

Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive

The Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive Corridor stretches from West Lake MARTA Station on the east to Interstate-20 on the west. The Corridor includes six subareas as follows:

- West Lake MARTA
- Hamilton E. Holmes MARTA
- Lynhurst Drive Intersection
- Interstate-285 Intersection
- Fairburn Road Intersection
- Interstate-20 Intersection

Demographic Overview of the Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive Corridor, 2000-2005

	2000		2005		Change 2000-2005	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Population	36,672		35,511		-1,161	-3.2%
Households	12,573		12,005		-568	-4.5%
Average Household Size	2.56		2.58		0.02	0.8%
Median Household Income	\$28,021		\$29,810		\$1,789	6.4%
Housing Tenure	12,573		12,005		-568	-4.5%
Own	4,654	37.0%	4,613	38.4%	-41	-0.9%
Rent	7,919	63.0%	7,392	61.6%	-527	-6.7%
Labor Force: Population, 16+ Years	28,419		27,055		-1,364	-4.8%
In Armed Forces	33	0.1%	38	0.1%	5	15.2%
Employed	13,287	46.8%	13,610	50.4%	323	2.4%
Unemployed	2,693	9.5%	1,582	5.9%	-1,111	-41.3%
Not in Labor Force	12,406	43.7%	11,825	43.8%	-581	-4.7%
Education: Population, 25+ Years	21,591		21,390		-201	-0.9%
No HS Diploma	6,051	28.0%	5,141	24.0%	-910	-15.0%
HS Graduate	6,838	31.7%	8,575	40.1%	1,737	25.4%
College, No Degree	4,469	20.7%	3,859	18.0%	-610	-13.6%
Associate Degree	817	3.8%	922	4.3%	105	12.9%
College Degree	2,019	9.4%	1,768	8.3%	-251	-12.4%
Graduate/Professional Degree	1,397	6.5%	1,125	5.3%	-272	-19.5%

Note: The corridor includes the following 2000 U.S. Census tracts: 35, 36, 38, 39, 40, 78.05, 78.06, 78.07, 78.08, 81.02

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, BAE, 2005