

2020 Census Talking Points

- Census Day is on April 1, 2020. Mailings will go out at the end of March.
- The Census is currently hiring temporary, part-time enumerator (Census counter) positions which currently pay \$23.50 per hour in Waterbury.
- For every person not counted, \$2900 in federal funding is lost in the region/state.
- This is the first time the Census will be available online (computer, mobile device, tablet) and over the phone with options to participate in many different languages.
- The Census does not and will never ask for:
 - Social Security numbers
 - Information on banking or credit cards
 - Money or donations
 - Anything on behalf of a political party
- Everyone gets counted where they reside -- all ages, all sexes, all ethnicities and national origins, all home-owner statuses, all relationship statuses, all financial statuses – no matter where their residence, or lack there of, is at the moment.
- All information provided to the U.S. Census Bureau is confidential and as written in the Constitution it is illegal to share information with any other federal, state, or local agency or person.
- The information is for statistical purposes and cannot be traced back to a person or location.