



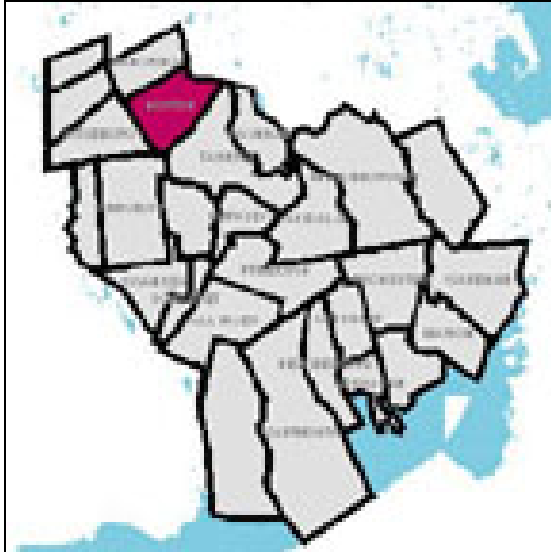
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SPOTLIGHT ON:

NORTON TOWN

FALL 2010



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TOWN PROFILE

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NORTON COMMUNITY PROFILE

GOVERNMENT INFORMATION (Updated September 2010)

Address:

Website: <http://www.nortonma.org/>

Town Hall
70 East Main Street
Norton, MA 02766

Phone: (508) 285-0210
Fax: (508) 285-0297

Form of Government: Board of Selectmen; Town Manager; Open Town Meeting

Town Manager: James Purcell

Board of Selectmen (Chair): Robert W. Kimball Jr.

GEOGRAPHY

Location in State: Southeastern Massachusetts, bordered by Mansfield and Easton on the north; Attleboro on the west; Rehoboth on the south; and Taunton on the east and southeast. Norton is 14 miles southwest of Brockton; 30 miles south of Boston; 18 miles northeast of Providence, Rhode Island; and 190 miles from New York City. (Source: MA DHCD)

Total Area, 1999: 29.25 sq. miles

Metropolitan Statistical Area: Boston-Cambridge-Quincy (Taunton-Norton-Raynham)

Norton Industrial Development Commission
Norton Town Hall, 70 East Main St., Norton, MA 02766
(508) 285-0210

Chamber of Commerce:

Tri-Town Chamber of Commerce
P.O. Box 479, Mansfield, MA 02048
Director: Tricia White (508) 339-1020

STREET MAP OF NORTON

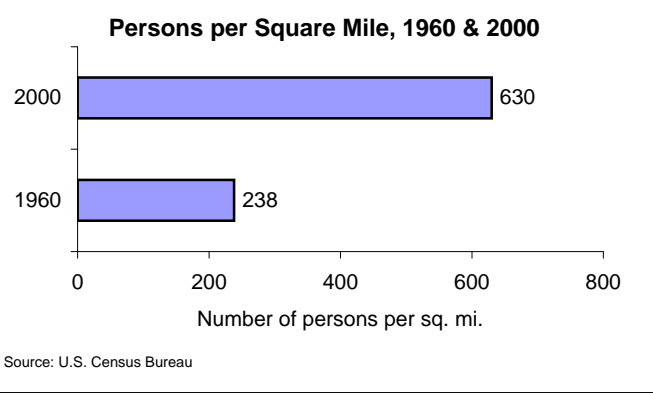
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GENERAL POPULATION STATISTICS

	1990	2000
	Number	Number
Total population.....	14,265	18,036
SEX AND AGE		
Male.....	6,637	8,578
Female.....	7,628	9,458
Under 5 years.....	1,094	1,444
5 to 9 years.....	980	1,515
10 to 14 years.....	934	1,248
15 to 19 years.....	1,400	1,532
20 to 24 years.....	1,328	1,399
25 to 34 years.....	2,675	2,399
35 to 44 years.....	2,392	3,403
45 to 54 years.....	1,404	2,339
55 to 59 years.....	488	841
60 to 64 years.....	382	517
65 to 74 years.....	666	730
75 to 84 years.....	372	468
85 years and over.....	150	201
Median age (years).....	30.6	33.4
RACE /ETHNICITY		
One race.....		17,841
White.....	13,852	16,621
Black or African Amer	191	209
Asian.....	146	180
Hawaiian/Other PI	26	24
Some other races	2	1
Two or more races	48	806
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Hispanic or Latino.....		195
Not Hispanic or Latino.....	174	206
White alone Not Hispanic.....	14,091	17,830
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE		
Total households.....	4,641	5,872
Family HHs (families).....	3,589	4,472
W/ own children <18 yrs.....	1,916	2,481
Married-couple family.....	2,927	3,629
W/ own children <18 yrs.....	1,552	1,969
Female hholder, no husband present	529	633
W/ own children <18 yrs.....	308	404
Nonfamily HHs.....	1,052	1,400
Hholder living alone.....	819	1,132
Householder 65 years+.....	321	406
HHs with individuals<18 years.....	2,007	2,610
HHs with individuals 65+	810	1,001
Average household size.....	2.81	2.79
Average family size.....	3.21	3.22

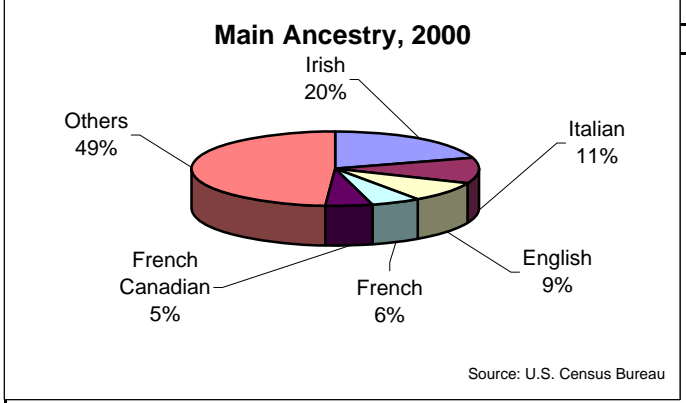
Source: U.S. Census 1990, 2000



POPULATION GROWTH, ESTIMATE, & PROJECTIONS	
Year	Population
1960	6,818
1970	9,487
1980	12,690
1990	14,265
2000	18,036
2005	19,169
2008	27,794
2009	19,315
2010	18,576
2020	19,851
2030	21,162

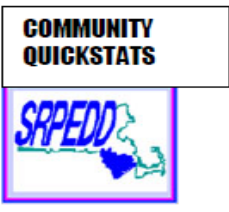
Note: Projections in italics.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, SRPEDD

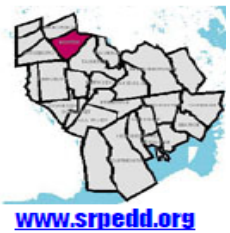


LAND USE CHANGE (in Acres), 1951-1999			
	1951	1999	% Change
Urban	1,112	5,091	357.8
Forest	12,904	10,812	-16.2
Agricultural	3,131	1,501	-52.1
Wetland	1,424	1,320	-7.3
Total	18,571	18,723	0.8

Source: MacConnell & Mueller, MassGIS



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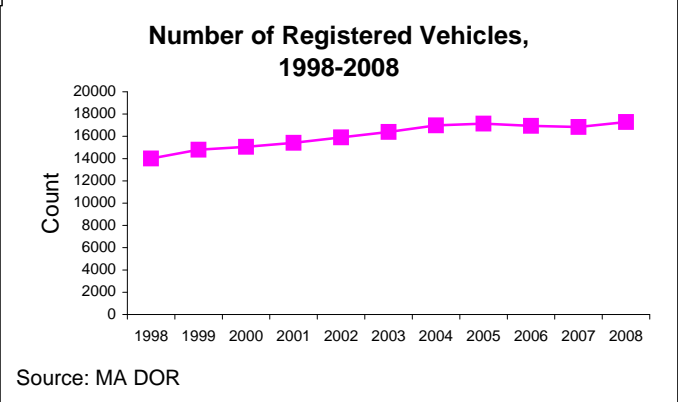
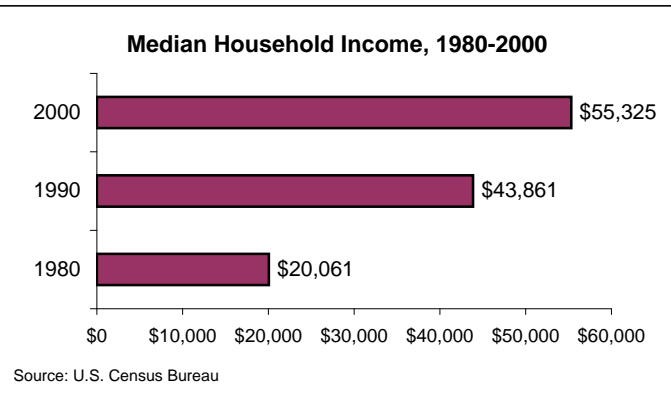
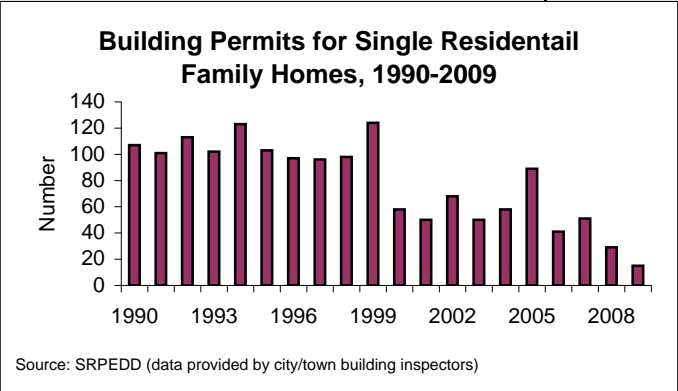
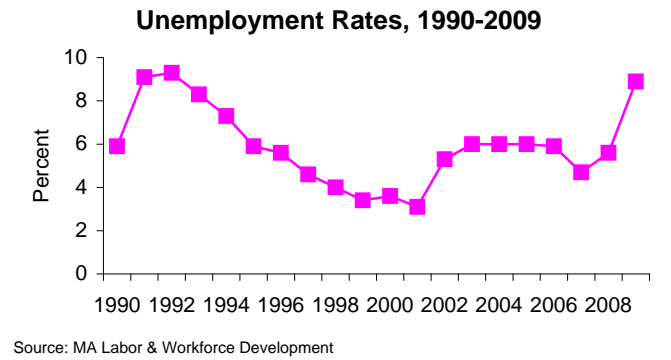
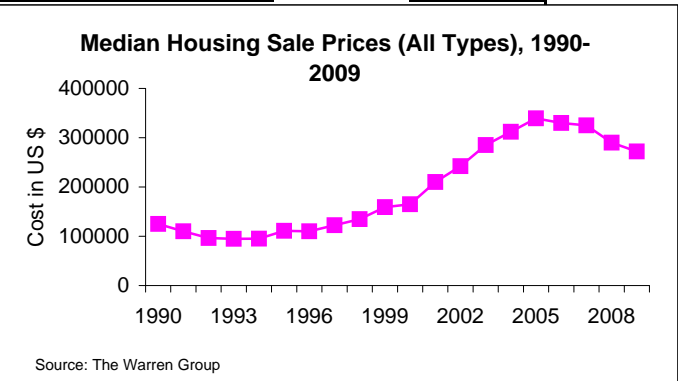
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Area Employment by Industry, 2009

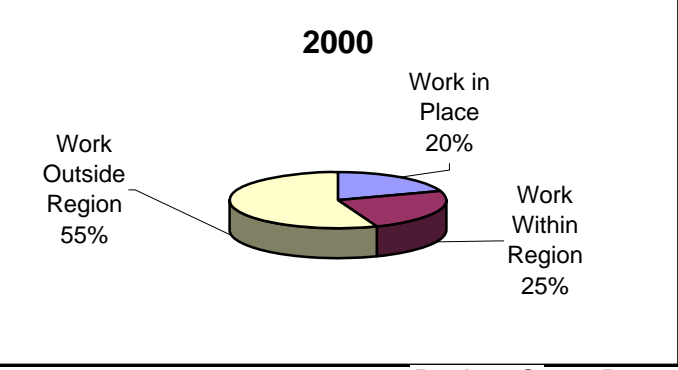
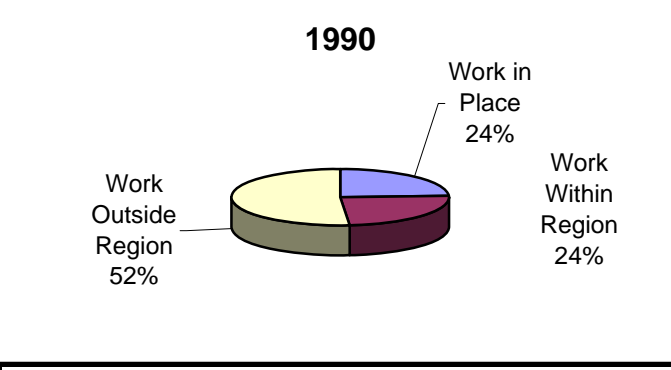
	Number	Percent
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing & Hunting	68	1.1
Construction	68	1.1
Manufacturing	181	3.0
Wholesale Trade	1,142	19.2
Retail Trade	425	7.2
Transportation & Warehousing	90	1.5
Information	91	1.5
Finance & Insurance	62	1.0
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	35	0.6
Professional & Technical Services	183	3.1
Educational Services	967	16.3
Health Care & Social Assistance	1,044	17.6
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	137	2.3
Accommodation & Food Services	386	6.5
Other Services	174	2.9
NEC (suppressed or unclassified)	885	14.9
Total	5,938	100.0

Source: MA Labor & Workforce Development

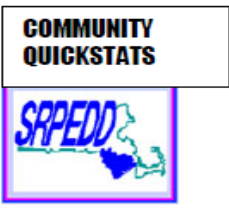
HOUSING



JOURNEY TO WORK, 1990-2000



Source: CTPP



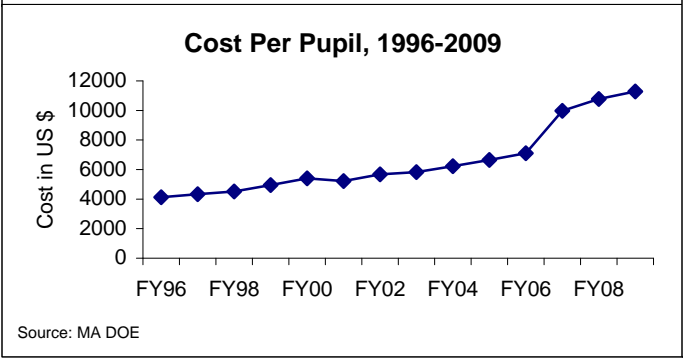
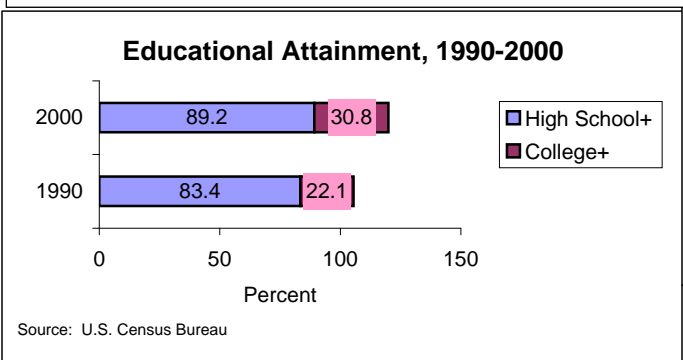
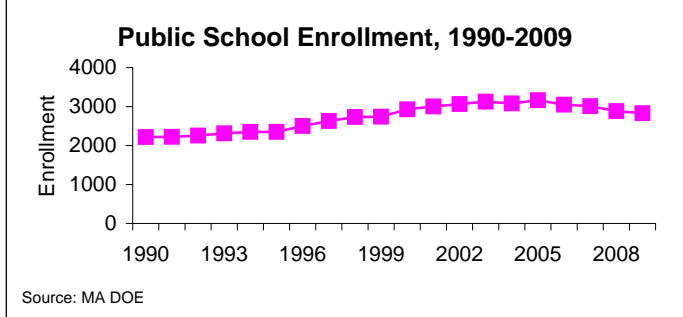
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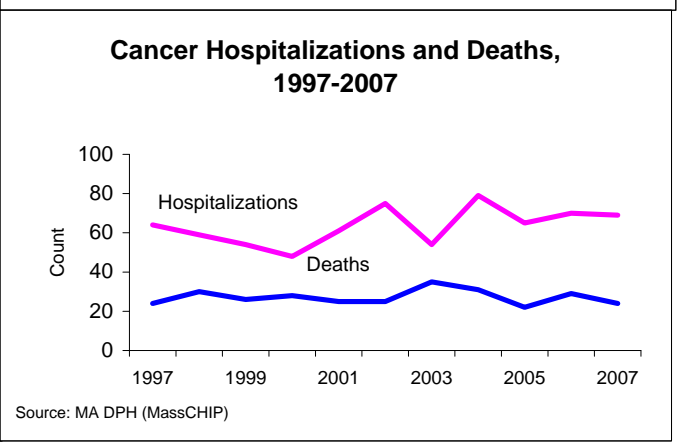
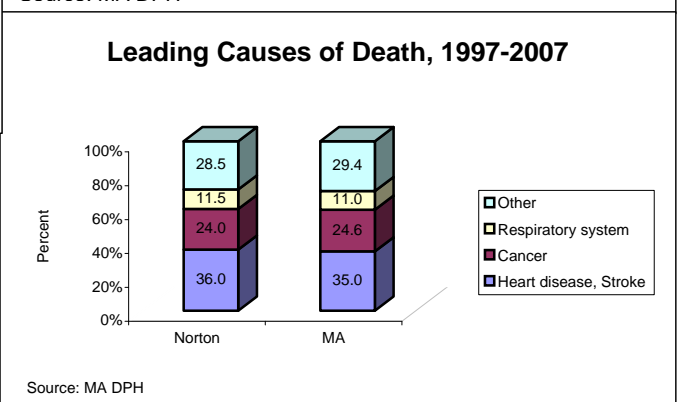
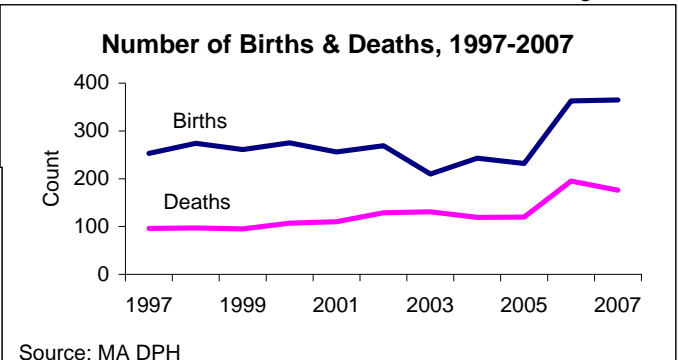
EDUCATION

	1990	2000
Persons 3+ years old in school	4,358	6,098

Source: U.S. Census Bureau



HEALTH



COMMUNITY

