



Villa Rica, Georgia, USA

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Establisher 1826

Home of Georgia's Forgotten Gold Rush of 1826

Villa Rica Development Authority Board

Kurt Kraft, Chairman
Villa Rica, GA
Term expires 12/31/2013

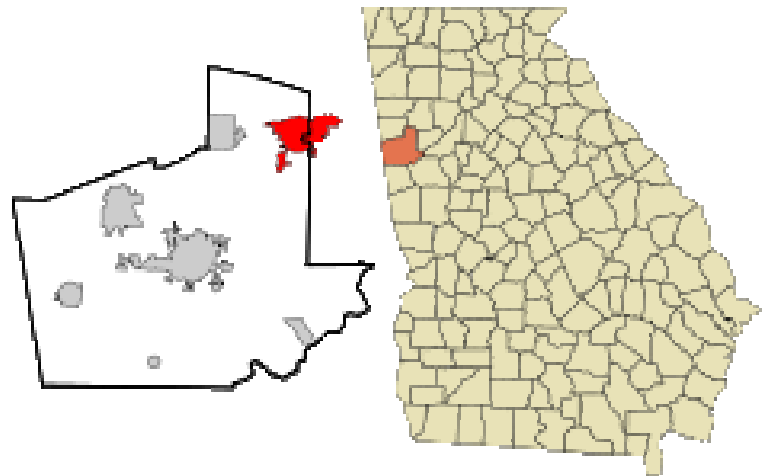
Pope Cleghorn
Villa Rica, GA
Term expires 12/31/2013

Render Crook
Villa Rica, GA
Term expires, 12/31/2011


Kinney Taylor
Villa Rica, GA
Term expires 12/31/2013

Dana Wynn
Villa Rica, GA
Term expires 12/31/2013

Richard Littleton
Villa Rica, GA
Term expires 12/31/2010



Location in Carroll County and the state of Georgia, United States of America

Coordinates:  33°43'55"N 84°55'12"W 33.73194°N 84.92°W

City Government

Mayor & City Council

Mayor J. Collins, term expires 12/11

City Council Ward 1: Shirley Marchman, term expires 12/11

City Council Ward 2: Verland Best, term expires 12/11

City Council Ward 3: Rusty Dean, term expires 12/13

City Council Ward 4: Patrick Henrickson, term expires 12/13

City Council Ward 5: Woody Holland, term expires 12/13

City Manager: Larry Wood

City Clerk: Barbara Daniell

General Information

Population: 12,716

Number of Households: 4,890

Millage Rate: 6.775

Number of Employees: 135

Ration of Population to City Employees: 1:94.1

City Budget/General Fund: \$14,602,887

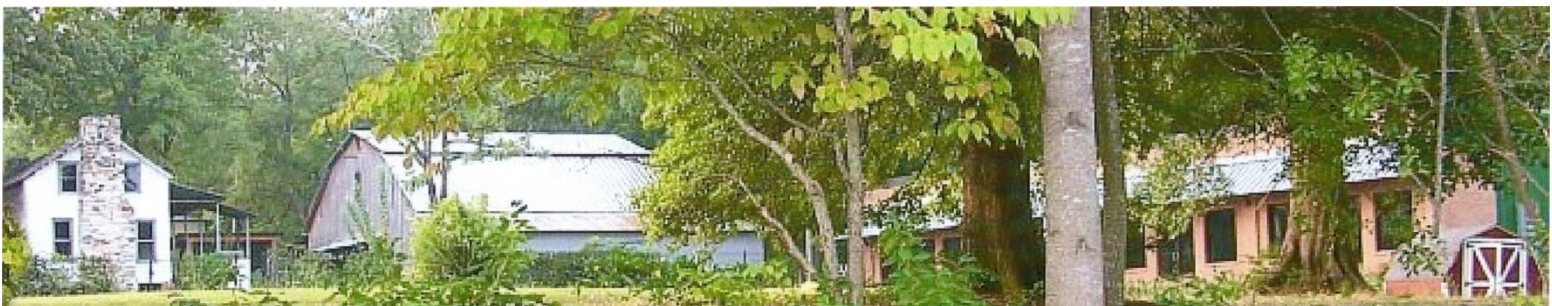
Nearest Cities

Nearest city with pop. 50,000+: [Marietta, GA](#) (30.2 miles, pop. 58,748).

Nearest city with pop. 200,000+: [Atlanta, GA](#) (35.6 miles, pop. 416,474).

Nearest city with pop. 1,000,000+: [Chicago, IL](#) (592.0 miles, pop. 2,896,016).

Nearest cities: [Temple, GA](#) (7.4 miles), [Douglasville, GA](#) (13.6 miles), [Hiram, GA](#) (13.6 miles), [Dallas, GA](#) (14.0 miles), [Carrollton, GA](#) (15.0 miles), [Bremen, GA](#) (15.7 miles), [Whitesburg, GA](#) (16.5 miles), [Lithia Springs, GA](#) (18.7 miles).



Demographics - The 2000 Census

As of the census^[1] of 2000, there were 4,134 people, 1,550 households, and 1,114 families residing in the city. The population density was 329.2 people per square mile (127.1/km²). There were 1,769 housing units at an average density of 140.9/sq mi (54.4/km²). The racial makeup of the city was 79.32% White, 17.90% African American, 0.80% Native American, 0.27% Asian, 0.02% Pacific Islander, 1.06% from other races, and 0.63% from two or more races. Hispanic or Latino of any race were 2.18% of the population.

There were 1,550 households out of which 35.4% had children under the age of 18 living with them, 49.9% were married couples living together, 17.9% had a female householder with no husband present, and 28.1% were non-families. 22.8% of all households were made up of individuals and 10.8% had someone living alone who was 65 years of age or older. The average household size was 2.67 and the average family size was 3.14.

While such substantial growth cannot be sustained, some growth will continue for years. The 2025 population projection is estimated to be 34,784.

In the city the population was spread out with 28.0% under the age of 18, 9.9% from 18 to 24, 31.1% from 25 to 44, 20.1% from 45 to 64, and 10.9% who were 65 years of age or older. The median age was 32 years. For every 100 females there were 93.7 males. For every 100 females age 18 and over, there were 86.5 males.

The median income for a household in the city was \$31,161, and the median income for a family was \$37,138. Males had a median income of \$31,103 versus \$21,516 for females. The per capita income for the city was \$14,310. About 11.4% of families and 13.1% of the population were below the poverty line, including 11.1% of those under age 18 and 29.6% of those age 65 or over.

Year	Population	Change	Year	Population	Change
2001	5,511	30%	2006	11,490	12%
2002	6,985	23%	2007	12,716	11%
2003	7,812	19%	2008	13,942	10%
2004	9,038	16%	2009	15,168	9%
2005	10,264	14%	2010	16,394	8%

Education

Public high school in Villa Rica:

- VILLA RICA HIGH SCHOOL (Students: 1,043; Location: 600 ROCKY BRANCH ROAD; Grades: 09 - 12)

Private high school in Villa Rica:

- HAPPY VALLEY BAPTIST ACADEMY (Students: 156; Location: 605 MAIN ST; Grades: KG - 12)

Public primary/middle schools in Villa Rica:

- BAY SPRINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL (Students: 1,000; Location: 122 BAY SPRINGS ROAD; Grades: 06 - 08)
- VILLA RICA PRIMARY SCHOOL (Students: 672; Location: 118 GLANTON STREET; Grades: PK - 02)
- VILLA RICA ELEMENTARY (Students: 571; Location: 314 PEACHTREE STREET; Grades: 03 - 05)
- NEW GEORGIA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL (Students: 474; Location: 5800 MULBERRY ROCK ROAD; Grades: KG - 05)

Private primary/middle schools in Villa Rica:

- BLACKSTOCK MONTESSORI SCHOOL (Students: 110; Location: 87 BLACKSTOCK RD; Grades: UG - UG)
- PLANTATION CHRISTIAN ACADEMY (Students: 81; Location: 189 SANDHILL-HULETT RD; Grades: KG - 10)
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Colleges/universities with over 2000 students nearest to Villa Rica:

- STATE UNIVERSITY OF WEST GEORGIA (about 17 miles; CARROLLTON, GA; Full-time enrollment: 11,100)

Medical Facilities

TANNER MEDICAL CENTER VILLA RICA (601 DALLAS HIGHWAY)

