21
Le Sueur (2397)	LE SUEUR	\$123,599	57	\$133,995	57	8.4%	49	\$10,396	\$1,332	47	\$1,774	14	0.246%	1	33.2%	1	\$442	1
Lindstrom (2144)	CHISAGO	\$182,535	14	\$209,679	10	14.9%	2	\$27,144	\$2,142	34	\$2,446	33	-0.007%	54	14.2%	23	\$304	6
Litchfield (465)	MEEKER	\$101,240	67	\$108,554	70	7.2%	61	\$7,314	\$1,132	42	\$1,182	45	-0.030%	67	4.3%	70	\$49	76
Little Falls (482)	MORRISON	\$101,871	66	\$110,520	67	8.5%	48	\$8,649	\$1,335	12	\$1,407	19	-0.037%	68	5.4%	66	\$72	70
Livonia Twp (728)	SHERBURNE	\$215,187	3	\$230,203	4	7.0%	64	\$15,016	\$2,132	64	\$2,373	55	0.040%	21	11.3%	36	\$241	15
Luverne (2184)	ROCK	\$77,341	79	\$80,618	79	4.2%	81	\$3,277	\$618	81	\$778	69	0.165%	3	25.8%	2	\$159	33
Mankato (77)	BLUE EARTH	\$138,530	42	\$152,381	40	10.0%	28	\$13,851	\$1,179	77	\$1,339	76	0.027%	35	13.5%	26	\$160	32
Marion Twp (535)	OLMSTED	\$157,944	28	\$168,895	28	6.9%	65	\$10,951	\$1,426	74	\$1,535	74	0.006%	49	7.7%	53	\$110	49
Marshall (413)	LYON	\$121,997	59	\$131,303	59	7.6%	58	\$9,306	\$1,445	31	\$1,599	25	0.033%	28	10.6%	38	\$154	34
Montevideo (129)	CHIPPEWA	\$70,523	83	\$73,322	85	4.0%	82	\$2,799	\$902	16	\$936	18	-0.002%	52	3.8%	74	\$35	78
Monticello (882)	WRIGHT	\$159,874	27	\$171,268	26	7.1%	62	\$11,394	\$1,811	39	\$1,785	54	-0.090%	83	-1.4%	84	-\$26	85
Moorhead (152)	CLAY	\$113,149	60	\$124,864	60	10.4%	21	\$11,715	\$1,207	48	\$1,405	38	0.059%	13	16.5%	13	\$199	20
Morris (769)	STEVENS	\$88,674	74	\$93,987	74	6.0%	73	\$5,313	\$1,130	17	\$1,278	9	0.086%	8	13.1%	28	\$148	38
New Prague (721)	SCOTT	\$171,214	19	\$185,095	21	8.1%	54	\$13,881	\$2,177	18	\$2,249	27	-0.056%	79	3.3%	75	\$72	71
New Ulm (88)	BROWN	\$106,388	64	\$114,476	64	7.6%	60	\$8,088	\$1,263	30	\$1,393	26	0.030%	33	10.3%	41	\$130	42
North Branch (138)	CHISAGO	\$174,349	18	\$188,838	19	8.3%	51	\$14,489	\$2,214	19	\$2,275	28	-0.065%	81	2.8%	77	\$61	74
North Mankato (77)	NICOLLET	\$166,836	24	\$169,417	27	1.5%	89	\$2,581	\$1,652	65	\$1,728	58	0.030%	31	4.6%	69	\$76	67
Northern Twp (31)	BELTRAMI	\$141,781	39	\$156,202	36	10.2%	24	\$14,421	\$1,579	43	\$1,656	48	-0.053%	77	4.9%	68	\$77	66
Northfield (659)	RICE	\$196,286	7	\$213,903	8	9.0%	41	\$17,617	\$2,143	46	\$2,277	47	-0.027%	66	6.3%	64	\$134	41
Otsego (728)	WRIGHT	\$183,940	13	\$203,931	15	10.9%	16	\$19,991	\$1,858	59	\$2,136	51	0.037%	24	14.9%	22	\$277	9
Owatonna (761)	STEELE	\$135,446	45	\$149,552	43	10.4%	20	\$14,106	\$1,572	36	\$1,677	39	-0.039%	69	6.7%	62	\$106	55
Pipestone (2689)	PIPESTONE	\$56,108	90	\$58,151	90	3.6%	83	\$2,043	\$646	38	\$592	59	-0.133%	87	-8.3%	89	-\$54	88
Princeton (477)	MILLE LACS	\$124,998	55	\$140,715	52	12.6%	10	\$15,717	\$1,739	8	\$2,016	4	0.042%	20	16.0%	17	\$277	8
Red Wing (256)	GOODHUE	\$145,706	34	\$159,963	31	9.8%	32	\$14,257	\$1,908	13	\$1,926	29	-0.105%	85	0.9%	82	\$18	81
Redwood Falls (2897)	REDWOOD	\$90,229	72	\$91,398	77	1.3%	90	\$1,169	\$1,237	10	\$1,285	5	0.035%	26	3.9%	73	\$48	77
Rice Lake Twp (709)	ST LOUIS	\$133,404	46	\$153,120	38	14.8%	3	\$19,716	\$1,468	44	\$1,617	49	-0.045%	73	10.1%	42	\$149	37
Rochester (535)	OLMSTED	\$151,852	30	\$161,264	30	6.2%	72	\$9,412	\$1,716	40	\$1,846	35	0.014%	41	7.5%	55	\$129	43
Rockford (883)	WRIGHT	\$181,500	16	\$205,632	13	13.3%	7	\$24,132	\$1,896	51	\$2,202	46	0.026%	36	16.2%	14	\$306	5
Sartell (748)	STEARNS	\$171,155	20	\$179,046	23	4.6%	80	\$7,891	\$1,982	37	\$2,034	36	-0.022%	62	2.6%	78	\$52	75
Sauk Centre (743)	STEARNS	\$109,924	61	\$119,687	61	8.9%	44	\$9,763	\$1,565	6	\$1,648	7	-0.047%	75	5.3%	67	\$83	62
Sauk Rapids (47)	BENTON	\$141,430	40	\$148,571	44	5.0%	77	\$7,141	\$1,854	11	\$2,005	10	0.038%	23	8.1%	51	\$150	36

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St. Cloud (742)	STEARNS	\$138,101	43	\$150,842	41	9.2%	38	\$12,741	\$1,327	67	\$1,488	65	0.025%	37	12.1%	33	\$160	31
St. James (840)	WATONWAN	\$70,490	84	\$74,977	83	6.4%	69	\$4,487	\$684	66	\$692	73	-0.048%	76	1.1%	81	\$8	82
St. Joseph (742)	STEARNS	\$131,355	50	\$140,140	53	6.7%	66	\$8,785	\$1,314	60	\$1,476	50	0.053%	14	12.3%	32	\$162	30
St. Michael (885)	WRIGHT	\$210,953	4	\$231,310	3	9.7%	33	\$20,357	\$2,132	58	\$2,570	41	0.101%	5	20.6%	6	\$438	2
St. Peter (508)	NICOLLET	\$142,516	36	\$145,191	47	1.9%	88	\$2,675	\$1,246	75	\$1,519	52	0.172%	2	21.9%	5	\$273	10
Stewartville (534)	OLMSTED	\$140,927	41	\$145,061	48	2.9%	86	\$4,134	\$1,769	21	\$1,790	23	-0.022%	61	1.2%	80	\$21	80
Thief River Falls (564)	PENNINGTON	\$69,732	85	\$75,058	82	7.6%	57	\$5,326	\$1,183	2	\$1,256	1	-0.022%	63	6.2%	65	\$74	69
Thomson Twp (99)	CARLTON	\$146,613	32	\$156,939	34	7.0%	63	\$10,326	\$1,847	20	\$2,092	12	0.074%	12	13.3%	27	\$246	14
Virginia (706)	ST LOUIS	\$64,080	86	\$68,309	86	6.6%	67	\$4,229	\$389	90	\$469	89	0.079%	11	20.5%	7	\$80	64
Wadena (2155)	WADENA	\$73,553	80	\$73,798	84	0.3%	91	\$245	\$824	41	\$727	67	-0.136%	89	-11.8%	90	-\$98	91
Waite Park (742)	STEARNS	\$128,343	53	\$141,574	50	10.3%	22	\$13,231	\$1,366	49	\$1,556	43	0.034%	27	13.9%	24	\$190	23
Waseca (829)	WASECA	\$107,874	63	\$110,525	66	2.5%	87	\$2,651	\$1,293	27	\$1,380	22	0.050%	16	6.8%	61	\$87	61
Willmar (347)	KANDIYOHI	\$100,387	68	\$109,804	68	9.4%	36	\$9,417	\$1,039	52	\$1,128	57	-0.008%	55	8.6%	46	\$89	59
Windom (177)	COTTONWOOD	\$70,564	82	\$77,720	81	10.1%	26	\$7,156	\$850	25	\$958	24	0.028%	34	12.7%	29	\$108	53
Winona (861)	WINONA	\$128,938	52	\$136,218	55	5.6%	74	\$7,280	\$1,115	76	\$1,380	60	0.148%	4	23.8%	4	\$265	11
Worthington (518)	NOBLES	\$80,516	78	\$89,373	78	11.0%	14	\$8,857	\$883	45	\$992	42	0.014%	42	12.4%	31	\$109	50
Wyoming (831)	CHISAGO	\$187,097	11	\$204,505	14	9.3%	37	\$17,408	\$2,249	26	\$2,441	30	-0.008%	57	8.6%	47	\$192	22
Wyoming Twp (831)	CHISAGO	\$232,867	1	\$264,842	1	13.7%	4	\$31,975	\$2,407	53	\$2,632	64	-0.040%	70	9.4%	43	\$225	16
Zimmerman (728)	SHERBURNE	\$141,887	38	\$156,214	35	10.1%	27	\$14,327	\$1,760	24	\$1,961	21	0.015%	40	11.4%	35	\$200	19
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