

# 2022 HOMELESS ENUMERATION

## Results for Metropolitan Washington

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# How Many People are Experiencing Homelessness in Our Region?

People Experiencing Literal Homelessness by Jurisdiction, 2021 - 2022				
Jurisdiction	2021	2022	Change in Number of Persons 2021-2022	Percent Change 2021 - 2022
City of Alexandria	106	120	14	13%
Arlington County	171	182	11	6%
District of Columbia	5,111	4,410	-701	-14%
Fairfax County	1,222	1,191	-31	-3%
Frederick County	223	210	-13	-6%
Loudoun County	80	99	19	24%
Montgomery County	577	581	4	1%
Prince George's County	537	571	34	6%
Prince William County	282	241	-41	-15%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>8,309</b>	<b>7,605</b>	<b>-704</b>	<b>-8%</b>

*NOTE: The total above includes persons who were unsheltered on the night of the enumeration.*

# Significant Decline in Families Experiencing Homelessness

Household Composition						
		Total Persons in Households without Children	Total Persons in Households with Adults and Children	Total Persons in Households with ONLY Minor Children* (Unaccompanied Minors)	Regional Total	
COG REGION	2022	5,273	2,322	10	7,605	
	2021	5,917	2,376	16	8,309	
	2020	5,990	3,760	15	9,765	
	2019	5,735	4,044	15	9,794	
	2018	5,798	4,667	9	10,474	
2018 - 2022 Percent Change		-9%	-50%	1	-27%	

- Children represent **60%** of all people in homeless families.

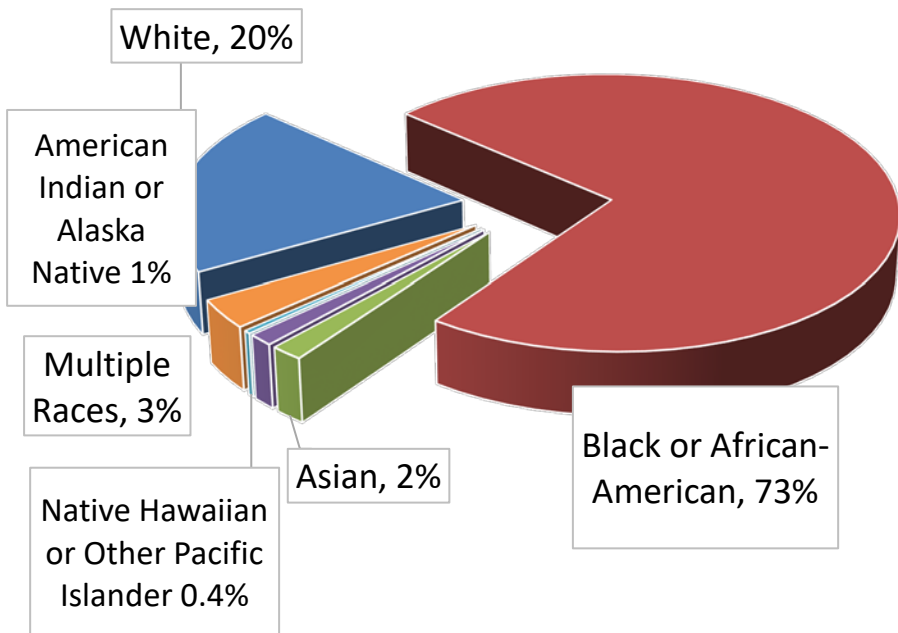
# Declining Chronic Homelessness

Chronically Homeless Single Adults By Jurisdiction, 2018 - 2022						
Jurisdiction	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Percent Change 2018 - 2022
City of Alexandria	57	38	15	21	18	-68%
Arlington County	57	74	20	34	39	-32%
District of Columbia	1,586	1,374	1,337	1,618	1,257	-21%
Fairfax County	171	213	174	318	273	60%
Frederick County	39	37	183	N/A	53	36%
Loudoun County	22	37	21	23	22	0%
Montgomery County	124	11	10	51	40	-68%
Prince George's County	26	12	15	34	46	77%
Prince William County	31	19	53	49	31	0%
<b>All COG CoCs</b>	<b>2,113</b>	<b>1,815</b>	<b>1,828</b>	<b>2,148</b>	<b>1,779</b>	<b>-16%</b>

# Racial Disparities in Who Experiences Homelessness in our Region

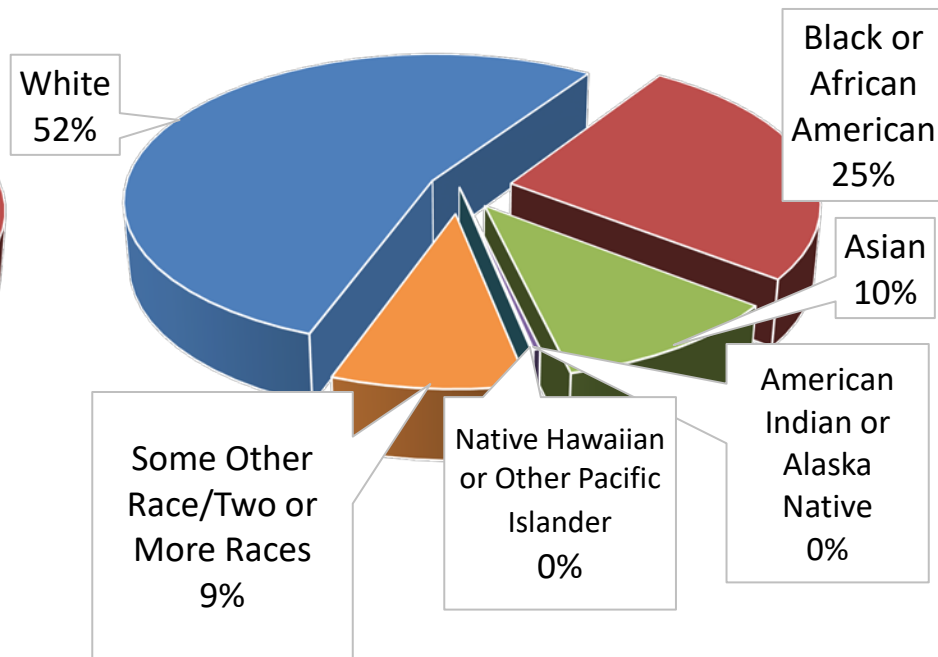
## Regional Adults Demographic Profile (Race)

Source: COG 2022



## Regional Total Population Demographic Profile (Race)

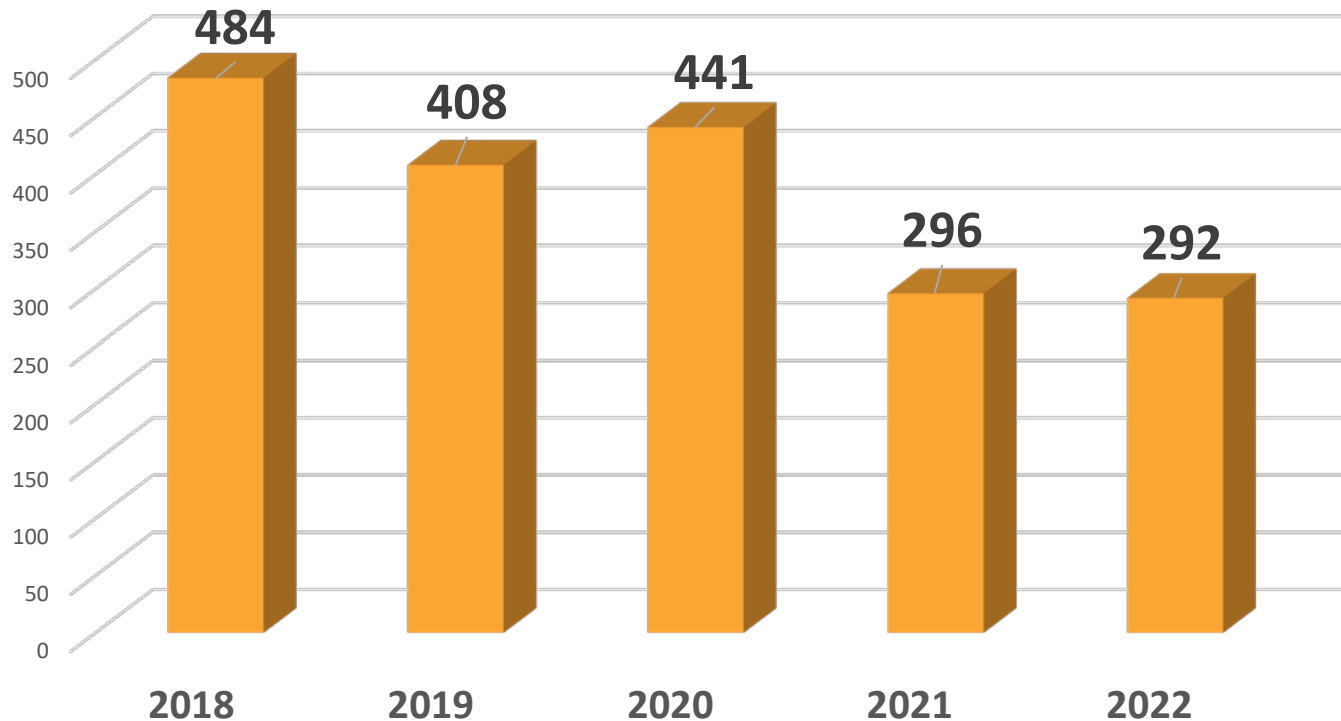
Source: American Community Survey 2020 5-Yr Estimates



# Ending Veteran Homelessness

## Regional Total Number of Homeless Veterans

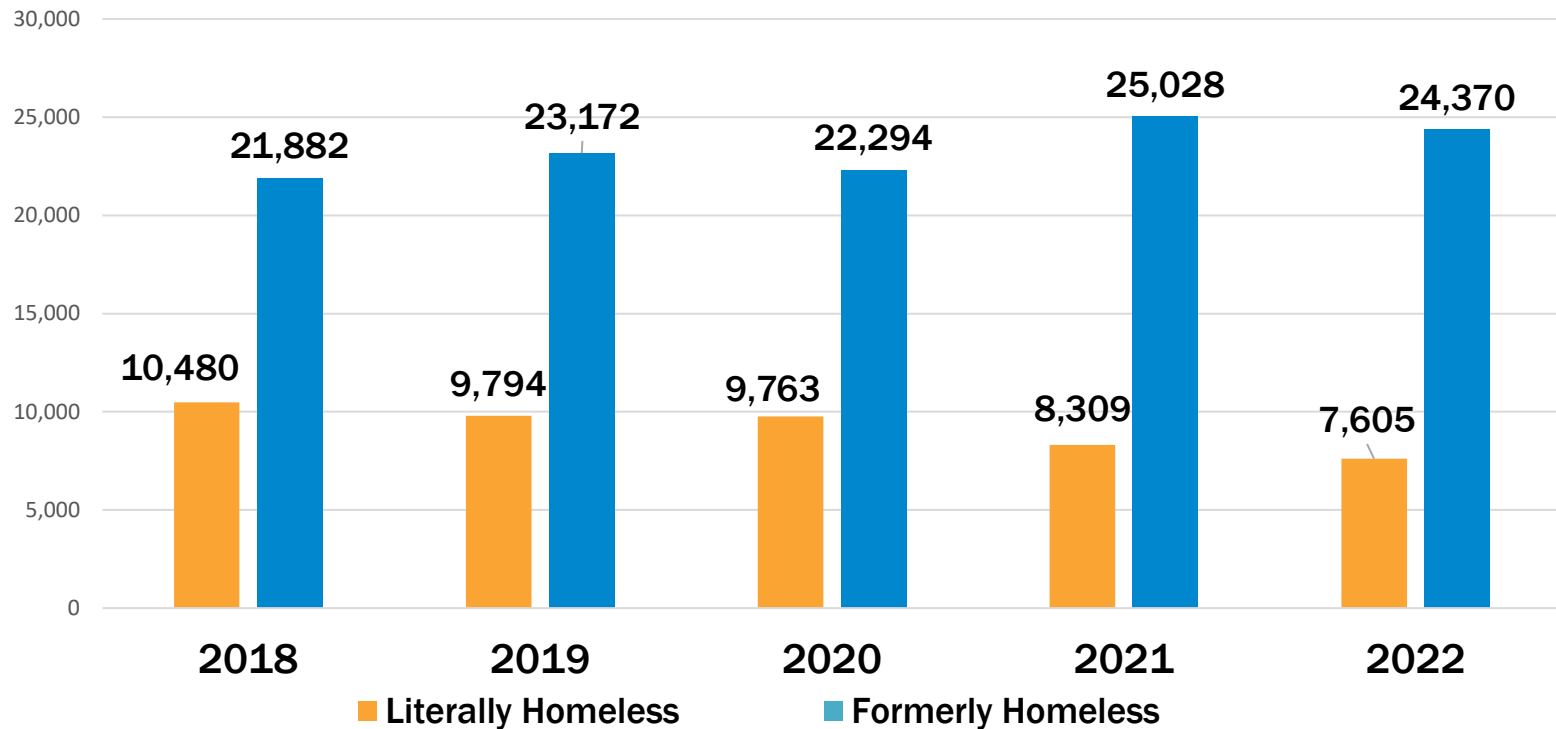
Source: COG 2022



# Formerly Homeless: Regional Progress

## Region's Literally and Formerly Homeless in Permanent Supportive Housing, Rapid Re-Housing, and Other Permanent Housing

Source: COG 2022



# Conclusions and Recommendations

- **Prevention programs, shelter diversion, and strong tenant protections** reduce the number of people who experience homelessness.
- **Sustained and increased regional investments in permanent housing** resources are necessary to allow people to exit homelessness within their existing communities and support networks.
- **Increased federal funds provides an opportunity for innovation** in cross-jurisdictional collaboration.
- **Racial equity should center our response** to reduce the disproportionate representation of people of color experiencing homelessness.
- Need to **share data within and across the region's CoCs** to strengthen local programs and improve outcomes for people experiencing homelessness.



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