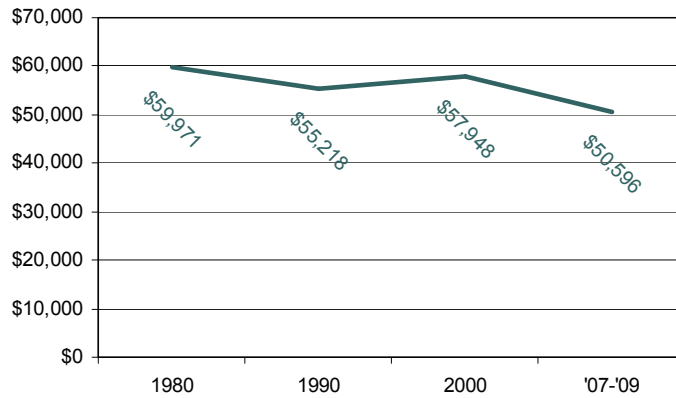


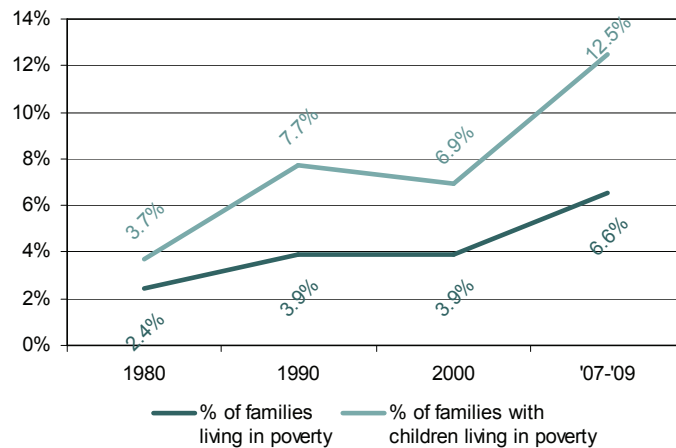
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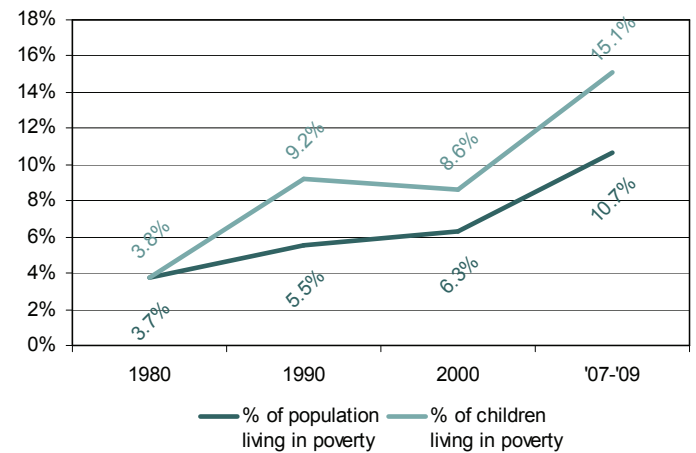
Households are earning less money: median household income (in 2009 dollars) has decreased 13% since 2000 and 16% since 1980.



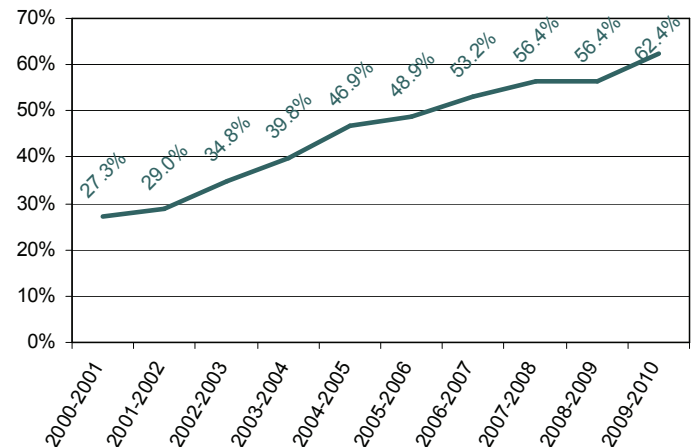
More families are living in poverty: the percentage of families living in poverty has increased 70% since 2000 and 170% since 1980 while the percentage of families with children living in poverty has increased 80% since 2000 and 237% since 1980.



More people are living in poverty: the percentage of the population living in poverty has increased 70% since 2000 and 186% since 1980 while the percentage of children living in poverty has increased 76% since 2000 and 299% since 1980.



And more children are qualifying for free or reduced lunch: the percentage of K-12 children eligible for free or reduced lunch has increased 129% since the 2000-2001 school year.



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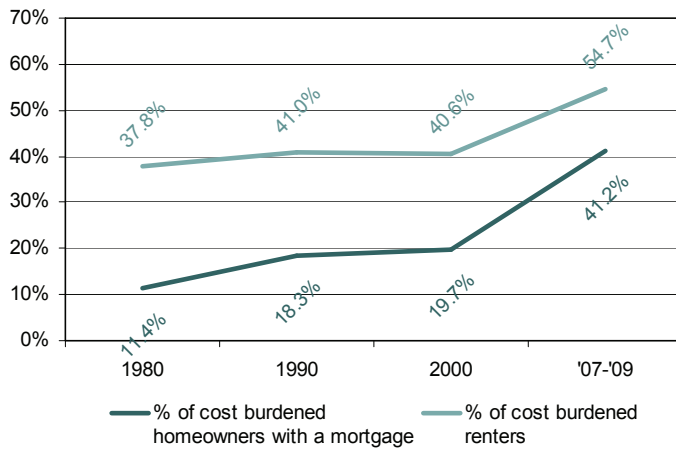
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Data Sources: U.S. Census Bureau,
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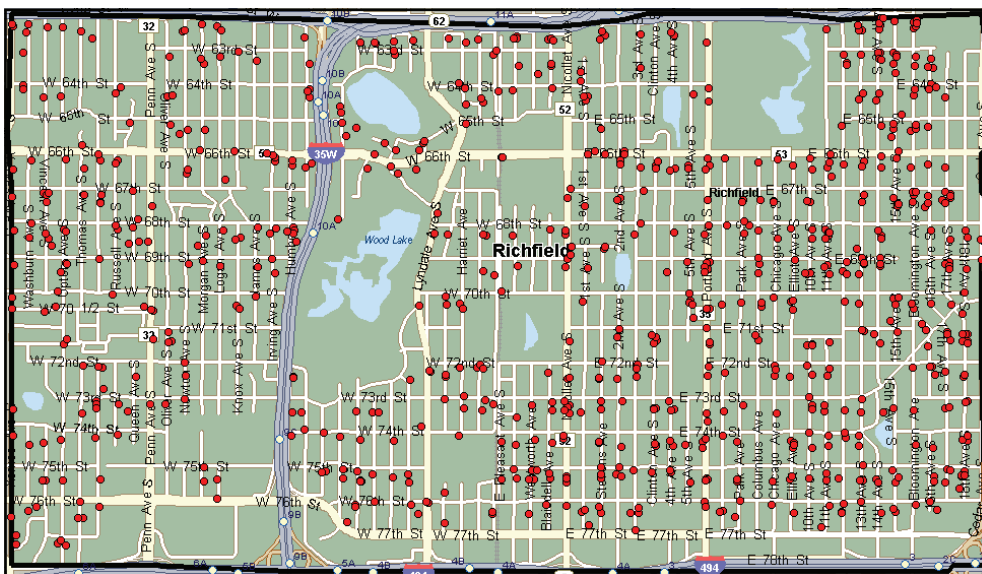
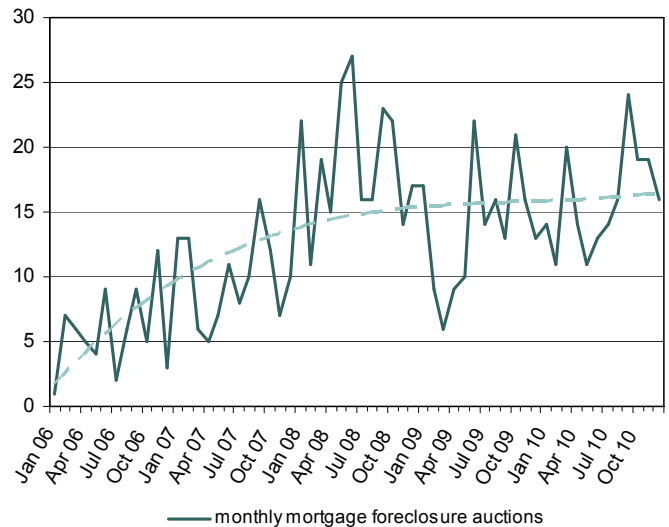
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More households are cost burdened* by housing costs: the percentage of homeowners with a mortgage who are cost burdened has increased 109% since 2000 and 261% since 1980 while the percentage of renters who are cost burdened has increased 35% since 2000 and 45% since 1980.



* According to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, households that spend more than 30% of their income on housing costs are considered cost burdened and may have difficulty affording necessities such as food, clothing, transportation, and medical care.

And foreclosures continue to increase: the number of mortgage foreclosure auctions has increased from 14 in the first quarter of 2006 to 54 in the fourth quarter of 2010, an increase of 286%.



Distribution of mortgage foreclosure auctions from January 1, 2006, through December 31, 2010 (N = 771)