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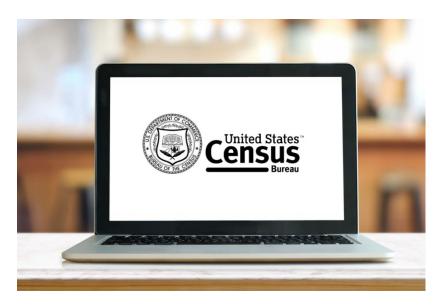




Census authorized by Article I, Section 2 of the United States Constitution.



Taking the Census 1854



Taking the Census 2020



George Washington University's Institute of Public Policy found that at least \$34 billion in federal funding for programs that directly assist Illinois residents is tied to census figures.

One missed resident translates to a loss of \$1,800 a year.

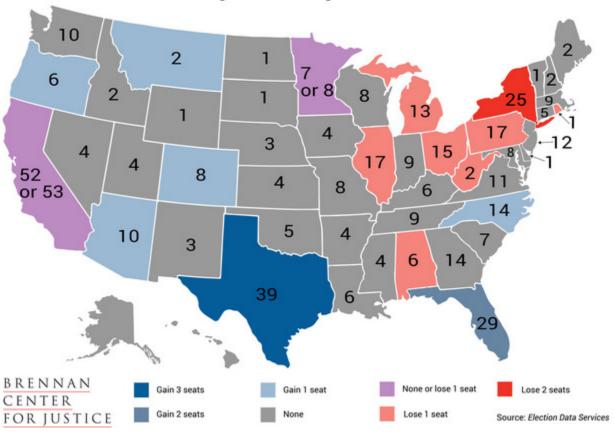
Projected over the 10-year life of the census, that's \$18,000 a person in reduced services. (Northwest Herald, March 13, 2019)

Illinois lost an estimated 45,116 residents from 2017 to 2018. Since 2013, the state has lost more than 100,000 residents.

(Chicago Tribune, March 18, 2019)

Census Projections for 2020 Congressional Reapportionment

Net Change in Total Congressional Seats



Illinois 2010 actual
Illinois 2020 projected

12,830,600

12,708,900

Source: Urban Institute calculations

Illinois Congressional

Delegation

2010: 18

2000: 19

1990: 20

1980: 22

1970: 24

1960: 24

1950: 25

1940: 26

1930: 27

1920: 27

1910: 27



Apportionment Population Based on the 2010 Census and Apportionment of the U.S. House of Representatives: 1910 to 2010 (U.S. Census Bureau)

Census Timetable

March 12-20: Invitation to respond online to the 2020 census.

March 26-April 3: Reminder postcard.

April 8-16: Reminder letter and paper questionnaire.

April 20-27: Final reminder postcard before in-person follow up.

December 31, 2020: Office of the President receives the counts.

March 31, 2021: Census Bureau transmits date files to states for

redistricting.

Every household will have the option of responding online, by mail or by phone.

95% of households will receive their census invitation by mail.

Residents of Group Facilities

They will be counted at the facility in which they are housed or living on Census Day.

Letter sent from the Director of the Illinois Stat Library to public Libraries asking they allow anyone to use public access terminals to reply to the census.





According to United States Code, Title 13 (Census), Chapter 7 (Offenses and Penalties), Sub-Chapter II, if you're over 18 and refuse to answer all or part of the Census, you can be fined up to \$100. If you give false answers, you're subject to a fine of up to \$500.

Confidentiality



The U.S. Census Bureau is bound by <u>Title 13</u> of the United States Code. This law provides protection for the information collected from individuals and businesses.

The Illinois Secretary of State's Office denied a request from the U.S. Census Bureau, asking for the state's driver's license database, which includes people's citizenship status.



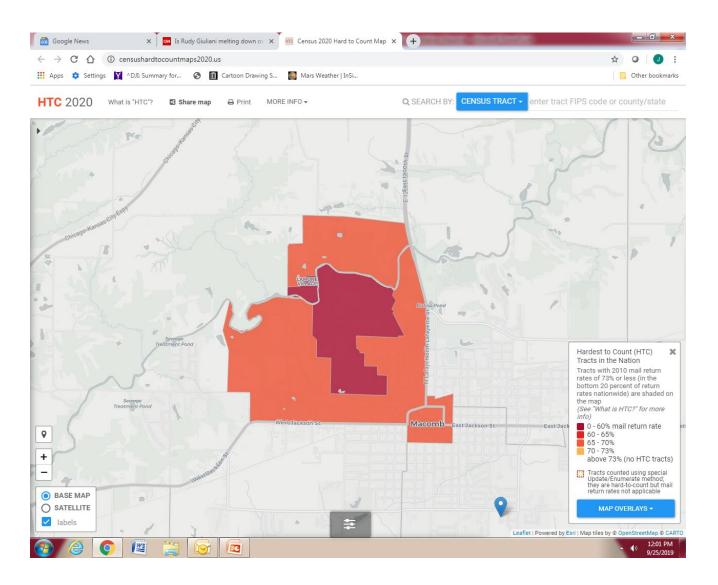
WICS/WRSP TV-Springfield, September 24, 2019

Hard to Count Populations

- Children under age 5
- Homeless
- Lower income
- Lower education
- English language learners
- Veterans

- Minority communities
- College students
- Foreign born Illinois residents
- "Snowbirds"
- Farm
- Renters

"Hard to Count" areas are defined as a geography where the self-response rate in the 2010 decennial census was 73% or less.



https://www.censushardtocountmaps2020.us/

Census Participation State Grants

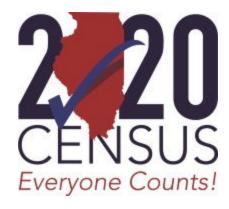


Illinois Secretary of State

\$1.5 million 18 grants

Illinois Department of Human Services

\$20 million in grant funds available



Counted In

A toolkit containing library marketing templates and resources (downloadable and customizable flyers, banners, posters).

Webinar on outreach to immigrant communities.



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