

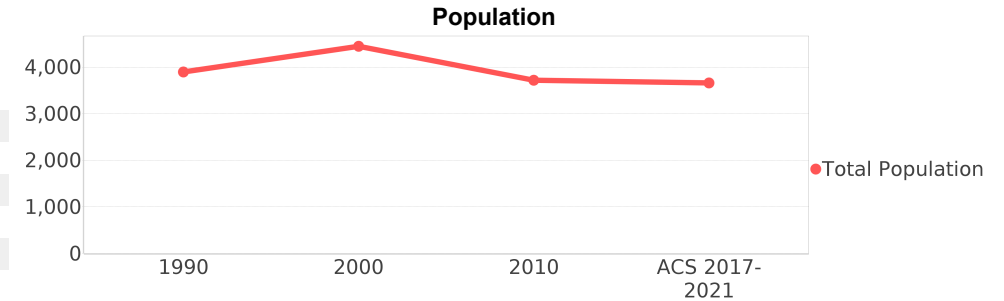
Fort Meade (city)

Area: [2](#) 8.552 square miles
Jurisdiction - Cities: [3](#) Fort Meade, Bartow
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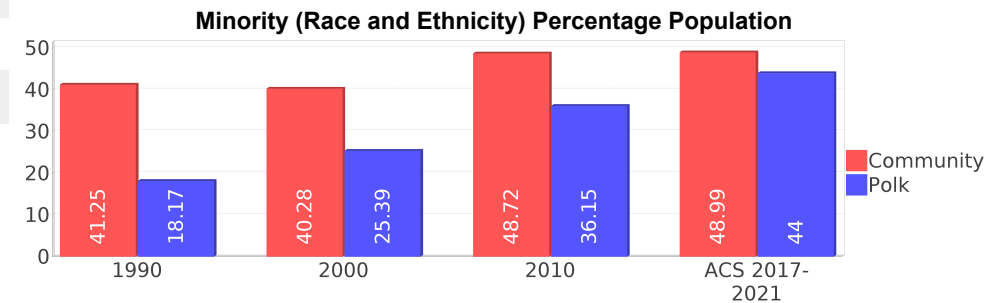
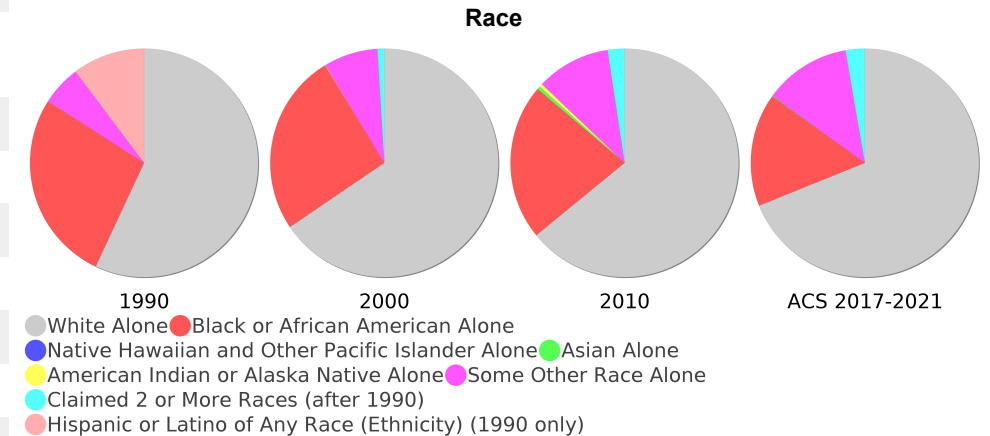
General Population Trends

Description	1990	2000	2010 ¹	ACS 2017-2021
Total Population	3,896	4,449	3,719	3,660
Total Households	1,359	1,693	1,299	1,295
Average Persons per Acre	1.86	1.95	1.39	1.01
Average Persons per Household	2.88	2.83	3.00	2.89
Average Persons per Family	3.41	3.27	3.17	3.58
Males	1,896	2,163	1,835	1,840
Females	1,999	2,286	1,883	1,819



Race and Ethnicity Trends ^{5, 8, 9}

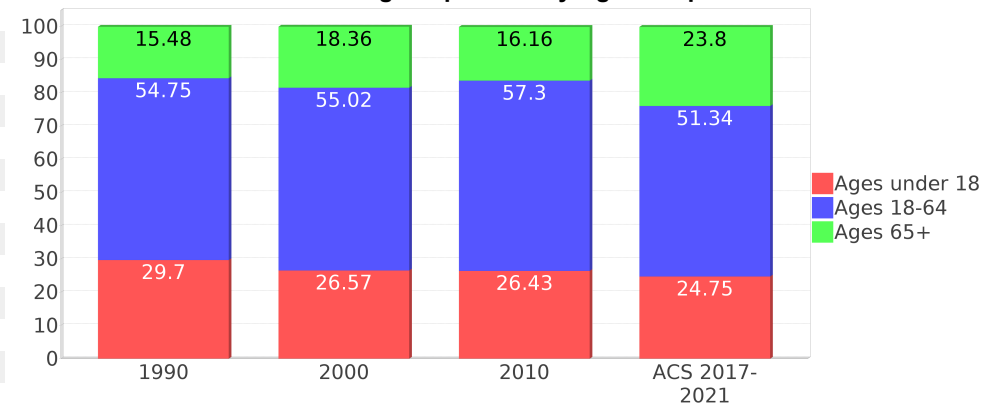
Description	1990	2000	2010 ¹	ACS 2017-2021
White Alone	2,473 (63.48%)	2,914 (65.50%)	2,381 (64.02%)	2,520 (68.85%)
Black or African American Alone	1,175 (30.16%)	1,146 (25.76%)	821 (22.08%)	586 (16.01%)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander Alone	0 (0.00%)	0 (0.00%)	0 (0.00%)	0 (0.00%)
Asian Alone	1 (0.03%)	0 (0.00%)	16 (0.43%)	3 (0.08%)
American Indian or Alaska Native Alone	1 (0.03%)	3 (0.07%)	18 (0.48%)	0 (0.00%)
Some Other Race Alone	245 (6.29%)	340 (7.64%)	390 (10.49%)	449 (12.27%)
Claimed 2 or More Races	NA (NA)	44 (0.99%)	89 (2.39%)	100 (2.73%)
Hispanic or Latino of Any Race (Ethnicity)	446 (11.45%)	676 (15.19%)	929 (24.98%)	1,175 (32.10%)
Not Hispanic or Latino (Ethnicity)	3,450 (88.55%)	3,773 (84.81%)	2,790 (75.02%)	2,485 (67.90%)
Minority (Race and Ethnicity)	1,607 (41.25%)	1,792 (40.28%)	1,812 (48.72%)	1,793 (48.99%)



Age Trends ⁵

Description	1990	2000	2010 ¹	ACS 2017-2021
Under Age 5	8.55%	5.66%	7.26%	7.90%
Ages 5-17	21.15%	20.90%	19.17%	16.86%
Ages 18-21	6.42%	4.41%	6.40%	3.03%
Ages 22-29	11.17%	7.78%	9.46%	10.14%
Ages 30-39	12.40%	13.64%	11.51%	12.43%
Ages 40-49	11.22%	13.76%	13.36%	9.29%
Ages 50-64	13.55%	15.44%	16.56%	16.45%
Age 65 and Over	15.48%	18.36%	16.16%	23.80%
-Ages 65-74	8.34%	8.83%	8.87%	9.26%
-Ages 75-84	5.54%	7.33%	5.73%	11.09%
-Age 85 and Over	1.57%	2.16%	1.53%	3.42%
Median Age	NA	32	35	40

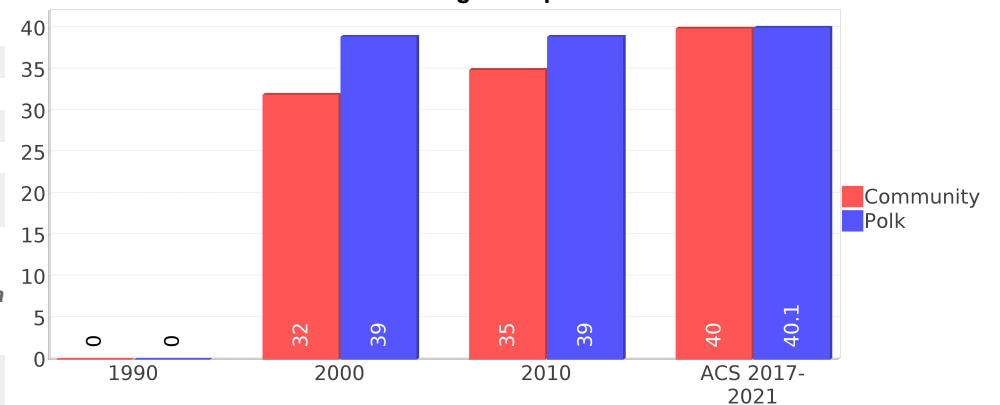
Percentage Population by Age Group



Income Trends ^{12, 13, 5}

Description	1990	2000	2010 ¹	ACS 2017-2021
Median Household Income	\$23,198	\$34,904	\$45,066	\$54,750
Median Family Income	\$25,099	\$37,911	\$44,273	\$70,625
Population below Poverty Level	23.95%	19.17%	23.64%	23.06%
Households below Poverty Level	20.09%	17.78%	18.55%	18.69%
Households with Public Assistance Income	11.26%	4.31%	1.31%	4.32%

Median Age Comparison



Disability Trends ¹⁰

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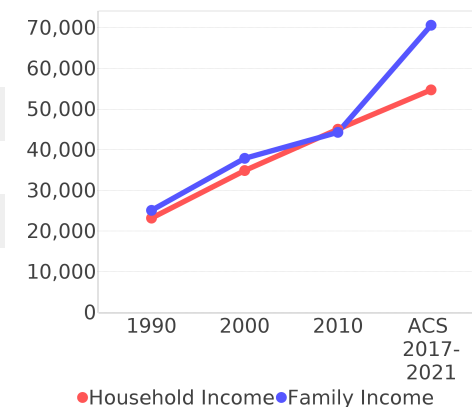
Description	1990	2000	2010 ¹	ACS 2017-2021
Population 16 To 64 Years with a disability	156 (5.59%)	672 (16.03%)	(NA)	(NA)
Population 20 To 64 Years with a disability	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	265 (14.51%)

Educational Attainment Trends ^{11, 5}

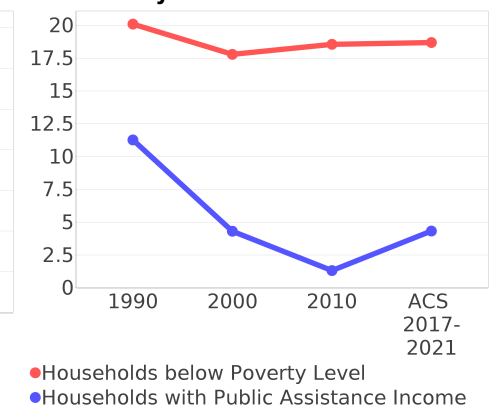
Age 25 and Over

Description	1990	2000	2010 ¹	ACS 2017-2021
Less than 9th Grade	401 (17.30%)	395 (13.41%)	217 (9.46%)	198 (7.70%)
9th to 12th Grade, No Diploma	565 (24.37%)	529 (17.96%)	354 (15.44%)	406 (15.79%)
High School Graduate or Higher	1,351 (58.28%)	2,021 (68.62%)	1,722 (75.10%)	1,967 (76.48%)
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	131 (5.65%)	193 (6.55%)	236 (10.29%)	305 (11.86%)

Income Trends



Poverty and Public Assistance



Language Trends ⁵

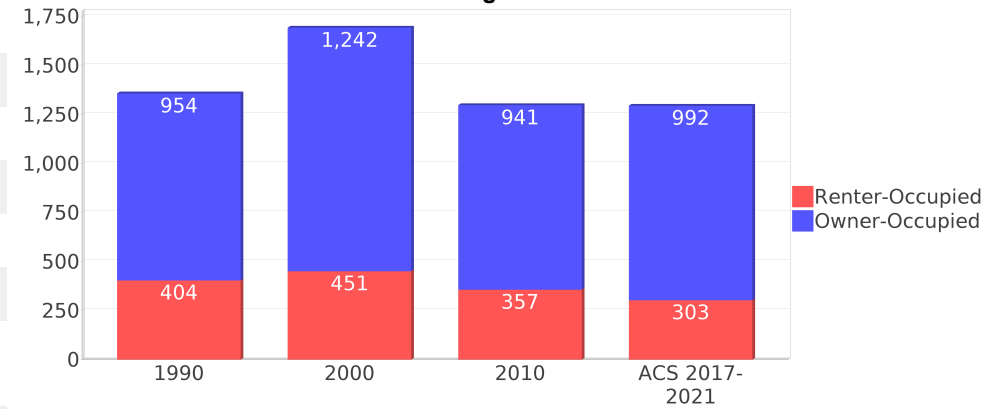
Age 5 and Over

Description	1990	2000	2010 ¹	ACS 2017-2021
Speaks English Well	99 (2.82%)	92 (2.19%)	87 (2.69%)	63 (1.87%)
Speaks English Not Well	NA (NA)	106 (2.53%)	216 (6.67%)	87 (2.58%)
Speaks English Not at All	NA (NA)	33 (0.79%)	25 (0.77%)	47 (1.39%)
Speaks English Not Well or Not at All	86 (2.45%)	139 (3.31%)	241 (7.45%)	134 (3.98%)
Speaks English Less than Very Well	NA (NA)	232 (5.53%)	329 (10.17%)	199 (5.91%)

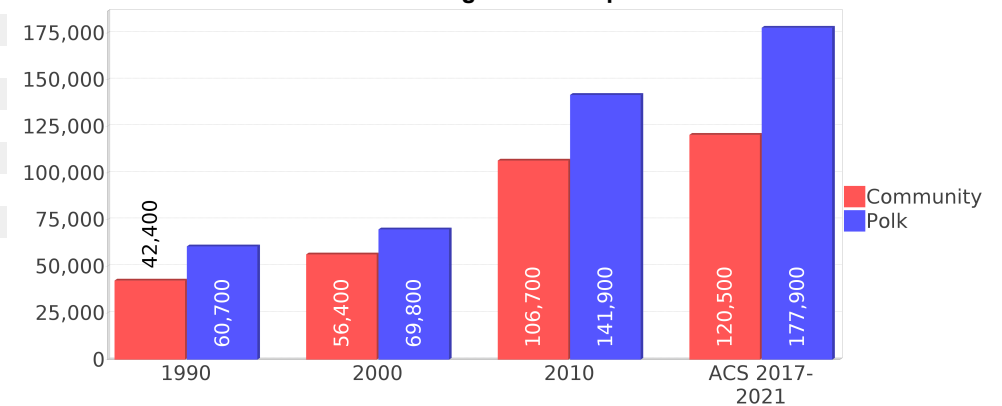
Housing Trends ⁵

Description	1990	2000	2010 ¹	ACS 2017-2021
Total	1,580	2,252	1,510	1,563
Units per Acre	0.72	0.54	0.70	0.35
Single-Family Units	1,081	1,359	1,284	1,289
Multi-Family Units	140	158	130	110
Mobile Home Units	126	726	160	163
Owner-Occupied Units	954	1,242	941	992
Renter-Occupied Units	404	451	357	303
Vacant Units	220	559	210	267
Median Housing Value	\$42,400	\$56,400	\$106,700	\$120,500
Occupied Housing Units w/No Vehicle	141 (10.37%)	153 (9.04%)	75 (5.77%)	100 (7.72%)

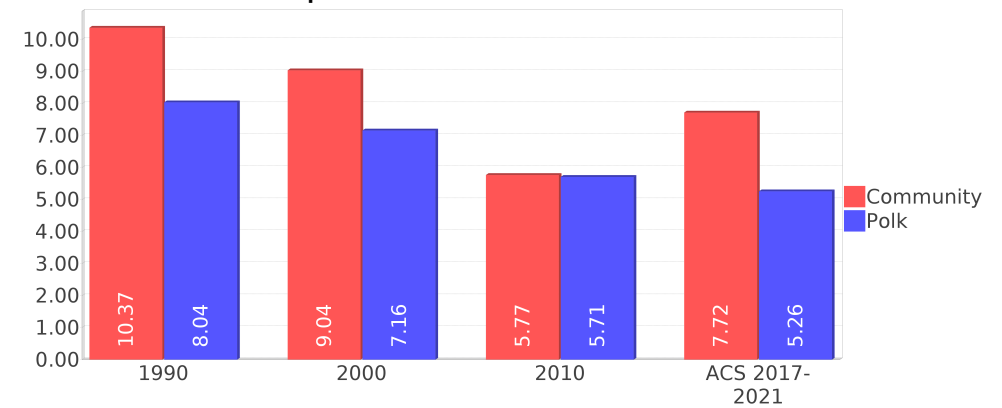
Housing Tenure



Median Housing Value Comparison



Occupied Units With No Vehicles Available



Geographic Mobility

Description	ACS 2017-2021
Median year householder moved into unit - Total	2010
Median year householder moved into unit - Owner Occupied	2008
Median year householder moved into unit - Renter Occupied	2017
Abroad 1 year ago	1
Different house in United States 1 year ago	369
Same house 1 year ago	3,266
Geographical Mobility in the Past Year - Total	3,636

Computers and Internet

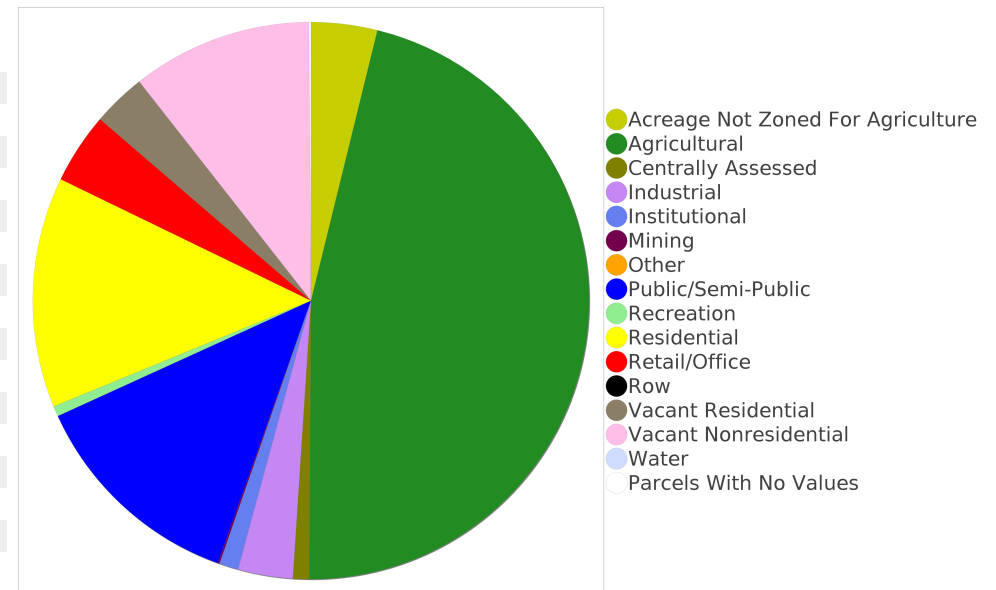
Description	ACS 2017-2021
Total Households Types of Computers in HH	1,295
Households with 1 or more device	1,020
Households with no computer	275
Total Households Presence and Types of Internet Subscriptions	1,295
Households with an internet subscription	957
Households with internet access without a subscription	28
Households with no internet access	309

Household Languages

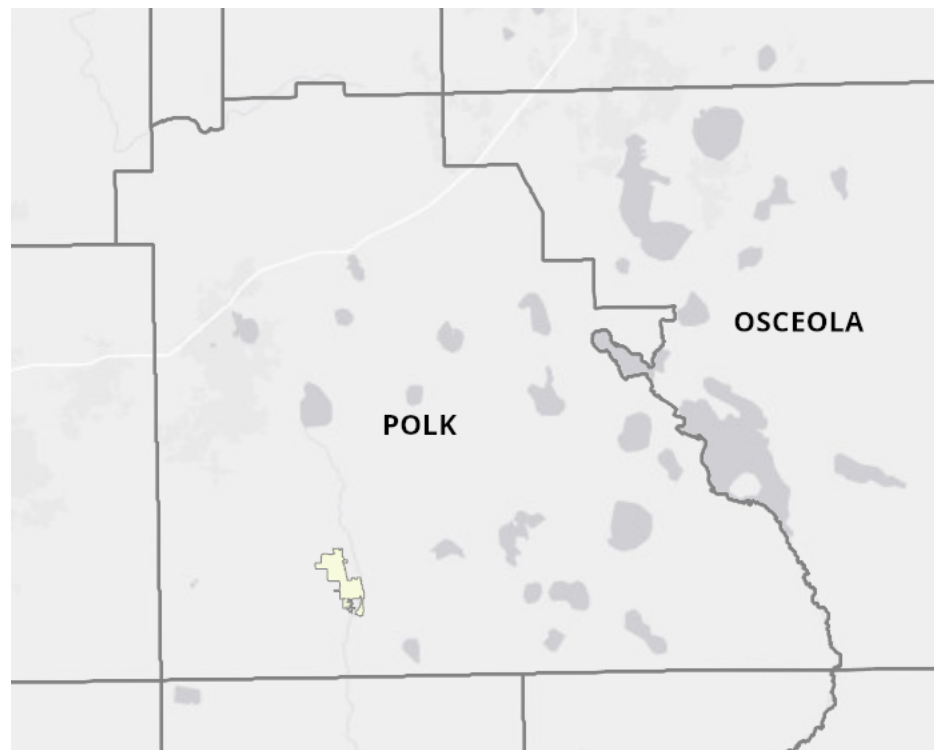
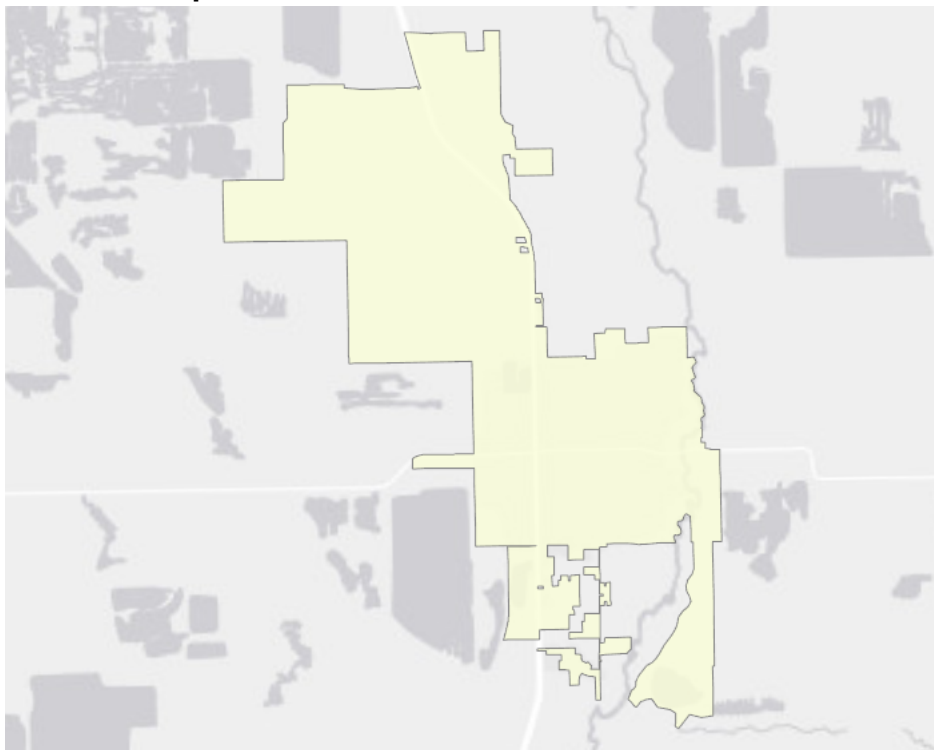
Description	ACS 2017-2021
Total Households by Household Language	1,295
Household Not Limited English Speaking Status	1,237
Spanish: Limited English speaking household	49
Indo-European languages: Limited English speaking household	5
Asian and Pacific Island languages: Limited English speaking household	3
Other languages: Limited English speaking household	0

Existing Land Use ¹⁵

Land Use Type	Acres	Percentage
Acreage Not Zoned For Agriculture	194	3.54%
Agricultural	2,337	42.70%
Centrally Assessed	47	0.86%
Industrial	161	2.94%
Institutional	56	1.02%
Mining	5	0.09%
Other	0	0.00%
Public/Semi-Public	645	11.78%
Recreation	30	0.55%
Residential	676	12.35%
Retail/Office	208	3.80%
Row	0	0.00%
Vacant Residential	157	2.87%
Vacant Nonresidential	529	9.67%
Water	0	0.00%
Parcels With No Values	6	0.11%



Location Maps



Community Facilities

The community facilities information below is useful in a variety of ways for environmental evaluations. These community resources should be evaluated for potential sociocultural effects, such as accessibility and relocation potential. The facility types may indicate the types of population groups present in the project study area. Facility staff and leaders can be sources of community information such as who uses the facility and how it is used. Additionally, community facilities are potential public meeting venues.

Assisted Rental Housing Units

Facility Name	Address	Zip Code
CHARLTON COURT	701 S. HENDRY AVENUE	33841
BROADWAY TERRACE AP	923 E BROADWAY ST	338410631

Community and Fraternal Centers

Facility Name	Address	Zip Code
AMERICAN LEGION POST 23	825 N CHARLESTON AVE	33841
FORT MEADE-CITY OF COMMUNITY CENTER	10 3RD ST SW	33841
VFW POST 11179 - FORT MEADE	31 N BROWN AVE	33841

Cultural Centers

Facility Name	Address	Zip Code
FORT MEADE PUBLIC LIBRARY	75 E BROADWAY ST	33841

Fire Department and Rescue Station Facilities

Facility Name	Address	Zip Code
FORT MEADE FIRE DEPARTMENT AND RESCUE STATION 760	12 N ALBRITTON ST	33841
POLK COUNTY RESCUE STATION 770 (FORT MEADE)	1235 NE 9TH ST	33841

Government Buildings

Facility Name	Address	Zip Code
U S POST OFFICE - FORT MEADE	21 N SEMINOLE AVE	33841
CITY OF FORT MEADE CITY HALL	8 W BROADWAY	33841

Law Enforcement Facilities

Facility Name	Address	Zip Code
POLK COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE - FORT MEADE SUBSTATION	15 NW 1ST ST	33841

Florida Parks and Recreational Facilities

Facility Name	Address	Zip Code
COMMUNITY CENTER PARK	10 3RD ST SW	33841
PATTERSON PARK & BOAT RAMP	N CHARLESTON AVE	33841
FORT MEADE SKATEBOARD PARK	W BROADWAY ST & TECUMSEH AVE	33841
LEWIS PARK AND PLAYGROUND	115 S OAK AVE	33841
FAZZINI PARK	6TH ST SE & S PERRY AVE	33841
HERITAGE PARK	NE 3RD ST & CLEVELAND AVE	33841

Facility Name	Address	Zip Code
LANIER PARK	107 SE 6TH ST	33841
TECUMSEH AVENUE PARK	TECUMSEH AVE N	33841
MONUMENT PARK	2ND ST SE & S HENDRY AVE	33841
FORT MEADE OUTDOOR RECREATION AREA & BOAT RAMP	HWY 98 E	33841
FORT MEADE BASEBALL/SOFTBALL COMPLEX	NE EDGEWOOD & NE 9TH ST	33841

Religious Centers

Facility Name	Address	Zip Code
FIRST BORN CH OF THE LIVING GOD	506 SEMINOLE AVE S	33841
CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH	704 SOUTH PERRY AVENUE	33841
BEULAH BAPTIST CHURCH	702 S FRENCH AVENUE	33841
FRENCH AVENUE CHURCH OF GOD	713 S FRENCH AVENUE	33841
ONE ACCORD OUTREACH INTERNATIONAL MINISTRIES	34 SW MARTIN LUTHER KING JR ST	33841
IGLESIA PENTECOSTAL EBENEZER	10 LANGFORD ST NW	33841
FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD	211 8TH STREET NORTHEAST	33841
NEW LIFE BAPTIST CHURCH	216 1ST STREET NORTHWEST	33841
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	118 N PINE AVENUE	33841
CHURCH OF CHRIST	419 S ORANGE AVENUE	33841
PEACEFUL BELIEVERS BAPTIST CHURCH	510 S CHARLESTON AVENUE	33841
FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH	135 E BROADWAY STREET	33841
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF FORT MEADE	307 EAST BROADWAY STREET	33841
CHURCH OF GOD CORNERSTONE	10 SOUTH SEMINOLE AVENUE	33841
HISPANIC CHURCH OF GOD INC	615 S CHARLESTON	33841
ST PAUL AME CHURCH	31 4TH STREET SOUTHEAST	33841
SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH	500 N LANIER AVENUE	33841
ONE ACCORD OUTREACH INTERNATIONAL	1421 US HIGHWAY 98	33841
MOUNT PLEASANT PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH	125 7TH STREET SOUTHWEST	33841
CHRIST CHURCH EPISCOPAL	1 N CLEVELAND AVENUE	33841
GALILEE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH	221 S LANIER AVENUE	33841
FIRST CHURCH OF GOD	215 S PERRY AVENUE	33841
OAK PARK BAPTIST CHURCH	615 OLANDT AVENUE	33841

Public Schools

Facility Name	Address	Zip Code
LEWIS ANNA WOODBURY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL (LEWIS CAMPUS)	115 S OAK AVE	33841
LEWIS ANNA WOODBURY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	610 CHARLESTON AVE S	33841
FORT MEADE MIDDLE/SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	700 EDGEWOOD DR N	33841

Veteran Organizations and Facilities

Facility Name	Address	Zip Code
AMERICAN LEGION POST 23	825 N CHARLESTON AVENUE	33841
VFW POST 11179 - FORT MEADE	31 N BROWN AVENUE	33841

Mobile Home Parks

Facility Name	Address	Zip Code
DALLEY TOWN PARK	1400 HWY 17 N	33841
CITY MOBILE HOME PARK	201 EDGEWOOD CIR S	33841
VALENCIA MOBILE HOME PARK	226 S WASHINGTON AVE	33841
OAKVIEW LAKES INC	300 S WASHINGTON AVE	33841

Group Care Facilities

Facility Name	Address	Zip Code
FT MEADE ACADEMY	211 NE 8TH STREET	33841
LEWIS ANNA WOODBURY ELEMENTARY	610 CHARLESTON AVENUE S	33841
LEWIS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	115 S OAK AVENUE	33841
FORT MEADE MIDDLE/SENIOR HS	700 EDGEWOOD DRIVE	33841

Migrant Camps

Facility Name	Address	Zip Code
FT. MEADE PROPERTY	2337 & 2345 US 98 HIGHWAY	33841
REMIGIO BADILLO 2	501, 505, SW 2ND STREET	33841
REMIGIO BADILLO 1	202, 204, 3RD STREET NW	33841

Block Groups

The following Census Block Groups were used to calculate demographics for this report.

1990 Census Block Groups

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2000 Census Block Groups

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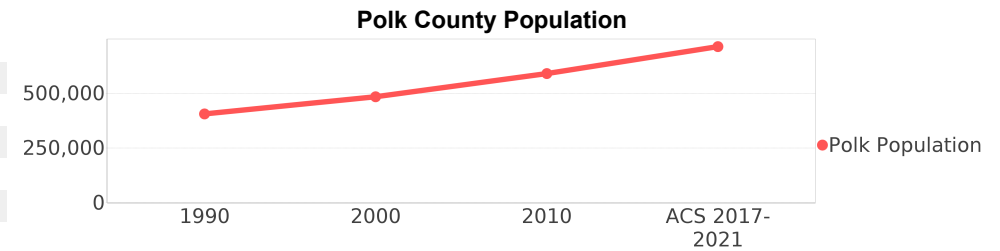
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Polk County Demographic Profile

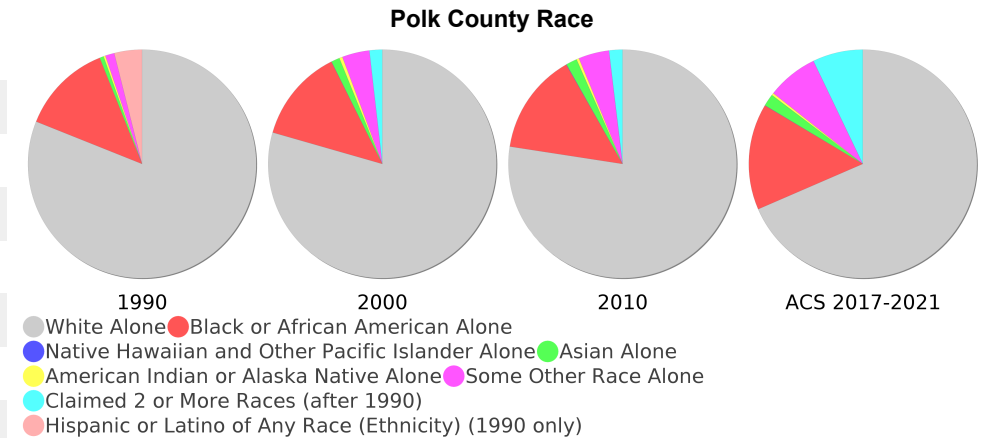
General Population Trends - Polk ⁵

Description	1990	2000	2010 ¹	ACS 2017-2021
Total Population	405,382	483,924	590,116	713,148
Total Households	155,969	187,233	223,689	253,178
Average Persons per Acre	0.315	0.376	0.458	0.55
Average Persons per Household	2.599	2.519	3.00	2.77
Average Persons per Family	3.016	3.05	3.133	3.41
Males	196,590	237,414	289,679	351,246



Race and Ethnicity Trends - Polk ^{5, 8, 9}

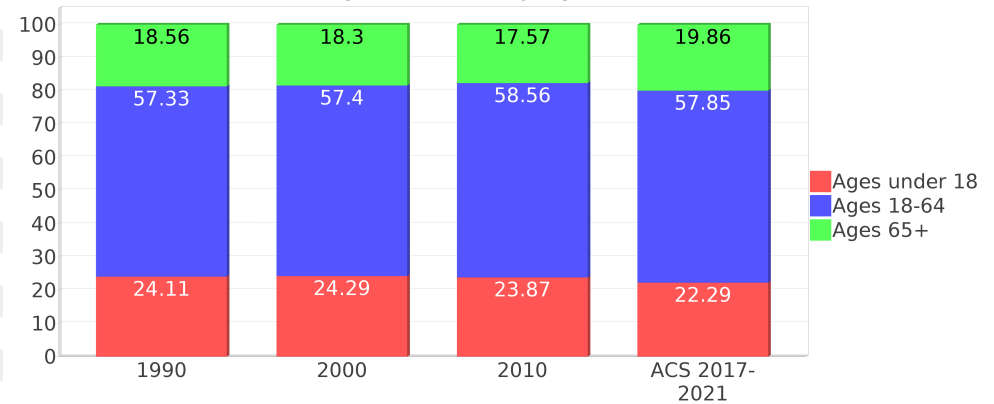
Description	1990	2000	2010 ¹	ACS 2017-2021
White Alone	341,952 (84.35%)	384,478 (79.45%)	456,933 (77.43%)	488,583 (68.51%)
Black or African American Alone	54,385 (13.42%)	63,709 (13.17%)	84,564 (14.33%)	107,169 (15.03%)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander Alone	(NA)	159 (0.03%)	348 (0.06%)	344 (0.05%)
Asian Alone	2,429 (0.60%)	5,805 (1.20%)	9,264 (1.57%)	12,276 (1.72%)
American Indian or Alaska Native Alone	1,158 (0.29%)	2,172 (0.45%)	2,123 (0.36%)	2,255 (0.32%)
Some Other Race Alone	5,401 (1.33%)	18,781 (3.88%)	25,644 (4.35%)	51,679 (7.25%)
Claimed 2 or More Races	(NA)	8,820 (1.82%)	11,240 (1.90%)	50,842 (7.13%)
Hispanic or Latino of Any Race (Ethnicity)	16,600 (4.09%)	45,650 (9.43%)	97,811 (16.57%)	177,459 (24.88%)
Not Hispanic or Latino (Ethnicity)	388,782 (95.91%)	438,274 (90.57%)	492,305 (83.43%)	535,689 (75.12%)
Minority (Race and Ethnicity)	73,650 (18.17%)	122,845 (25.39%)	213,326 (36.15%)	313,757 (44.00%)



Age Trends - Polk ⁵

Description	1990	2000	2010 ¹	ACS 2017-2021
Under Age 5	6.96%	6.35%	6.64%	5.70%
Ages 5-17	17.15%	17.94%	17.23%	16.58%
Ages 18-21	5.35%	4.97%	5.20%	4.97%
Ages 22-29	11.11%	9.09%	9.68%	9.93%
Ages 30-39	14.29%	13.60%	12.05%	12.71%
Ages 40-49	11.65%	13.63%	13.12%	11.97%
Ages 50-64	14.94%	16.11%	18.51%	18.27%
Age 65 and Over	18.56%	18.30%	17.57%	19.86%
-Ages 65-74	11.27%	9.93%	9.73%	11.29%
-Ages 75-84	5.84%	6.53%	5.93%	6.34%
-Age 85 and Over	1.45%	1.85%	1.91%	2.23%
Median Age	NA	39	39	40.1

Percentage Population by Age Group - Polk



Income Trends - Polk ⁵

Description	1990	2000	2010 ¹	ACS 2017-2021
Median Household Income	\$25,216	\$36,036	\$43,946	\$55,099
Median Family Income	\$28,965	\$41,442	\$51,395	\$63,591
Population below Poverty Level	12.94%	12.94%	15.17%	14.57%
Households below Poverty Level	12.54%	11.89%	13.57%	14.04%
Households with Public Assistance Income	6.19%	3.32%	1.83%	2.79%

Disability Trends - Polk ¹⁰

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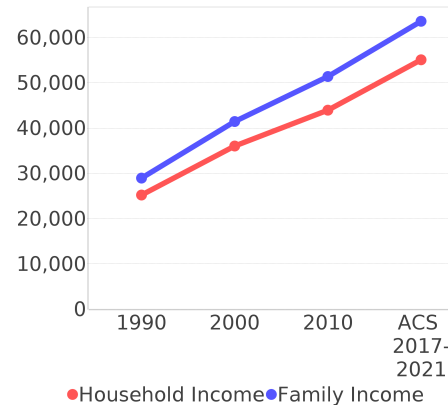
Description	1990	2000	2010 ¹	ACS 2017-2021
Population 16 To 64 Years with a disability	23,997 (7.70%)	69,356 (15.61%)	NA (NA)	NA (NA)
Population 20 To 64 Years with a disability	NA (NA)	NA (NA)	NA (NA)	48,130 (12.40%)

Educational Attainment Trends - Polk ^{11, 5}

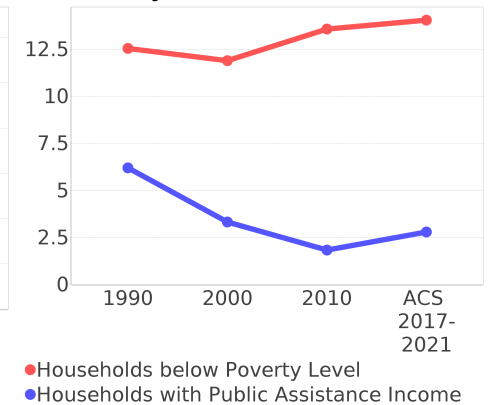
Age 25 and Over

Description	1990	2000	2010 ¹	ACS 2017-2021
Less than 9th Grade	31,499 (11.61%)	26,554 (8.14%)	26,321 (6.62%)	26,963 (5.45%)
9th to 12th Grade, No Diploma	55,338 (20.39%)	55,786 (17.10%)	45,563 (11.46%)	40,548 (8.19%)
High School Graduate or Higher	184,574 (68.01%)	243,868 (74.76%)	325,630 (81.92%)	427,342 (86.36%)
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	34,888 (12.85%)	48,669 (14.92%)	71,430 (17.97%)	103,948 (21.01%)

Income Trends



Poverty and Public Assistance



Language Trends - Polk ⁵

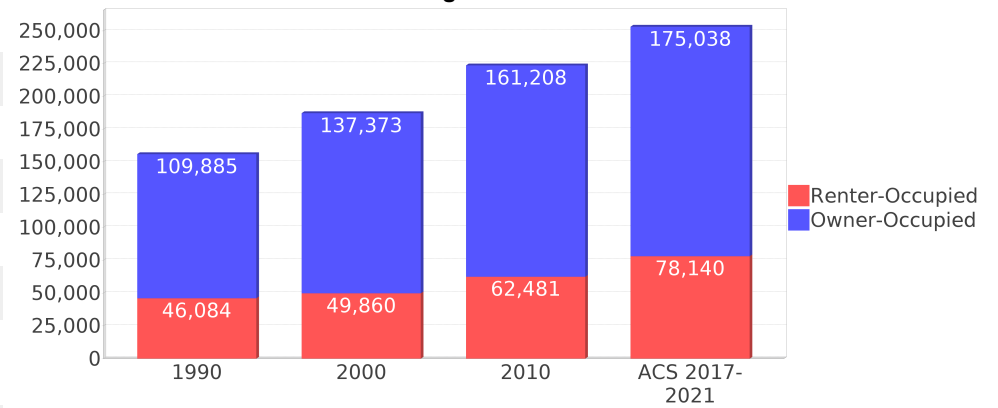
Age 5 and Over

Description	1990	2000	2010 ¹	ACS 2017-2021
Speaks English Well	5,121 (1.36%)	11,118 (2.45%)	19,850 (3.60%)	27,588 (4.10%)
Speaks English Not Well	NA (NA)	9,121 (2.01%)	18,814 (3.41%)	21,086 (3.14%)
Speaks English Not at All	NA (NA)	4,309 (0.95%)	8,314 (1.51%)	8,882 (1.32%)
Speaks English Not Well or Not at All	3,996 (1.06%)	13,430 (2.96%)	27,128 (4.92%)	29,968 (4.46%)
Speaks English Less than Very Well	NA (NA)	24,548 (5.42%)	46,978 (8.53%)	57,556 (8.56%)

Housing Trends - Polk ⁵

Description	1990	2000	2010 ¹	ACS 2017-2021
Total	186,225	226,376	277,547	311,599
Units per Acre	0.145	0.176	0.216	0.24
Single-Family Units	93,012	126,660	170,158	200,834
Multi-Family Units	24,543	31,447	39,463	45,296
Mobile Home Units	37,244	65,235	66,976	64,630
Owner-Occupied Units	109,885	137,373	161,208	175,038
Renter-Occupied Units	46,084	49,860	62,481	78,140
Vacant Units	30,256	39,143	53,858	58,421
Median Housing Value	\$60,700	\$69,800	\$141,900	\$177,900
Occupied Housing Units w/No Vehicle	12,534 (8.04%)	13,413 (7.16%)	12,764 (5.71%)	13,312 (5.26%)
Median year householder moved into unit - Total	NA	NA	NA	2014
Median year householder moved into unit - Owner Occupied	NA	NA	NA	2010
Median year householder moved into unit - Renter Occupied	NA	NA	NA	2017
Abroad 1 year ago	NA	NA	NA	4,713
Different house in United States 1 year ago	NA	NA	NA	97,608
Same house 1 year ago	NA	NA	NA	602,757
Geographical Mobility in the Past Year - Total	NA	NA	NA	602,757

Housing Tenure - Polk



Data Sources

ACS vs Census Data

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Area

(2) The geographic area of the community based on a user-defined community boundary or area of interest (AOI) boundary.

Jurisdiction

(3) Jurisdiction(s) includes local government boundaries that intersect the user-defined community or AOI boundary.

Goals, Values and History

(4) Information under the headings Goals and Values and History is entered manually by the user before the Sociocultural Data Report (SDR) is generated. This information is usually not available for communities with boundaries that are based on Census-defined places (i.e., not user-specified).

Demographic Data

(5) Demographic data reported under the headings General Population Trends, Race and Ethnicity Trends, Age Trends, Income Trends, Educational Attainment Trends, Language Trends, and Housing Trends is from the U.S. Decennial Census for 1990 and 2000 and the American Community Survey (ACS) 5-year estimates for 2006-2010 and ACS 2017-2021. The data was gathered at the block group level for user-defined communities, Census places, and AOIs, and at the county level for counties. Depending on the dataset, the data represents 100% counts (Census Summary File 1) or sample-based information (Census Summary File 3 or ACS). For more information about using demographic data, please see the training videos located here: <https://www.fdot.gov/environment/pubs/sce/sce1.shtm>.

About the Census Data

(6) The block group analysis for ETDM project analysis areas, user-defined communities, Census places, and AOI boundaries do not always correspond precisely to block group boundaries. To estimate the actual population more accurately, the SDR analysis adjusts the geographic area and data of affected block groups using the following methodology:

Delete overlapping census blocks with extremely low populations (2 or fewer people)
Remove the portion of the block group that lies outside of the analysis area
Recalculate the demographics assuming an equal area distribution of the population

Note that there may be areas where there is no population.

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(13) Income of families. In compiling statistics on family income, the incomes of all members 15 years old and over related to the householder are summed and treated as a single amount.

(14) Age trends. The median age for 1990 is not available.

Land Use Data

(15) The Land Use information Indicates acreages and percentages for the generalized land use types used to group parcel-specific, existing land use assigned by the county property appraiser office according to the Florida Department of Revenue land use codes.

Community Facilities Data

- (16) Assisted Rental Housing Units - Identifies multifamily rental developments that receive funding assistance under federal, state, and local government programs to offer affordable housing as reported by the Shimberg Center for Housing Studies, University of Florida.
- (17) Mobile Home Parks - Identifies approved or acknowledged mobile home parks reported by the Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation and Florida Department of Health.
- (18) Migrant Camps - Identifies migrant labor camp facilities inspected by the Florida Department of Health.
- (19) Group Care Facilities - Identifies group care facilities inspected by the Florida Department of Health.
- (20) Community Center and Fraternal Association Facilities - Identifies facilities reported by multiple sources.
- (21) Law Enforcement Correctional Facilities - Identifies facilities reported by multiple sources.
- (22) Cultural Centers - Identifies cultural centers including organizations, buildings, or complexes that promote culture and arts (e.g., aquariums and zoological facilities; arboreta and botanical gardens; dinner theaters; drive-ins; historical places and services; libraries; motion picture theaters; museums and art galleries; performing arts centers; performing arts theaters; planetariums; studios and art galleries; and theater producers stage facilities) reported by multiple sources.
- (23) Fire Department and Rescue Station Facilities - Identifies facilities reported by multiple sources.
- (24) Government Buildings - Identifies local, state, and federal government buildings reported by multiple sources.
- (25) Health Care Facilities - Identifies health care facilities including abortion clinics, dialysis clinics, medical doctors, nursing homes, osteopaths, state laboratories/clinics, and surgicenters/walk-in clinics reported by the Florida Department of Health.
- (26) Hospital Facilities - Identifies hospital facilities reported by multiple sources.
- (27) Law Enforcement Facilities - Identifies law enforcement facilities reported by multiple sources.
- (28) Parks and Recreational Facilities - Identifies parks and recreational facilities reported by multiple sources.
- (29) Religious Center Facilities - Identifies religious centers including churches, temples, synagogues, mosques, chapels, centers, and other types of religious facilities reported by multiple sources.
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Metadata

- (39) Community and Fraternal Centers https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/gc_communitycenter.xml
- (40) Correctional Facilities in Florida https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/gc_correctional.xml
- (41) Cultural Centers in Florida https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/gc_culturecenter.xml
- (42) Fire Department and Rescue Station Facilities in Florida https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/gc_firestat.xml
- (43) Local, State, and Federal Government Buildings in Florida https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/gc_govbuild.xml
- (44) Florida Health Care Facilities https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/gc_health.xml
- (45) Hospital Facilities in Florida https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/gc_hospitals.xml
- (46) Law Enforcement Facilities in Florida https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/gc_lawenforce.xml
- (47) Florida Parks and Recreational Facilities https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/gc_parks.xml
- (48) Religious Centers https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/gc_religion.xml
- (49) Florida Public and Private Schools https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/gc_schools.xml
- (50) Social Service Centers https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/gc_socialservice.xml
- (51) Assisted Rental Housing Units in Florida https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/gc_assisted_housing.xml
- (52) Group Care Facilities <https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/groupcare.xml>
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- (56) Generalized Land Use https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/lu_gen.xml
- (57) Census Block Groups in Florida https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/e2_cenacs_cci.xml
- (58) 1990 Census Block Groups in Florida https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/e2_cenblkgrp_1990_cci.xml
- (59) 2000 Census Block Groups in Florida https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/e2_cenblkgrp_2000_cci.xml
- (60) 2010 Census Block Groups in Florida https://etdmpub.flc-etat.org/meta/e2_cenblkgrp_2010_cci.xml