

## Spotlight on Your District

### HOUSE DISTRICT 61

#### Population/Race/Health Insurance

**TOTAL POPULATION: 97,356**

- Under age 5: **6,390 (6.6%)**
- Age 65+: **14,811 (15.2%)**
- Median age: **38**

#### NO HEALTH INSURANCE

- Total: **5,684 (5.9%)**
- Children: **365 (1.6%)**

#### RACE/ETHNICITY

- White: **82,066 (84.3%)**
- African-American: **5,612 (5.8%)**
- Hispanic or Latino: **3,302 (3.4%)**
- Asian: **2,787 (2.9%)**
- American Indian/Alaska Native: **263 (0.3%)**

#### Median Wage by Gender



**\$41,431**



**\$58,139**

Female-to-Male Earnings Ratio: **71.3%**

#### Poverty

Families with children



**10.8%**

Children under age 18



**10.8%**

Single parent (female) family



**33%**

POVERTY RATE: **10.8%**



#### Educational Attainment Ages 25 and Older

Less than ninth grade	<b>576</b>	<b>0.9%</b>
Ninth to twelfth grade, no diploma	<b>2,075</b>	<b>3.2%</b>
High school diploma or GED	<b>13,489</b>	<b>21%</b>
Some college, no degree	<b>14,288</b>	<b>22.3%</b>
Associate degree	<b>6,467</b>	<b>10.1%</b>
Bachelor's degree	<b>16,148</b>	<b>25.2%</b>
Graduate or professional degree	<b>11,141</b>	<b>17.4%</b>

#### LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY (AGE 5+)

**1,568**

**1.7%**



Housing	Median household income	<b>\$58,360</b>	
	Median rent	<b>\$728</b>	
	Number of occupied rental units	<b>11,712</b>	
	Units in which rent is 35%+ of income	<b>4,785</b>	<b>40.9%</b>

Source: American Community Survey Data Profiles (2012-2016 5-Year Estimates)

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