

CITY OF PASCAGOULA COMMUNITY PROFILE

The City of Pascagoula, one of Mississippi's largest cities, is the Seat of Jackson County. The village of Pascagoula was incorporated in 1838. In 1904, Pascagoula and the village of Scranton, which had formed around the railroad station now located in downtown Pascagoula, were combined and incorporated as the City of Pascagoula. Pascagoula is home to the largest employer in the state, Huntington Ingalls Shipbuilding.

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Pascagoula Quick Facts

Population-2010 22392
Median Age 34.97
Households 8481
Median Household Income \$40.998

(2012)

Incorporated Square Miles 15.38

Acres of Parks 200

Median House Value \$104,440

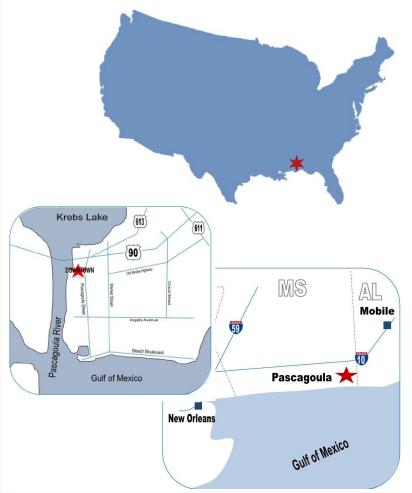
Organization Budget \$25,000,000

Population Estimate-2030 30,250

Services: Police, Water, Sewer, Street, Storm Drainage, Parks, Recreation, Open Space

In travel time, the City is located thirty minutes east of Biloxi, Mississippi and two hours east of New Orleans, Louisiana. The City is thirty minutes west of Mobile, Alabama and four hours south of Jackson, Mississippi. With Highways 90, 613, and 63 transversingit, Pascagoula can easily access Interstate 10 just to its north.

- 30 Minutes to Biloxi, Mississippi
- 30 Minutes to Mobile, Alabama
- 2 hours to New Orleans, Louisiana





LABOR FORCE

The City of Pascagoula is the county seat of Jackson County, which is the third most populous county in Mississippi and is home to the state's largest employer, Ingalls Shipbuilding. Numerous Jackson County employers—including Chevron, Ingalls Shipbuilding and countless others—build their success with the help of a remarkable pool of employees who deliver top quality in often-complex positions.

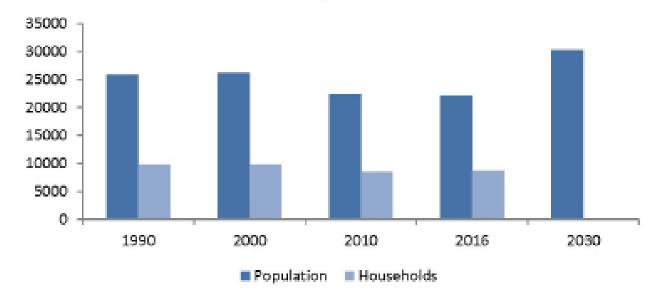
Businesses with operations in Jackson County, Mississippi can count on motivated employees who are committed to their work and proud of their community's reputation for excellence.

Major Area Employers No. I		Employees	
1	Huntington Ingalls Shipbuilding		10380
2	Chevron Refinery		3600
3	Singing River Health System		2465
4	Signal International		2250
5	VT Halter Marine		675
6	Wal-Mart Pascagoula		500
7	City of Pascagoula		300
8	Knights Marine		240
9	Mississippi Phosphates		225
10	First Chemical		160



Median Household Income			
Pascagoula	\$40,998		
Mississippi	\$37,881		
United States	\$51,914		

Household & Population Estimates



EDUCATION

Pascagoula's population is educated, affluent, skilled diverse and dynamic. For three consecutive years, the Pascagoula-Gautier School District has been named one of America's Promise Alliance's 100 Best Communities for Young People. The national award was given to Pascagoula-Gautier School District to recognize its outstanding and innovative work in addressing the high school dropout crisis and for its programs and services that make it an outstanding place for youth to live, learn and grow.



For more information visit our website at www.cityofpascagoula.com

Pascagoula-Gautier School District

Applied Technology Center

Arlington Elementary

Beach Elementary

Central Elementary

Cherokee Elementary

Colmer Middle School

Eastlawn Elementary

Jackson County Exceptional School

Jackson Elementary

Lake Elementary

Opportunity Center

Pascagoula High School

Trent Lott Academy

College/University

MS Gulf Coast Community College

University of Southern Mississippi Gulf Coast

William Carey University on the Coast

University of South Alabama

Spring Hill College

University of Mobile

Private Education

Resurrection Catholic Elementary

Resurrection Catholic Middle and High School

Bethel Christian Academy

Grace Christian School

Economic Development

Development is working to bring all possible opportunities to the City. In addition, one of the focuses of the Pascagoula Main Street Program is Economic Restructuring to strategically attract new developments. These groups work in unison with other City departments including the Planning and Building Department to ease the process of permitting, zoning, and incentives.

For more information, please contact the Community and Economic Development Director, Jen Dearman, at (228) 938-6651 or jdearman@cityofpascagoula.com.



Medical Facilities

Singing River Health Systems

Singing River Health System is a governmental entity organized and existing pursuant to the community hospital statutes of the State of Mississippi operating as a not-for-profit organization. Singing River Health System is one of the largest employers on the Mississippi Gulf Coast, providing jobs for more than 2,700 residents of Jackson County and surrounding areas. SRHS provided \$185 million for employees' salaries and benefits in 2011. Direct and indirect impact from SRHS on Jackson County is an estimated 4,050 jobs and \$259 million per year in wages.