

Good Afternoon Chatham!

I hope this finds you home safe and healthy. While most everyone is at home, this is a perfect time for residents to complete the census. **Today is Census Day and we are asking you to spread the word to improve our count!**

I wanted to share with you some data that shows the response rates for cities in Sangamon County. I have listed each town/city/village along with the percentage of residents who have responded to the census as of March 30, 2020. I have listed these in order showing that Sherman is in first place with 55.7 percent. We would like to see these number skyrocket today!

Please visit the Census at, <https://my2020census.gov> It only takes about 10 minutes to complete and how important it is to our community.

**We will let you know how we are doing against the other towns.** Come on Chatham, I can't believe we are not leading this we are the most competitive town around. If you have filled out the census pass this to your friends and neighbors. We can make this a friendly competition by municipality. **Losing is not an option!**

Sherman	55.7
Rochester	55.1
Jerome	52.9
Chatham	50.3
Leland Grove	50.3
Auburn	49.6
Spaulding	48.8
Williamsville	47.5
New Berlin	46.6
Pleasant Plains	45.7
Pawnee	45.1
Southern View	44.7
Curran	43.9
Cantrall	42.9
Illiopolis	42.2

Springfield	42.2
Divernon	41.5
Buffalo	38.8
Dawson	38.8
Grandview	38.1
Loami	36.9
Riverton	32.8
Thayer	32.7
Mechanicsburg	30.5
Clear Lake	26.5
Berlin	20.2