


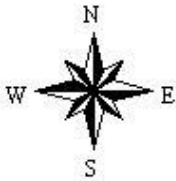
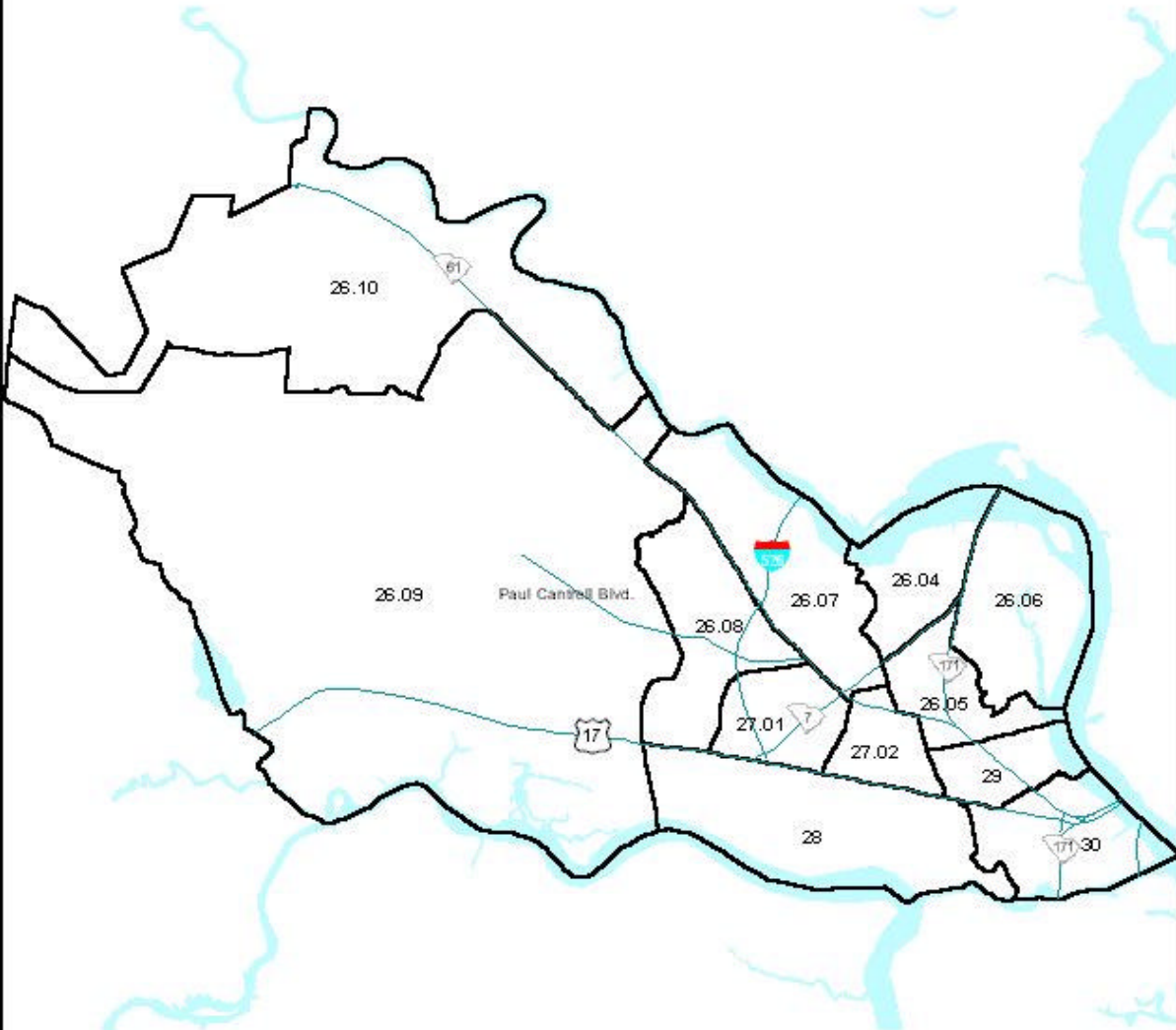


Map 3: West Ashley Planning Area

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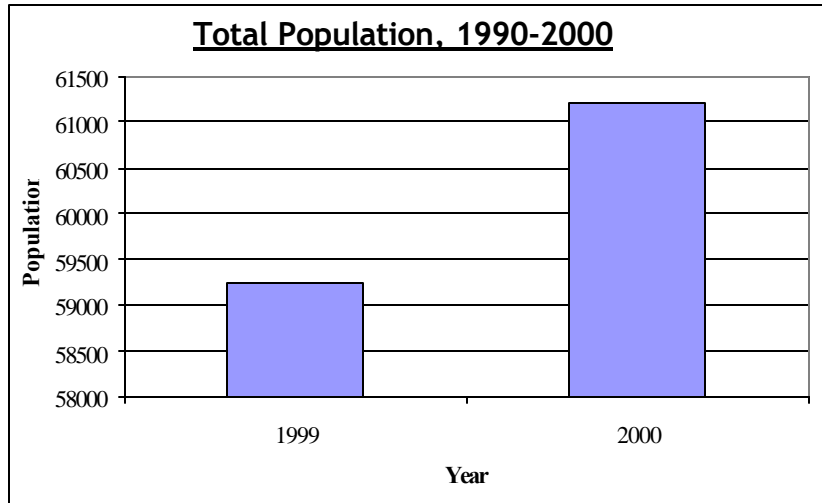
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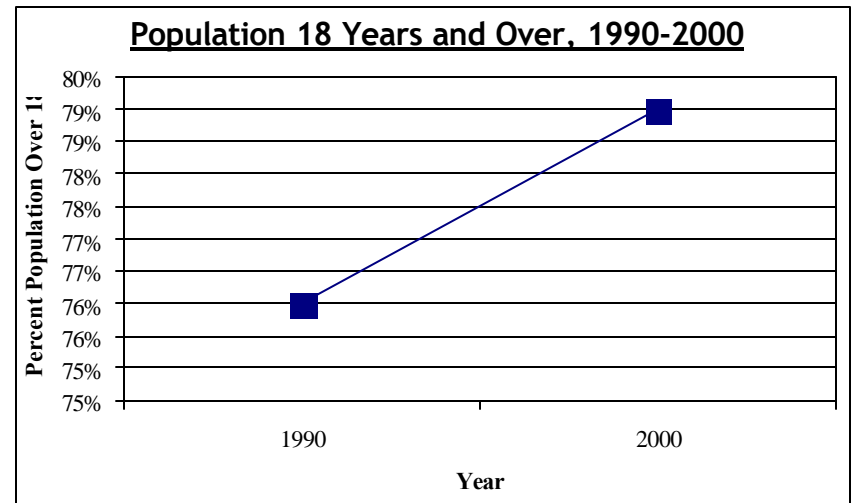
Locator Map



West Ashley



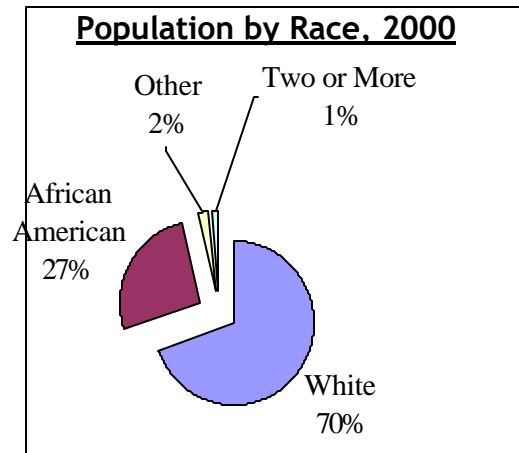
With almost 62,000 residents in 2000, the West Ashley Planning Area had the second highest population of the planning areas in Charleston County. Its population rose only slightly between 1990 and 2000, gaining 1,956 people, an increase of a little more than 3 percent.



The population of West Ashley aged in the decade between 1990 and 2000. In 1990, 76 percent of the population was older than 18 years. By 2000, 79 percent of the population was over 18, an increase of 6 percent in the total number of persons over the age of 18.

Census 2000 Statistics by Tract

Census Tract	Total Population	White Population	African American Population	Other Race	Two or More Races	Population Aged 18 and Over
26.04	3,666	3,038	443	145	40	2,980
26.05	4,153	2,474	1,520	110	49	3,475
26.06	2,242	2,061	132	40	9	1,789
26.07	10,035	7,077	2,441	382	135	8,128
26.08	8,108	5,941	1,822	235	110	6,552
26.09	11,572	8,553	2,644	254	121	8,435
26.10	350	268	65	12	5	287
27.01	2,428	883	1,454	69	22	1,815
27.02	5,423	1,282	4,034	56	51	3,845
28	7,188	6,089	924	120	55	5,730
29	2,901	1,772	1,055	48	26	2,489
30	3,131	3,069	21	28	13	2,591
Totals	61,197	42,507	16,555	1,499	636	48,116



The White population of West Ashley increased slightly during the 1990's, by less than one percent, while the African American population increased by almost 3 percent.