

**COMMUNITY DATA compiled by the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond****GATES COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA****2009**

County State

**DEMOGRAPHICS**

Total Population	11,555	9,045,705
18 years and over	8,618	6,839,619
65 years and over	1,591	1,121,070
Median age	41.6	36.6
Hispanic or Latino	131	633,220
Not Hispanic or Latino	11,424	8,412,485
White alone	7,071	6,100,974
Black alone	4,145	1,894,014
American Indian & Alaska Native alone	57	97,830
Asian alone	5	171,856
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0	3,925
Foreign born	64	618,878
Language other than English	167	808,019

**HOUSEHOLD STRUCTURE**

Total households	4,001	3,541,807
Female householder, no husband present, family	450	457,857
With own children under 18 years	248	278,172
Householder living alone	808	979,493
65 years and over	432	313,248
Average household size	2.79	2.47

**HOUSING**

Total housing units	4,644	4,120,599
Occupied housing units	4,001	3,541,807
Vacant housing units	643	578,792
Owner-occupied housing Units	3,251	2,410,327
Renter-occupied housing Units	750	1,131,480
Homeowner vacancy rate	1.2	2.4
Rental vacancy rate	2.2	9.7

**EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT**

Population 25 years and over	7,700	5,940,248
Less than 9th grade	536	376,931
Percent high school graduate or higher	82.1%	83.0%
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	11.9%	25.8%
Percent graduate or professional degree	3.0%	8.5%

**INCOME**

Median household income (dollars)	47,217	45,069
Per capita income (dollars)	19,337	24,547
Percent all people whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level	18.3%	15.1%
Percent 18 years and over whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level	14.0%	13.2%
Percent 65 years and over whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level	16.8%	11.1%

Note: N/A - Data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small or not available.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2009 American Community Survey

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