#### **Location Composition**

Category	County	% of State
2010 Population	54,286	0.57%
2010 Households	21,793	0.59%
2010 Group Quarters	1,750	0.60%

RACE/ETH	#POP	%POP	LANG.	#POP	%POP
Black	27,815	51.24%	English	52,673	97.03%
White	21,981	40.49%	Spanish	1,049	1.93%
Multiracial	2,039	3.76%	Other Asian	127	0.23%
Nat. Amer.	1,740	3.20%	Arabic	100	0.18%
Hispanic	1,101	2.03%	Tagalog	59	0.11%
Other race	383	0.71%	French	56	0.10%
Asian	328	0.60%	Urdu	47	0.09%
			Russian	40	0.07%

#### Getting Involved

To learn more about this location, please contact Shirley Sells (ssells@ncbaptist.org).

#### 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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#### Reaching Halifax County, NC

#### **MISSIONAL COUNTY DIGEST**

#### **Top County Communities**

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"The

Luke 10:2

Jesus told them.

plentiful, but the

workers are few.

Ask the Lord of the

harvest, therefore,

send

workers into

harvest field."

harvest is

out

his



Households: 9,166 Percent: 42.06%

## double the national average. For the African-American and Hispanic families in Urban Communities, struggling to balance priorities and budgets in a climate of institutional prejudice creates a lack of stability and control. Residing within major metropolitan cities and towns, most households live in apartments.

**Urban Communities** 

The people are poor, struggling and largely single. Some are single parents with large families; most

have below-average incomes. Unemployment is

### Aspiring Communities Young, ambitious and culturally diver



Households: 7,197 Percent: 33.02%

Households: 2,495 Percent: 11.45%

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.

#### 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.



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#### Top Lifestyle Segments



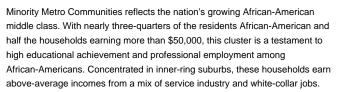
Households: 8,907 Percent: 40.87%

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#### Struggling City Centers (68% Unreached)

Struggling City Centers consists of very low-income households living in city neighborhoods. Home to the highest concentration of African-Americans in the nation-nearly 90 percent of all households-the cluster faces hard economic challenges. One-third of households haven't finished high school, with a similar percentage containing single-parent families. One in five adults are under 35 years old and the median household income is only half the national average.

#### Minority Metro Communities (74% Unreached)



Households: 6,767 Percent: 31.05%



#### Steadfast Conservatives

(69% Unreached)

A quietly 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: 1,626 Percent: 7.46%

#### Evangelscape: Spiritual Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	COUNTY HOUSEHOLDS	COUNTY %	
Unreached	15,184	69.68%	
Religious but NOT Evangelical	5,486	25.17%	
Spiritual but NOT Evangelical	1,172	5.38%	
Non-Evangelical but NOT Interested	9,024	41.41%	

#### Needscape: Social Issues

MAJOR SOCIAL ISSUES	#POP	%POP
Adult Obesity (as % of Adults yrs 25+)	13,888	38.50%
Adult Poor or Fair Health (as % of Adults yrs 25+)	10,389	28.80%
Adult High School dropouts (as % of Adults yrs 25+)	9,271	25.70%
Children in Poverty (as % of all children)	4,551	36.70%
Adult Unemployment Rate (as % of Adults yrs 25+)	3,114	13.20%
Household Violent Crime incidents (as % of all hhlds)	969	4.45%
Adult STD Incidents (as % of Adults yrs 25+)	397	1.10%

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

#### Motivescape: Attitudinal Indicators



**Approvers** Looking for recognition # HH: 14,901 % HH: 68.38%



Connecters Looking for relationship # HH: 14,270

% HH: 65.48%



Creators Looking for innovation

# HH: 13,545 % HH: 62.15%

#### Churchscape: Religious Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	COUNTY HOUSEHOLDS	COUNTY %
Active Evangelical HHlds	3,936	18.06%
Evangelical Protestant Heritage	15,445	70.87
Mainline Protestant Heritage	3,596	16.50
Other World Religions Heritage	2,327	10.68