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## Census Day is April 1, 2020!

Questionnaires are mailed in February and March.



It only takes you 10 minutes to fill out 10 questions!



ALL information is kept **CONFIDENTIAL** by law!

No personal information is required (income, social security number, home value, legal status, etc.)

You will be contacted by the Census Bureau *if you do not return your form* or submit the information online by April 1.

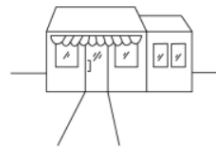
Visit <https://respond.census.gov/acs/#respond> to submit your information!

## WHY Participate?

It determines how **billions of dollars** in federal funding is allocated to local communities!



**Residents** use the census to support community initiatives involving legislation, quality-of-life and consumer advocacy.



**Businesses** use Census Bureau data to decide where to build factories, offices and stores, and these create jobs.



**Local government** officials use the census to ensure public safety and plan new schools and hospitals.



**Real estate developers and city planners** use the census to plan new homes and improve neighborhoods.



For more information, visit [www.belleville.net/census](http://www.belleville.net/census).

*This information is to help residents of the City of Belleville understand the importance of participating in the 2020 Census by filling out the questionnaire online or via mail. The City of Belleville is committed to ensuring that all persons living in the City on April 1, 2020 are counted.*