### Population

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<td>Total person</td>
<td>280,597</td>
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<tr>
<td>Persons in households</td>
<td>277,817</td>
<td>99.0%</td>
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<td>Persons in group quarters</td>
<td>2,716</td>
<td>1.0%</td>
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<td>Persons per square mile</td>
<td>20,039</td>
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### Growth in Population

- April 1st, 2010: Change 2,205 (0.8%)

### Race/Ethnicity

#### Race

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<td>White</td>
<td>114,168</td>
<td>40.7%</td>
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<td>Black or African American</td>
<td>19,867</td>
<td>7.1%</td>
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<td>American Indian and Alaska Native</td>
<td>1,228</td>
<td>0.4%</td>
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<td>Asian</td>
<td>74,055</td>
<td>26.4%</td>
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<td>Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander</td>
<td>626</td>
<td>0.2%</td>
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<td>Some Other Race</td>
<td>60,650</td>
<td>21.6%</td>
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<td>Two or More Races:</td>
<td>10,003</td>
<td>3.6%</td>
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#### Hispanic or Latino Origin by Race

- Not Hispanic or Latino: 179,486 (64%)
  - White: 76,704 (42.7%)
  - Black or African American: 18,926 (10.5%)
  - American Indian and Alaska Native: 587 (0.3%)
  - Asian: 73,551 (41.0%)
  - Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander: 541 (0.3%)
  - Some Other Race: 1,591 (0.9%)
  - Two or More Races: 7,576 (4.2%)

- Hispanic or Latino: 101,112 (36%)
  - White: 37,463 (37.1%)
  - Black or African American: 941 (0.9%)
  - American Indian and Alaska Native: 641 (0.6%)
  - Asian: 494 (0.5%)
  - Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander: 85 (0.1%)
  - Some Other Race: 59,059 (58.4%)
  - Two or More Races: 2,427 (2.4%)

### Gender

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<td>Total males</td>
<td>-1,198</td>
<td>-0.9%</td>
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<td>Total females</td>
<td>3,403</td>
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### Age

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<tr>
<td>Under 5 years old</td>
<td>-617</td>
<td>-3.7%</td>
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<td>5 to 9 years old</td>
<td>266</td>
<td>1.9%</td>
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<tr>
<td>10 to 17 years old</td>
<td>-3,005</td>
<td>-13.5%</td>
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#### School age (5 to 17 years old)

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<td>18 to 21 years old</td>
<td>-2,426</td>
<td>-18.8%</td>
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<td>22 to 34 years old</td>
<td>3,694</td>
<td>5.1%</td>
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<td>35 to 59 years old</td>
<td>-2,588</td>
<td>-2.6%</td>
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<td>60 to 64 years old</td>
<td>1,796</td>
<td>14.6%</td>
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<td>65 to 74 years old</td>
<td>4,015</td>
<td>27.0%</td>
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<td>75 or older</td>
<td>1,070</td>
<td>8.2%</td>
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### Housing

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<tr>
<td>Total units</td>
<td>6,208</td>
<td>4.9%</td>
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<td>Occupied units</td>
<td>1,411</td>
<td>1.2%</td>
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<td>Owner occupied</td>
<td>-37</td>
<td>-0.2%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Renter occupied</td>
<td>1,448</td>
<td>1.5%</td>
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### Population Pyramid

- **Female %**
- **Male %**

**HISPANIC OR LATINO and mixed race categories.**

**RACE** For the first time, since the year 2000 Census of Population and Housing permitted persons to check more than one category to define their race. The selection of categories and the option to choose more than one is strictly a matter of personal choice and personal preference. The choices are: White, Black or African American, American Indian and Alaska Native, Asian, Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander, Some Other Race, and Two or More Races.

**ETHNICITY** As in the two previous censuses, persons are also further self defined as being HISPANIC OR LATINO or NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO. It is important to note that this is a separate ETHNIC grouping as opposed to the RACIAL categories listed above.

*Represents 2010 Decennial Census.*
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DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE


POPULATION

Total person 280,597

HOUSING AND TENURE

Total dwelling units 132,040
Vacant units 14,653 11.1%
Occupied units 117,386 88.9%

CITIZENSHIP

Native born 152,903 54.5%
Foreign born - naturalized 54,201 19.3%
Foreign born - non citizen 73,493 26.2%

LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME

English only 47,059 40.1%
Spanish 30,377 25.9%
linguistic isolation 12,386 40.8%
Other Indo-European 8,590 7.3%
linguistic isolation 1,640 19.1%
Asian 28,790 24.5%
linguistic isolation 12,539 43.6%
Other language 2,569 2.2%
linguistic isolation 375 14.6%

HOUSING UNITS PER GROSS ACRE 14.7

DWELLING UNITS BY PRESENCE OF PEOPLE UNDER AGE 18

Persons in owner occupied units 51,607 18.6%
Persons per owner occupied unit 2.61
Persons in renter occupied units 226,210 81.4%
Persons per renter occupied unit 2.32

TOTAL FAMILIES 58,487

Persons in families 196,561
Persons per family 3.36

HOUSEHOLD and CHILDREN

Husband-wife family with people under age 18 62.2%
Male - no wife present with children under 18 11.8%
Female - no husband present with children under 18 25.4%
Nonfamily with children under age 18 0.5%

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MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME $49,632

PERSONS IN HOUSEHOLDS 277,817

1-person household 43,695 37.2%
2-person households 36,462 31.1%
3-person households 17,529 14.9%
4-person households 11,565 9.9%
5-person households 5,380 4.6%
6-person households 1,796 1.5%
7-or-more-person households 957 0.8%

FAMILY HOUSEHOLDS

Husband-wife 66,666 33%
Male householder, no wife present 6,436 6%
Female householder, no husband present 6,436 6%
Nonfamily 16,845 11%
POPULATION

Total person: 280,597

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

Total enrolled in school: 58,675 (20.9%)
- Nursery school, preschool: 4,100 (1.5%)
- Kindergarten: 3,400 (1.2%)
- Grade 1 to grade 4: 10,982 (3.9%)
- Grade 5 to grade 8: 9,642 (3.4%)
- Grade 9 to grade 12: 10,023 (3.6%)
- College, undergraduate years: 15,185 (5.4%)
- Graduate or professional school: 5,343 (1.9%)

Total not enrolled in school: 211,505 (75.4%)

POVERTY by AGE GROUP

Income in the past 12 months below poverty level:
- All persons: 46,522 (16.6%)
  - Children in poverty (less than 12 years old): 8,080 (2.9%)
  - Youth in poverty (12 to 17 years of age): 3,265 (1.2%)
  - Senior in poverty (65 years and older): 6,376 (2.3%)
  - All other persons in poverty: 28,801 (10.3%)

Income in the past 12 months at or above poverty level:
- All persons: 232,840 (83.0%)

POVERTY by EDUCATION ATTAINMENT

Income in the past 12 months below poverty:
- Less than high school graduate: 9,406 (3.4%)
- High school graduate (includes equivalency): 6,692 (2.4%)
- Some college, associate’s degree: 5,749 (2.0%)
- Bachelor’s degree or higher: 8,319 (3.0%)

Income in the past 12 months at/above poverty:
- Less than high school graduate: 29,349 (10.5%)
- High school graduate (includes equivalency): 29,933 (10.7%)
- Some college, associate’s degree: 34,295 (12.2%)
- Bachelor’s degree or higher: 83,168 (29.6%)

UNITS IN STRUCTURE

Total dwelling units: 132,040
- Single housing units: 17,223 (13.0%)
- Multiple housing units: 114,475 (86.7%)
- Mobile and other units: 338 (0.3%)

EMPLOYMENT

Males employed: 86,097 (30.7%)
Males unemployed: 4,312 (4.8%)
Females employed: 74,679 (26.6%)
Females unemployed: 4,128 (5.2%)
Females not in labor force: 42,561 (15.2%)

YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT

Built 2014 or later: 2,347 (1.8%)
Built 2010 to 2013: 1,887 (1.4%)
Built 2000 to 2009: 6,946 (5.3%)
Built 1990 to 1999: 7,008 (5.3%)
Built 1980 to 1989: 10,831 (8.2%)
Built 1970 to 1969: 14,858 (11.3%)
Built 1960 to 1959: 11,291 (8.6%)
Built 1950 to 1949: 11,915 (9.0%)
Built 1939 or earlier: 50,979 (38.6%)

Information included in this report comes from the 2015-2019 American Community Survey (ACS) 5-year estimates. The ACS produces period estimates of socioeconomic and housing characteristics. It is designed to provide estimates that describe the average characteristics of an area over a specific time period. For example, the 2010-2014 ACS 5-year estimates describe the population and housing characteristics of an area for the period January 1, 2010 through December 31, 2014.

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