### Location Composition

Category	County	% of State
2010 Population	71,927	1.55%
2010 Households	31,742	1.80%
2010 Group Quarters	668	0.45%

RACE/ETH	#POP	%POP	LANG.	#POP	%POP
White	64,260	89.34%	English	68,670	95.47%
Black	5,708	7.94%	Spanish	2,501	3.48%
Hispanic	2,994	4.16%	German	124	0.17%
Multiracial	849	1.18%	Chinese	96	0.13%
Other race	635	0.88%	Arabic	88	0.12%
Asian	348	0.48%	Tagalog	74	0.10%
Nat. Amer.	127	0.18%	French	73	0.10%
			Korean	69	0.10%

# Getting Involved

NOTES:

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

To learn more about this location, please contact Scott Shields (scottshields@scbaptist.or g).

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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## **MISSIONAL COUNTY DIGEST**



Households: 9,415 Percent: 29.66%

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Households: 9,013 Percent: 28.39%



Households: 6.030 Percent: 19%





## 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.

#### **Country Communities**

Land, family and community are central to the day-to-day lives of the people in these farming and mining communities. They work hard to provide a steady, peaceful family life through farming, agriculture, education, mining and service industries. With low levels of education, these primarily white family households earn wages in the lower middle income bracket. Residents live in single-family homes, mobile homes or trailers in rural tracts and neighborhoods.

### Mainstay Communities

The backbone of small towns and second cities, Mainstay Communities are established neighborhoods where residents enjoy strong relational ties. These moderately educated wage earners are employed in well-paying blue collar and professional service jobs. The aging adult population consists of retired American singles and couples. A sense of belonging within the community is a key identity factor for those who live there. Residents go into the city to visit clubs and malls.

South Carolina Baptist Convention

## Top Lifestyle Segments



## Steadfast Conservatives

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.

Households: 7,604 Percent: 23.96%



## Hinterland Families

(41% Unreached)

(69% Unreached)

Hinterland Families is a collection of families and couples who've settled in isolated towns and villages throughout the South. These mostly middle-aged households are overwhelmingly white, less educated (one-fifth never completed high school) and working-class. They work in a variety of blue-collar jobs in manufacturing, construction, transportation and agriculture. Though most live in inexpensive houses, one-third reside in mobile homes.

Households: 4,044 Percent: 12.74%



## **Professional Urbanites**

(72% Unreached)

Professional Urbanites is a haven for aging singles and couples, an upper-middle-class retirement oasis in the metropolitan sprawl. With most residents over the age of 65, these households have already empty-nested, with their children having gone off to college and work. The adults in this cluster boast college degrees with above-average incomes as white-collar professionals and managers in retail, education and health care.

Households: 2,830

Percent: 8.92%

## Evangelscape: Spiritual Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	COUNTY HOUSEHOLDS	COUNTY %
Unreached	20,354	64.12%
Religious but NOT Evangelical	4,759	14.99%
Spiritual but NOT Evangelical	3,364	10.6%
Non-Evangelical but NOT Interested	12,294	38.73%

## Needscape: Social Issues

MAJOR SOCIAL ISSUES	#POP	%POP
Adult Obesity (as % of Adults yrs 25+)	15,591	30.60%
Adult High School dropouts (as % of Adults yrs 25+)	13,298	26.10%
Adult Poor or Fair Health (as % of Adults yrs 25+)	9,630	18.90%
Adult Unemployment Rate (as % of Adults yrs 25+)	3,678	11.80%
Children in Poverty (as % of all children)	3,470	22.70%
Household Violent Crime incidents (as % of all hhlds)	1,210	3.81%
Adult STD Incidents (as % of Adults yrs 25+)	222	0.44%

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

## Motivescape: Attitudinal Indicators



Looking for

recognition

23,680

74.60%

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Looking for relationship # HH: 22,070 % HH: 69.53%



Creators Looking for		
innovation		
# HH:	20,101	
% HH:	63.33%	

## Churchscape: Religious Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	COUNTY HOUSEHOLDS	COUNTY %
Active Evangelical HHlds	6,783	21.37%
Evangelical Protestant Heritage	16,077	50.65
Mainline Protestant Heritage	9,894	31.17
Other World Religions Heritage	3,711	11.69