## **Community Growth & Projections**

#### Presented December 3, 2018





## **Presentation Organization**

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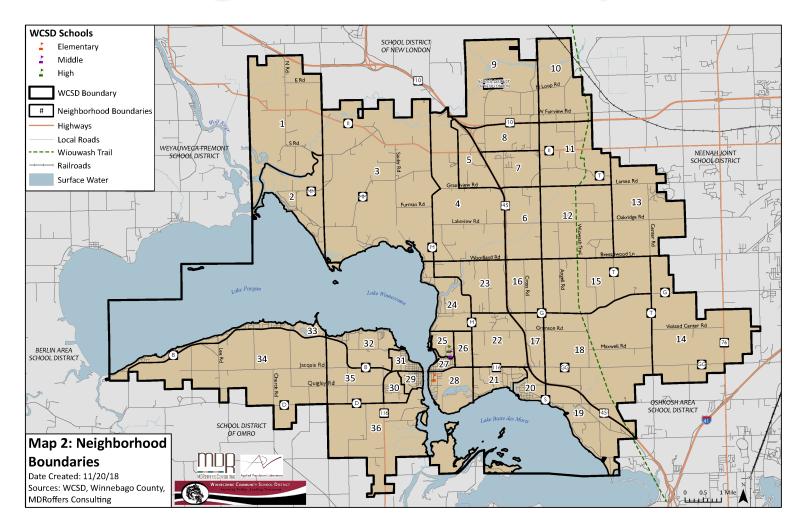
- Project housing growth and demographic change between now and 2035 using community and developer plans
- Translate projected housing and demographic changes into enrollment projections
  - Consider the impact of open enrollment
- Compare enrollment projections with existing school capacities





# **Projection Methodology**

# **Neighborhood Analysis**







# Housing Projection Methodology

- Estimate 2018 housing units in each neighborhood
- Project 2020, 2025, 2030, 2035 units in each neighborhood by:
  - Understanding housing market and economic dynamics
  - Analyzing municipal and subdivision plans
  - Interviewing municipal staff and real estate professionals
  - Deciding rate and mix of housing growth
- Check summed housing projections against recent building permit activity and State projections





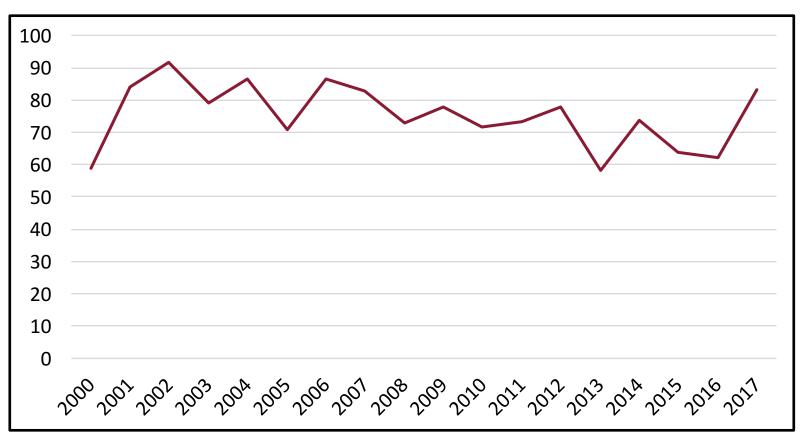
### **Enrollment Projection Methodology**

- Determine 2018 resident 4K-12 student-per-housing unit ratios for each grade group (4K-5, 6-8, 9-12) in each neighborhood
- Project unique 2020, 2025, 2030, and 2035 student-per-housing unit ratios for each grade group in each neighborhood by:
  - Reviewing birth rates and aging students through grade groups
  - Comparing neighborhood to others at different stages
  - Factoring impact of new housing, considering mix
  - Projecting turnover by subdivision ages & 2010-18 ratio changes
- Multiply 2020/2025/2030/2035 housing units by 2020/2025/2030/2035 ratios to arrive at enrollment projections





# Birth Trends, 2000-2017

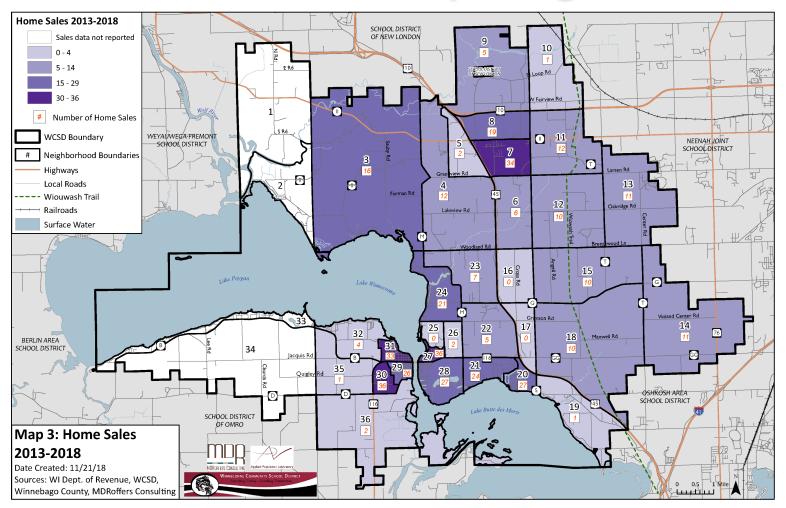


Source: Wisconsin Department of Health Services





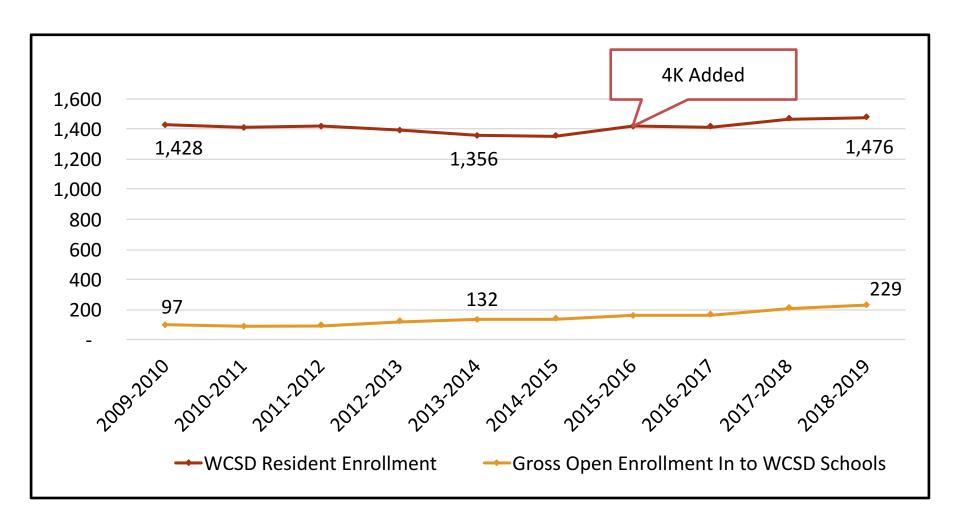
### Recent Home Sales by Neighborhood







#### WCSD Enrollment Trends







# **Housing Projection Results**

## **Housing Projections**

- We project 890 new housing units in the WCSD by 2035—or ~50 new units per year
- 82% projected to be single family homes
- ~60% projected to be Village and Town of Winneconne (549 units)





## **Housing Projections**

- Projected ~50 housing units per year is higher than ~30 units per year since 2010. Why?
  - Recent upward trend
  - Regional and local employment growth
  - Slightly greater multifamily housing %
  - Good highway access and new bridge
  - Next frontier in region
  - Modest boost if Clayton successfully incorporates
  - Appeal of WCSD
- Still, our projections do not build in another 2007-08 crisis—significant recession would set back projections





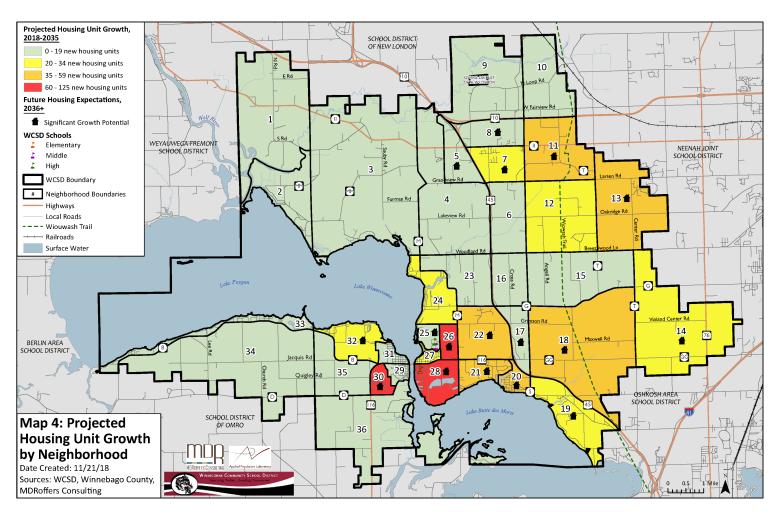
# Housing Projections by Municipality

- 338 new housing units in Village of Winneconne by 2035, or ~20 per year, including multi-family and senior housing
- 211 new housing units in Town of Winneconne by 2035—or ~12 per year—all single family
- Of remaining municipalities, Clayton expected to be most noteworthy housing contributor (127 units by 2035 in WCSD portion)





# **Housing Unit Projections Map**







#### Housing/Enrollment Projection Relationship

- What happens in existing housing critical to enrollment
  - Over 80% of year 2035 homes are already built
- Future housing will not have as many students as past
  - More empty nester, senior, multi-family units
  - Later and smaller families, lower birth rates
- As a result, most districts need some new housing development to simply maintain steady enrollment







# **Student Enrollment Projections**

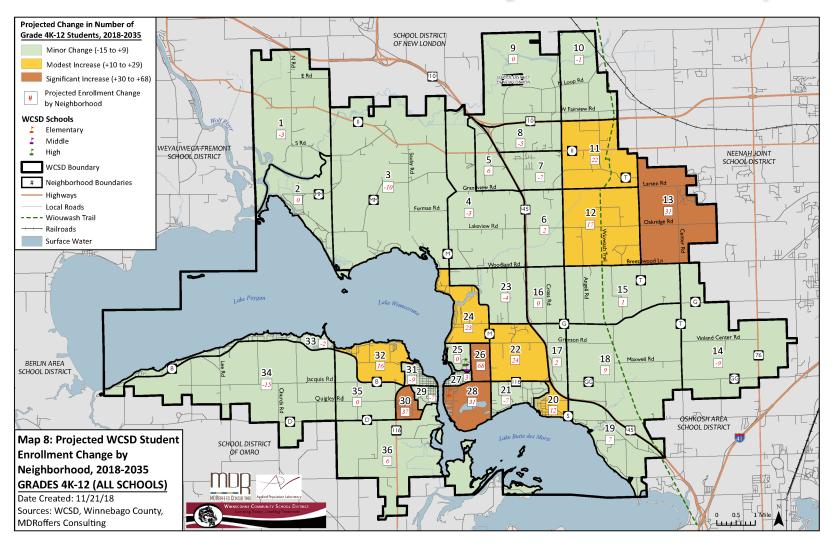
# Enrollment Projections— Grades 4K-12 (All Schools)

- Between Sept. 2018 and 2035, we project an increase of 191 4K-12 resident students in WCSD schools
  - Does not include open-enrollment-in
  - Open-enrollment-out & private/home schooling assumed to continue at similar rates
- About ½ of increase expected to come from Village
- Enrollment from the Towns of Winneconne and Clayton is also projected to increase
- Remaining towns projected to have a combined enrollment decrease of 13%





### 4K-12 Enrollment Projections Map







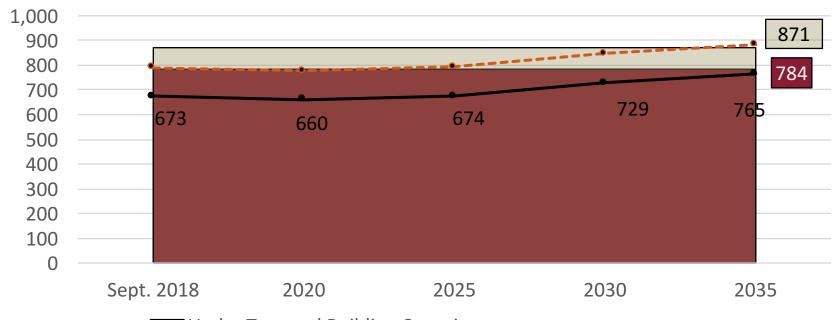
### Enrollment Projections—Grades 4K-5

- Between Sept. 2018 and 2035, we project a 92 resident student enrollment increase in grades 4K-5, totaling 765 4K-4 WCSD resident students by 2035
- Resident 4K-5 enrollment projected to approach elementary school's targeted capacity by 2035
  - Remember that our enrollment projections include WCSD resident students only
  - If the current level of open-enrollment-in continues,
    then the capacity picture changes





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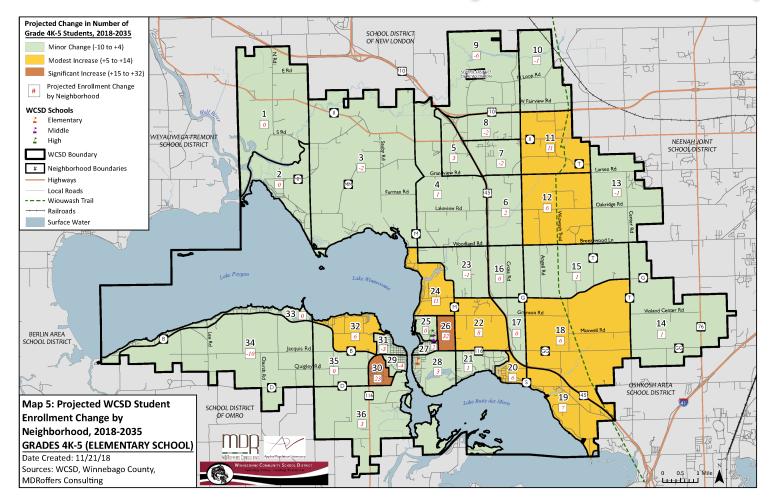


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# 4K-5 Enrollment Projections Map







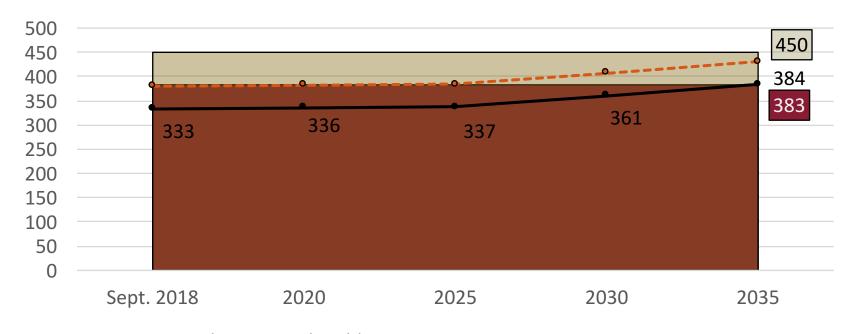
### Enrollment Projections—Grades 6-8

- Between Sept. 2018 and 2035, we project a 51 resident student enrollment increase in grades 6-8, totaling 384 6-8 WCSD resident students by 2035
- Winneconne Middle School projected to be at its targeted capacity ~2035, assuming only WSCD resident students
  - If the current level of open-enrollment-in continues, then the capacity picture changes





#### Enrollment Projections—Grades 6-8

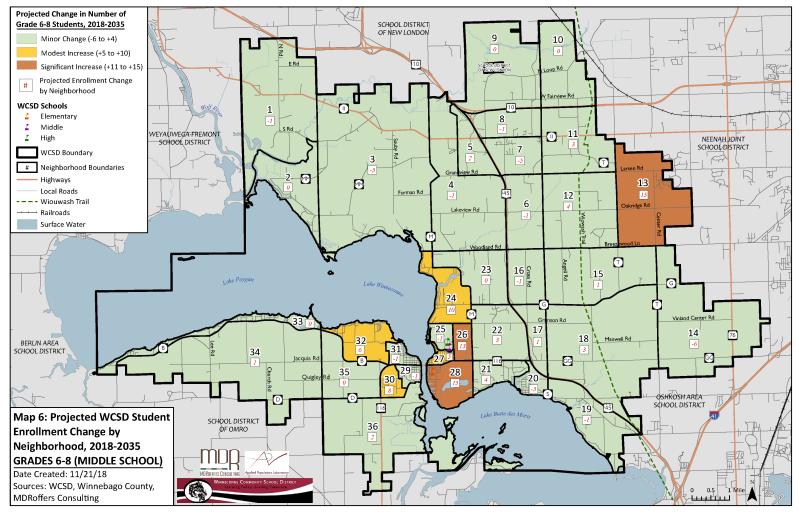


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# 6-8 Enrollment Projections Map







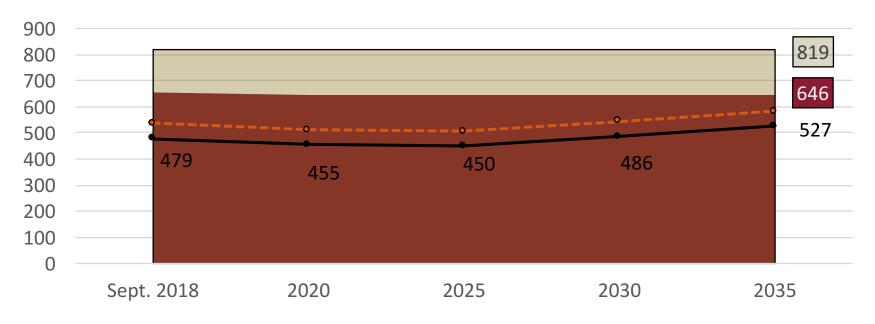
### Enrollment Projections—Grades 9-12

- Between Sept. 2018 and 2035, we project a 48 resident student enrollment increase in grades 9-12, totaling 527 9-12 WCSD resident students by 2035
- We project grade 9-12 enrollment to gently decline over next several years as larger classes graduate without being fully replaced by incoming freshmen
  - e.g., 2018 12th grade class has 150 students, while
    2018 Kindergarten class has 106 students
  - New households typically bring no or younger kids, so new housing growth will have delayed impact





### Enrollment Projections—Grades 9-12

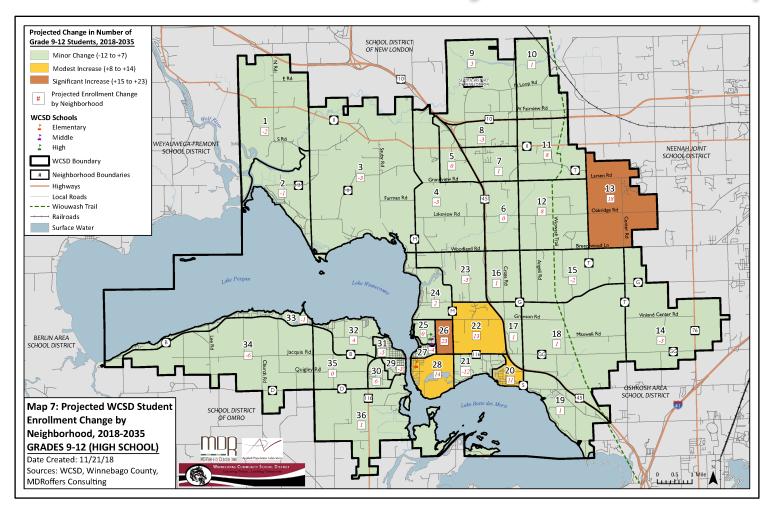


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# 9-12 Enrollment Projections Map







# **Enrollment Projections Overview**

Grade Grouping	Actual Enrollment, September 2018		Resident Enrollment Projections				Change, 2018-
	Total Students in Seats	WCSD Resident Students	2020	2025	2030	2035	2035
4K-5	791	673	660	674	729	765	+92
6-8	380	333	336	337	361	384	+51
9-12	541	479	455	450	486	527	+48
Total 4K-12	1,712	1,485	1,451	1,461	1,576	1,676	+191





# **Concluding Observations**

#### **Results Overview**

- We project an increase from 1,485 <u>resident</u> 4K-12 students in September 2018 to 1,676 students in 2035—a 191 student or 13% increase
- 191 student increase divided as follows:
  - 92 more elementary school (4K-5) students
  - 51 more middle school (6-8) students
  - 48 more high school (9-12) students





# **Implications**

- Resident enrollment projections alone are not projected to test school capacities, except perhaps at Winneconne Middle School ~2035
- But, assuming continuation of current levels of open-enrollment-in:
  - Winneconne Elementary and Middle Schools would both approach their targeted capacities between 2020-2025 and maximum capacities by ~2035
  - Even assuming continuation of current levels of open-enrollment-in, Winneconne High School is not projected to have capacity issues through 2035





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