Location Composition

Category	County	% of State
2010 Population	51,193	1.73%
2010 Households	15,432	1.38%
2010 Group Quarters	475	0.47%

RACE/ETH	#POP	%POP	LANG.	#POP	%POP
White	40,544	79.20%	English	49,484	96.66%
Black	8,901	17.39%	Spanish	838	1.64%
Hispanic	1,049	2.05%	French	215	0.42%
Multiracial	567	1.11%	Chinese	195	0.38%
Asian	546	1.07%	Korean	103	0.20%
Other race	529	1.03%	German	93	0.18%
Nat. Amer.	106	0.21%	Native Amer.	63	0.12%
			Italian	61	0.12%

Getting Involved

To learn more about this location, please contact Scheryl Ng (sng@mbcb.org) in the MBCB Church Planting Department.

NOTES:

The Communities Summary identifies the top three types of communities in the county, the number of households, and the percent of the county.

The Lifestyle Summary identifies the top six lifestyle segments in the county, the number of households, percent of the county households, and the percent of households that are unreached.

The numbers in the Evangelscape communicate the most compelling reasons why this community needs churches and believers to intercede in missional prayer and activity.

Churchscape indicators reveal a snapshot of the extent of evangelical presence in the county. The last three items provide the household percent that is "affiliated" with the top religious groups. "Other World Religions" include religions other than Islam, Hinduism, Buddhism, and Christianity.

Location Composition: Listed are the total number of people and the total number of households in the county.

Race/Ethnicity gives the population count and percentage of population for each of the race / ethnicity categories. The language section gives the population count age 5 yrs+ that speaks the language at home.

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Top County Communities

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Ethnoscape

Luke 10:2

Jesus told them.

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workers are few.

Ask the Lord of the

harvest, therefore,

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Households: 3,649 Percent: 23.65%



Households: 3,636 Percent: 23.56%



Households: 2,547 Percent: 16.5%

Upscale Communities

As the wealthiest households in the nation, upscale communities boast high household incomes, significant home values and top educational achievements. Households in these exclusive suburban neighborhoods are headed by predominantly white, college educated, Baby Boom parents. Most adults work as executives and white collar professionals. They are active members of the community in business clubs, environmental groups and the arts.

Working Communities

Most residents of Working Communities are high school educated. Some have even been to college. Their education affords them lower middle incomes through blue collar jobs in manufacturing, construction, health services, retail, wholesale and food service. These jobs provide a stable household economy supporting personal and family pursuits in everyday life. This ethnically diverse mix of single and married homeowners dwells in densely populated areas and small-town suburbs.

Aspiring Communities

Young, ambitious and culturally diverse, they are the evolving voice of American society. In Aspiring Communities, truth is centered around "me" and everything is interconnected. The majority of people in this group are between the ages of 18 – 34. Sixty percent are renting singles; others live on military bases or in college dorms. Members of Aspiring Communities are four times more likely to be unemployed. Of those who work, most live in or conveniently close to metropolitan areas.



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Top Lifestyle Segments



Steadfast Conservatives (69% Unreached)

A guietly aging cluster, Steadfast Conservatives is home to mature singles and couples living in midscale urban neighborhoods. Households tend to be white, high school-educated and middle class. Many have begun to empty-nest or are already filled with couples and singles aged 65 years or older. The seniority of many residents does have benefits in the workplace. They earn middle class incomes from skilled jobs in manufacturing, retail and health.

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Households: 2,905 Percent: 18.82%



Minority Metro Communities (74% Unreached)

Minority Metro Communities reflects the nation's growing African-American middle class. With nearly three-quarters of the residents African-American and half the households earning more than \$50,000, this cluster is a testament to high educational achievement and professional employment among African-Americans. Concentrated in inner-ring suburbs, these households earn above-average incomes from a mix of service industry and white-collar jobs.

Households: 1,739 Percent: 11.27%



Dream Weavers

(72% Unreached)

Dream Weavers is home to well-off families living an affluent, suburban version of the American Dream. Ranked second in terms of wealth, they live in new-money subdivisions, possess high incomes, have college degrees and own large houses valued at more than twice the national average. Many households contain families with school-aged children-no segment has a higher rate of married residents-and more than half contain dual-income couples.

Households: 1,469 Percent: 9.52%

Evangelscape: Spiritual Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	COUNTY HOUSEHOLDS	COUNTY %
Unreached	10,559	68.42%
Religious but NOT Evangelical	2,619	16.97%
Spiritual but NOT Evangelical	1,703	11.04%
Non-Evangelical but NOT Interested	6,261	40.57%

Needscape: Social Issues

MAJOR SOCIAL ISSUES	#POP	%POP
Adult Obesity (as % of Adults yrs 25+)	9,965	31.80%
Adult High School dropouts (as % of Adults yrs 25+)	6,894	22.00%
Adult Poor or Fair Health (as % of Adults yrs 25+)	5,672	18.10%
Children in Poverty (as % of all children)	3,124	21.50%
Adult Unemployment Rate (as % of Adults yrs 25+)	1,894	7.70%
Household Violent Crime incidents (as % of all hhlds)	244	1.58%
Adult STD Incidents (as % of Adults yrs 25+)	97	0.31%

Note: A "0" means that this particular data item is not available for this county.

Motivescape: Attitudinal Indicators



Looking for recognition # HH: 11,333 % HH: 73.44%



Looking for relationship # HH: 10,674

% HH: 69.17%



Creators Looking for innovation

HH: 9,839 % HH: 63.76%

Churchscape: Religious Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	COUNTY HOUSEHOLDS	COUNTY %
Active Evangelical HHlds	1,986	12.87%
Evangelical Protestant Heritage	8,574	55.56
Mainline Protestant Heritage	4,716	30.56
Other World Religions Heritage	1,500	9.72