

Demographic Profile Belle Vernon Public Library

Population Growth: The total population of the Belle Vernon Public Library service area decreased by -11.0 percent over the past decade to 7,562; this decline rate was lower than the statewide rate of 3.4 percent.

Age and Sex: In 2010, the Belle Vernon Public Library service area had a total population of 7,562 - 3,532 males (46.7 percent) and 4,030 females (53.3 percent). The age structure of the population in 2010 was as follows: 21.5 percent of the population was under 20 years old, 56.4 percent was 20 to 64 years old and 22.1 percent was 65 years or older.

Race and Ethnicity: For people reporting one race alone, not of Hispanic ethnicity, 95.3 percent were White; 1.9 percent were Black or African American; 1.9 percent were Other Race Alone.¹ A total of 68 or .9 percent of the population were Hispanic.²

Households: In 2010, there were 3,374 households in the Belle Vernon Public Library service area. The average household size was 2.23 people. Families made up 61.7 percent of the households. This figure includes both families with (22.5 percent) and without (39.2 percent) children. Of families with children less than 18 years old, 14.0 percent were married-couple families, 6.0 percent were female householder families with no husband present, and the remaining (2.5 percent) were male-headed households with no wife present.

Education: The educational attainment of the population 25 years and over was lower in the Belle Vernon Public Library service area than in Pennsylvania. During the period 2008-2012, 16.6 percent of residents had earned a Bachelor's degree or higher, compared with 27.0 percent statewide. A total of 741 or 13.4 percent had not completed high school, compared with 11.7 percent for the commonwealth as a whole.

Income and Poverty: Households with incomes of less than \$25,000 (35.2 percent) made up the largest percent of households in the Belle Vernon Public Library service area in 2008-2012. For comparison, 23.6 percent of commonwealth households were in this range during the period.

In 2008-2012, the overall poverty rate for the Belle Vernon Public Library service area was higher than Pennsylvania (13.7 percent compared to 13.1 percent). The poverty rate for the population under 18 years of age was 18.3 percent, compared with 14.4 percent of people 18 to 64 years and 8.1 percent for those aged 65 years and over. A total of 163 or 8.0 percent of all families had incomes below poverty level. In 2008-2012, 14.2 percent of families with related children and 34.4 percent of families with a female householder and no husband with related children present had incomes below the poverty level.

Class of Worker and Occupation: In 2008-2012, 80.8 percent of the workforce was private wage and salary workers; 10.2 percent were federal, state, or local government workers; and 8.4 percent were self-employed in their own (not incorporated) business.

The top occupation group for the civilian employed population 16 years and over in the Belle Vernon Public Library service area in 2008-2012 was Management, business, science, and arts (26.0 percent).

¹ Other race includes those who identified themselves as American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian, Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander, Some Other Race and Two or More Races on the 2010 Census form.

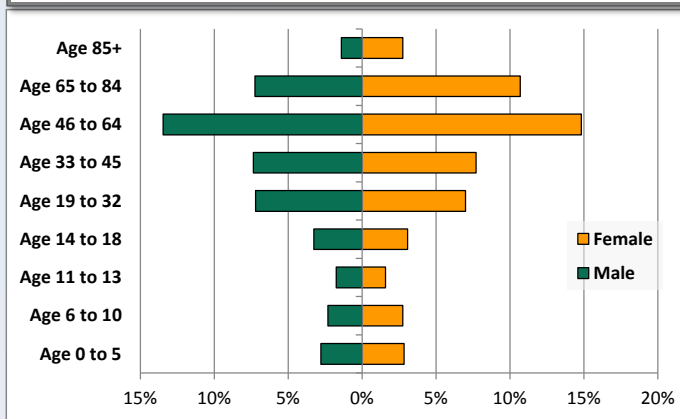
² People of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

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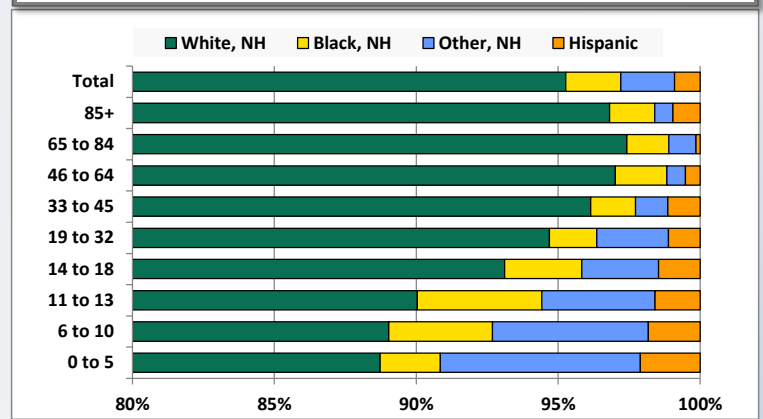
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Key Indicators		
	2000	2010
Population Growth		
Total Population	8,493	7,562
10-Year Growth	N/A	-11.0%
Diversity		
White Alone, Non-Hispanic	97.3%	95.3%
Black Alone, Non-Hispanic	1.3%	1.9%
Other Race Alone, Non-Hispanic	0.9%	1.9%
Percent Hispanic	0.5%	0.9%
Aging		
Percent 65 Years and Over	25.0%	22.1%
Households		
Percent Married Couple with Own Children	17.2%	14.0%
Percent Living Alone	32.6%	33.2%

Population by Library-Defined Age Group, 2010



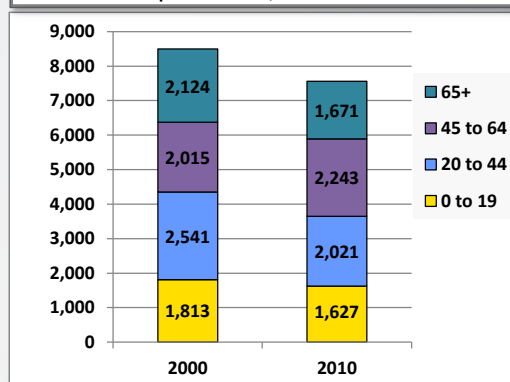
Race/Ethnicity by Library-Defined Age Group, 2010



Population Growth by Library-Defined Age Group, 2000 to 2010

Age Group	2010	Change	
		Numeric	Percent
Total	7,562	-931	-11.0%
85+	313	-5	-1.6%
65 to 84	1,358	-448	-24.8%
46 to 64	2,139	245	12.9%
33 to 45	1,140	-343	-23.1%
19 to 32	1,073	-187	-14.8%
14 to 18	479	24	5.3%
11 to 13	251	-40	-13.7%
6 to 10	383	-94	-19.7%
0 to 5	426	-83	-16.3%

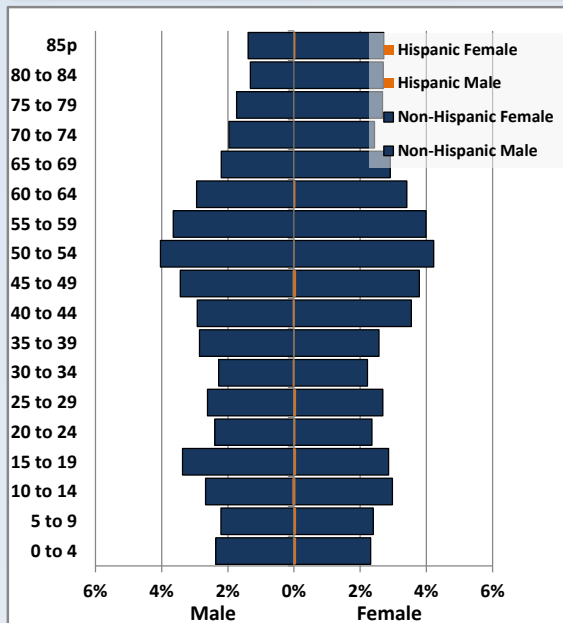
Population Total, 2000 and 2010



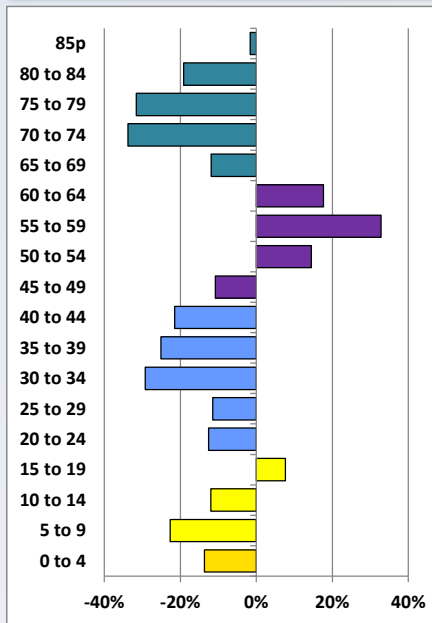
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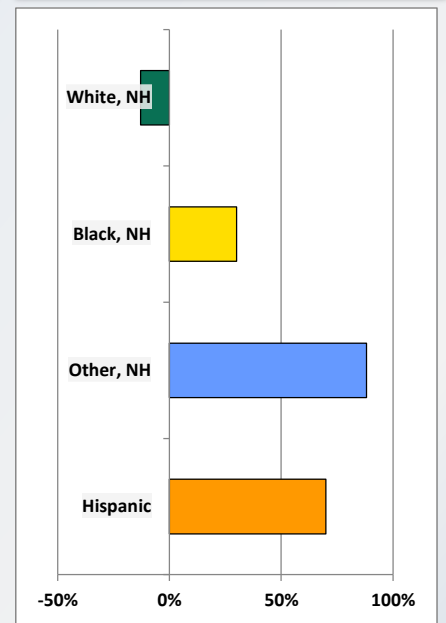
Population by 5-Year Age Cohorts



Pop Change by Age, 2000 to 2010

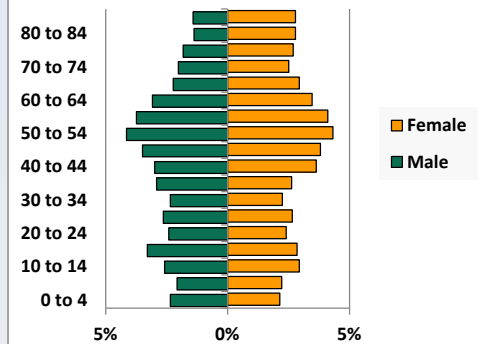


Pop Change by Race/Ethnicity, 2000 to 2010

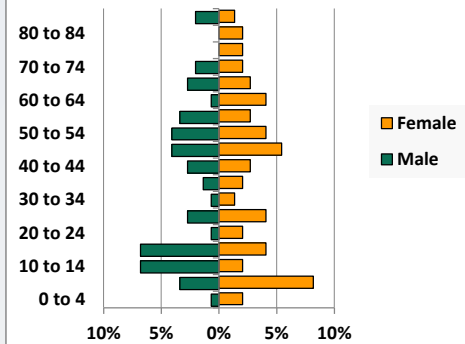


Population by Age, Race and Ethnicity 2010

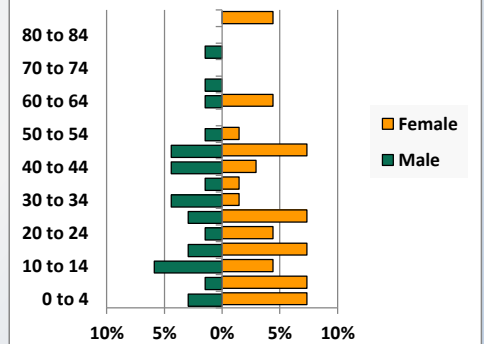
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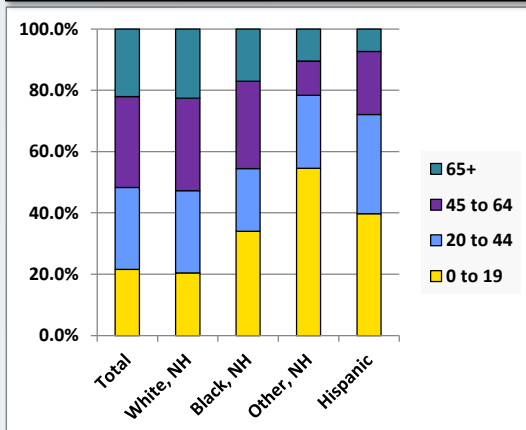
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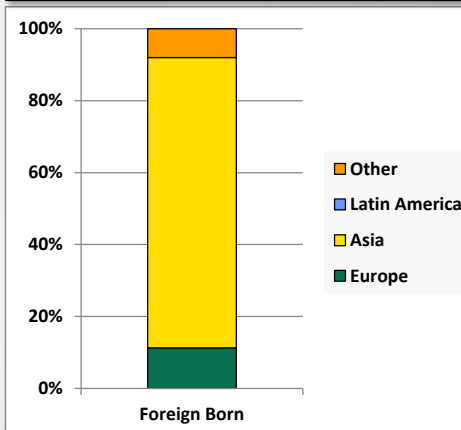
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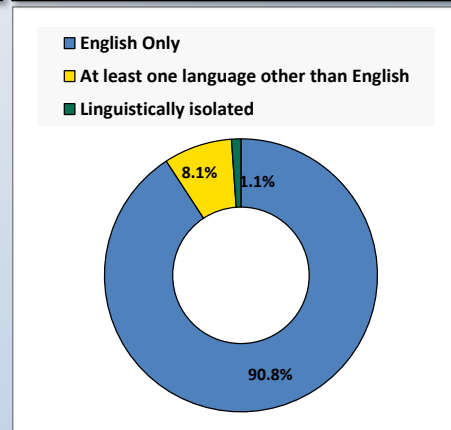
Age by Race and Ethnicity, 2010



Foreign Born, 2010



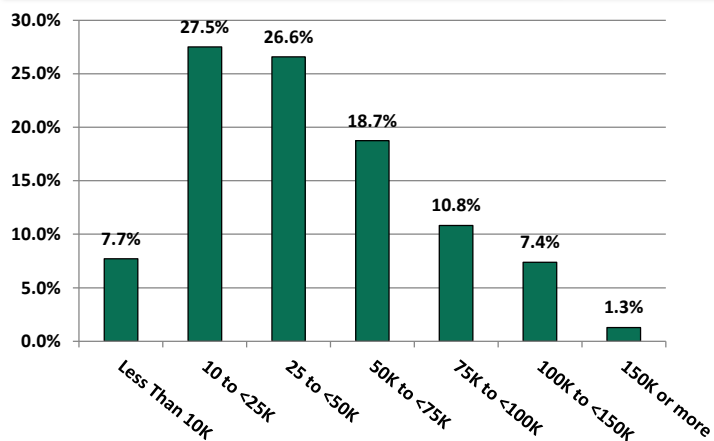
Household Language, 2010



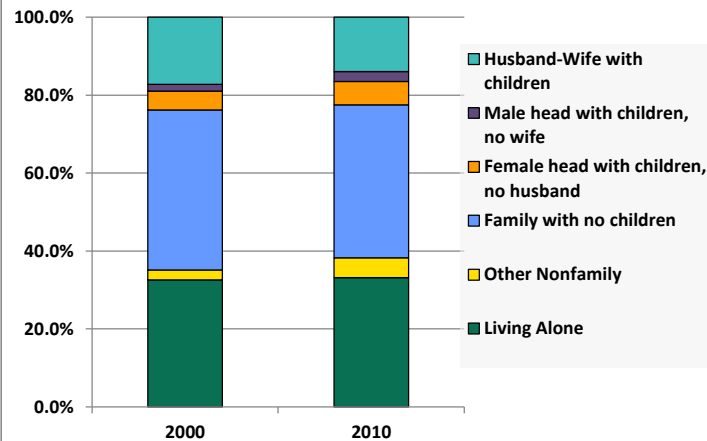
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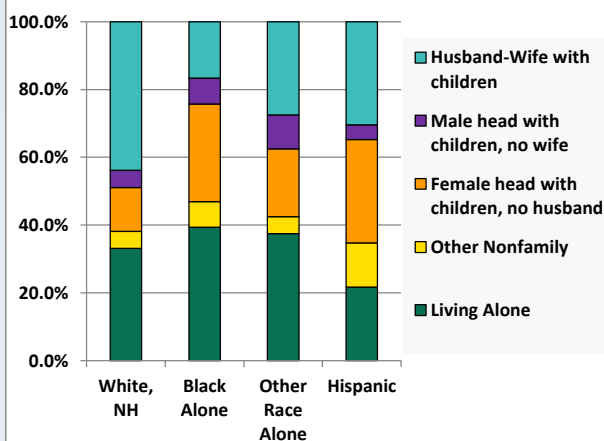
Household Income Distribution, 2008-2012



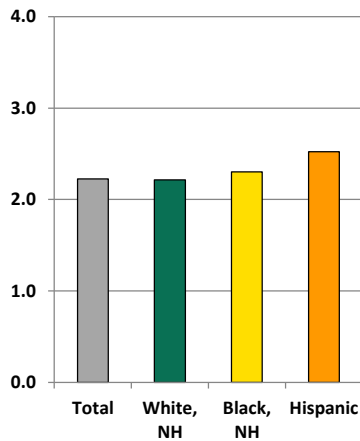
Household Type, 2000 and 2010



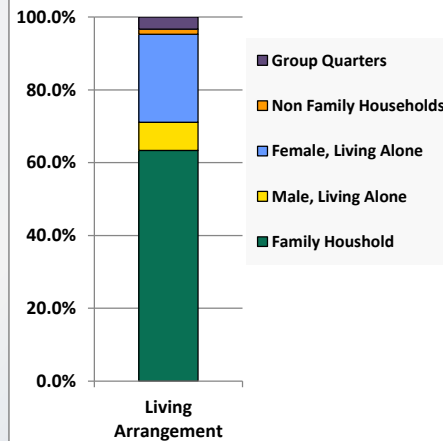
Household Type by Race/Ethnicity, 2010



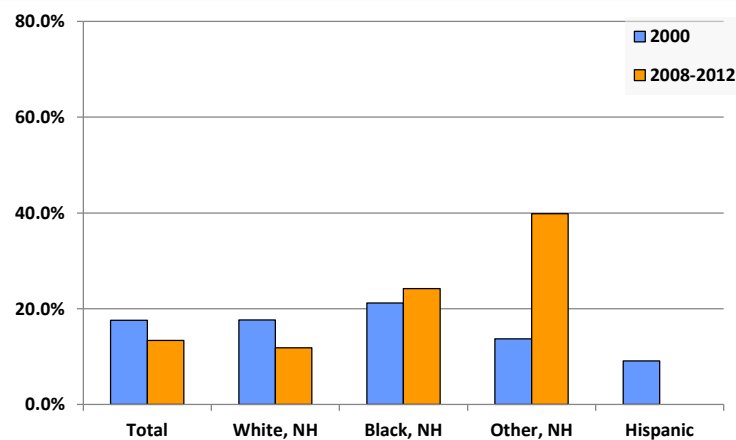
Average Household Size, 2010



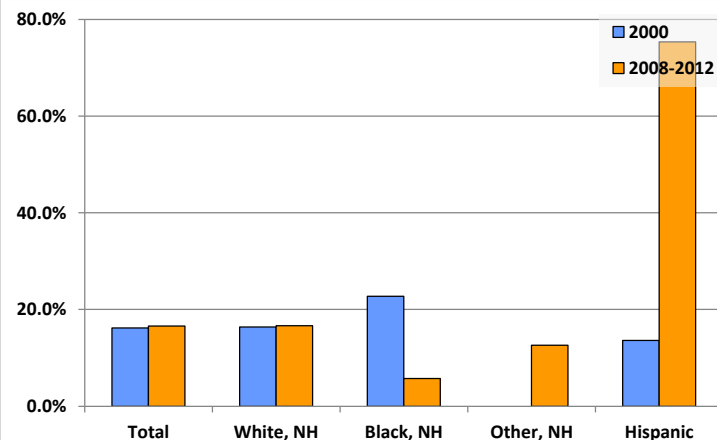
Living Arrangements 65+, 2008-2012



Percent of Adults that Did Not Complete High School



Percent of Adults Who Attained a Bachelor's Degree or Higher



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					Detail for Other, Non-Hispanic					
	Total Population	White, Non- Hispanic	Black, Non- Hispanic	Other, Non- Hispanic	AIAN	Asian	NHOPI	Some Other	Two or More	Hispanic or
								Race	Races	Latino
A. Total Population										
2000 Total	8,493	8,264	113	76	12	25	2	4	33	40
2000 pct of Total	100.0%	97.3%	1.3%	0.9%	0.1%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	0.5%
2010 Total	7,562	7,204	147	143	9	34	5	8	87	68
2010 pct of Total	100.0%	95.3%	1.9%	1.9%	0.1%	0.4%	0.1%	0.1%	1.2%	0.9%
B. Population by Major Age Groups by Race and Ethnicity										
2000										
0-19	1,813	1,737	30	29	7	5	1	3	13	17
20-64	4,556	4,441	57	42	5	19	1	1	16	16
65+	2,124	2,086	26	5	0	1	0	0	4	7
85+	318	310	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
2010										
0-19	1,627	1,472	50	78	3	10	4	4	57	27
20-64	4,264	4,106	72	50	6	16	1	2	25	36
65+	1,671	1,626	25	15	0	8	0	2	5	5
85+	313	303	5	2	0	0	0	0	2	3
C. Age Mix for Each Racial and Ethnic Group										
2000										
0-19	21.3%	21.0%	26.5%	38.2%	58.3%	20.0%	50.0%	75.0%	39.4%	42.5%
20-64	53.6%	53.7%	50.4%	55.3%	41.7%	76.0%	50.0%	25.0%	48.5%	40.0%
65+	25.0%	25.2%	23.0%	6.6%	0.0%	4.0%	0.0%	0.0%	12.1%	17.5%
85+	3.7%	3.8%	6.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.5%
2010										
0-19	21.5%	20.4%	34.0%	54.5%	33.3%	29.4%	80.0%	50.0%	65.5%	39.7%
20-64	56.4%	57.0%	49.0%	35.0%	66.7%	47.1%	20.0%	25.0%	28.7%	52.9%
65+	22.1%	22.6%	17.0%	10.5%	0.0%	23.5%	0.0%	25.0%	5.7%	7.4%
85+	4.1%	4.2%	3.4%	1.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.3%	4.4%
D. Racial and Ethnic Composition of Each Age Group										
2000										
0-19	100.0%	95.8%	1.7%	1.6%	0.4%	0.3%	0.1%	0.2%	0.7%	0.9%
20-64	100.0%	97.5%	1.3%	0.9%	0.1%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	0.4%
65+	100.0%	98.2%	1.2%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.3%
85+	100.0%	97.5%	2.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%
2010										
0-19	100.0%	90.5%	3.1%	4.8%	0.2%	0.6%	0.2%	0.2%	3.5%	1.7%
20-64	100.0%	96.3%	1.7%	1.2%	0.1%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.6%	0.8%
65+	100.0%	97.3%	1.5%	0.9%	0.0%	0.5%	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%	0.3%
85+	100.0%	96.8%	1.6%	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.6%	1.0%
E. Population Growth										
2000-2010, Change										
0-19	-186	-265	20	49	-4	5	3	1	44	10
20-64	-292	-335	15	8	1	-3	0	1	9	20
65+	-453	-460	-1	10	0	7	0	2	1	-2
85+	-5	-7	-2	2	0	0	0	0	2	2
Total	-931	-1,060	34	67	-3	9	3	4	54	28
2000-2010, Pct Change										
0-19	-10.3%	-15.3%	66.7%	169.0%	-57.1%	100.0%	300.0%	33.3%	338.5%	58.8%
20-64	-6.4%	-7.5%	26.3%	19.0%	20.0%	-15.8%	0.0%	100.0%	56.3%	125.0%
65+	-21.3%	-22.1%	-3.8%	200.0%	0.0%	700.0%	0.0%	0.0%	25.0%	-28.6%
85+	-1.6%	-2.3%	-28.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	200.0%
Total	-11.0%	-12.8%	30.1%	88.2%	-25.0%	36.0%	150.0%	100.0%	163.6%	70.0%

Source: Decennial Census 2010, 2000, American Community Survey 2008-2012

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	Total Population	White, Non- Hispanic	Black, Non- Hispanic	Other, Non- Hispanic	Detail for Other, Non-Hispanic					Hispanic or Latino
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								Race	Races	
F. Population by Library-Defined Age Groups, 2010										
0-5	426	378	9	30	3	1	1	3	22	9
6-10	383	341	14	21	0	4	1	0	16	7
11-13	251	226	11	10	0	1	1	0	8	4
14-18	479	446	13	13	0	4	1	0	8	7
19-32	1,073	1,016	18	27	0	3	1	3	20	12
33-45	1,140	1,096	18	13	3	8	0	0	2	13
46-64	2,139	2,075	39	14	3	5	0	0	6	11
65-84	1,358	1,323	20	13	0	8	0	2	3	2
85+	313	303	5	2	0	0	0	0	2	3
Total	7,562	7,204	147	143	9	34	5	8	87	68
G. Population by 5-Year Age Cohorts, 2010										
0-4	361	323	4	27	3	1	1	3	19	7
5-9	354	309	17	22	0	4	1	0	17	6
10-14	434	398	13	16	0	2	2	0	12	7
15-19	478	442	16	13	0	3	0	1	9	7
20-24	363	347	4	8	0	0	0	2	6	4
25-29	408	381	10	10	0	2	0	0	8	7
30-34	344	331	3	6	0	1	1	0	4	4
35-39	412	399	5	6	1	5	0	0	0	2
40-44	494	477	8	4	1	2	0	0	1	5
45-49	554	525	14	7	4	2	0	0	1	8
50-54	626	609	12	3	0	1	0	0	2	2
55-59	578	565	9	4	0	2	0	0	2	0
60-64	485	472	7	2	0	1	0	0	1	4
65-69	387	372	8	6	0	2	0	2	2	1
70-74	333	326	6	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
75-79	334	325	3	5	0	4	0	0	1	1
80-84	304	300	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
85-89	203	195	5	1	0	0	0	0	1	2
90-94	87	86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
95-99	21	20	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
100+	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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H. Income Distribution, 2008-2012

Range (in thousands)	Households	Pct of Total
<\$10K	251	7.7%
\$10K to <\$25K	895	27.5%
\$25K to <\$50K	865	26.6%
\$50K to <\$75K	610	18.7%
\$75K to <\$100K	352	10.8%
\$100K to <\$150K	240	7.4%
\$150K+	42	1.3%

I. Household Type, 2010

Household Type	2000	2000pct	2010	2010pct
Total Households	3,647	100.0%	3,374	100.0%
Family Households	2,364	64.8%	2,082	61.7%
Husband-wife, no children w/children	628	17.2%	472	14.0%
Female head, no husband, w/ children	178	4.9%	204	6.0%
Male head, no wife, w/ children	63	1.7%	84	2.5%
Without children	1,495	41.0%	1,322	39.2%
Nonfamily households	1,283	35.2%	1,292	38.3%
Living alone	1,189	32.6%	1,120	33.2%
Other nonfamily	94	2.6%	172	5.1%

J. Household Type by Race and Ethnicity, 2008-2012

Household Type	White, NH	Black, NH	Other, NH	Hispanic
Total Households	3,251	66	40	23
Husband wife family	43.8%	16.7%	27.5%	30.4%
Family with male head, no wife	5.2%	7.6%	10.0%	4.3%
family with female head, no husband	12.9%	28.8%	20.0%	30.4%
Living alone	33.1%	39.4%	37.5%	21.7%
Other nonfamily	5.0%	7.6%	5.0%	13.0%

K. Poverty, 2008-2012

Families	Poverty	PA
All families	8.0%	9.1%
Families w/ related children	14.2%	15.3%
Female householder, no husband present	22.5%	28.8%
Female householder, no husband present, w/ related children	34.4%	39.2%
All people	13.7%	13.1%
Under 18 years	18.3%	18.4%
18 to 64 years	14.4%	12.3%
65 years and over	8.1%	8.4%

L. Educational Attainment by Race and Ethnicity, 2008-2012

Education Level	White, NH	Black	Other	Hispanic	Total
Population 25 years and over	5,099	157	246	65	5,549
Less than high school	11.9%	24.2%	40%	0.0%	13.4%
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	46.4%	56.1%	2%	10.8%	44.5%
Some college or associates degree	25.1%	14.0%	45%	13.8%	25.6%
Bachelors degree or higher	16.7%	5.7%	13%	75.4%	16.6%

M. Occupation, 2008-2012

Occupation	Estimate	Percent
Civilian population age 16 years and over	3,257	100.0%
Management, professional, and related occupations	847	26.0%
Service occupations	773	23.7%
Sales and office occupations	822	25.2%
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	7	0.2%
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations	277	8.5%
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	531	16.3%

N. Class of Worker, 2008-2012

Occupation	Estimate	Percent
Civilian population age 16 years and over	3,257	100.0%
Private, for profit, wage and salary employee	2,160	66.3%
Private, not for profit, wage and salary employee	384	11.8%
Private, for profit, wage and salary self-employed in own business	88	2.7%
Government workers	332	10.2%
Self-employed in own not incorporated business	275	8.4%
Unpaid family workers in family business	18	0.6%