

montgomery county population by council districts, 2010

Montgomery County's population gained almost 100,000 people, or 11.3 percent, in the last decade, to total 971,777 people. The County's population grew more diverse over the last decade, becoming a majority minority county for the first time. The five Council Districts reflect the increasing diversity that characterizes Montgomery County in 2010.

POPULATION INCREASE

- Council District 2 had the highest total population (214,315) and the greatest increase (20.5 percent), gaining 36,469 people between 2000 and 2010. Germantown and Clarksburg, two of the County's fastest-growing communities, accounted for 86 percent of the population increase.
- Population growth in the cities of Rockville and Gaithersburg fueled the 14.3 percent gain in Council District 3, to total 197,661 people in 2010.
- Council District 4 gained 16,051 people over the decade, totaling 189,652 in 2010, a 9.2 percent gain.
- Council Districts 1 and 5 each grew by about 6 percent. District 1 gained 10,906 to total 185,462; District 5, the county's least populated district, gained 10,219 people to reach 184,687 residents.

COUNCIL DISTRICT POPULATION CHANGE: 2000 - 2010*

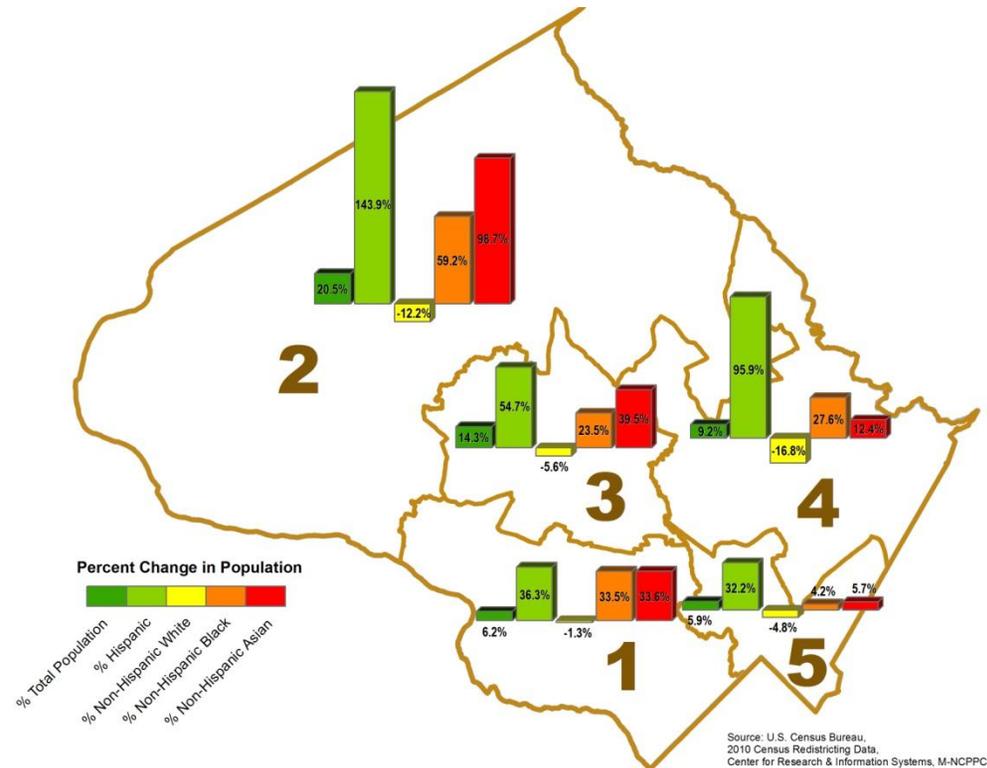
Council Districts	Total Population			2000-2010		
	2000	% of total	2010	% of total	Gain	% of change
District 1	174,556	20.0%	185,462	19.1%	10,906	6.2%
District 2	177,846	20.4%	214,315	22.1%	36,469	20.5%
District 3	172,870	19.8%	197,661	20.3%	24,791	14.3%
District 4	173,601	19.9%	189,652	19.5%	16,051	9.2%
District 5	174,468	20.0%	184,687	19.0%	10,219	5.9%
Total	873,341	100.0%	971,777	100.0%	98,436	11.3%

* District boundaries established 2001

Source: Census 2010 Redistricting Data (Public Law 94-171), U.S. Census Bureau; prepared by Montgomery County Planning Department, M-NCPPC.

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CHANGE IN POPULATION: 2000-2010 by Council Districts



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DEMOGRAPHIC SHIFTS

- Minorities (all people identifying themselves as other than non-Hispanic white) make up at least half of the population in each district except for Council District 1.
- Council District 5 has the highest percentage of minorities (113,314 people or 61.4 percent), while Council District 4 has the highest number of minorities (114,576 or 60.4 percent).
- Those of Hispanic or Latino origin, the county’s fastest-growing group, became the largest minority in 2010. About 29 percent of all Hispanics in the county live in Council District 5, which has the greatest number of Latinos (47,077) among the districts. Council Districts 2, 3 and 4 each have more than 33,000 Hispanics, comprising 16 to 18 percent of each area’s population. Hispanics are the second largest minority group in Council District 1, with 13,869 people or 7.5 percent of the area’s population.
- Blacks make up 16.6 percent of the county’s population and predominately reside in the eastern part of the county. Council District 4 has 48,342 black residents, or 25.5 percent of the population; Council District 5 has 45,281 black residents, comprising 24.5 percent.
- Council District 3 has the highest number (40,972) and the highest percentage of Asians (20.7 percent) among all the Council Districts. The percentage of Asians living in Council Districts 1, 2, and 4 range from 12 percent to 14.7 percent, which is close to the 13.9 percent found countywide. Council District 5 has the lowest concentration – 15,137 Asians or 8.2 percent.

POPULATION CHANGE WITHIN COUNCIL DISTRICTS* BY RACE, 2000-2010

Council Districts	Hispanic	White	Black	Asian	Other	Pop. increase
<i>Change in Number</i>						
District 1	3,693	(1,758)	1,979	5,612	1,380	10,906
District 2	19,780	(14,730)	13,547	15,684	2,188	36,469
District 3	12,651	(5,327)	4,526	11,591	1,350	24,791
District 4	17,207	(15,143)	10,443	2,773	771	16,051
District 5	11,463	(3,595)	1,823	812	(284)	10,219
County Total	64,794	(40,553)	32,318	36,472	5,405	98,436
<i>Percent Change</i>						
District 1	36.3%	-1.3%	33.5%	33.6%	35.0%	6.2%
District 2	143.9%	-12.2%	59.2%	98.7%	43.9%	20.5%
District 3	54.7%	-5.6%	23.5%	39.5%	26.2%	14.3%
District 4	95.9%	-16.8%	27.6%	12.4%	14.8%	9.2%
District 5	32.2%	-4.8%	4.2%	5.7%	-4.7%	5.9%
Total	64.4%	-7.8%	25.0%	37.0%	21.3%	11.3%

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COUNCIL DISTRICTS* BY POPULATION, RACE AND HISPANIC CHARACTERISTICS, 2010

2010 Data	Council Districts										Total	Percent
	District 1		District 2		District 3		District 4		District 5			
	Population	%	Population	%	Population	%	Population	%	Population	%		
Total Population	185,462	100.0%	214,315	100.0%	197,661	100.0%	189,652	100%	184,687	100.0%	971,777	100%
Minority Population												
Hispanic or Latino	13,869	7.5%	33,525	15.6%	35,775	18.1%	35,152	18.5%	47,077	25.5%	165,398	17.0%
Black	7,887	4.3%	36,422	17.0%	23,757	12%	48,342	25.5%	45,281	24.5%	161,689	16.6%
Asian & Pacific Islander	22,339	12.0%	31,572	14.7%	40,972	20.7%	25,084	13.2%	15,137	8.2%	135,104	13.9%
Other Race	5,319	2.9%	7,176	3.3%	6,509	3.3%	5,998	3.2%	5,819	3.2%	30,821	3.2%
Total	49,414	26.6%	108,695	50.7%	107,013	54.1%	114,576	60.4%	113,314	61.4%	493,012	50.7%
White Population	136,048	73.4%	105,620	49.3%	90,648	45.9%	75,076	39.6%	71,370	38.6%	478,765	49.3%

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