

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Economics and Statistics Administration U.S. Census Bureau

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Dear Resident:

The U.S. Census Bureau is conducting the 2014 Census Test in your area. Your response to this brief survey is important and will help in our efforts to develop new methods that will make the next census easier, more convenient, and less costly for taxpayers. Results from the next census will be used to help each community get its fair share of federal funding for many programs that you and your neighbors need.

Using the enclosed instruction card, please complete the survey online by **July 1** at:

https://respond.census.gov/censustest

Respond on time to avoid a personal visit from a Census Bureau interviewer. Help us conserve natural resources, process data more efficiently, and save taxpayer money by responding online. If you are unable to complete the survey online, you may call 1–866–226–2836 toll-free to provide your census information over the phone.

You are required by U.S. law to respond to this survey. Your answers will only be used for statistical purposes, and no other purpose. The back of this letter contains more information about protecting your data.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

John H. Thompson Director

Enclosure

Para completar la Prueba del Censo del 2014, por favor, vaya a **https://respond.census.gov/censustest** o llame sin cargo al 1–888–262–5931.

census.gov

Your Answers Are Confidential

The Census Bureau is required by U.S. law to keep your answers confidential. This means that the Census Bureau cannot give out information that identifies you or your household. The Census Bureau chose your address, not you personally, as part of a randomly selected sample.

We are conducting this survey under the authority of Title 13, United States Code, Sections 141 and 193. Federal law protects your privacy and keeps your answers confidential (Title 13, United States Code, Sections 9 and 214).

For more information about this survey, visit www.census.gov/aboutus/sur_demo.html and click on "2014 Census Test."

For more information about how we protect your information, please visit our website at www.census.gov and click on "Data Protection & Privacy Policy."