

Land Use in the City of Wauwatosa

2020

Land Use Category	Acres	Percent of Total
Urban		
Residential	2,981	35.2
Commercial	687	8.1
Industrial	346	4.1
Transportation, Communications, and Utilities	1,952	23.1
Governmental and Institutional	789	9.2
Recreational	669	7.9
Non-Urban		
Agricultural	0	0.0
Wetlands	295	3.5
Woodland	210	2.5
Water	73	0.9
Other Open Lands	463	5.5
Total	8,465	100.0

2010

Land Use Category	Acres	Percent of Total
Urban		
Residential	2,954	34.9
Commercial	614	7.3
Industrial	423	5.0
Transportation, Communications, and Utilities	1,873	22.1
Governmental and Institutional	829	9.8
Recreational	683	8.1
Non-Urban		
Agricultural	0	0.0
Wetlands	257	3.0
Woodland	183	2.2
Water	71	0.8
Other Open Lands	578	6.8
Total	8,465	100.0

2000

Land Use Category	Acres	Percent of Total
Urban		
Residential	2,958	34.9
Commercial	505	6.0
Industrial	494	5.8
Transportation, Communications, and Utilities	1,884	22.3
Governmental and Institutional	903	10.7
Recreational	728	8.6
Non-Urban		
Agricultural	46	0.5
Wetlands	173	2.0
Woodland	229	2.7
Water	62	0.7
Other Open Lands	484	5.7
Total	8,466	100.0

Notes: Parking is included with the associated land use category.

Other open lands includes extractive, landfills, and unused lands.

Land use of municipalities located in multiple counties is presented in each county.

Source: Southeastern Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission