

# What the 2010 Census tells us...

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# About the current Census data

- “Redistricting files” contain data on population, households, race / ethnicity
- Census Bureau will release data this summer on:
  - Age
  - Household structure
  - Residential tenure (homeowners and renters)
- All other data are available only through the American Community Survey

This is the official form for all the people at this address.  
It is quick and easy, and your answers are protected by law.

Use a blue or black pen.

**Start here**

The Census must count every person living in the United States on April 1, 2010.

Before you answer Question 1, count the people living in this house, apartment, or mobile home using our guidelines.

- Count all people, including babies, who live and sleep here most of the time.

The Census Bureau also conducts counts in institutions and other places, so:

- Do not count anyone living away either at college or in the Armed Forces.
- Do not count anyone in a nursing home, jail, prison, detention facility, etc., on April 1, 2010.
- Leave these people off your form, even if they will return to live here after they leave college, the nursing home, the military, jail, etc. Otherwise, they may be counted twice.

The Census must also include people without a permanent place to stay, so:

- If someone who has no permanent place to stay is staying here on April 1, 2010, count that person. Otherwise, he or she may be missed in the census.

**1. How many people were living or staying in this house, apartment, or mobile home on April 1, 2010?**

Number of people =

**2. Were there any additional people staying here April 1, 2010 that you did not include in Question 1?**

Mark  all that apply.

- Children, such as newborn babies or foster children
- Relatives, such as adult children, cousins, or in-laws
- Nonrelatives, such as roommates or live-in baby sitters
- People staying here temporarily
- No additional people

**3. Is this house, apartment, or mobile home —**

Mark  ONE box.

- Owned by you or someone in this household with a mortgage or loan? *Include home equity loans.*
- Owned by you or someone in this household free and clear (without a mortgage or loan)?
- Rented?
- Occupied without payment of rent?

**4. What is your telephone number? We may call if we don't understand an answer.**

Area Code + Number

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**5. Please provide information for each person living here. Start with a person living here who owns or rents this house, apartment, or mobile home. If the owner or renter lives somewhere else, start with any adult living here. This will be Person 1.**

What is Person 1's name? *Print name below.*

Last Name

First Name  MI

**6. What is Person 1's sex? Mark  ONE box.**

- Male  Female

**7. What is Person 1's age and what is Person 1's date of birth?**

*Please report babies as age 0 when the child is less than 1 year old. Print numbers in boxes.*

Age on April 1, 2010    Month    Day    Year of birth  
         

→ **NOTE: Please answer BOTH Question 8 about Hispanic origin and Question 9 about race. For this census, Hispanic origins are not races.**

**8. Is Person 1 of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin?**

- No, not of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin
- Yes, Mexican, Mexican Am., Chicano
- Yes, Puerto Rican
- Yes, Cuban
- Yes, another Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin — *Print origin, for example, Argentinean, Colombian, Dominican, Nicaraguan, Salvadoran, Spaniard, and so on.* ↴

**9. What is Person 1's race? Mark  one or more boxes.**

- White
- Black, African Am., or Negro
- American Indian or Alaska Native — *Print name of enrolled or principal tribe.* ↴

- Asian Indian     Japanese     Native Hawaiian
- Chinese     Korean     Guamanian or Chamorro
- Filipino     Vietnamese     Samoan
- Other Asian — *Print race, for example, Hmong, Laotian, Thai, Pakistani, Cambodian, and so on.* ↴
- Other Pacific Islander — *Print race, for example, Fijian, Tongan, and so on.* ↴

- Some other race — *Print race.* ↴

**10. Does Person 1 sometimes live or stay somewhere else?**

- No     Yes — *Mark  all that apply.*

- In college housing     For child custody
- In the military     In jail or prison
- At a seasonal or second residence     In a nursing home
- For another reason

→ **If more people were counted in Question 1, continue with Person 2.**

**1. Print name of Person 2**

Last Name

First Name  MI

**2. How is this person related to Person 1? Mark  ONE box.**

- Husband or wife     Parent-in-law
- Biological son or daughter     Son-in-law or daughter-in-law
- Adopted son or daughter     Other relative
- Stepson or stepdaughter     Roomer or boarder
- Brother or sister     Housemate or roommate
- Father or mother     Unmarried partner
- Grandchild     Other nonrelative

**3. What is this person's sex? Mark  ONE box.**

- Male  Female

**4. What is this person's age and what is this person's date of birth?**

*Please report babies as age 0 when the child is less than 1 year old. Print numbers in boxes.*

Age on April 1, 2010    Month    Day    Year of birth  
         

→ **NOTE: Please answer BOTH Question 5 about Hispanic origin and Question 6 about race. For this census, Hispanic origins are not races.**

**5. Is this person of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin?**

- No, not of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin
- Yes, Mexican, Mexican Am., Chicano
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**7. Does this person sometimes live or stay somewhere else?**

- No     Yes — *Mark  all that apply.*

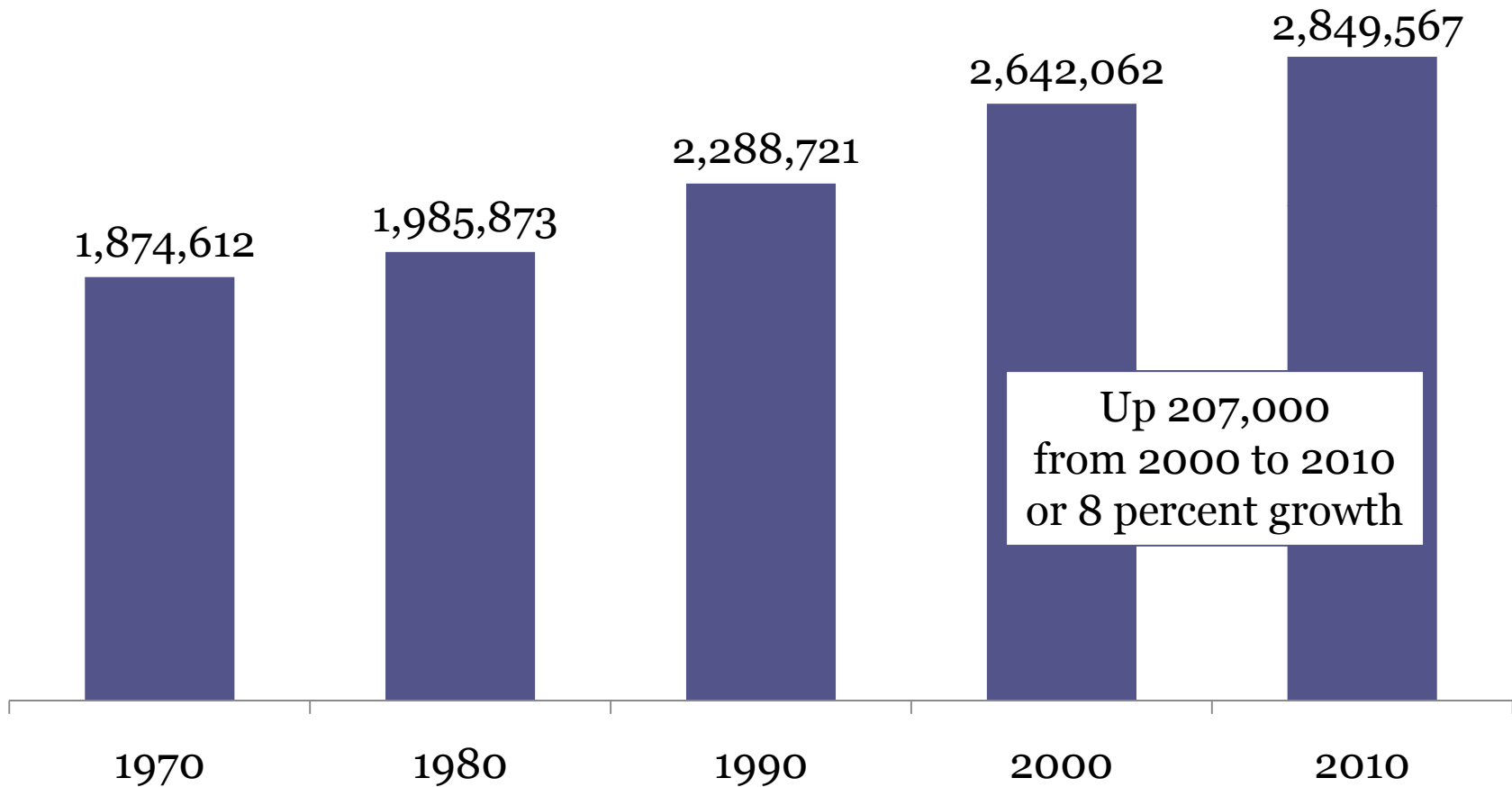
- In college housing     For child custody
- In the military     In jail or prison
- At a seasonal or second residence     In a nursing home
- For another reason

→ **If more people were counted in Question 1 on the front page, continue with Person 3.**



# Highlights of the 2010 Census

# Population to 2.85 million



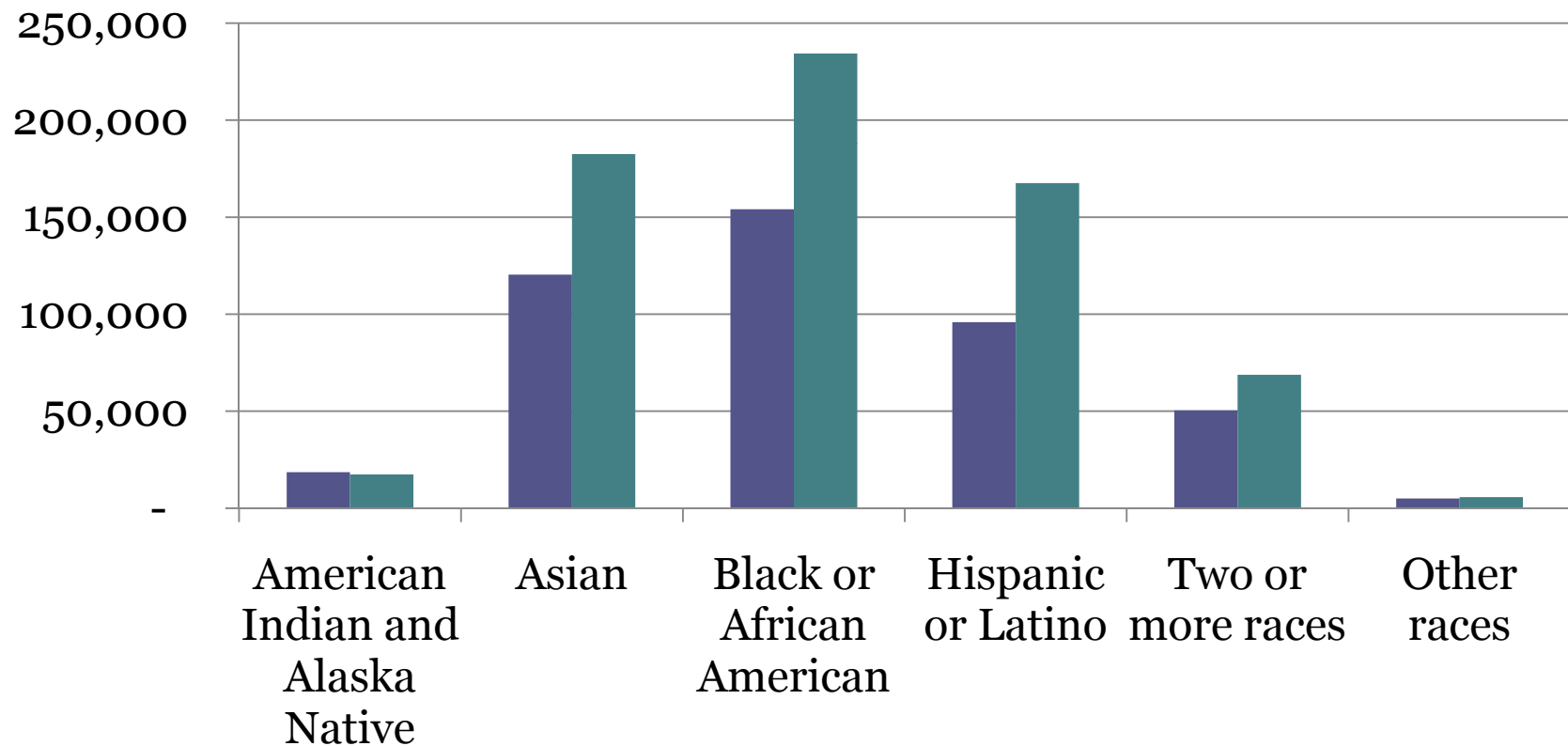
Source: U.S. Census Bureau

# Highlights of the region's growth

- Most of the expansion occurred in developing suburbs
- Natural growth results from higher birth rates and longer life expectancies
- Each year, about 100,000 people move to the Twin Cities. Another 100,000 people leave, according to demographic tracking by Council research staff.
- Net effect of migration has been neutral
  - Out-migrants are older and closely resemble Minnesota a generation ago.
  - New arrivals are younger and more diverse

# Growth in people of color, 2000-10

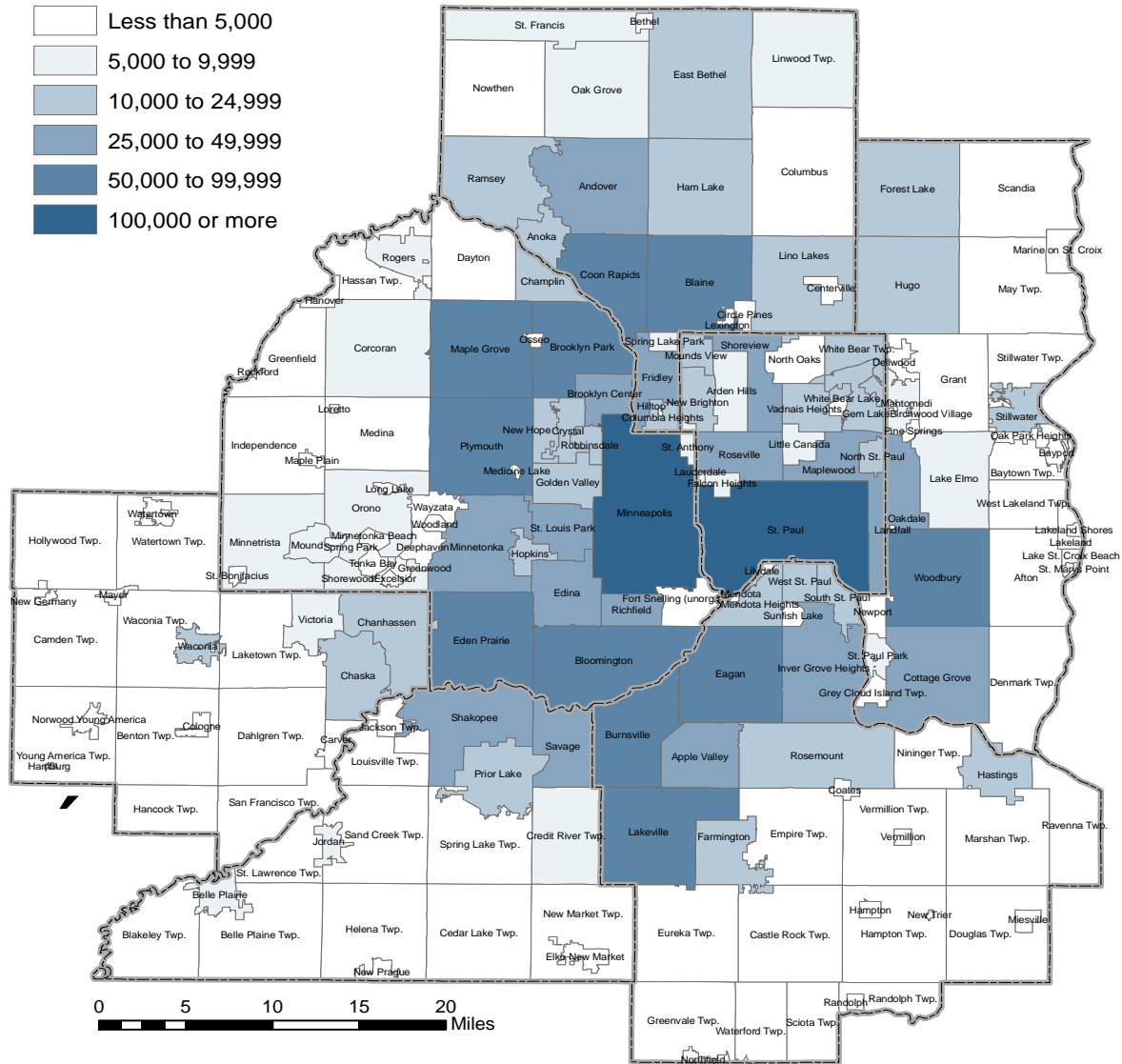
Increase of 232,000 people of color,  
offsetting a loss of 25,000 white residents



Source: U.S. Census Bureau

■ 2000 ■ 2010

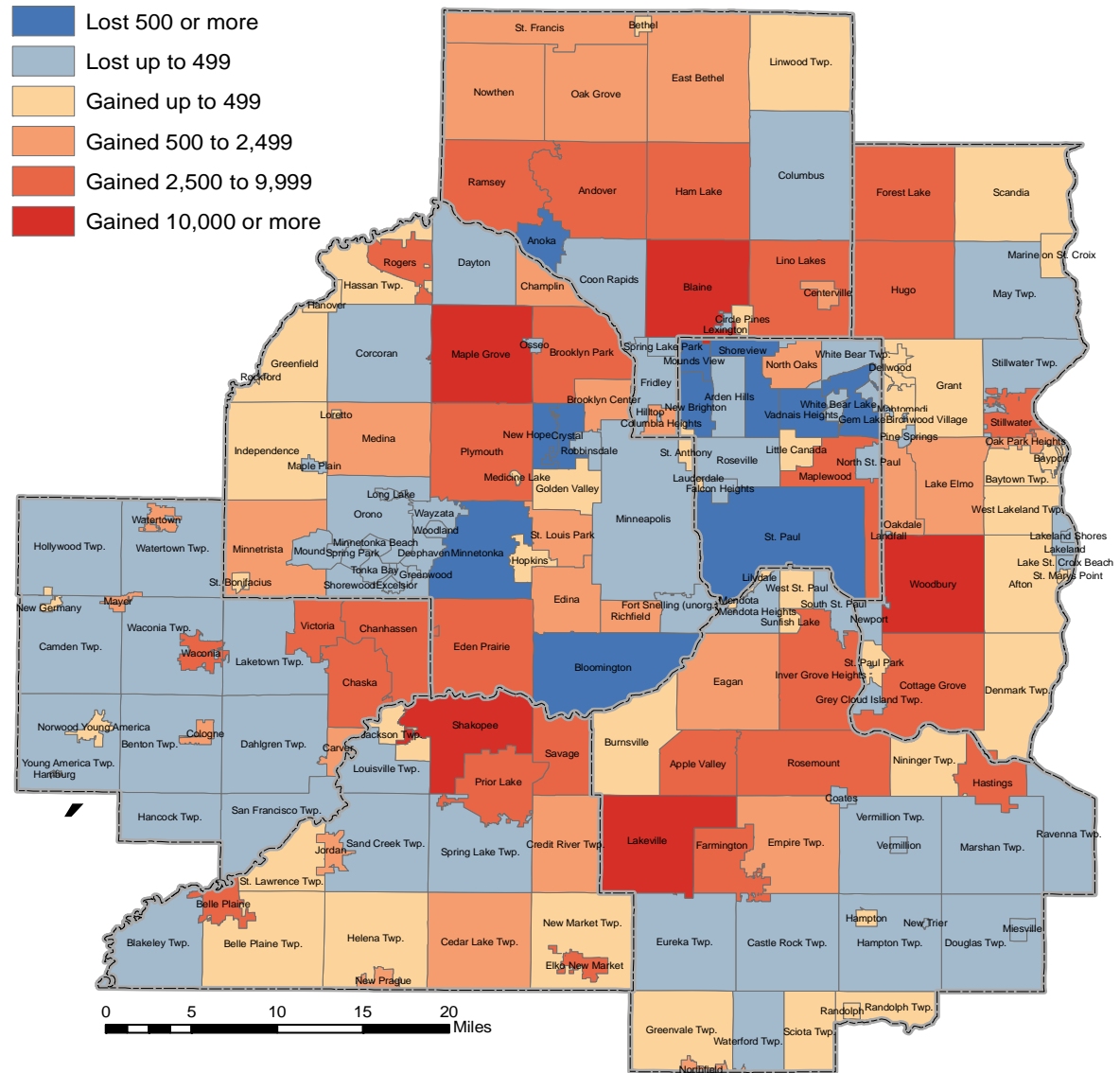
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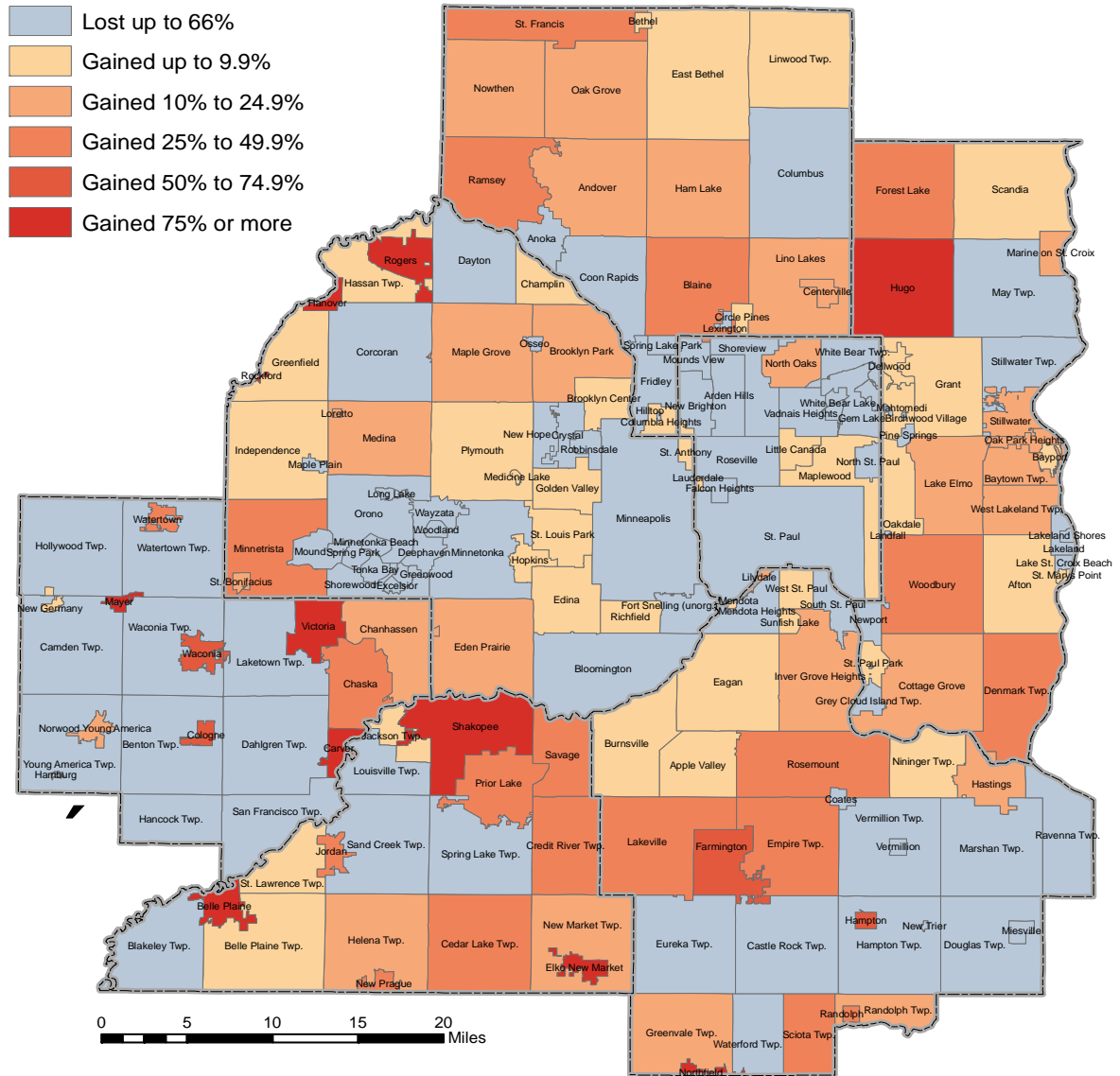


# Population Change 2000-10



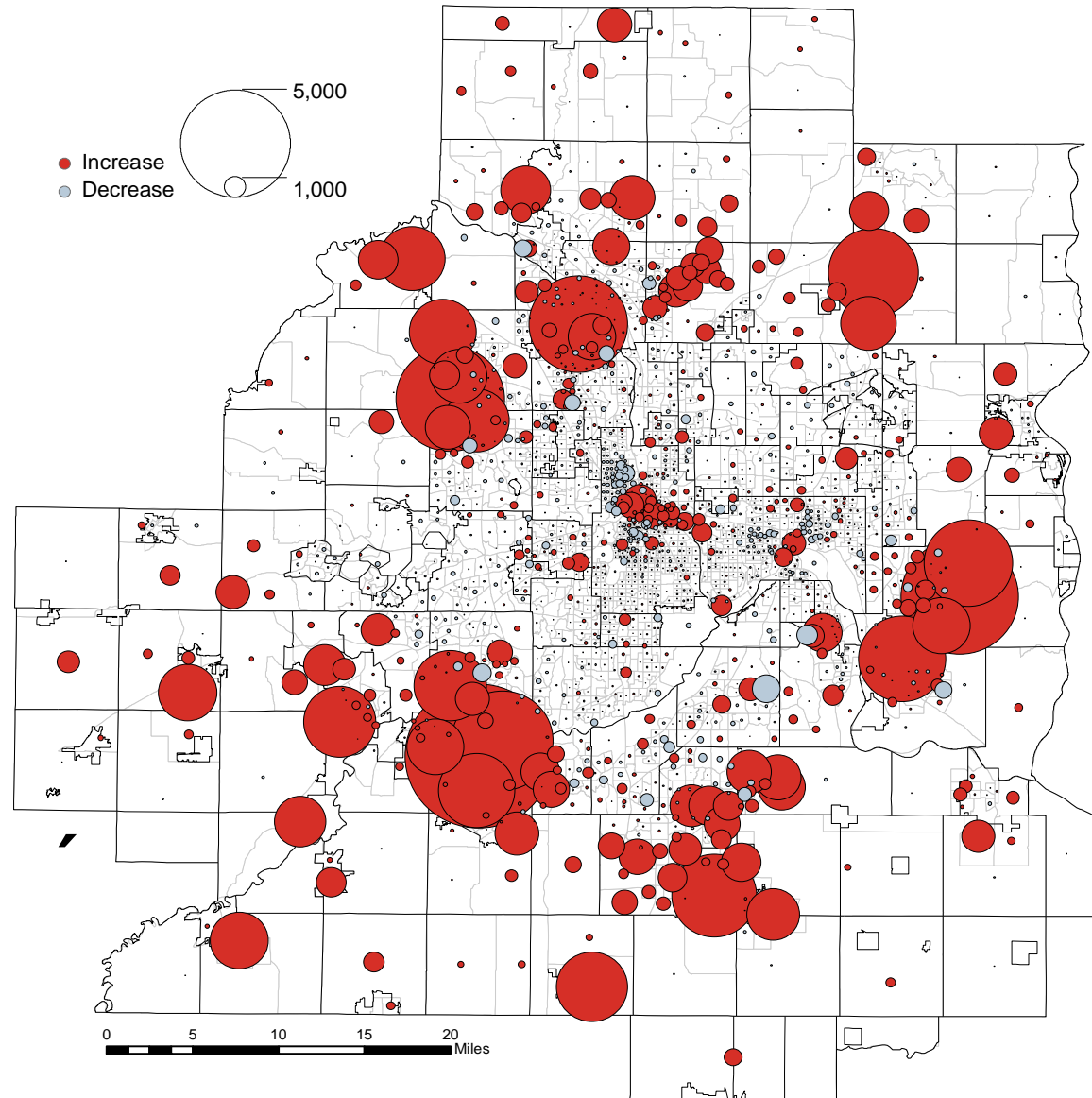
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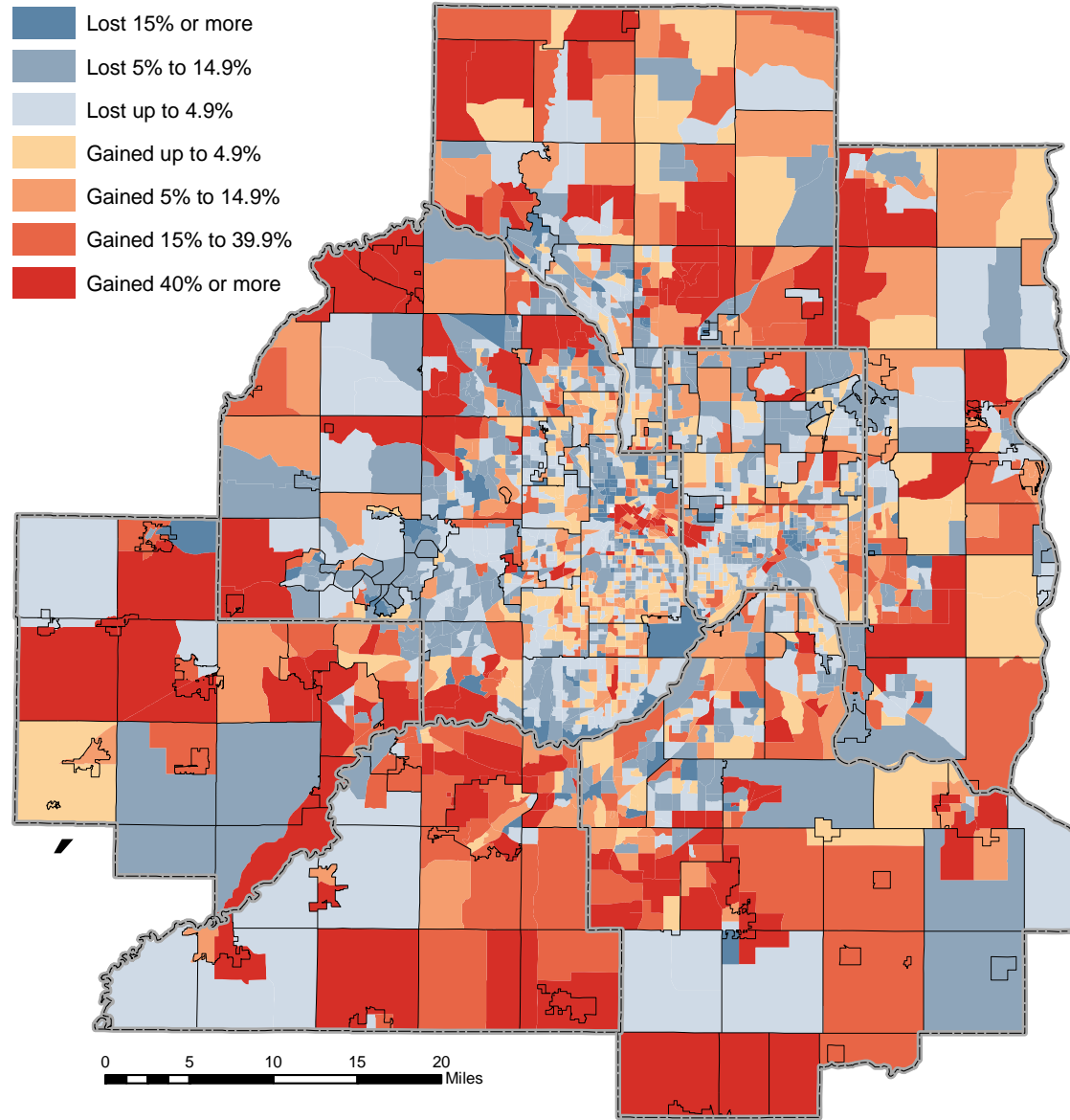
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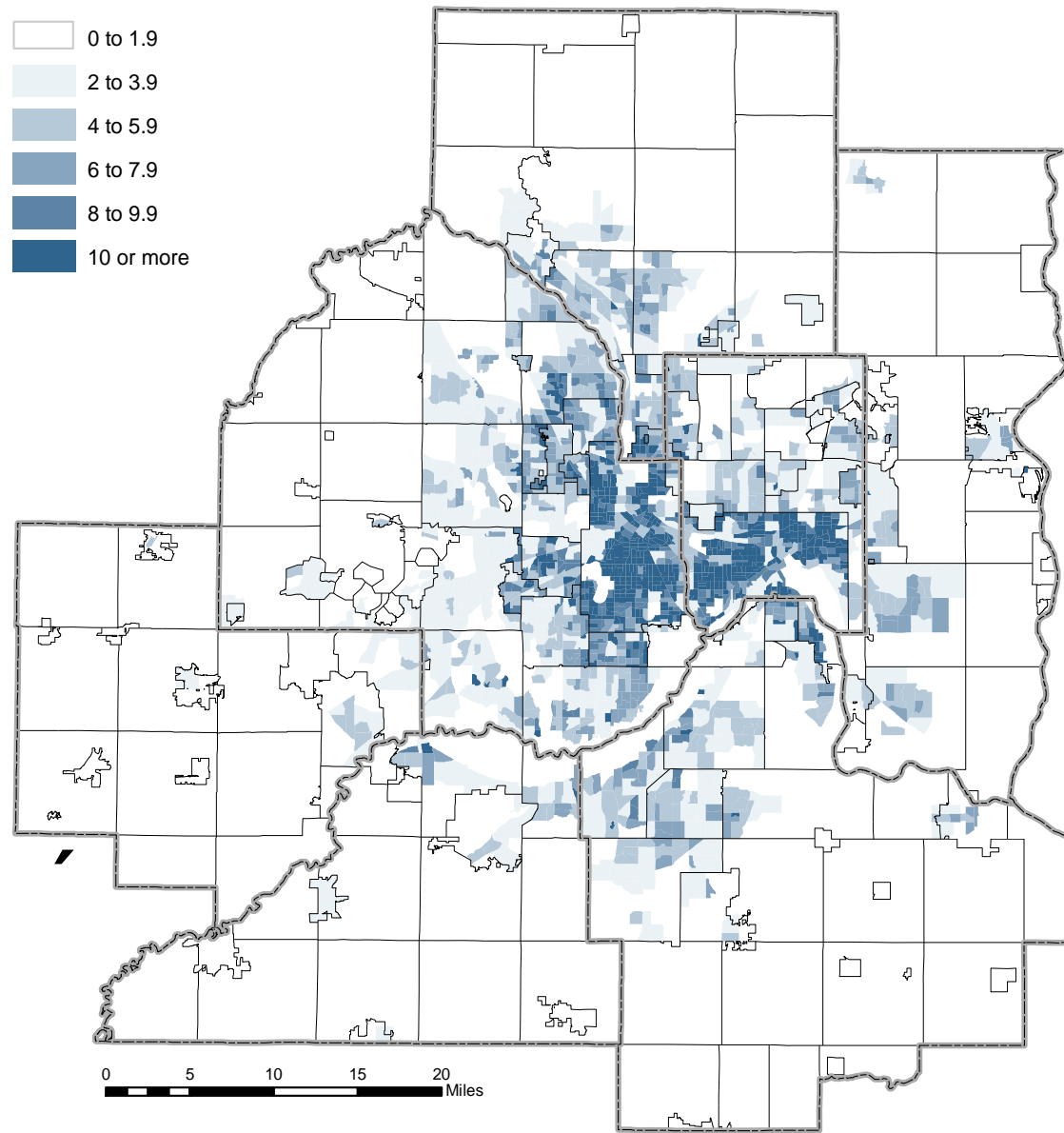
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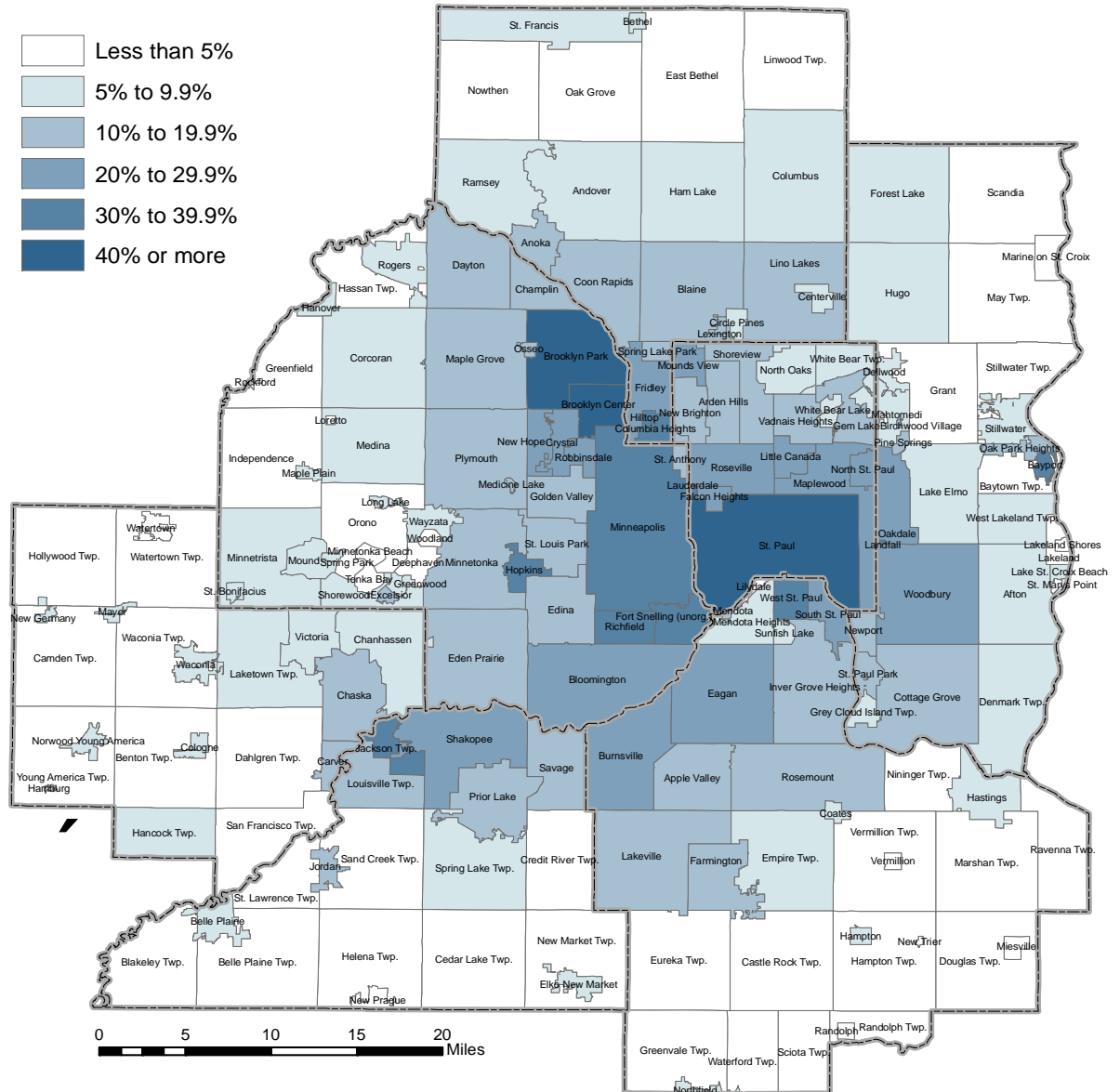
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# Population Density 2010 (persons per acre)



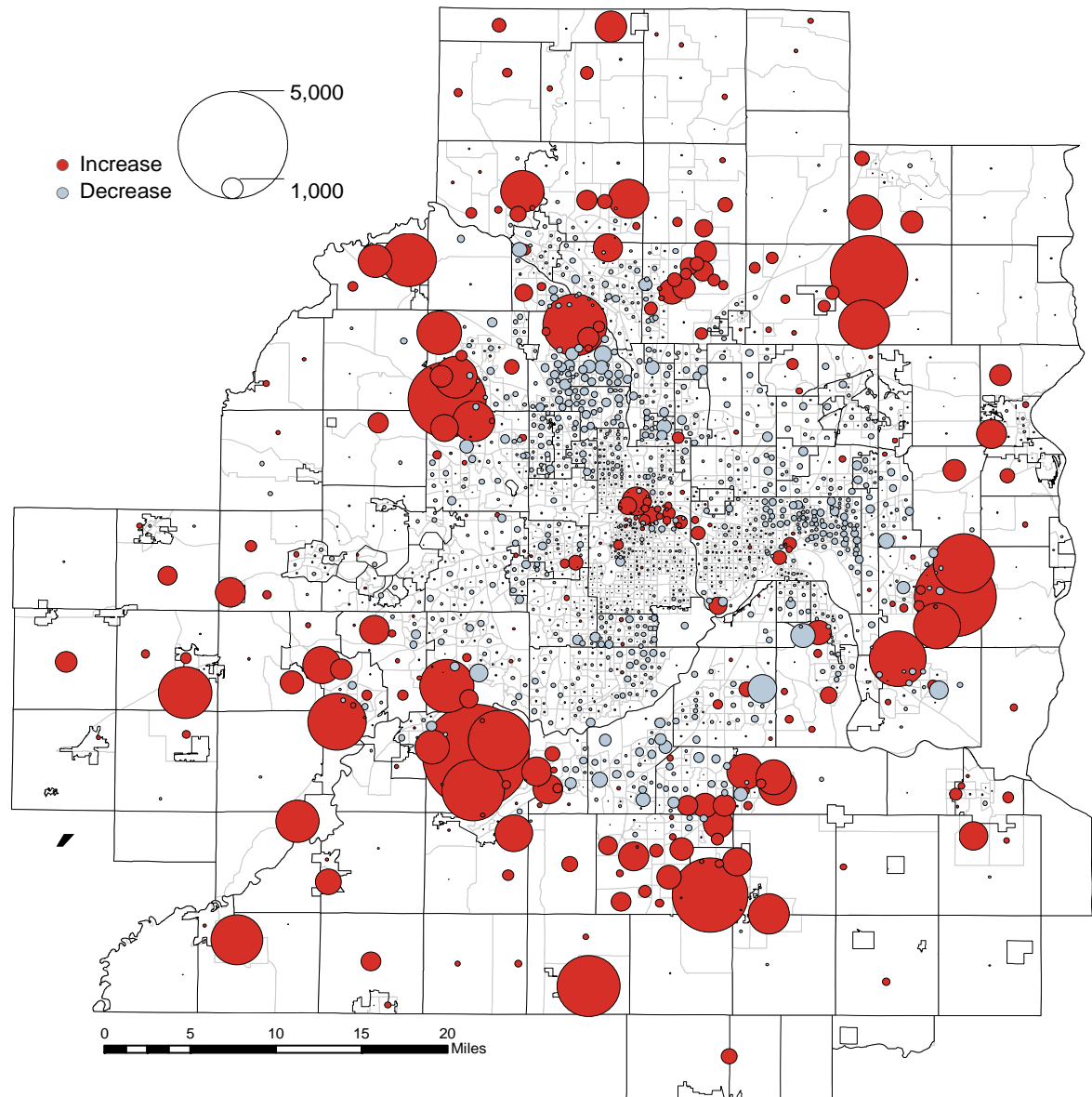
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# Percent People of Color 2010



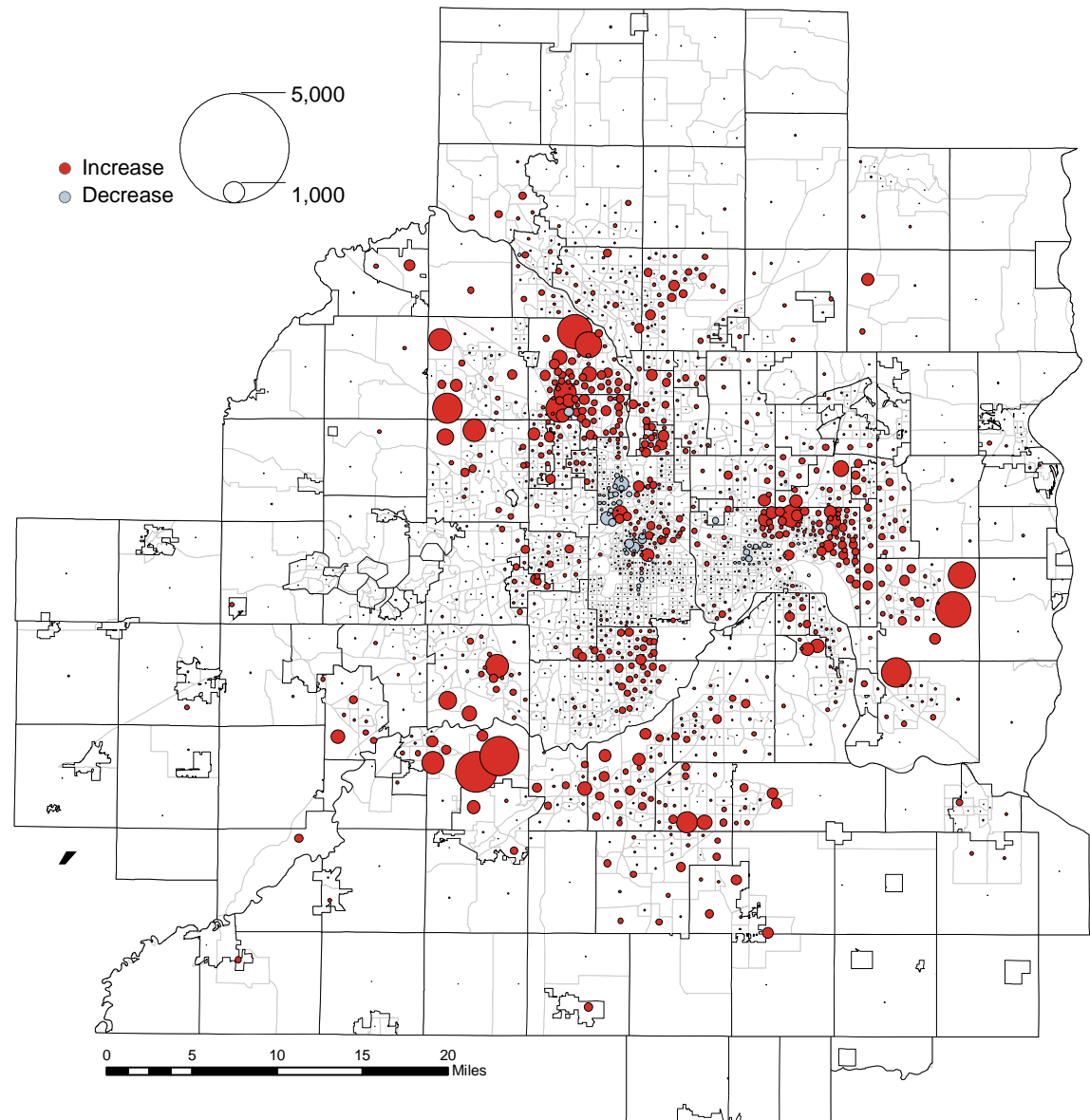
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# Change in White Residents 2000-10



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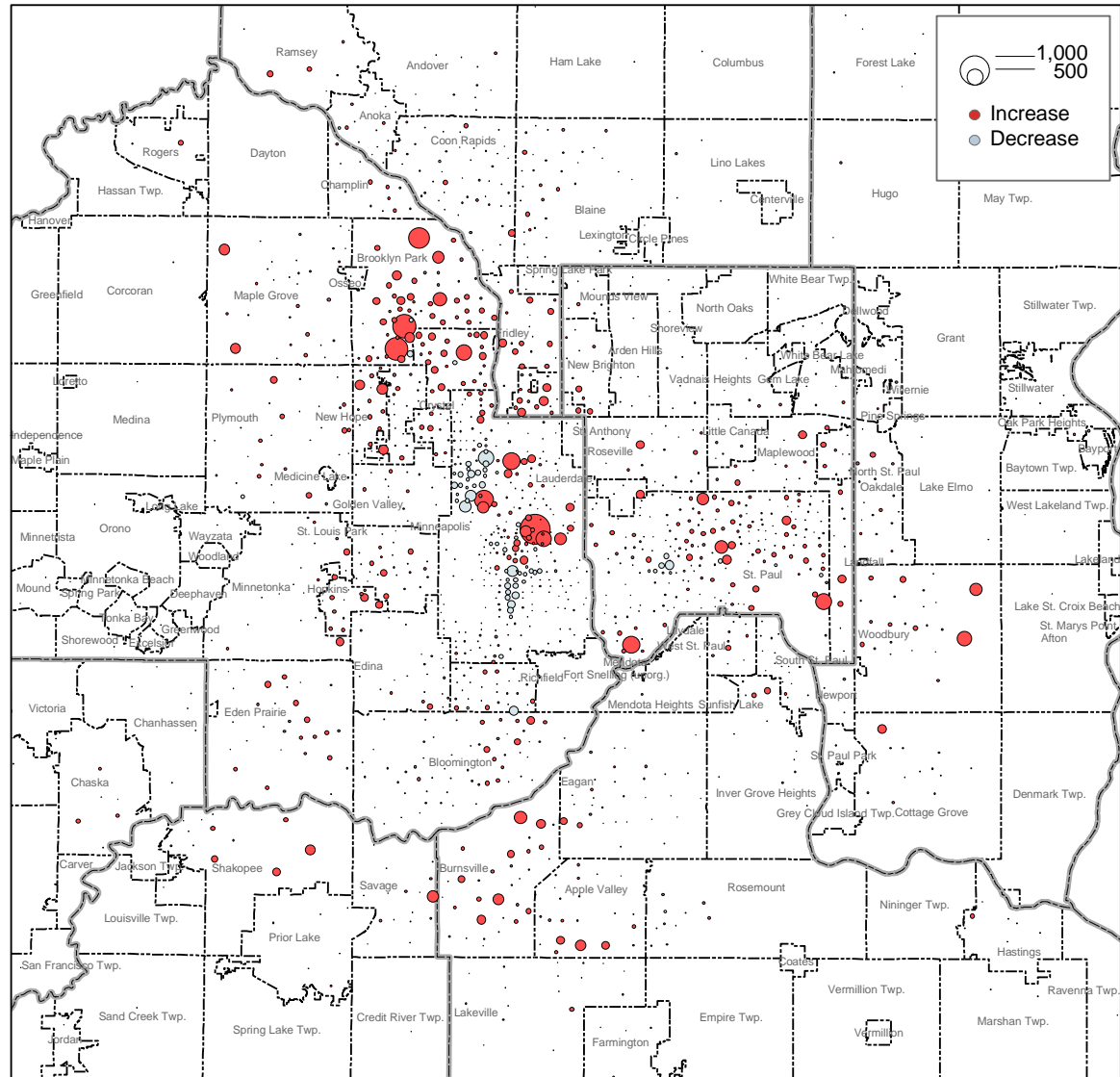
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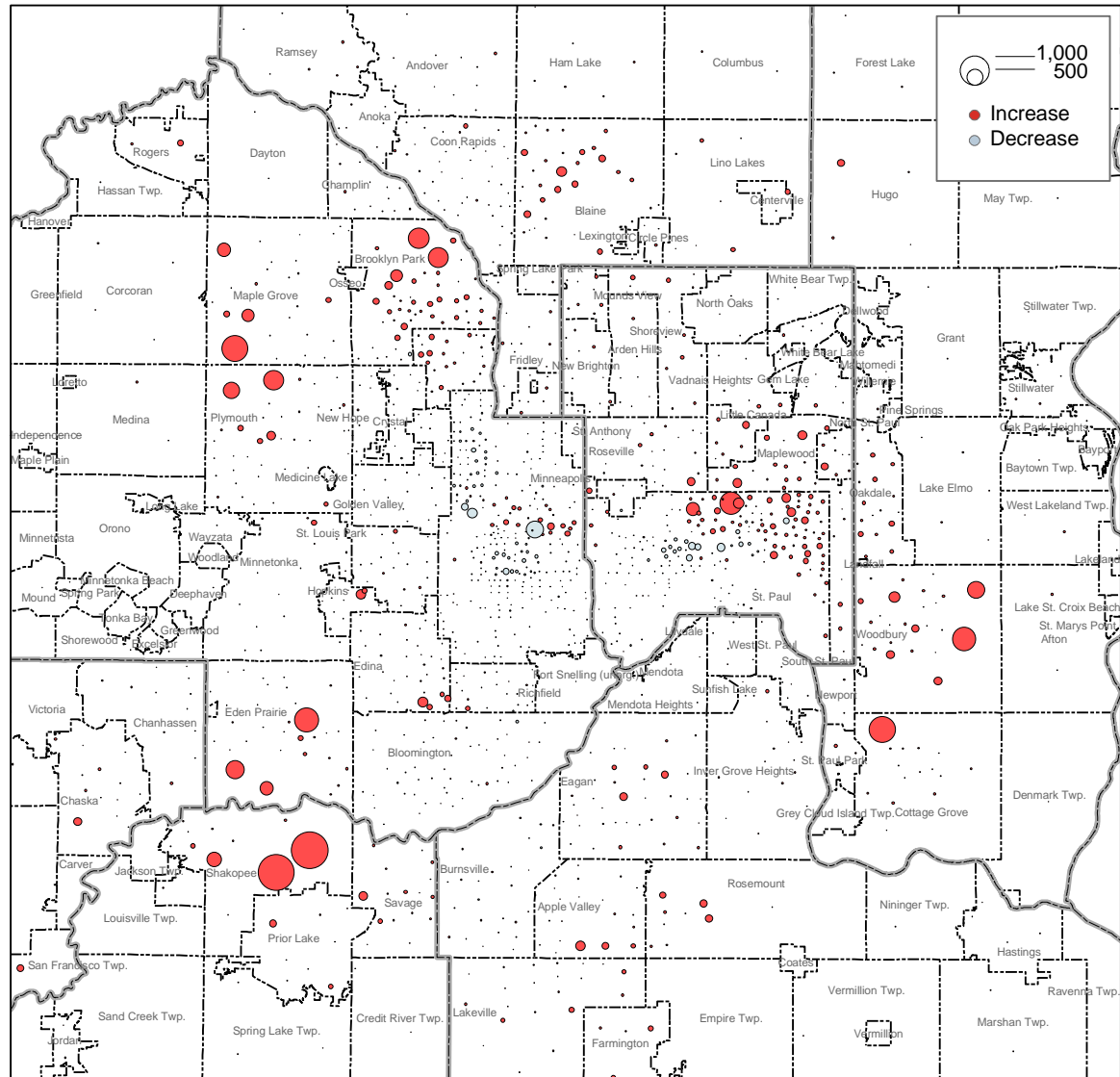


# Change in Black and African-American Residents 2000-10



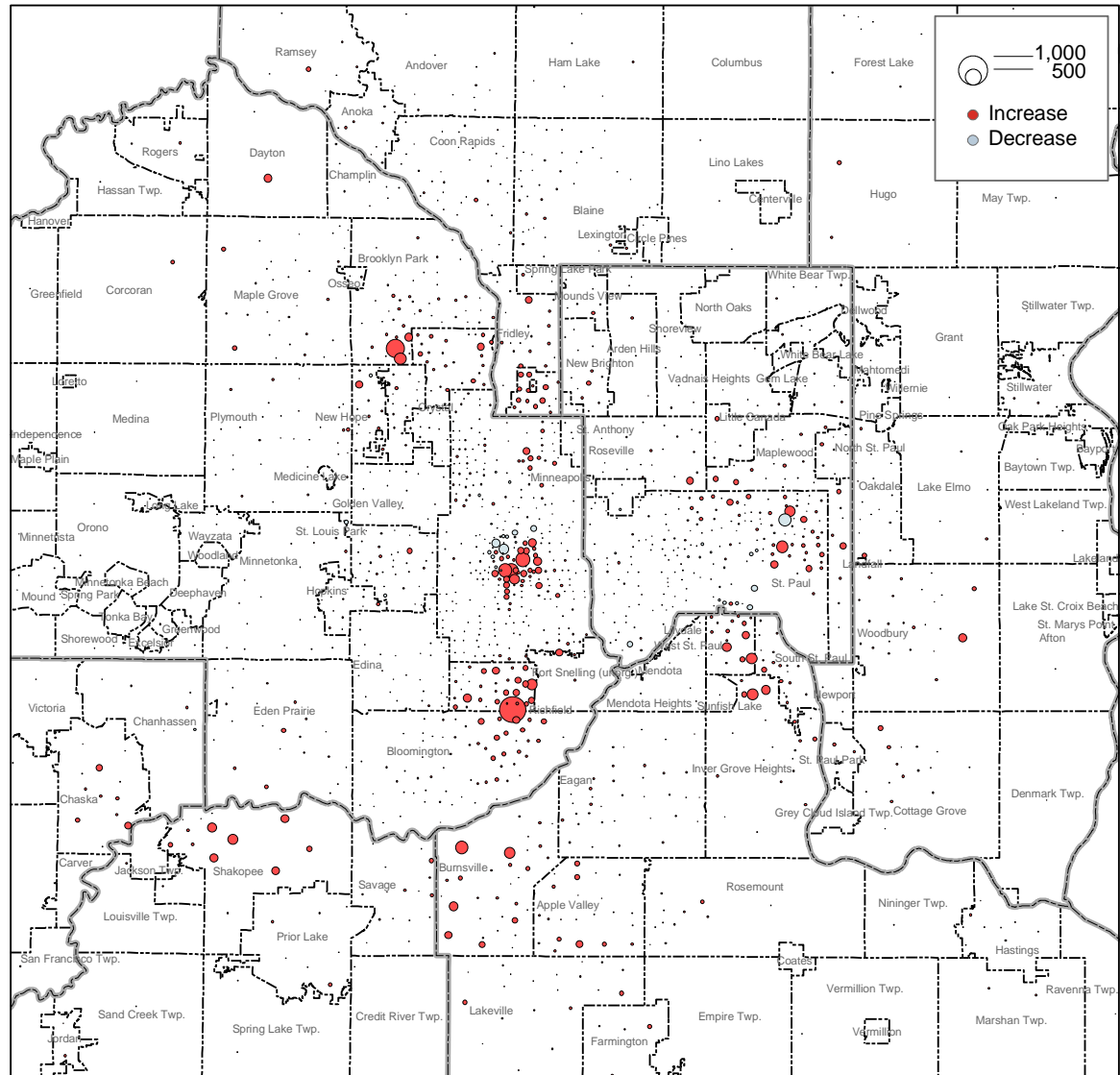
Source: U.S. Census Bureau

# Change in Asian Residents 2000-10



Source: U.S. Census Bureau

# Change in Hispanic Residents 2000-10



Source: U.S. Census Bureau

# Where to find Census data

Metropolitan Council - Community Profile - Windows Internet Explorer

http://stats.metrocouncil.org/profile/detail.aspx?c=R11000

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#### Population and Households in Twin Cities Region (7-county)

Select data to chart:  
 Population  Households

Year	Population	Households
1990	1,874,612	573,634
2000	1,985,873	721,357
2005	2,288,721	875,504
2008	2,642,062	1,021,456
2010	2,849,567	1,117,749
2012	3,005,000	1,198,000
2015	3,334,000	1,362,000
2018	3,638,000	1,492,000

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What the 2010 Census Tells Us about the Twin Cities Region

March 2011

The Census Bureau has published the first local-level results from the 2010 Census. Data are available for all levels of geography: counties, cities, townships, Census tracts, and blocks. This *MetroStats* report presents analysis of city- and township-level data and of regional trends.

The new data include tabulations of housing units, total population and adult population, by race and Hispanicity.

The Redistricting Files are intended for use in the re-examination and determination of political district boundaries. Additional demographic characteristics data from the 2010 Census, Summary File 1, will be available over the summer.

For more detailed information, visit [www.metrocouncil.org/data](http://www.metrocouncil.org/data).

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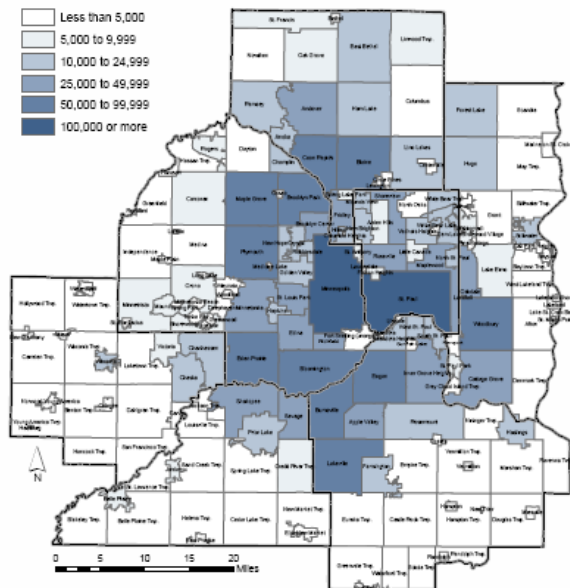
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City and Township Population, 2010



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Decennial Census 2010 (PL Data).

The Twin Cities metro area population grew to 2.85 million in 2010, according to 2010 Census counts released in March. The region's ten largest cities, in order, are Minneapolis, St. Paul, Bloomington, Brooklyn Park, Plymouth, Eagan, Woodbury, Maple Grove, Coon Rapids, and Eden Prairie.

# MetroStats: What the 2010 Census Tells Us about the Twin Cities Region

# What if a city doesn't agree with its Census enumeration?

- Types of challenges in the Census Bureau Count Question Resolution:
  - **Boundary:** Inaccurate reporting or recording
  - **Geocoding:** Errors in the geographic location of living quarter addresses
  - **Coverage:** Duplicated or missing living quarters
- Council will provide a workshop for local government officials on navigating the Count Question Resolution process



# Census data released this summer

- Age
- Household structure
- Residential tenure (homeownership)



For further information:

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