

APRIL 1, 2010 IS CENSUS DAY!

Why is April 1, 2010 designated as Census Day? This is the day that the Census Bureau sets as a reference date for collecting the census information. It is not a deadline for sending back the questionnaire form.

The Questionnaire Package, which will consist of the Initial Questionnaire, a Cover Letter, and a Return Envelope, will be delivered between March 15 and March 17, 2010 in areas where the United States Postal Service delivers the census questionnaires for the Census Bureau. Census workers will deliver questionnaires March 1 – April 30, 2010 in all other areas.

The Census Bureau does not establish a due date for returning the questionnaire, but we ask that you mail back your census questionnaire as soon as possible. Even though the census counts people as of April 1, if you plan on living at the address on the questionnaire on April 1, 2010, you can complete the questionnaire now and mail it back in the postage-paid envelope. If your completed form is not received and processed by April 9, a census worker may visit you to obtain your responses.

If you've already completed your census form, thank you for making a difference by participating. Your efforts have helped shape your future. If you haven't yet completed your form, don't forget to complete and return yours as soon as possible. The future of our community depends on it.



2010 CENSUS: **IT'S IN OUR HANDS**

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