

Senate District 8

Total Population	312,213			Language Spoken at Home	Number	%	Sex	Number	%	
				(Persons 5 or over)			Male	150,938	48.3	
Race/Hispanic Origin	Number	%			English only	226,534	77.0	Female	161,275	51.7
Non-Hispanic White	194,666	62.4			Spanish/Spanish Creole	42,818	14.6			
Non-Hispanic Black	47,795	15.3			French/French Creole	4,356	1.5			
Non-Hispanic American					Italian	3,924	1.3			
Indian/Eskimo/Aleut	522	0.2			Yiddish	225	0.1			
Non-Hispanic Asian	9,786	3.1			Greek	1,694	0.6			
Non-Hispanic Pacific					Russian	882	0.3			
Islander/Other	720	0.2			Polish	2,208	0.8			
Non-Hispanic 2 or more races	3,492	1.1			Persian	121	0.0			
Hispanic	55,232	17.7			Other Indo-European	5,275	1.8			
					Chinese	1,774	0.6			
Foreign, Non-Hispanic Ancestry	Number	%			Korean	301	0.1			
Arab	1,272	0.4			Native North American	11	0.0			
Asian Indian	3,341	1.1			Hebrew	492	0.2			
Chinese	2,193	0.7			Other/unspecified	3,455	1.2			
Korean	467	0.1			Hispanic Ancestry	Number	%			
Other Asian	3,874	1.2			Mexico	1,662	0.5			
British	14,290	4.6			Caribbean:					
Dutch	1,112	0.4			Puerto Rico	7,913	2.5			
French	3,409	1.1			Cuba	1,903	0.6			
German	39,584	12.7			Dominican Republic	13,299	4.3			
Greek	3,935	1.3			Central America:					
Hungarian	2,021	0.6			Guatemala	2,330	0.7			
Irish	56,873	18.2			Honduras	2,541	0.8			
Italian	75,193	24.1			Nicaragua	187	0.1			
Polish	15,923	5.1			Panama	592	0.2			
Russian/Formal Soviet Union	9,992	3.2			El Salvador	11,629	3.7			
Other European	18,650	6.0			Other Central America	1,492	0.5			
Canadian/French Canadian	1,097	0.4			South America:					
Subsaharan African	1,462	0.5			Columbia	3,067	1.0			
Guyanese	956	0.3			Ecuador	2,059	0.7			
Haitian	3,798	1.2			Peru	1,454	0.5			
Jamaican	7,490	2.4			Other South America	2,135	0.7			
Trinidadian and Tobagonian	961	0.3			Other Hispanic	2,969	1.0			
Other West Indian	3,037	1.0			<i>*Percentages are of total population</i>					
Other	131,312	42.1			Number of Families:	78,775				
<i>*Note: Persons can claim more than one ancestry.</i>					Number of Households:	100,557				
								Age	Number	%
								Under 5	18,143	5.8
								5-17	55,467	17.8
								18-29	43,347	13.9
								30-44	61,818	19.8
								45-59	72,612	23.3
								60-64	17,485	5.6
								65 and over	43,341	13.9
								Citizenship	Number	%
								Under 18:		
								Native-born	70,743	22.7
								Foreign-born:		
								Naturalized Citizen	986	0.3
								Non-citizen	1,881	0.6
								18 and over:		
								Native-born	183,659	58.8
								Foreign-born:		
								Naturalized Citizen	30,829	9.9
								Non-citizen	24,115	7.7
								Value of Housing	Number	%
								(Owner-occupied housing units)		
								Less than \$25,000	502	0.6
								\$25,000-\$49,999	858	1.0
								\$50,000-\$99,999	790	0.9
								\$100,000-\$149,999	755	0.9
								\$150,000-\$199,999	1,388	1.7
								\$200,000-\$299,999	7,521	9.0
								\$300,000-\$399,999	24,275	29.2
								\$400,000-\$499,999	24,282	29.2
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								Average Value:	\$433,864	

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Car, truck, or van:			Less than 5 minutes	2,608	1.8	Management	14,499	9.4
Drove alone	109,664	74.6	5 to 9 minutes	10,700	7.3	Business and financial operations	8,728	5.6
Carpooled	12,756	8.7	10 to 14 minutes	18,243	12.4	Healthcare	9,197	6.0
Public transportation:			15 to 19 minutes	19,381	13.2	Protective service occupations	6,464	4.2
Bus or trolley bus	3,870	2.6	20 to 24 minutes	20,806	14.2	Food service occupations	5,807	3.8
Streetcar or trolley car	66	0.0	25 to 29 minutes	7,947	5.4	Other service occupations	15,173	9.8
Subway	1,133	0.8	30 to 34 minutes	20,557	14.0	Sales and related occupations	18,271	11.8
Railroad	14,200	9.7	35 to 39 minutes	3,476	2.4	Office and administrative support	23,912	15.5
Ferryboat	8	0.0	40 to 44 minutes	6,066	4.1	Farming, fishing and forestry	212	0.1
Taxicab	1,150	0.8	45 to 59 minutes	11,618	7.9	Construction and extraction	7,696	5.0
Other:			60 to 89 minutes	16,561	11.3	Production occupations	6,222	4.0
Motorcycle	17	0.0	90 or more minutes	8,985	6.1	Transportation and material moving	8,616	5.6
Bicycle	637	0.4	Average Travel Time to Work:		31.8			
Walked	2,952	2.0						
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Household Size and Type	Number	%	Industry (Civilian employed persons 16+)	Number	%
One person:			Agriculture, forestry, fishing and mining	220	0.1
Male householder	7,054	7.0	Construction	10,222	6.6
Female householder	11,525	11.5	Manufacturing	9,576	6.2
Two or more persons:			Wholesale trade	4,622	3.0
Family households:			Retail trade	17,368	11.2
Married-couple family:			Transportation and warehousing	8,604	5.6
With related children	28,470	28.3	Utilities	984	0.6
Without related children	32,444	32.3	Information	5,224	3.4
Other family households:			Finance, insurance and real estate	13,635	8.8
Male householder, no wife present:			Professional and related services	17,583	11.4
With related children	1,611	1.6	Education services	17,318	11.2
Without related children	3,024	3.0	Health services and social assistance	22,315	14.4
Female householder, no husband present:			Entertainment, recreation and food services	10,179	6.6
With related children	5,362	5.3	Other services	7,628	4.9
Without related children	7,864	7.8	Public administration	9,079	5.9
Nonfamily households:					
Male householder, not living alone	1,634	1.6			
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