# **Location Composition**

| Category            | 0-3 MI | 3-7 MI | 7-10 MI |
|---------------------|--------|--------|---------|
| 2010 Population     | 6,547  | 3,807  | 9,550   |
| 2010 Households     | 2,403  | 1,227  | 3,673   |
| 2010 Group Quarters | 515    | 485    | 121     |

Missionscape: Cultural Bridges

| Cultural Bridge                         | #HHIds | %HHlds |
|---|--------|--------|
| Home Personal Computer-HH Own           | 1,990  | 83%    |
| HH Uses Computer For Internet/E-mail    | 1,668  | 69%    |
| McDonald's                              | 1,404  | 58%    |
| Reading Books                           | 1,356  | 56%    |
| Watching Diet (Health/Weight)-Presently | 1,355  | 56%    |
| Controlling Diet                        |        |        |
| Non-Presc-For Regular Headaches         | 1,327  | 55%    |
| Voted in fed/state/local election       | 1,225  | 51%    |

### Getting Involved

This mission site is located in the Northeast of the Baptist Convention of Iowa. For more information about this need, contact the regional Church Planting Strategist: Tim Lubinus (tlubinus@bciowa.org)

### NOTES:

The Location Summary identifies the center of the smallest ring in the map above. The location data provides various types of identification to better describe the location. The GIS data can be used to map the location in Google maps or Google Earth.

The numbers in the Evangelscape communicate the most compelling reasons why this community needs churches and believers to intercede in missional prayer and activity. This community needs eternal transformation that only comes by way of the gospel and the working of the Holy Spirit.

Churchscape indicators reveal a snapshot of the extent of evangelical presence in the focus community. The last item in this section reveals how many churches are needed in order to have a minimum of one church for every 2000 hhlds (4000-5000 people).

Location Composition: Listed are the total number of people and the total number of households corresponding to each of the three bands indicated on the map on page one.

Cultural bridges are those characteristics that could be used to build relationships with people in the lifestyle group. Various activities, interests, or opinions represented among the consumer behavior characteristics of the lifestyle group offer ways for believers to build relationships with people in the lifestyle group and through that relationship impact them for Christ.

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# **MISSION SITE DIGEST**

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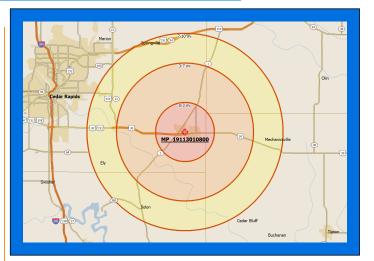


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Notes

During the night a appeared to vision Paul: a Macedonian man was standing and pleading with him. "Cross over to Macedonia and help us!" After he had seen the vision, we immediately made efforts to set out for Macedonia, concluding that God had called us to evangelize them.





This location has been identified as one of the areas in lowa in need of new ministries or new churches. This report has been written to assist you in gaining an understanding of where God has gathered concentrations of people in need of Him in order that your church can focus your efforts and resources where He is at work and the need is greatest. May this report assist your church in hearing God's invitation to join Him where He is calling.

# **Location Summary**

Central Street Address 215-259 Lincoln Hwy

Zip Code 52314

State Region Northeast

GIS Latitude 41.916210

GIS Longitude -91.422010 Sitescape Category Townscape

Sitescape Group Small Towns



# Top Community Types



Households: 1,045 Percent: 43.51%

# Upscale Communities

As the wealthiest households in the nation, upscale communities boast high household incomes, significant home values and top educational achievements. Households in these exclusive suburban neighborhoods are headed by predominantly white, college educated, Baby Boomer parents. Most work as executives and white collar professionals. They are active members of the community in business clubs, environmental groups and the arts. For upscale community households, disposable income is at a peak. These families enjoy large homes, comfortable lifestyles and shopping for the latest high-tech electronics.

# Top Lifestyle Segments

### **Urban Commuter Families**

(67% Unreached)

Not all families have fled the nation's cities for the far-out suburbs. In Urban Commuter Families, Baby Boomer families and couples are content to live in comfortable, single detached homes in city neighborhoods on the metro fringe. Many of these upscale, college-educated households contain dual-income couples who put in long hours as professionals and managers in retail, health care and education services.



Households: 554 Percent: 23.06%



Households: 734 Percent: 30.56%

## Mainstay Communities

The backbone of small towns and second cities, Mainstay Communities are established neighborhoods where residents enjoy strong relational ties. These moderately educated wage earners are employed in well-paying blue collar and professional service jobs. The aging adult population consists of retired American singles and couples. A sense of belonging within the community is a key identity factor for those who live there. Outside the nation's larger metro areas, residents can savor the familiarity of the small town cafe, or venture into the city to frequent comedy clubs, nightclubs and malls.

# Family Convenience

(64% Unreached)

Family Convenience is a collection of sprawling families living in remote towns and military bases. Most of the households contain dual-income couples working at skilled blue-collar jobs in manufacturing and construction as well as in the military. Service families are six times as likely to live here than the general population. Despite moderate educations, the adults in this segment earn upper-middle incomes.



Households: 416 Percent: 17.32%



Households: 277 Percent: 11.53%

### **Urban Communities**

The people are poor, struggling and largely single. Some are single parents with large families. Unemployment is double the national average. For the minority families in Urban Communities, struggling to balance priorities and budgets in a climate of institutional prejudice creates a lack of stability and control. Residing within major metropolitan cities and towns, most households live in apartments. Those who drive choose economy, import, and domestic cars or small trucks. This group finds employment within food and health services, education, retail, and the entertainment industry.

## Prime Middle America

(65% Unreached)

Prime Middle America features a mix of couples and families living in both small towns and mid-sized cities in the South and Northwest. Younger than average and upper-middle-class in status, these predominantly white dual-income households have well-paying blue-collar and white-collar jobs in transportation, manufacturing and public administration. Most of the households own their own homes and are nearly twice as likely to live in mobile homes.



Households: 309 Percent: 12.86%

# **Evangelscape: Spiritual Indicators**

| SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR             | BAND HHLDS | BAND % |
|------------------------------------|------------|--------|
| Unreached                          | 1,610      | 67.02% |
| Religious but NOT Evangelical      | 310        | 12.91% |
| Spiritual but NOT Evangelical      | 292        | 12.14% |
| Non-Evangelical but NOT Interested | 1,008      | 41.96% |

# Churchscape: Religious Indicators

| SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR           | MI RING | RING % |
|----------------------------------|---------|--------|
| Active Evangelical HHlds         | 199     | 8.26%  |
| Inactive Evangelical HHlds       | 593     | 24.68% |
| # New Ministries/Churches Needed | 1       |        |