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SUMMARY OF...

***INDUSTRIAL
RESOURCES***

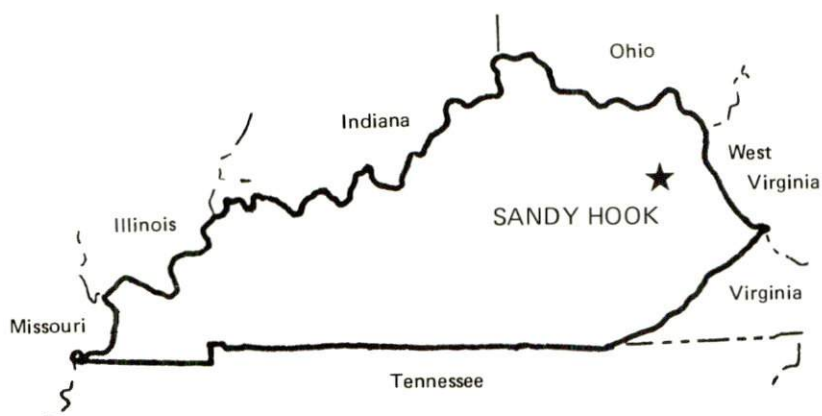
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

SUMMARY OF INDUSTRIAL RESOURCES
SANDY HOOK, KENTUCKY



POPULATION: 1975: Sandy Hook - 496
1976: Elliott County - 6,000; Labor Market Area - 69,800

SANDY HOOK LABOR MARKET AREA: Includes Elliott, Carter, Lawrence, Morgan and Rowan Counties

LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS OF RESIDENTS, 1976:

| | <u>Elliott County</u> | <u>Labor Market Area</u> |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| Civilian Labor Force | 4,324 | 27,295 |
| Employment | 4,123 | 25,483 |
| Agricultural | 178 | 1,721 |
| Nonagricultural | 3,945 | 23,762 |
| Unemployment | 201 | 1,812 |
| Rate of Unemployment (%) | 4.6 | 6.6 |

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME, 1975:

| | |
|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Elliott County | \$3,616 |
| Labor Market Area Range | \$2,923 - \$3,616 |

ESTIMATED AVAILABLE LABOR SUPPLY, 1976:

| | | |
|-------------------|------------|--------------|
| Elliott County | 340 Male | 100 Female |
| Labor Market Area | 3,950 Male | 4,120 Female |

LOCAL MANUFACTURING PLANT:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Product</u> | <u>Employment</u> |
|--|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| Fannin Kitchen Cabinet Manufacturing Company | Kitchen cabinets, formica tops | 7 |

LABOR ORGANIZATIONS:

There are no labor unions representing manufacturing workers in Sandy Hook.

TRANSPORTATION:

Rail: The nearest rail service is provided by the Chessie System at Morehead, 28 miles distant. Services include two freight stops daily (one eastbound and one westbound), two through freights daily (one eastbound and one westbound), switching facilities, two team tracks with combined space for 35 cars, and siding space for 20 cars. The nearest piggyback facilities are located at Huntington, West Virginia, 53 miles from Sandy Hook. Morehead is on a main line.

Highways: Kentucky Highways 7 and 32 serve Sandy Hook. Access to I-64 is 25 miles northeast via Kentucky 7. Access to the Mountain Parkway, a limited access toll road, is 43 miles southeast via Kentucky 7 and U.S. 460.

Road Distance in Miles:

| | | | | | |
|---------|------------|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|
| Atlanta | <u>455</u> | Baltimore | <u>484</u> | Chicago | <u>445</u> |
| Detroit | <u>430</u> | New York | <u>656</u> | St. Louis | <u>428</u> |

Truck: Overnite Transportation Company provides interstate and intrastate service to Sandy Hook.

Water: The Ohio River is 46 miles northeast of Sandy Hook at Catlettsburg. A 9-foot navigation channel is maintained on the Ohio River.

Air: The nearest commercial airport is Tri-State Airport located near Huntington, West Virginia, about 50 miles distant. Allegheny and Piedmont Airlines serve the Tri-State Airport. The nearest local airport is the West Liberty-Morgan County Airport, 19 miles distant, where a 2,400-foot paved runway is available.

UTILITIES:

Electricity: Grayson Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation provides electrical service to Sandy Hook and Elliott County.

Natural Gas: There is no natural gas service available at Sandy Hook.

Other Fuels: Three propane dealers are located in Sandy Hook. Two distillate fuel oil distributors are located in West Liberty, 19 miles distant, and three distributors are located in Morehead, 28 miles distant.

WATER AND SEWERAGE:

Water: The Sandy Hook Water District serves Sandy Hook and uses wells as its raw water source. The treatment plant capacity is 158,400 gpd. Average daily consumption is 50,000 gallons and peak daily consumption is 65,000 gallons. Storage capacity is 100,000 gallons.

Sewerage: A \$1,122,000 sewerage system is under construction at Sandy Hook. The treatment plant will have a design capacity of 70,000 gpd and tertiary treatment will be used. Treated effluent will be discharged in Little Sandy River.

GOVERNMENT STRUCTURE:

City: Sandy Hook is served by a mayor elected for a 4-year term and 6 councilmen elected for 2-year terms.

County: Elliott County is served by a county judge/executive and 7 magistrates elected for 4-year terms.

TAXES: Combined state and local property tax rates per \$100 valuation, 1977
(100% assessment)

| | <u>Inside City of Sandy Hook</u> | <u>Outside City</u> |
|---|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Land and buildings | \$1.100 | \$0.900 |
| 2. Mfg. machinery, raw materials, goods in process, pollution control equipment | 0.150 | 0.150 |
| 3. Finished goods, office equipment, vehicles, other tangibles | 1.235 | 1.035 |
| 4. Intangibles (accounts, notes, bonds, etc.) | 0.250 | 0.250 |

EDUCATION: One public school system operates in Elliott County. Total enrollment includes 375 high school and 1,053 elementary students. The nearest state vocational-technical school is at Paintsville, 39 miles away. An area vocational education center is located at West Liberty, 19 miles away.

COMMUNICATIONS:

Telephone: The Mountain Rural Telephone Company serves Sandy Hook.

Telegraph: Western Union offers a toll-free number to send telegrams, mailgrams and international messages.

Newspaper: The Elliott County News is a weekly publication with a circulation of 1,500.

Television: Cable service is available.

OTHER LOCAL FACILITIES:

Hospitals: The nearest hospital is the Morgan County Appalachian Regional Hospital located at West Liberty, 19 miles away. Facilities include 50 beds.

Churches: There are four churches in Sandy Hook. The denominations represented are Baptist, Church of God and Methodist.

Financial Institutions: The Peoples Bank of Sandy Hook provides banking services to Sandy Hook.

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