

Demographic Profile Whitehall Township Public Library

Population Growth: The total population of the Whitehall Township Public Library service area increased by 7.4 percent over the past decade to 26,738; this growth rate was higher than the statewide rate of 3.4 percent.

Age and Sex: In 2010, the Whitehall Township Public Library service area had a total population of 26,738 - 12,713 males (47.5 percent) and 14,025 females (52.5 percent). The age structure of the population in 2010 was as follows: 23.4 percent of the population was under 20 years old, 58.5 percent was 20 to 64 years old and 18.1 percent was 65 years or older.

Race and Ethnicity: For people reporting one race alone, not of Hispanic ethnicity, 78.1 percent were White; 5.2 percent were Black or African American; 6.0 percent were Other Race Alone.¹ A total of 2,852 or 10.7 percent of the population were Hispanic.²

Households: In 2010, there were 11,039 households in the Whitehall Township Public Library service area. The average household size was 2.40 people. Families made up 64.7 percent of the households. This figure includes both families with (27.2 percent) and without (37.4 percent) children. Of families with children less than 18 years old, 18.9 percent were married-couple families, 6.1 percent were female householder families with no husband present, and the remaining (2.2 percent) were male-headed households with no wife present.

Education: The educational attainment of the population 25 years and over was lower in the Whitehall Township Public Library service area than in Pennsylvania. During the period 2008-2012, 23.7 percent of residents had earned a Bachelor's degree or higher, compared with 27.0 percent statewide. A total of 2,368 or 12.4 percent had not completed high school, compared with 11.7 percent for the commonwealth as a whole.

Income and Poverty: Households with incomes of \$25,000 to \$49,999 (28.0 percent) made up the largest percent of households in the Whitehall Township Public Library service area in 2008-2012. For comparison, 24.4 percent of commonwealth households were in this range during the period.

In 2008-2012, the overall poverty rate for the Whitehall Township Public Library service area was lower than Pennsylvania (7.7 percent compared to 13.1 percent). The poverty rate for the population under 18 years of age was 11.5 percent, compared with 6.4 percent of people 18 to 64 years and 7.7 percent for those aged 65 years and over. A total of 419 or 5.6 percent of all families had incomes below poverty level. In 2008-2012, 8.8 percent of families with related children and 18.9 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, 85.8 percent of the workforce was private wage and salary workers; 11.4 percent were federal, state, or local government workers; and 2.9 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 Whitehall Township Public Library service area in 2008-2012 was Management, business, science, and arts (31.8 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.

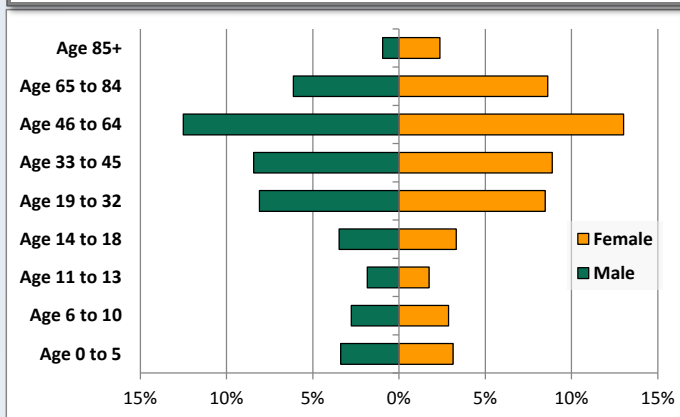
² People of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

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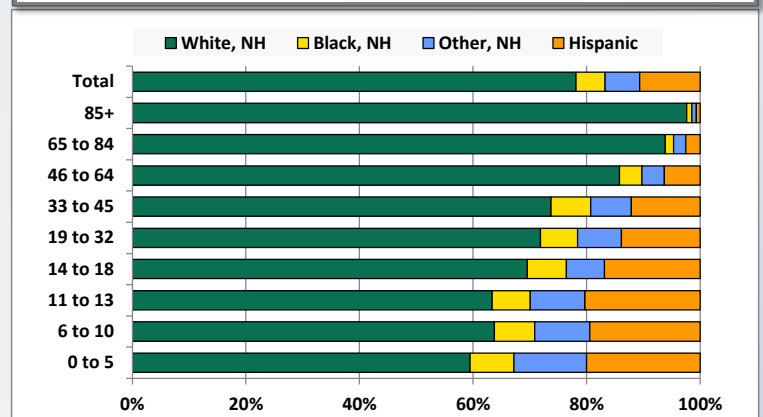
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Key Indicators		
	2000	2010
Population Growth		
Total Population	24,896	26,738
10-Year Growth	N/A	7.4%
Diversity		
White Alone, Non-Hispanic	88.4%	78.1%
Black Alone, Non-Hispanic	2.5%	5.2%
Other Race Alone, Non-Hispanic	4.7%	6.0%
Percent Hispanic	4.4%	10.7%
Aging		
Percent 65 Years and Over	18.1%	18.1%
Households		
Percent Married Couple with Own Children	21.0%	18.9%
Percent Living Alone	28.6%	28.9%

Population by Library-Defined Age Group, 2010



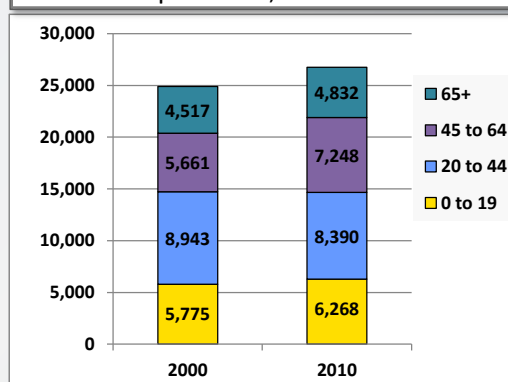
Race/Ethnicity by Library-Defined Age Group, 2010



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

Age Group	2010	Change	
		Numeric	Percent
Total	26,738	1,842	7.4%
85+	890	388	77.3%
65 to 84	3,942	-73	-1.8%
46 to 64	6,827	1,553	29.4%
33 to 45	4,628	-577	-11.1%
19 to 32	4,430	66	1.5%
14 to 18	1,819	351	23.9%
11 to 13	956	49	5.4%
6 to 10	1,508	3	0.2%
0 to 5	1,738	82	5.0%

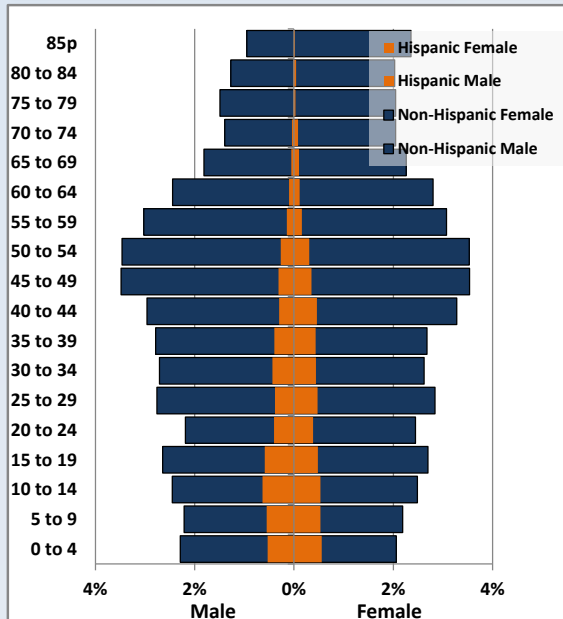
Population Total, 2000 and 2010



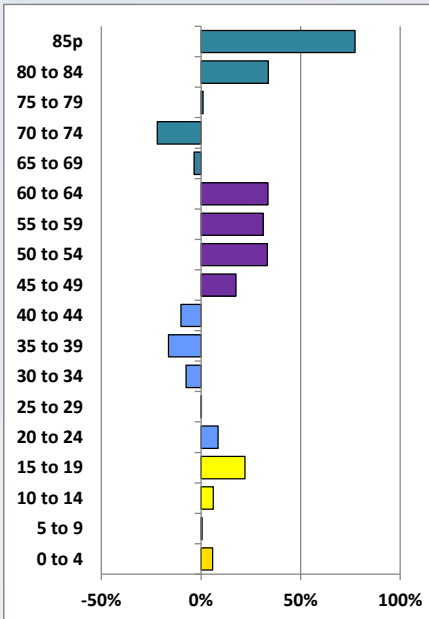
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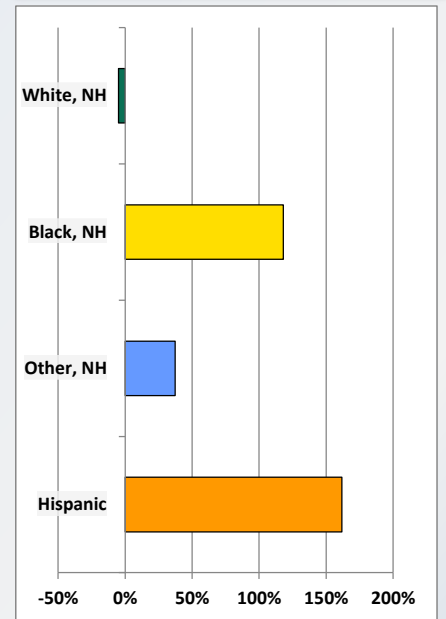
Population by 5-Year Age Cohorts



Pop Change by Age, 2000 to 2010

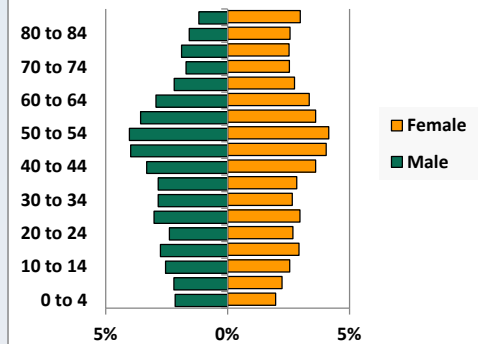


Pop Change by Race/Ethnicity, 2000 to 2010

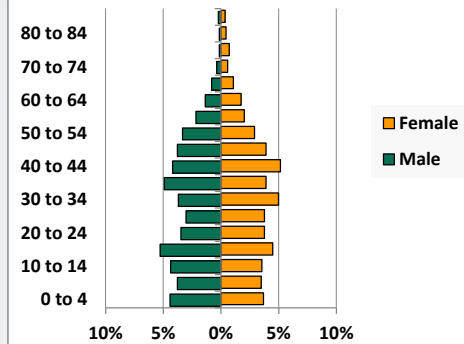


Population by Age, Race and Ethnicity 2010

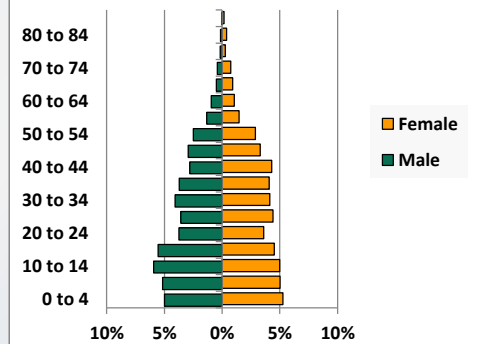
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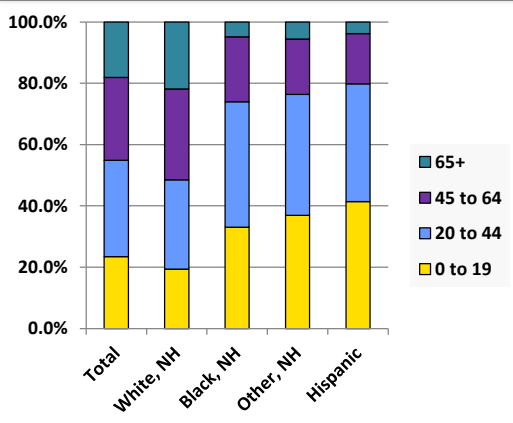
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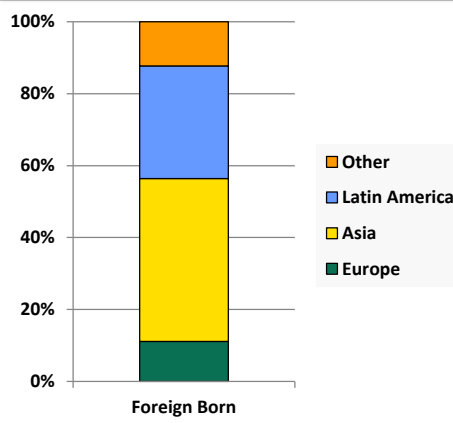
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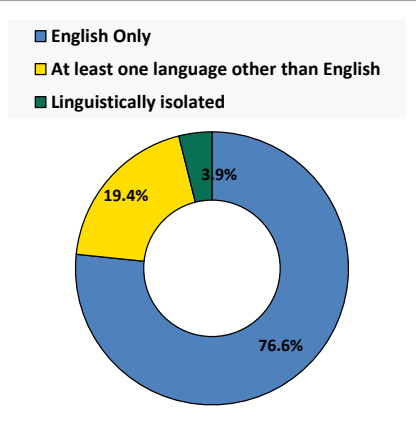
Age by Race and Ethnicity, 2010



Foreign Born, 2010



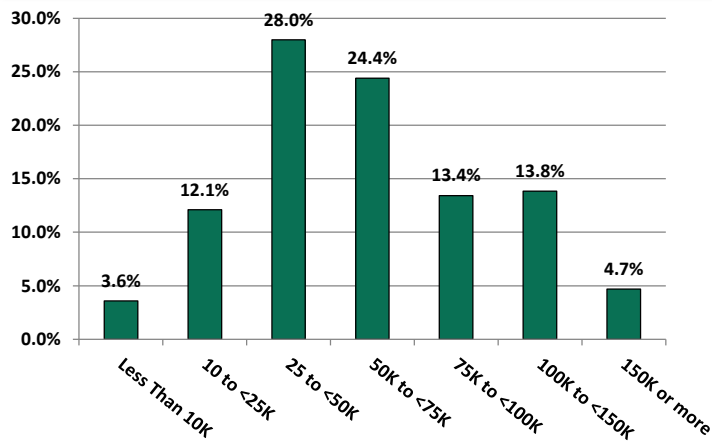
Household Language, 2010



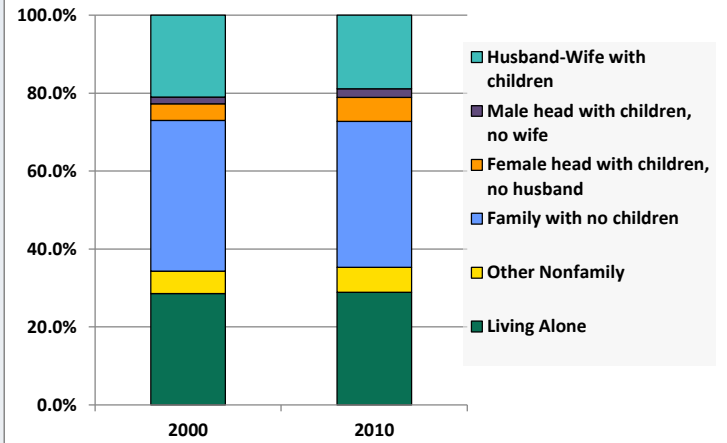
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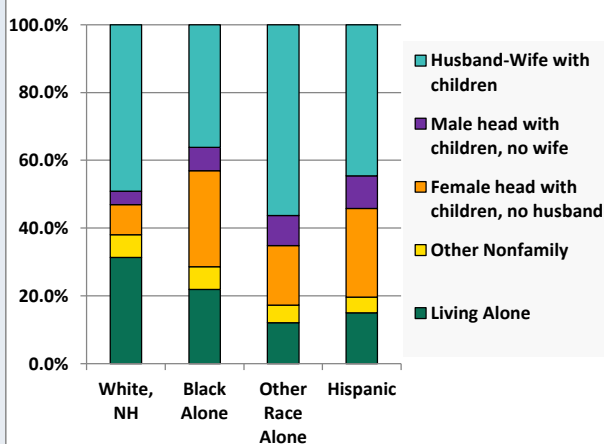
Household Income Distribution, 2008-2012



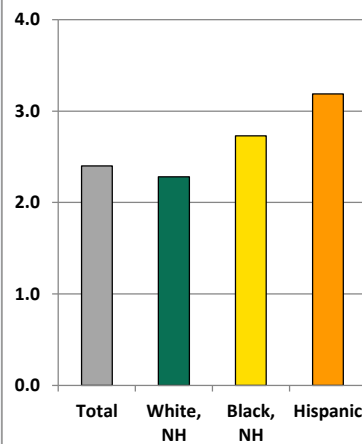
Household Type, 2000 and 2010



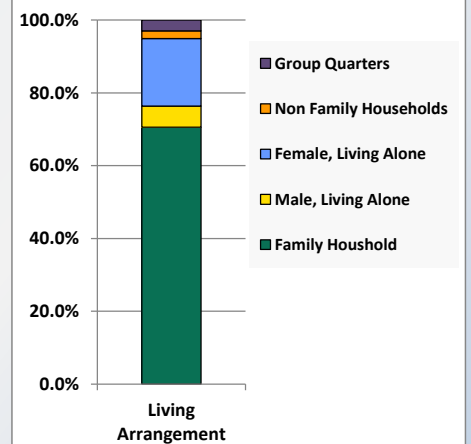
Household Type by Race/Ethnicity, 2010



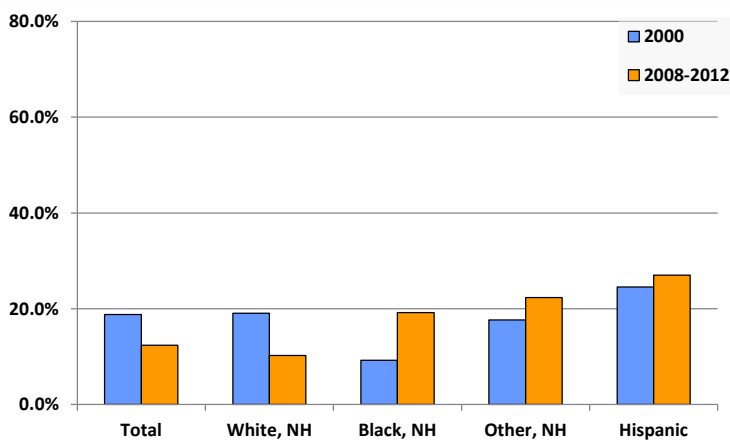
Average Household Size, 2010



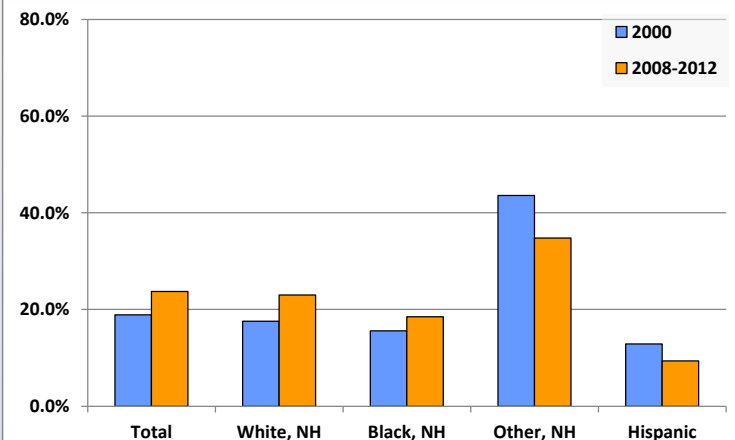
Living Arrangements 65+, 2008-2012



Percent of Adults that Did Not Complete High School



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



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	Total Population	White, Non- Hispanic	Black, Non- Hispanic	Other, Non- Hispanic	Detail for Other, Non-Hispanic					Hispanic or Latino
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A. Total Population										
2000 Total	24,896	21,996	633	1,178	20	896	12	28	222	1,089
2000 pct of Total	100.0%	88.4%	2.5%	4.7%	0.1%	3.6%	0.0%	0.1%	0.9%	4.4%
2010 Total	26,738	20,888	1,381	1,617	30	1,097	4	50	436	2,852
2010 pct of Total	100.0%	78.1%	5.2%	6.0%	0.1%	4.1%	0.0%	0.2%	1.6%	10.7%
B. Population by Major Age Groups by Race and Ethnicity										
2000										
0-19	5,775	4,719	216	395	3	279	4	13	96	445
20-64	14,604	12,874	389	736	17	587	8	15	109	605
65+	4,517	4,403	28	47	0	30	0	0	17	39
85+	502	496	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	3
2010										
0-19	6,268	4,036	456	596	5	339	1	25	226	1,180
20-64	15,638	12,284	858	931	24	699	2	24	182	1,565
65+	4,832	4,568	67	90	1	59	1	1	28	107
85+	890	869	8	7	0	1	0	0	6	6
C. Age Mix for Each Racial and Ethnic Group										
2000										
0-19	23.2%	21.5%	34.1%	33.5%	15.0%	31.1%	33.3%	46.4%	43.2%	40.9%
20-64	58.7%	58.5%	61.5%	62.5%	85.0%	65.5%	66.7%	53.6%	49.1%	55.6%
65+	18.1%	20.0%	4.4%	4.0%	0.0%	3.3%	0.0%	0.0%	7.7%	3.6%
85+	2.0%	2.3%	0.3%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%	0.3%
2010										
0-19	23.4%	19.3%	33.0%	36.9%	16.7%	30.9%	25.0%	50.0%	51.8%	41.4%
20-64	58.5%	58.8%	62.1%	57.6%	80.0%	63.7%	50.0%	48.0%	41.7%	54.9%
65+	18.1%	21.9%	4.9%	5.6%	3.3%	5.4%	25.0%	2.0%	6.4%	3.8%
85+	3.3%	4.2%	0.6%	0.4%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	1.4%	0.2%
D. Racial and Ethnic Composition of Each Age Group										
2000										
0-19	100.0%	81.7%	3.7%	6.8%	0.1%	4.8%	0.1%	0.2%	1.7%	7.7%
20-64	100.0%	88.2%	2.7%	5.0%	0.1%	4.0%	0.1%	0.1%	0.7%	4.1%
65+	100.0%	97.5%	0.6%	1.0%	0.0%	0.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	0.9%
85+	100.0%	98.8%	0.4%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.6%
2010										
0-19	100.0%	64.4%	7.3%	9.5%	0.1%	5.4%	0.0%	0.4%	3.6%	18.8%
20-64	100.0%	78.6%	5.5%	6.0%	0.2%	4.5%	0.0%	0.2%	1.2%	10.0%
65+	100.0%	94.5%	1.4%	1.9%	0.0%	1.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.6%	2.2%
85+	100.0%	97.6%	0.9%	0.8%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.7%	0.7%
E. Population Growth										
2000-2010, Change										
0-19	493	-683	240	201	2	60	-3	12	130	735
20-64	1,034	-590	469	195	7	112	-6	9	73	960
65+	315	165	39	43	1	29	1	1	11	68
85+	388	373	6	6	0	1	0	0	5	3
Total	1,842	-1,108	748	439	10	201	-8	22	214	1,763
2000-2010, Pct Change										
0-19	8.5%	-14.5%	111.1%	50.9%	66.7%	21.5%	-75.0%	92.3%	135.4%	165.2%
20-64	7.1%	-4.6%	120.6%	26.5%	41.2%	19.1%	-75.0%	60.0%	67.0%	158.7%
65+	7.0%	3.7%	139.3%	91.5%	0.0%	96.7%	0.0%	0.0%	64.7%	174.4%
85+	77.3%	75.2%	300.0%	600.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	500.0%	100.0%
Total	7.4%	-5.0%	118.2%	37.3%	50.0%	22.4%	-66.7%	78.6%	96.4%	161.9%

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

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								Race	Races	
F. Population by Library-Defined Age Groups, 2010										
0-5	1,738	1,034	134	222	1	134	1	6	80	348
6-10	1,508	962	107	146	2	81	0	6	57	293
11-13	956	606	64	92	1	48	0	4	39	194
14-18	1,819	1,265	126	122	1	65	0	8	48	306
19-32	4,430	3,184	290	343	9	256	1	14	63	613
33-45	4,628	3,412	324	331	9	248	0	7	67	561
46-64	6,827	5,857	269	271	6	206	1	4	54	430
65-84	3,942	3,699	59	83	1	58	1	1	22	101
85+	890	869	8	7	0	1	0	0	6	6
Total	26,738	20,888	1,381	1,617	30	1,097	4	50	436	2,852
G. Population by 5-Year Age Cohorts, 2010										
0-4	1,455	861	112	190	1	118	0	6	65	292
5-9	1,467	927	100	150	2	77	1	5	65	290
10-14	1,631	1,062	109	149	2	83	0	7	57	311
15-19	1,715	1,186	135	107	0	61	0	7	39	287
20-24	1,450	1,058	100	82	5	46	0	5	26	210
25-29	1,726	1,249	94	155	4	117	1	6	27	228
30-34	1,659	1,149	120	156	2	137	0	2	15	234
35-39	1,684	1,187	122	153	1	117	0	1	34	222
40-44	1,871	1,446	129	93	6	63	0	5	19	203
45-49	2,054	1,674	106	96	0	67	0	4	25	178
50-54	2,023	1,707	86	77	3	58	0	1	15	153
55-59	1,711	1,501	58	72	2	55	1	0	14	80
60-64	1,460	1,313	43	47	1	39	0	0	7	57
65-69	1,131	1,030	26	35	1	24	1	0	9	40
70-74	954	886	13	22	0	13	0	0	9	33
75-79	959	920	12	14	0	11	0	1	2	13
80-84	898	863	8	12	0	10	0	0	2	15
85-89	583	573	4	4	0	1	0	0	3	2
90-94	226	220	3	2	0	0	0	0	2	1
95-99	69	64	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	3
100+	12	12	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	397	3.6%
\$10K to <\$25K	1,345	12.1%
\$25K to <\$50K	3,111	28.0%
\$50K to <\$75K	2,714	24.4%
\$75K to <\$100K	1,494	13.4%
\$100K to <\$150K	1,538	13.8%
\$150K+	522	4.7%

I. Household Type, 2010

Household Type	2000	2000pct	2010	2010pct
Total Households	10,376	100.0%	11,039	100.0%
Family Households	6,815	65.7%	7,137	64.7%
Husband-wife, no children w/children	2,181	21.0%	2,087	18.9%
Female head, no husband, w/ children	444	4.3%	676	6.1%
Male head, no wife, w/ children	175	1.7%	244	2.2%
Without children	4,015	38.7%	4,130	37.4%
Nonfamily households	3,561	34.3%	3,902	35.3%
Living alone	2,965	28.6%	3,189	28.9%
Other nonfamily	596	5.7%	713	6.5%

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

Household Type	White, NH	Black, NH	Other, NH	Hispanic
Total Households	9,226	553	869	819
Husband wife family	49.1%	36.2%	56.3%	44.6%
Family with male head, no wife	4.0%	6.9%	8.9%	9.6%
family with female head, no husband	8.9%	28.4%	17.6%	26.1%
Living alone	31.4%	21.9%	12.1%	15.0%
Other nonfamily	6.7%	6.7%	5.2%	4.6%

K. Poverty, 2008-2012

Families	Poverty	PA
All families	5.6%	9.1%
Families w/ related children	8.8%	15.3%
Female householder, no husband present	11.5%	28.8%
Female householder, no husband present, w/ related children	18.9%	39.2%
All people	7.7%	13.1%
Under 18 years	11.5%	18.4%
18 to 64 years	6.4%	12.3%
65 years and over	7.7%	8.4%

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

Education Level	White, NH	Black	Other	Hispanic	Total
Population 25 years and over	14,984	1,346	2,155	1,659	19,094
Less than high school	10.2%	19.2%	22%	27.0%	12.4%
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	36.7%	34.5%	17%	28.5%	34.0%
Some college or associates degree	30.1%	27.8%	26%	35.1%	29.9%
Bachelors degree or higher	23.0%	18.5%	35%	9.3%	23.7%

M. Occupation, 2008-2012

Occupation	Estimate	Percent
Civilian population age 16 years and over	13,645	100.0%
Management, professional, and related occupations	4,333	31.8%
Service occupations	2,086	15.3%
Sales and office occupations	3,595	26.3%
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	20	0.1%
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations	1,203	8.8%
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	2,408	17.6%

N. Class of Worker, 2008-2012

Occupation	Estimate	Percent
Civilian population age 16 years and over	13,645	100.0%
Private, for profit, wage and salary employee	10,047	73.6%
Private, not for profit, wage and salary employee	1,399	10.3%
Private, for profit, wage and salary self-employed in own business	256	1.9%
Government workers	1,549	11.4%
Self-employed in own not incorporated business	394	2.9%
Unpaid family workers in family business	0	0.0%