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The ABCs of Census 2020

A NECESSARY

- ▷ The census has been conducted once every decade since 1790.
- ▷ The Census 2020 count will be used to make Ohio's new Congressional and Statehouse districts legislative maps.
- ▷ Ohio receives more than \$33 billion annually based on the Census, and an undercount would mean that your community doesn't get its fair share of resources. From funding for low-income school lunches, to roads, healthcare, and emergency response, Census data affects our everyday lives.

B SAFE

- ▷ By law, the U.S. Census Bureau and every Census employee is required to keep your information confidential.
- ▷ Your responses cannot be shared with any person, organization, company, or agency. That includes law enforcement and security agencies like the FBI, CIA, the IRS, and ICE.

C EASY

- ▷ For the first time, the Census will be available to fill out online using computer, mobile phones, or other devices in 12 languages. Language guides are available in an additional 59 languages, in both print and video.
- ▷ In March 2020, you will receive a letter in the mail inviting an internet response, which will be open through July.
- ▷ For those who cannot complete the Census online, a telephone response option and the paper questionnaire will be available in English and Spanish.