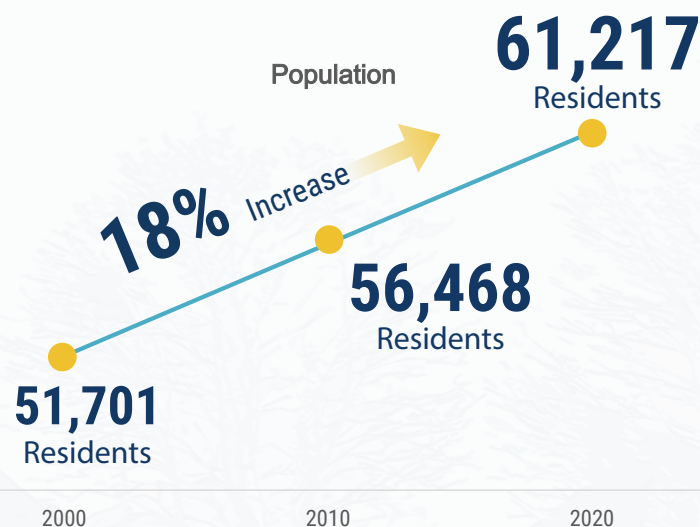


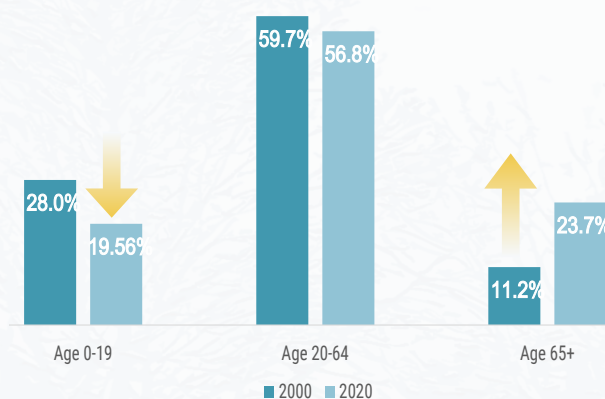


## Our People and Households

Plymouth's population has grown steadily since 2000



The share of the population age 65+ more than doubled since 2000



» The population aged 65 and older could increase to more than one-third by 2040, while that of working age adults [20-64 years] could decline to less than half of the total population.

Average household size has decreased

Size



**2.41** | 2020

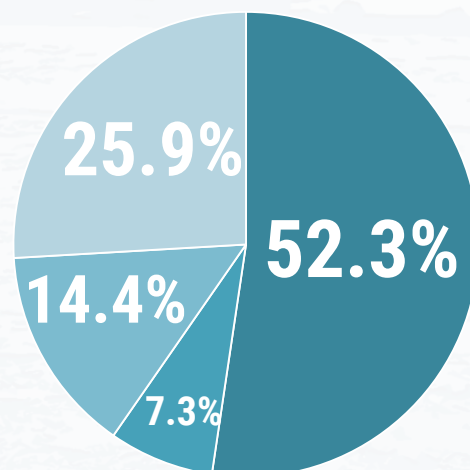
**2.67** | 2000

**68%** Family Households

**25%** Households with children <18

**38%** Householders older than 65

Household types

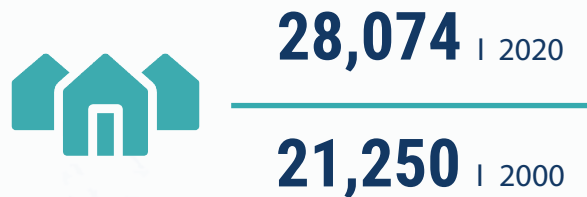


» Few households have children; More [one-fourth] householders are living alone.

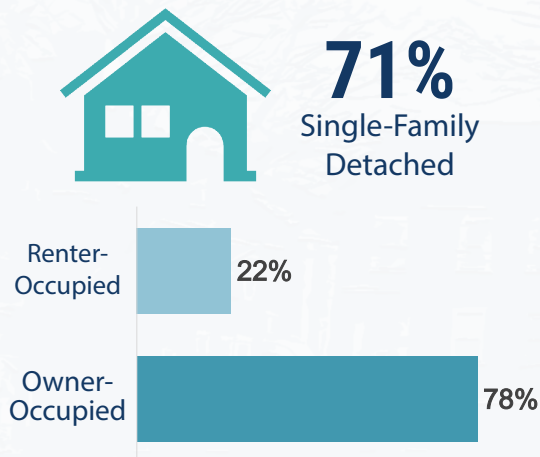
■ Married Couple Households  
■ Cohabiting Couple Households  
■ Male Householder, No Spouse/Partner  
■ Female Householder, No Spouse/Partner

## | Our Housing and Economics

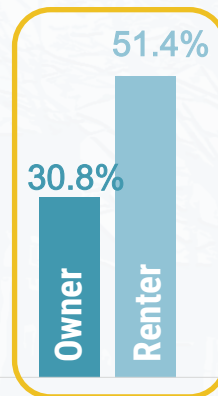
Plymouth's housing stock and median household income has been growing



Most homes are single family and owner-occupied



Half of renters and one-third of homeowners are cost-burdened



» Cost-burdened = paying more than 30% of household income on housing costs.

 % Owner-Occupied Cost Burdened Households  
 % Renter-Occupied Cost Burdened Households

Businesses and jobs are increasing but workforce availability and infrastructure limit potential growth



» Healthcare and social services, retail, and hospitality are top industries based on number of jobs.



## Our Natural Resources & Sustainability

More than one-third of Plymouth is open space



**37.3%**

Open Space

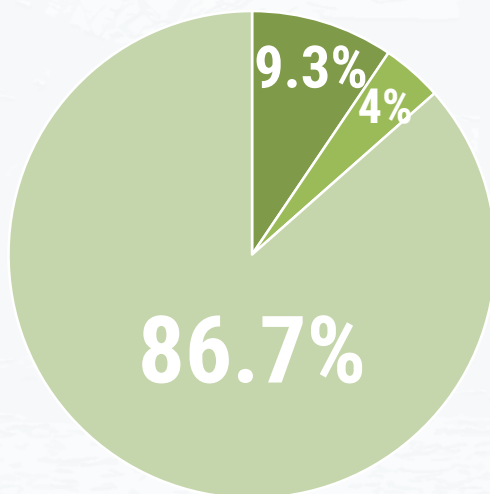
Impact on climate change



**93%**

of Plymouth's Greenhouse Gas [GHG] emissions come from buildings and transportation

Types of open space



- Not Protected Open Space
- Other Open Space
- Permanently Protected

Water and forest resources



**Plymouth-Carver**  
Sole Source Aquifer



**365+ Ponds**

- 65 larger than 10 acres  
- 19 Great Ponds



**36 Miles**  
Coastline

» 38% of people live within a 10-minute walk of a publicly-accessible park - lower than national average of 54%.

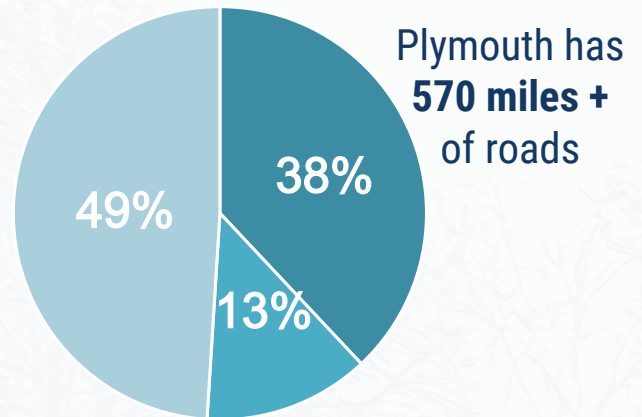
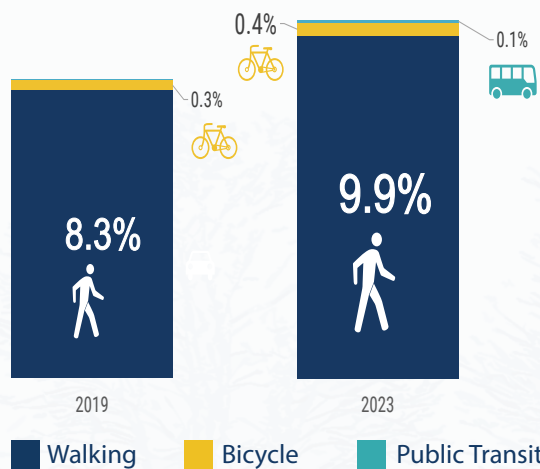


**Over 10,000 acres**  
of Myles Standish State Forest are in Plymouth [a rare coastal pine barrens forest natural ecosystem]



## Our Transportation, Commute & Public Services

While Plymouth is largely auto-dependent due to its geographic size, there was an almost a 20% increase in walking trips between 2019 and 2023



Plymouth has  
**570 miles +**  
of roads

\* Includes 18 miles of gravel and stone roads

Many residents commute out for work; fewer workers commute in for jobs

**~ 16k**  
Commute  
IN

**~ 7.4k**  
Work & Live  
in Plymouth

**~ 23k**  
Commute  
OUT

### Public Services



#### Center for Active Living [CAL]

**Large increase in active patrons** in past decade



#### Police

**9 patrol sectors** respond to **~40,000 incidents** annually



#### Fire

**7 fire stations** respond to **~13,000 emergency calls** for service annually



#### Water

**265 miles of water main** serving **~44,000 residents**



#### Sewer

**82 miles of sewer main** serving **~14,000 customers**



#### Public Schools

Relatively steady **enrollment ~7,100** over past 3 years despite 10-year enrollment decline