

Ohio County Profiles

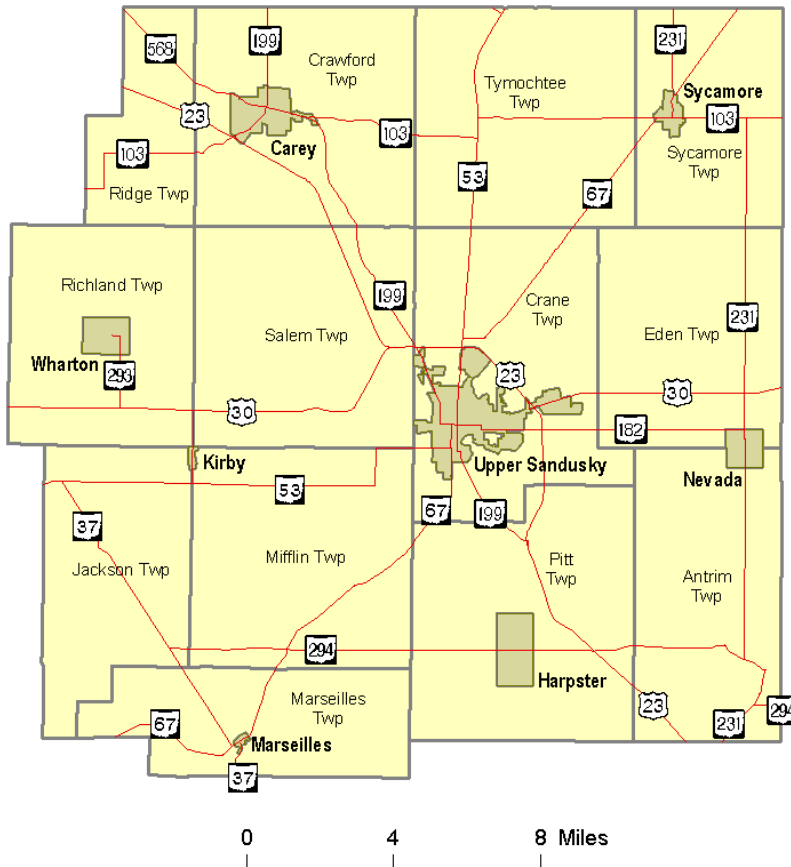
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OHIO DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT

Wyandot County

Established: Act - February 3, 1845
2004 Population: 22,878
Land Area: 405.6 square miles
County Seat: Upper Sandusky City
Named for: Wyandotte Native American Tribe



Taxes

| | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|
| Taxable value of real property | \$312,411,450 |
| Residential | \$185,766,040 |
| Agriculture | \$80,698,630 |
| Industrial | \$20,833,210 |
| Commercial | \$25,109,940 |
| Mineral | \$3,630 |
| Ohio income tax liability | \$11,326,256 |
| Average per return | \$995.80 |

Land Cover

| | Acres |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| Total | 260,878.6 |
| Urban (open impervious surfaces) | 1,090.5 |
| Agriculture/Open Urban Areas | 216,320.6 |
| Shrub/Scrub | 1,951.1 |
| Wooded | 35,089.4 |
| Open Water | 985.2 |
| Non-forested Wetlands | 4,309.5 |
| Barren | 1,132.4 |

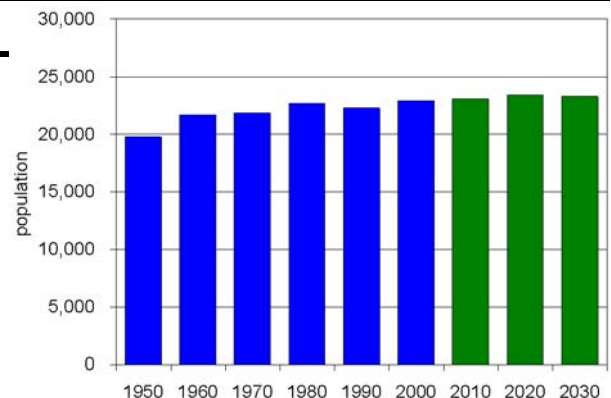
Largest Areas Census 2000 Estimate 2004

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|---------------------|-------|-------|
| Upper Sandusky city | 6,533 | 6,459 |
| Carey village | 3,901 | 3,888 |
| Tymochtee twp | 1,186 | 1,201 |
| Crawford twp UB | 1,179 | 1,167 |
| Salem twp UB | 1,055 | 1,058 |
| Sycamore village | 914 | 902 |
| Crane twp UB | 861 | 856 |
| Pitt twp UB | 833 | 843 |
| Nevada village | 814 | 794 |
| Eden twp UB | 751 | 764 |

UB: Unincorporated Balance

Total Population

| Census | 1900 | 21,125 | Estimated | | |
|--------|--------|--------|-----------|-----------|--------|
| 1800 | 1910 | 20,760 | 2001 | 22,746 | |
| 1810 | 1920 | 19,481 | 2002 | 22,778 | |
| 1820 | 1930 | 19,036 | 2003 | 22,804 | |
| 1830 | 1940 | 19,218 | 2004 | 22,878 | |
| 1840 | 1950 | 19,785 | | | |
| 1850 | 11,194 | 1960 | 21,648 | | |
| 1860 | 15,596 | 1970 | 21,826 | Projected | |
| 1870 | 18,553 | 1980 | 22,651 | 2010 | 23,091 |
| 1880 | 22,395 | 1990 | 22,254 | 2020 | 23,401 |
| 1890 | 21,722 | 2000 | 22,908 | 2030 | 23,240 |



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| Population by Race | Number | Percent |
|-------------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Total Population | 22,908 | 100.0% |
| White | 22,411 | 97.8% |
| African-American | 8 | 0.0% |
| Native American | 12 | 0.1% |
| Asian | 117 | 0.5% |
| Pacific Islander | 0 | 0.0% |
| Other | 230 | 1.0% |
| Two or More Races | 130 | 0.6% |
| Hispanic (may be of any race) | 429 | 1.9% |
| Total Minority | 644 | 2.8% |

| Educational Attainment | Number | Percent |
|-------------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Persons 25 years and over | 15,097 | 100.0% |
| No high school diploma | 2,646 | 17.5% |
| High school graduate | 7,386 | 48.9% |
| Some college, no degree | 2,563 | 17.0% |
| Associate degree | 1,015 | 6.7% |
| Bachelor's degree | 1,060 | 7.0% |
| Master's degree or higher | 427 | 2.8% |

| Family Type by Employment Status | Number | Percent |
|---|---------------|----------------|
| Total Families | 6,369 | 100.0% |
| Married couple, husband and wife in labor force | 3,148 | 49.4% |
| Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not | 966 | 15.2% |
| Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not | 336 | 5.3% |
| Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force | 902 | 14.2% |
| Male householder, in labor force | 284 | 4.5% |
| Male householder, not in labor force | 20 | 0.3% |
| Female householder, in labor force | 535 | 8.4% |
| Female householder, not in labor force | 178 | 2.8% |

| Household Income in 1999 | Number | Percent |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Total Households | 8,883 | 100.0% |
| Less than \$10,000 | 588 | 6.6% |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 1,114 | 12.5% |
| \$20,000 to \$29,999 | 1,433 | 16.1% |
| \$30,000 to \$39,999 | 1,437 | 16.2% |
| \$40,000 to \$49,999 | 1,271 | 14.3% |
| \$50,000 to \$59,999 | 1,040 | 11.7% |
| \$60,000 to \$74,999 | 1,011 | 11.4% |
| \$75,000 to \$99,999 | 669 | 7.5% |
| \$100,000 to \$149,999 | 230 | 2.6% |
| \$150,000 to \$199,999 | 44 | 0.5% |
| \$200,000 or more | 46 | 0.5% |
| Median household income | \$38,839 | |

| Population by Age | Number | Percent |
|--------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Total Population | 22,908 | 100.0% |
| Under 6 years | 1,776 | 7.8% |
| 6 to 17 years | 4,140 | 18.1% |
| 18 to 24 years | 1,895 | 8.3% |
| 25 to 44 years | 6,344 | 27.7% |
| 45 to 64 years | 5,211 | 22.7% |
| 65 years and more | 3,542 | 15.5% |
| Median Age | 37.4 | |

| Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18 | Number | Percent |
|---|---------------|----------------|
| Total Families | 6,369 | 100.0% |
| Married-couple families with own children | 2,269 | 35.6% |
| Male householder, no wife present, with own children | 219 | 3.4% |
| Female householder, no husband present, with own children | 444 | 7.0% |
| Families with no own children | 3,437 | 54.0% |

| Poverty Status in 1999 of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children | Number | Percent |
|--|---------------|----------------|
| Total Families | 6,369 | 100.0% |
| Family income above poverty level | 6,128 | 96.2% |
| Family income below poverty level | 241 | 3.8% |
| Married couple, with related children | 49 | 20.3% |
| Male householder, no wife present, with related children | 14 | 5.8% |
| Female householder, no husband present, with related children | 100 | 41.5% |
| Families with no related children | 78 | 32.4% |

| Ratio of Income in 1999 To Poverty Level | Number | Percent |
|--|---------------|----------------|
| Population for whom poverty status is determined | 22,457 | 100.0% |
| Below 50% of poverty level | 493 | 2.2% |
| 50% to 99% of poverty level | 748 | 3.3% |
| 100% to 149% of poverty level | 1,765 | 7.9% |
| 150% to 199% of poverty level | 2,414 | 10.7% |
| 200% of poverty level or more | 17,037 | 75.9% |

| Residence in 1995 | Number | Percent |
|------------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Population 5 years and over | 21,394 | 100.0% |
| Same house in 1995 | 13,820 | 64.6% |
| Different house, same county | 4,643 | 21.7% |
| Different county, same state | 2,316 | 10.8% |
| Different state | 555 | 2.6% |
| Puerto Rico or U.S. islands | 0 | 0.0% |
| Foreign country | 60 | 0.3% |

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| Travel Time To Work | Number | Percent |
|---------------------------|---------------------|---------|
| Workers 16 years and over | 11,317 | 100.0% |
| Less than 15 minutes | 4,513 | 39.9% |
| 15 to 29 minutes | 4,212 | 37.2% |
| 30 to 44 minutes | 1,398 | 12.4% |
| 45 to 59 minutes | 318 | 2.8% |
| 60 minutes or more | 525 | 4.6% |
| Worked at home | 351 | 3.1% |
| Mean travel time | 20.0 minutes | |

| Housing Units | Number | Percent |
|------------------------|--------|---------|
| Total housing units | 9,324 | 100.0% |
| Occupied housing units | 8,882 | 95.3% |
| Owner occupied | 6,639 | 71.2% |
| Renter occupied | 2,243 | 24.1% |
| Vacant housing units | 442 | 4.7% |

| Year Structure Built | Number | Percent |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------|
| Total housing units | 9,324 | 100.0% |
| Built 1995 to March 2000 | 606 | 6.5% |
| Built 1990 to 1994 | 408 | 4.4% |
| Built 1980 to 1989 | 878 | 9.4% |
| Built 1970 to 1979 | 1,239 | 13.3% |
| Built 1960 to 1969 | 835 | 9.0% |
| Built 1950 to 1959 | 878 | 9.4% |
| Built 1940 to 1949 | 681 | 7.3% |
| Built 1939 or earlier | 3,799 | 40.7% |
| Median year built | 1952 | |

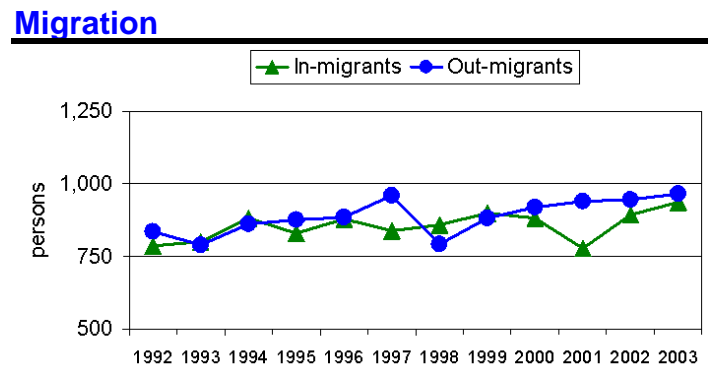
| Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units | Number | Percent |
|--|-----------------|---------|
| Specified owner-occupied housing units | 5,167 | 100.0% |
| Less than \$20,000 | 65 | 1.3% |
| \$20,000 to \$39,999 | 299 | 5.8% |
| \$40,000 to \$59,999 | 793 | 15.3% |
| \$60,000 to \$79,999 | 1,267 | 24.5% |
| \$80,000 to \$99,999 | 1,191 | 23.1% |
| \$100,000 to \$124,999 | 670 | 13.0% |
| \$125,000 to \$149,999 | 330 | 6.4% |
| \$150,000 to \$199,999 | 336 | 6.5% |
| \$200,000 to \$249,999 | 84 | 1.6% |
| \$250,000 to \$499,999 | 124 | 2.4% |
| \$500,000 to \$999,999 | 0 | 0.0% |
| \$1,000,000 or more | 8 | 0.2% |
| Median value | \$82,300 | |

| House Heating Fuel | Number | Percent |
|----------------------------|--------|---------|
| Occupied housing units | 8,882 | 100.0% |
| Utility gas | 4,184 | 47.1% |
| Bottled, tank or LP gas | 1,706 | 19.2% |
| Electricity | 1,725 | 19.4% |
| Fuel oil, kerosene, etc | 828 | 9.3% |
| Coal, coke or wood | 368 | 4.1% |
| Solar energy or other fuel | 66 | 0.7% |
| No fuel used | 5 | 0.1% |

| Gross Rent | Number | Percent |
|---|--------------|---------|
| Specified renter-occupied housing units | 2,163 | 100.0% |
| Less than \$100 | 18 | 0.8% |
| \$100 to \$199 | 163 | 7.5% |
| \$200 to \$299 | 232 | 10.7% |
| \$300 to \$399 | 541 | 25.0% |
| \$400 to \$499 | 491 | 22.7% |
| \$500 to \$599 | 340 | 15.7% |
| \$600 to \$699 | 127 | 5.9% |
| \$700 to \$799 | 38 | 1.8% |
| \$800 to \$899 | 16 | 0.7% |
| \$900 to \$999 | 7 | 0.3% |
| \$1,000 to \$1,499 | 7 | 0.3% |
| \$1,500 or more | 10 | 0.5% |
| No cash rent | 173 | 8.0% |
| Median gross rent | \$408 | |
| Median gross rent as a percentage of household income in 1999 | 18.0 | |

| Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units | Number | Percent |
|---|--------------|---------|
| Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage | 3,177 | 100.0% |
| Less than \$400 | 195 | 6.1% |
| \$400 to \$599 | 836 | 26.3% |
| \$600 to \$799 | 979 | 30.8% |
| \$800 to \$999 | 570 | 17.9% |
| \$1,000 to \$1,249 | 354 | 11.1% |
| \$1,250 to \$1,499 | 135 | 4.2% |
| \$1,500 to \$1,999 | 76 | 2.4% |
| \$2,000 to \$2,999 | 32 | 1.0% |
| \$3,000 or more | 0 | 0.0% |
| Median monthly owners cost | \$703 | |
| Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income | 17.9 | |

| Vital Statistics | Number | Rate |
|--|--------|------|
| Births / rate per 1,000 population | 285 | 12.5 |
| Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19 | 29 | 34.5 |
| Deaths / rate per 1,000 population | 235 | 10.3 |
| Marriages / rate per 1,000 population | 157 | 6.9 |
| Divorces / rate per 1,000 population | 98 | 4.3 |



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Agriculture

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| Land in farms (acres) | 207,000 |
| Number of farms | 600 |
| Average size (acres) | 345 |
| Total cash receipts | \$82,922,000 |
| Per farm | \$135,938 |

Education

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|-------------------------------------|---------|
| Public schools | 11 |
| Students (Average Daily Membership) | 3,715 |
| Teachers (Full Time Equivalent) | 231.4 |
| Student-teacher ratio | 16.1 |
| Expenditures per student | \$7,350 |
| Graduation rate | 95.1 |
| Non-public schools | 2 |
| Students | 340 |
| 4-year public universities | 0 |
| Branches | 0 |
| 2-year public colleges | 0 |
| Private universities and colleges | 0 |
| Public libraries | 3 |
| Branch libraries | 0 |

Transportation

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|---------------------------|--------------|
| Registered motor vehicles | 32,028 |
| Passenger cars | 17,380 |
| Noncommercial trucks | 6,796 |
| Total license revenue | \$981,814.96 |
| Interstate highway miles | 0.00 |
| Turnpike miles | 0.00 |
| U.S. highway miles | 45.75 |
| State highway miles | 152.07 |
| Commercial airports | 1 |

Voting

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|-----------------------------|--------|
| Number of precincts | 24 |
| Number of registered voters | 15,834 |
| Voted in 2004 election | 11,257 |
| Percent turnout | 71.1% |

Health Care

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|---------------------------|-----|
| Physicians (MDs DOs) | 14 |
| Registered hospitals | 1 |
| Number of beds | 45 |
| Licensed nursing homes | 3 |
| Number of beds | 301 |
| Licensed residential care | 1 |
| Number of beds | 40 |

State Parks, Forests, Nature Preserves, And Wildlife Areas

| | |
|------------|----------|
| Facilities | 3 |
| Acreage | 8,804.70 |

Communications

| | |
|---------------------|-------|
| Television stations | 0 |
| Radio stations | 1 |
| Daily newspapers | 1 |
| Circulation | 4,100 |

Crime

| | |
|---|-----|
| Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report | 391 |
|---|-----|

Finance

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| FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs) | 3 |
| Assets | \$567,997,000 |
| Branch offices | 15 |
| Institutions represented | 6 |

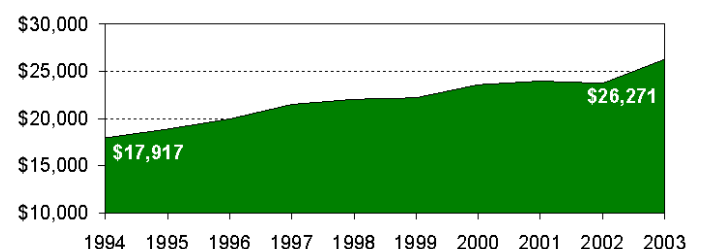
Transfer Payments

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| Total transfer payments | \$104,269,000 |
| Payments to individuals | \$98,696,000 |
| Retirement and disability | \$48,434,000 |
| Medical payments | \$38,853,000 |
| Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc) | \$5,414,000 |
| Unemployment benefits | \$4,247,000 |
| Veterans benefits | \$1,560,000 |
| Federal education and training assistance | \$107,000 |
| Other payments to individuals | \$81,000 |
| Total personal income | \$599,095,000 |
| Dependency ratio | 17.4% |

Federal Expenditures

| | |
|--|---------------|
| Direct expenditures or obligations | \$106,452,399 |
| Retirement and disability | \$50,796,487 |
| Other direct payments | \$32,185,239 |
| Grant awards | \$18,695,794 |
| Highway planning and construction | \$3,020,293 |
| Temporary assistance to needy families | \$539,542 |
| Medical assistance program | \$10,552,427 |
| Procurement contract awards | \$942,177 |
| Dept. of Defense | \$0 |
| Salary and wages | \$3,832,702 |
| Dept. of Defense | \$0 |
| Other federal assistance | \$41,694,160 |
| Direct loans | \$1,512,057 |
| Guaranteed loans | \$9,466,725 |
| Insurance | \$30,715,378 |

Per Capita Personal Income



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| Civilian Labor Force | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 |
|-----------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Civilian labor force | 12,300 | 12,700 | 12,800 | 13,400 | 13,400 |
| Employed | 11,800 | 12,200 | 12,100 | 12,600 | 12,700 |
| Unemployed | 500 | 500 | 700 | 700 | 700 |
| Unemployment rate | 3.9 | 4.2 | 5.5 | 5.5 | 5.6 |

Employment and Wages by Sector

| NAICS Industrial Sector | Average Annual Employment | | Total Wages (in thousands of dollars) | |
|--|----------------------------------|-------------|--|-------------|
| | 2002 | 2003 | 2002 | 2003 |
| Total covered under Ohio UC Law | 10,538 | 11,139 | \$282,538 | \$309,583 |
| Private Sector | 9,209 | 9,759 | \$247,694 | \$272,440 |
| Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting | 68 | 70 | \$1,930 | \$1,997 |
| Mining | 203 | 201 | \$7,417 | \$7,498 |
| Utilities | -1 | -1 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Construction | 593 | 593 | \$16,918 | \$17,912 |
| Manufacturing | 4,458 | 4,834 | \$151,337 | \$169,319 |
| Wholesale trade | 323 | 329 | \$10,492 | \$10,973 |
| Retail trade | 777 | 877 | \$12,125 | \$14,267 |
| Transportation and warehousing | -1 | -1 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Information | 48 | 47 | \$2,060 | \$2,256 |
| Finance and insurance | 207 | 216 | \$5,399 | \$6,210 |
| Real estate and rental and leasing | 45 | 36 | \$646 | \$570 |
| Professional and technical services | -1 | -1 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Management of companies and enterprises | -1 | -1 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Administrative and waste services | 295 | 398 | \$6,314 | \$7,986 |
| Educational services | -1 | -1 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Health care and social assistance | -1 | -1 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Arts, entertainment, and recreation | 62 | 48 | \$614 | \$509 |
| Accommodation and food services | 801 | 771 | \$6,387 | \$6,165 |
| Other services, except public administration | 391 | 373 | \$5,305 | \$5,365 |
| State and Local Government | 1,329 | 1,380 | \$34,844 | \$37,143 |
| State government | 49 | 48 | \$1,814 | \$1,855 |
| Local government | 1,280 | 1,332 | \$33,029 | \$35,288 |
| Federal Government | 76 | 77 | \$2,833 | \$2,911 |

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Major Employers

| | |
|-----------------------------------|---------|
| Blackhawk Automotive Plastics Inc | Mfg |
| Bridgestone APM Co | Mfg |
| Dana Corp | Mfg |
| Guardian Industries Corp | Mfg |
| Kasai Kogyo/M-Tek Inc | Mfg |
| ThyssenKrupp AG/Budd Co | Mfg |
| Toledo Molding & Die Inc | Mfg |
| Wyandot Memorial Hospital | Service |

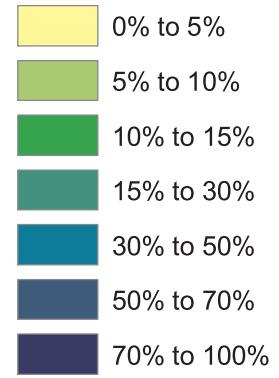
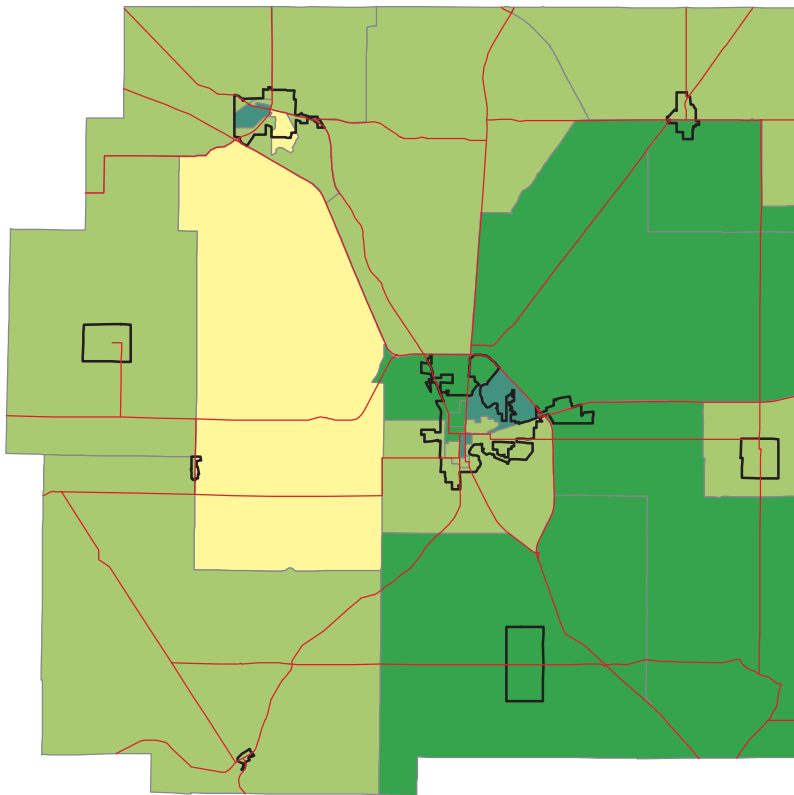
Starting and

| Active Businesses | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 |
|--------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Business starts | 36 | 50 | 43 | 41 | 43 |
| Active businesses | 600 | 601 | 611 | 611 | 623 |

Residential Construction

| | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 |
|-----------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Total units | 68 | 79 | 100 | 74 | 74 |
| Total valuation (000) | \$7,768 | \$9,424 | \$10,888 | \$10,424 | \$9,073 |
| Total single-unit bldgs | 62 | 75 | 60 | 70 | 53 |
| Average cost per unit | \$115,207 | \$119,188 | \$137,251 | \$140,386 | \$149,579 |
| Total multi-unit bldg units | 6 | 4 | 40 | 4 | 21 |
| Average cost per unit | \$104,167 | \$121,250 | \$66,312 | \$149,250 | \$54,524 |

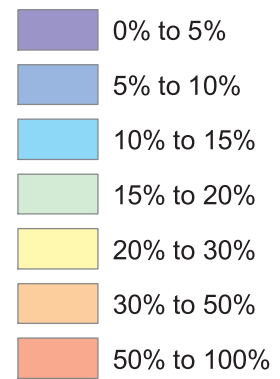
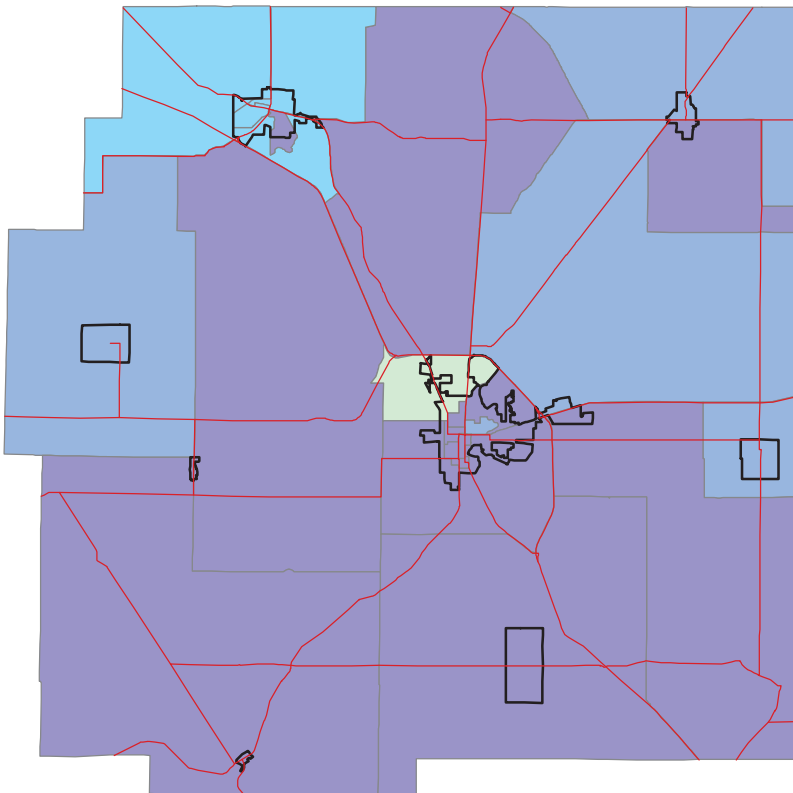
Percent of Persons 25 and Older With a Bachelor's Degree or Greater 2000



Ohio -- 21.1%
Wyandot -- 9.9%

Source: Summary File 3, Census of Population and Housing, U.S. Bureau of the Census, 2000.

Percent of Persons Living In Poverty 2000



Ohio -- 10.6%
Wyandot -- 5.5%

Calculation based on population for whom poverty status is determined.

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