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SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate [1,2]	District Percent [3]	State [3]
Total population	904,133		28,862,581
Age			
0 to 4 years	60,953	6.7%	6.8%
5 to 17 years	172,807	19.1%	19.0%
18 to 64 years	542,663	60.0%	61.7%
65 years and over	127,710	14.1%	12.5%
Race/Ethnicity			
Anglo (non-Hispanic)	361,854	40.0%	40.7%
Non-Anglo	542,279	60.0%	59.3%
Hispanic	282,690	31.3%	39.8%
Black alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	147,967	16.4%	13.5%
Asian alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	113,897	12.6%	5.9%
Population age 5 and over	843,180		26,903,358
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	555,980	65.9%	64.9%
Speaks other than English at home	287,200	34.1%	35.1%
Speaks English very well or well	248,002	29.4%	28.3%
Does not speak English well or at all	39,198	4.6%	6.8%
Special populations[4]			
Moved in the past 12 months	106,486	NA	4,237,650
Veterans	39,195	NA	1,426,641
Active duty military	153	NA	102,600

SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate [1,2]	District Percent [3]	State [3]
Number of households	306,316		10,239,341
Average number of persons per household[4]	2.89	NA	2.76
Households by composition			
1 person	62,113	20.3%	25.3%
2 persons	100,057	32.7%	31.3%
3 or 4 persons	103,588	33.8%	31.0%
5 or more persons	40,558	13.2%	12.4%
Household type			
Family households	231,896	75.7%	68.9%
Nonfamily households	74,420	24.3%	31.1%
Number of families	231,896		7,055,810
Families with children by birth, marriage, or adoption under age 18	105,435	45.5%	46.5%
Married-couple families	80,188	34.6%	32.1%
Families with both parents employed	48,878	21.1%	18.6%
Single-parent families	25,247	10.9%	14.3%
Families with the parent employed	21,653	9.3%	11.5%

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SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate [1,2]	District Percent [3]	State [3]
Population age 3 and over enrolled in school	243,956		7,752,643
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	13,877	5.7%	5.6%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	172,832	70.8%	70.4%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	166,656	68.3%	68.5%
In college, graduate, or professional school	57,247	23.5%	24.0%
Population age 25 and over	587,064		18,619,469
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	185,970	31.7%	31.5%
Less than high school graduate	72,904	12.4%	15.2%

SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate [1,2]	District Percent [3]	State [3]
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	422,546		13,618,630
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	331,300	78.4%	79.4%
Government sector	57,657	13.6%	13.6%
Self-employed	32,262	7.6%	6.8%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	20,336	4.8%	2.8%
Construction	34,131	8.1%	8.7%
Manufacturing	40,785	9.7%	8.5%
Wholesale trade	11,521	2.7%	2.7%
Retail trade	54,594	12.9%	11.1%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	22,990	5.4%	6.2%
Information	5,879	1.4%	1.6%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	27,114	6.4%	6.8%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	41,267	9.8%	11.9%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	94,516	22.4%	21.7%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	32,329	7.7%	8.8%
Other services, except public administration	21,248	5.0%	5.0%
Public administration	15,836	3.7%	4.1%
Population age 16 to 64	567,473		18,640,383
Worked at all in the past 12 months	431,651	76.1%	76.0%
Worked 50-52 weeks	339,240	59.8%	59.7%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	297,894	52.5%	52.7%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	41,346	7.3%	7.0%

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SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS (continued)	District Estimate [1,2]	District Percent [3]	State [3]
Workers age 16 and over	414,049		13,464,482
Means of transportation to work			
Public transportation	2,708	0.7%	1.1%
Private vehicle	362,270	87.5%	86.7%
Walk / bicycle / motorcycle	5,429	1.3%	1.8%
Taxi / other means	4,533	1.1%	1.3%
Worked at home	39,109	9.4%	9.1%
Travel time to work[5]			
Less than 15 minutes	88,816	21.5%	22.4%
15 minutes to 29 minutes	111,185	26.9%	33.1%
30 minutes to 44 minutes	84,579	20.4%	20.0%
45 minutes to 59 minutes	48,269	11.7%	7.9%
60 minutes or more	42,091	10.2%	7.5%

SELECTED INCOME CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate [1,2]	District Percent [3]	State [3]
Persons in poverty[6]	91,628	10.4%	14.0%
Per capita income[4]	$34,430	NA	$34,255
Number of households	306,316		10,239,341
Annual household income			
Less than $10,000	13,994	4.6%	5.7%
$10,000 to $24,999	29,827	9.7%	11.5%
$25,000 to $49,999	55,972	18.3%	20.2%
$50,000 to $99,999	92,791	30.3%	29.9%
$100,000 to $199,999	83,913	27.4%	23.9%
$200,000 and over	29,819	9.7%	8.7%
Households with social security income	85,034	27.8%	25.2%
Households with supplemental security income (SSI)	12,351	4.0%	4.6%
Households with public assistance income[7]	6,556	2.1%	1.9%
Number of families living in poverty	17,846		757,317
With related children under age 18	12,616	70.7%	75.4%
Married couple families	4,761	26.7%	25.4%
Single-parent families	7,855	44.0%	50.0%
Female head of household	6,802	38.1%	43.6%
Male head of household	1,053	5.9%	6.4%

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate [1,2]	District Percent [3]	State [3]
Number of housing units	350,550		11,433,880
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	75,194	21.5%	14.5%
Built between 2000 and 2009	77,149	22.0%	18.4%
Built between 1990 and 1999	51,150	14.6%	14.6%
Built between 1970 and 1989	88,148	25.1%	30.1%
Built before 1970	58,909	16.8%	22.3%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	228,714	65.2%	55.9%
Renter-occupied	77,602	22.1%	33.7%
Vacant	44,234	12.6%	10.4%
Average gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost)[4]	$1,220	NA	$1,228
Average value of owner-occupied housing units[4]	$297,927	NA	$260,134
Number of owner-occupied housing units	228,714		6,391,061
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than $50,000	16,546	7.2%	7.7%
$50,000 to $99,999	21,253	9.3%	12.9%
$100,000 to $199,999	60,431	26.4%	28.7%
$200,000 to $499,999	111,339	48.7%	41.2%
$500,000 and above	19,145	8.4%	9.5%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income[8]			
35 percent or more	35,658	15.6%	15.5%
20 to 34.9 percent	56,532	24.7%	24.6%
Less than 20 percent	134,739	58.9%	59.0%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	5,421	2.4%	2.1%
One or more vehicles	223,293	97.6%	97.9%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	77,602		3,848,280
Gross rent[9]			
Less than $500	4,912	6.3%	5.2%
$500 to $749	7,810	10.1%	9.4%
$750 to $999	11,760	15.2%	20.6%
$1,000 to $1,249	15,330	19.8%	21.5%
$1,250 and above	30,252	39.0%	38.7%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income[8]			
35 percent or more	27,000	34.8%	36.8%
20 to 34.9 percent	24,338	31.4%	32.3%
Less than 20 percent	17,645	22.7%	24.1%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	7,374	9.5%	10.4%
One or more vehicles	70,228	90.5%	89.6%

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[2] The ACS data is gathered from surveys distributed to a sample of the population. The margin of error (MOE) that accompanies each of the estimates is available upon request from TLC. The MOE indicates the reliability of these estimates.

[3] State and district percentages are based on the totals in the general category shown above each group and marked by a gray bar.

[4] This report does not include state and district percentages for the special populations group or the variables that illustrate average values. For these variables, the state estimate is provided.

[5] Individuals who worked at home are not included in these categories.

[6] Percentages are based on the population for whom poverty status is determined.

[7] Public assistance income includes Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) but not SSI or Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)/food stamps.

[8] Households reporting no income or a negative income (where expenses are more than income) are excluded.

[9] Only housing units with tenants paying rent are included in these categories. Rental units with tenants living in them for free or in exchange for services are not included.