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Austin 6th most-moved-to city, Uhaul says

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Austin was listed as the country's sixth most-moved-to destination, though it fell behind San Antonio and Houston, U-Haul International Inc. reported today.

The national do-it-yourself moving giant compiled data from travelers moving more than 50 miles last year and found Houston topped the list, moving up from second in 2008. The 2009 Top 50 U.S. Destination Cities used information from more than a million U-Haul truck transactions, but is not necessarily reflective of overall population movement.

Las Vegas moved up to the second most moved to city from the No. 4 in 2008, and Chicago climbed to No. 3 from No. 7. San Antonio ranked No. 4, moving up from No. 8., while Orlando, Fla. moved up to fifth place from the No. 10 rank last year.

Other top-moved-to sites include: Atlanta, Geo.; Sacramento, Calif.; Kansas City, MO.; Denver, Colo.; Philadelphia, Pa.; San Diego, Calif.; Brooklyn, N.Y.; Phoenix, Ariz; Dallas, Texas; Tampa, Fla.; Los Angeles, Calif.; Van Nuys, Calif.; Costa Mesa, Calif.; New York City; and others.

A U.S. Census Bureau report released last December found that nearly half a million Americans moved to Texas between July 2008 and July 2009, making it the most migrated to in the U.S. Four Texas cities ranked in the top 10 fastest-growing in that report, including Round Rock.

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