# **CENSUS 2020**

The census is a count of all people living in the United States (not just citizens).

# GEORGIA COUNTS, YOU COUNT.

The U.S. Constitution mandates the census be taken every 10 years. This is your ONLY chance for another 10 YEARS to help direct money to YOUR community.

Census 2020 is easier than ever. You can respond online, on paper, over the phone, or directly to census workers (enumerators).





Call centers with multi-lingual support will operate in several languages.

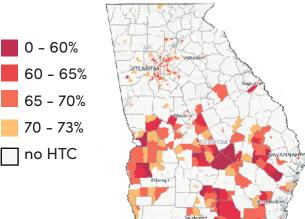
#### Your count is **PRIVATE**, **SECURE**, and **SAFE**.

- 1. Laws require all information taken to be private and secure for 72 years. 2020 census results will be released in 2092.
- Every census employee takes a lifetime oath, breaking it is subject to prison time and a \$250,000 fine.
- 3. The information collected cannot be used against you by any government agency or court.



or **2.2 million** Georgians live in areas considered hard-to-count (HTC) by the US Census Bureau

#### Hard-to-Count (HTC) Map of Georgia



## In 2016, every 1% undercount in Georgia cost our state



#### Who's at Risk of not being Counted?

- → Young children (0-5 years)
- Individuals of color
- Those living in poverty
- Those with limited English
- → Immigrants
- → Those living in rural areas
- College students



Want to know more about the census or get involved? Visit: <u>https://census.georgia.gov/</u>



## What does the census do?



The census helps governments help people. The count helps determine legislative districts, city council districts, school districts, and federal funding that goes towards programs affecting healthcare, food, education, transportation and many other areas that impact how Georgians live their lives.

