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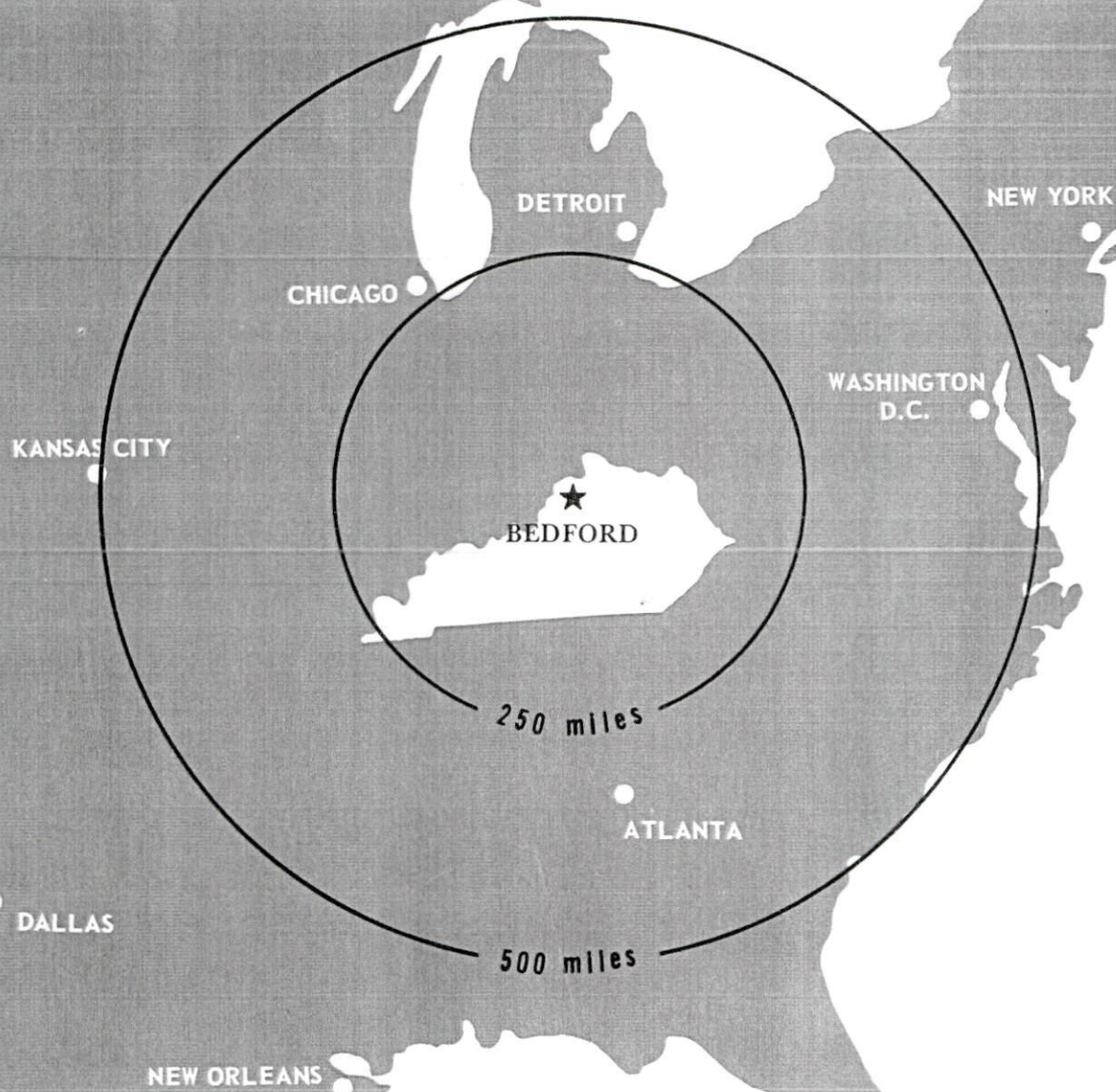
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INDUSTRIAL RESOURCES

BEDFORD & MILTON KENTUCKY



TRIMBLE COUNTY, KENTUCKY

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For more information about the following site , contact Mr. Charles Ransdell, Bedford, Kentucky; or the Kentucky Department of Commerce, Capital Plaza Office Tower, Frankfort, Kentucky.

SITE #1: ACREAGE: 28 acres
LOCATION: Adjacent to southern city limits
ZONING: Not zoned
HIGHWAY ACCESS: U. S. 42 along eastern boundary
of site
RAILROAD: Not rail served
WATER: Trimble County Water District No. 1
SIZE LINE: 6-inch line along eastern boundary
of site
GAS: Louisville Gas and Electric Company
SIZE MAIN: 4-inch main adjacent to eastern
boundary of site along east side of U. S. 42
ELECTRICITY: Kentucky Utilities Company
SEWERAGE: Municipal sewerage system not available;
package treatment plant or septic tank would be
necessary pending approval
OPTIONED BY: Trimble County Chamber of Commerce



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BEDFORD AND MILTON, KENTUCKY

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GENERAL HIGHWAY MAP TRIMBLE COUNTY KENTUCKY

PREPARED BY THE
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FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION



POLYCONIC PROJECTION

ORIGINAL DATA 1971			
REVISIONS			
DATE	BY	DATE	BY
11-73	J.R.D.		
11-73	J.R.D.		



A map showing the four counties of the Pittsburgh area: Allegheny, Westmoreland, Butler, and Lawrence. The map is a simple outline of the region, with the county names written inside their respective areas.

Shaded area denotes Labor Market Area.



BEDFORD - MILTON, KENTUCKY - A RESOURCE PROFILE

Bedford, county seat of Trimble County, is located in the central portion of the county, approximately 41 miles northeast of Louisville, Kentucky, and 68 miles southwest of Cincinnati, Ohio. In 1970, Bedford had a population of 780.

Milton is located on the southern bank of the Ohio River, 13 miles north of Bedford and south of Madison, Indiana, being separated by the Ohio River. Milton had a 1970 population of 756.

Trimble County, with a land area of 146 square miles, is located in northern Kentucky along the Ohio River. In 1970, Trimble County had a population of 5,349.

The Economic Framework

Total employment in Trimble County averaged 1,170 in 1972 with agriculture providing 520 of these jobs. Government provided 220 jobs. There has been only a slight change in manufacturing employment in Trimble County in the past decade.

Per capita personal income in the county in 1971 was \$2,620, an increase of 175.5 percent since 1961. This figure is below the Kentucky average.

In the Bedford and Milton labor market area, which includes Trimble and the three surrounding Kentucky counties, employment in 1972 totaled 11,630, with agriculture providing 2,750 of these jobs. Government provided 1,960 jobs, trade and services accounted for 1,700 while manufacturing provided 2,180 jobs. Area manufacturing employment gains since 1963 have been greatest in metal products, chemicals and allied products, primary metals, and miscellaneous manufacturing industries.

This area has a deficit of 1,414 manufacturing jobs when measured against the national manufacturing employment-population ratio. This indicates an area with a potential for additional manufacturing production.

Resources for Growth

1. There is a current estimated labor supply of 1,010 men and 1,740 women available for industrial jobs in the labor market area. By 1979, an additional 1,990 men and 1,880 women will have become 18 years of age and potentially available for industrial jobs.

2. Local transportation is adequate in and around Trimble County. U. S. Highways 42, 421, and Interstate 71 (7 miles from Bedford) serve Trimble County and the labor market area. There are three commercial truck lines authorized to serve Bedford and Milton. Rail service is available at Carrollton, 13 miles distant, and commercial air service is available at Louisville, only 41 miles from Bedford via I-71. The Ohio River constitutes the northern boundary of Trimble County and offers economical bulk transportation possibilities.

3. Energy - Natural gas is furnished to Bedford by the Louisville Gas and Electric Company, and the Ohio River Gas Company provides this service for Milton. There are four propane-butane dealers and five dealers of distillate fuel oils in the Bedford-Milton area. Electricity is supplied to Bedford and Milton by the Kentucky Utilities Company. The Kentucky Utilities Company and the Shelby RECC supply Trimble County with electricity. Raw water from the Ohio River is more than adequate for continued growth.

4. Education - One school system operates in Trimble County - the Trimble County School System.

There are six universities, six senior colleges, one community college, one junior college, and one technical institute within 80 miles of the county. A state vocational school and a vocational education center are 41 miles and 13 miles away, respectively.

Community Programs for Improvement

Bedford has added four new subdivisions and plans are underway for the resurfacing of half of the city streets.

Milton's community improvements include a new building for the fire department; a new pumper truck and a tanker; two new subdivisions; and expansion of the bank - plans are now underway for further expansion of the present facility. Milton has also leased a boat ramp, for public use, on the Ohio River.

Community improvements for both Bedford and Milton include a new Catholic Church; the Trimble County Library will be in operation by January 1, 1974; and plans for the construction of a sixty-bed personal care home are underway. The Trimble County School System has recently added two kindergarten classes, adult education classes, and a migrant worker education program. Plans are now underway for the construction of a new elementary school, to be located in Bedford; expansion of the present facilities at Milton Elementary; and the addition of correctional speech classes.

Recreation, Entertainment and Livability

Trimble County embraces some 21 miles of Ohio River shore line which provides ideal fishing and boating. A nine-hole public golf course and clubhouse are enjoyed by residents of both Bedford and Milton.

General Butler State Resort Park, near the confluence of the Ohio and Kentucky Rivers, is open all year round. Accommodations include a lodge, efficiency cottages and camping facilities for both trailers and tents. Butler State Park features a 25-acre lake, a heated lodge pool, lake swimming, beach, bathhouse, boats, paddle boats, dock, fishing, horseback riding, hiking, shuffleboard, a miniature train ride, miniature and nine-hole golf courses. For the historically oriented this park offers the Butler Mansion Museum of Ohio River lore.

Eagle Valley Recreation Center, Incorporated, provides facilities for camping, fishing, swimming, pony and go-cart riding, picnicking; and includes a trading post.

Guist Creek Lake provides facilities for: camping, boating, fishing and picnicking. Also included are a restaurant and a playground area.

Proximity to Louisville provides the area with entertainment such as: the Kentucky Derby, the Kentucky State Fair, the Louisville Zoological Gardens, Actors' Theatre, Kentucky Opera Association, Louisville Ballet, Louisville Orchestra, harness racing and basketball. There are also 20 major city parks which provide such outdoor activities as: golf, tennis, baseball, swimming, hiking and picnicking.

Madison, Indiana, located directly across the Ohio River from Milton, presents additional recreational outlets to the inhabitants of Trimble County.

THE LABOR MARKET

POPULATION TRENDS

Area	Population				Percent Change	
	1972*	1970	1960	1950	1960-70	1950-60
Bedford	N. A.	780	717	533	+ 8.8	+34.5
Milton	N. A.	756	365	N. A.	+107.1	N. A.
Labor Market Area	39,200	39,469	37,455	36,077	+ 5.4	+ 3.8
Trimble County	5,300	5,349	5,102	5,148	+ 4.8	- 0.9
Carroll County	8,500	8,523	7,978	8,517	+ 6.8	- 6.3
Henry County	11,000	10,910	10,987	11,394	- 0.7	- 3.6
Oldham County	14,400	14,687	13,388	11,018	+ 9.7	+21.5

*Provisional Estimates.

Sources: U. S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Census of Population, 1970, 1960, 1950. U. S. Bureau of the Census, Current Population Reports, Series P-26, June 1973.

GENERAL EMPLOYMENT CHARACTERISTICS, 1972

Major Employment Group	Employment	
	Trimble County	Labor Market Area
TOTAL	1,170	11,630
Agricultural	520	2,750
Nonagricultural	650	8,880
Manufacturing	28*	2,178
Government	220	1,960
Trade and Services	71	1,699
Other	331	3,043

*Kentucky Department of Commerce, 1973 Kentucky Directory of Manufacturers for counties where Economic Security data cannot be published.

Source: Kentucky Department of Economic Security, Division of Research and Statistics.

MANUFACTURING EMPLOYMENT TRENDS BY INDUSTRY
MARCH 1973 AND 1963

Industry	Trimble County			Labor Market Area		
	1973	1963	% Change	1973	1963	% Change
TOTAL	25	8	+212.5	2,416	937	+157.8
Food & Kindred						
Products	0	0	0	67	56	+ 19.6
Tobacco	0	0	0	16	17	- 5.9
Apparel, Textiles						
Leather	0	0	0	32	230	- 86.1
Lumber, Furniture	0	0	0	128	210	- 39.1
Printing & Publishing,						
Paper	5	8	+ 37.5	19	26	- 26.9
Chemicals, Petroleum						
& Coal, Rubber	18	0	--	479	74	+547.3
Stone, Clay & Glass	2	0	--	30	16	+ 87.5
Primary Metals	0	0	0	413	0	--
Machinery, Metal						
Products, Equip.	0	0	0	707	308	+129.5
Other	0	0	0	525	0	--

Source: Kentucky Department of Economic Security, Number of Workers in Manufacturing Industries Covered by Kentucky Unemployment Insurance Law Classified by Industry and County, March 1973, March 1963.

BEDFORD AND MILTON MANUFACTURING FIRMS,
THEIR PRODUCTS AND EMPLOYMENT

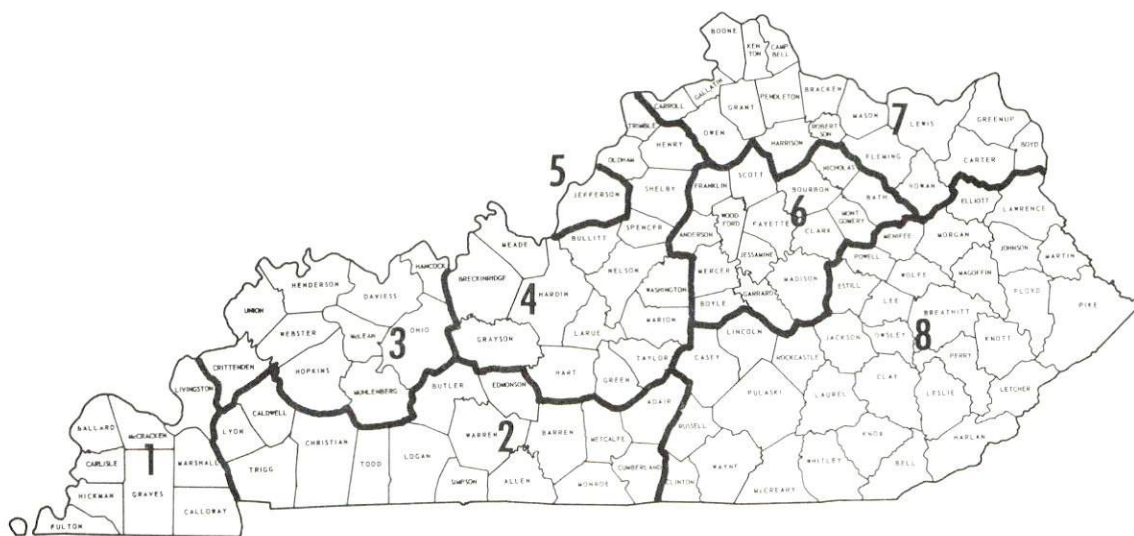
FIRM PRODUCTS AND EMPLOYMENT				
<u>Firm</u>	<u>Product</u>	<u>Employment</u>		
		<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>
<u>Bedford</u>				
Bedford Products, Inc.	Plastic injection molding	18	6	12
The Trimble Banner Democrat	Newspaper	4	2	2
<u>Milton</u>				
Fold-Away Basket Company, Inc. of Kentucky	Stamped metal parts	1	1	0
Kentuckiana Vault and Art Shop	Septic tanks, vaults	2	2	0

Source: Kentucky Department of Commerce, Research and Planning Division.

WAGES

Occupational wage rates for specific industries are usually not available to most government agencies, and wage data furnished to state employment agencies by industrial employers is protected from disclosure by federal law. The most reliable up-to-date wage information can be obtained by direct contact with local employers.

Associated Industries of Kentucky, a voluntary organization of Kentucky businesses, regularly collects occupational wage rates and fringe benefits data from participating member firms. Data is compiled for over 130 clearly defined office, production, and service occupations. Tabulations are published for eight regions of Kentucky, as shown on the map below. It should be noted that the data may be weighted by the preponderance of firms in the larger cities and may be somewhat higher than the rates paid in the smaller communities. Data from these tabulations are available, upon request, from the Kentucky Department of Commerce, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.



Associated Industries of Kentucky Area Wage Surveys

LABOR ORGANIZATIONS

Presently, there are no unions representing manufacturing workers at Bedford and Milton.

ESTIMATED MALE LABOR SUPPLY BEDFORD AND MILTON LABOR MARKET AREA

Area	Current				Future
	Total	Not in Labor Force	Unemployed	Under-employed	Reaching 18 Yrs. of Age by 1979
Labor Market					
Area	1,010	40	350	620	1,992
Trimble	110	0	30	80	273
Carroll	310	40	170	100	466
Henry	230	0	90	140	499
Oldham	360	0	60	300	754

Sources: Kentucky Department of Economic Security, Kentucky Labor Supply Estimates by County, 1973. Kentucky Department of Commerce, Future Labor Supply by 1979.

ESTIMATED FEMALE LABOR SUPPLY BEDFORD AND MILTON LABOR MARKET AREA

Area	Current				Future
	Total	Not in Labor Force	Unemployed	Under-employed	Reaching 18 Yrs. of Age by 1979
Labor Market					
Area	1,740	850	220	670	1,878
Trimble	400	320	10	70	269
Carroll	450	160	120	170	385
Henry	390	170	50	170	472
Oldham	500	200	40	260	752

Sources: Kentucky Department of Economic Security, Kentucky Labor Supply Estimates by County, 1973. Kentucky Department of Commerce, Future Labor Supply by 1979.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

Area	1971	1961	% Change
Trimble County	\$2,620	\$ 951	175.5
Labor Market Area Range	\$2,620 to 3,153	\$951 to 1,538	N.A.
Kentucky	3,310	1,677	97.3
U. S.	4,164	2,265	83.8

Sources: University of Kentucky, Office of Development Services and Business Research, Per Capita Income in Kentucky. U. S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, Survey of Current Business, August, 1973.

TRANSPORTATION

Rail

Line serving Bedford and Milton - The nearest railroad is the Carrollton Railroad (a subsidiary of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad), located in Carrollton, 13 miles northeast of Bedford.

Services - Three northbound freights and three southbound freights per week, team track and switching facilities are also available. Piggy-back facilities are available approximately 55 miles distant at either Louisville, Kentucky, or Cincinnati, Ohio.

For details on routing, schedules, rates, and services, contact:

General Manager
Carrollton Railroad
Fifth Street
Carrollton, Kentucky

Truck Service

Company

Lee Way Motor Express, Inc.
O. K. Trucking Service
O'Nan Transportation Company

Home Office

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
Cincinnati, Ohio
Carrollton, Kentucky

Other Freight Services

United Parcel Service*

Nearest Shipping Center

Louisville, 41 miles distant

*For regular scheduled pickups or for occasional pickups, arrangements must be made with the Louisville office of U. P. S.

HIGHWAY MILES AND TRUCK TRANSIT TIME IN DAYS FROM
BEDFORD, KENTUCKY, TO SELECTED MARKET CENTERS

City	Highway Miles	Delivery		City	Highway Miles	Delivery	
		Time TL				Time TL	
Atlanta, Ga.	473	2		Los Angeles, Calif.	2,148	4	
Birmingham, Ala.	407	2		Louisville, Ky.	41	1	
Chicago, Ill.	342	2		Nashville, Tenn.	221	2	
Cincinnati, Ohio	68	1		New Orleans, La.	751	4	
Cleveland, Ohio	314	2		New York, N. Y.	810	3	
Detroit, Mich.	334	2		Pittsburgh, Pa.	435	2	
Knoxville, Tenn.	241	2		St. Louis, Mo.	305	2	

Source: Delivery time only - O'Nan Transportation Company, P. O. Box 308, Carrollton, Kentucky 41008.

Air

Nearest Commercial

Standiford Field

Location: Louisville, Kentucky, 41 miles distant

Runways: 3 paved

Length: 7,800 feet, 5,000 feet, 7,250 feet

Traffic

Control: Control tower, approach control, ground control, guards, radar service: departure control

Lighting: Runways, obstructions, beacon and approach and touchdown lights, center line on runways 1-19

Services: Louisville-Jefferson County Air Board; 80, 100, 115 jet fuel, storage, major A & E repairs; TWA, American, Eastern, Delta, Piedmont, Ozark and Allegheny Airlines; Hertz, Avis, and National rent-a-car service, restaurant, taxi and city bus service, Budget Rent-A-Car service, Weather Bureau

Air Freight

Service: Freight-carrying airlines regularly service this terminal

Bus

Greyhound Bus Lines pass through Bedford and Milton.

POWER AND FUEL

Electricity

Company serving Bedford and Milton - Kentucky Utilities Company

Source of power - Kentucky Utilities Company

Total generating capacity - 1,215,000 KW

For industrial rates contact:

Kentucky Utilities Company
11th Street
Carrollton, Kentucky 41008

Company serving Trimble County - Shelby Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation

Source of power - East Kentucky Power Cooperative

Total generating capacity - 548,000 KW

For industrial rates contact:

Shelby Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation
P. O. Box 311
Shelbyville, Kentucky 40065

Natural Gas

Company serving Bedford - Louisville Gas and Electric Company

Source of supply - Texas Gas Transmission Corporation

Size of transmission mains - (2) 30-inch (supplier); 4-inch (distributor)

Distribution mains - 2 and 4 inches

Distribution pressure - 35 psi

Btu content - 1,000 per cubic foot

Specific gravity - 0.6

For rates and supplies contact:

Sales Department
Louisville Gas and Electric Company
311 West Chestnut Street
Louisville, Kentucky 40202

Company serving Milton - Ohio River Gas Company
Source of supply - Ohio River Pipeline Corporation
Size of transmission mains - 6-inch (supplier); 5-inch (distributor)
Distribution mains - 2-inch
Distribution pressure - up to 75 psi
Btu content - 1,007 per cubic foot
Specific gravity - 0.592
For rates and supplies contact:

Marketing and Gas Supply
Ohio River Gas Company, Inc.
1630 North Meridian Street
Indianapolis, Indiana 46202

Other Fuels

Propane and butane -

Ashland Petroleum Company (bulk plant), Warsaw, Kentucky
Bonnie's Blue Flame, 412 East Second, Madison, Indiana
Payton's Plumbing & Heating (Doxol), Highway 42, Carrollton, Kentucky
Clem Gas Service, Bedford, Kentucky

Fuel oils

Distillate fuel oil -

Dorten Oil Co. (Gulf), Worthville Road, Carrollton, Kentucky
WPB Oil Co. (Shell), Worthville Road, Carrollton, Kentucky
Standard Oil Co., Worthville Road, Carrollton, Kentucky
L. D. Chapman, Agent (Standard), 601 Park Avenue, Carrollton, Kentucky
Wheeler Oil Service, Bedford, Kentucky

Residual fuel oil - arrangements must be made with the refinery

Low sulphur content coal - available from Eastern Kentucky

WATER AND SEWERAGE

Water

Water district serving Bedford - Trimble County Water District #1

Source - Two wells on Ohio River

Treatment plant capacity - 244,800 gpd

Average daily consumption - 42,000 gallons

Peak daily consumption - 50,000 gallons

Type treatment - chlorination

Storage capacity - 107,000 gallons

Size lines - 2, 4, and 6 inches

Average pressure - 54 psi

MONTHLY WATER RATES FOR WHOLESALE AND INDUSTRIAL CONSUMERS

First	1,000 gallons	\$3.50 (Minimum)
Next	2,000 gallons	2.50 per M gallons
Next	3,000 gallons	1.50 per M gallons
Next	6,000 gallons	1.00 per M gallons
All over	12,000 gallons	.75 per M gallons

Tap-on Charge - \$150.00

Company serving Milton - Milton Municipal Water Company

Source - Two sand wells

Treatment plant capacity - 360,000 gpd

Average daily consumption - 120,000 gallons

Peak daily consumption - 135,000 gallons

Type treatment - Chlorination

Storage capacity - 66,000 gallons

Size lines - 6, 4, and 3 inches

Average pressure - 60 psi

Average temperature - 55° F.

MONTHLY WATER RATES FOR WHOLESALE AND INDUSTRIAL CONSUMERS

First	3,500 gallons	\$4.50 (Minimum)
Next	2,500 gallons	1.00 per M gallons
Next	4,000 gallons	.75 per M gallons
All over	10,000 gallons	.50 per M gallons

Tap-on Charge - \$150.00

Surface water sources - Ohio River

Average discharge - Ohio River at Louisville 110, 900 cfs (43 years,
(USGS)

Expected ground water yield - 500 to 1,000 gpm along Ohio River;
remainder of county 5 gpm or less

Sewerage

Septic tanks are utilized in both Bedford and Milton.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

City

Bedford

Structure - Board of Trustees - Chairman and 4 members - 2-year terms
Budget 1973 - General Fund \$10,000 (estimated)
Fees and licenses - Business licenses - from \$2.50 to \$200 annually

Milton

Structure - Board of Trustees - Chairman and 4 members - 2-year terms
Budget 1973 - General Fund \$7,867; Water Fund \$27,335
Fees and licenses - Business licenses - \$10 and \$15 annually; unloading
licenses - from \$5 to \$20 annually

County

Structure - County Judge - 4-year term; 4 magistrates - 4-year terms
Budget 1973-74 - General Fund \$69,386; Road Fund \$69,373

Assessed Value of Property, 1973

<u>Classes of Property</u>	<u>Bedford</u>	<u>Milton</u>	<u>Trimble County</u>
Real Estate and Tangibles		\$2,325,075	
Real Estate	\$2,343,038		\$33,557,145
Tangibles	488,988		5,367,890
Public Service	260,000 (est.)	183,254	5,386,887

Property Taxes

Land and buildings are taxed by the state and may be taxed by local jurisdictions. The state rate is \$0.015 per \$100 of assessed valuation.

Tangible personal property owned by manufacturers (automobiles, trucks, finished goods, office furniture, office equipment) is taxed by the state at \$0.15 per \$100 and may be taxed by local jurisdictions

Manufacturing machinery, raw materials inventories, and goods in process inventories are not subject to local taxation. The state rate is \$0.15 per \$100.

Property stored in public warehouses is not subject to local taxation. The state rate is only \$0.015 per \$100.

All property is assessed at 100 percent of fair cash value.

Local Property Tax Rate Per \$100 of Assessed Valuation, 1973*

<u>Taxing Jurisdiction</u>	<u>Bedford</u>	<u>Milton</u>	<u>Trimble County</u>
County	\$.178	\$.178	\$.178
School**	.622	.622	.622
City	.200	.195	

Utilities Gross Receipts Tax for Schools

Trimble County levies a 3 percent tax on utilities receipts for schools. This tax is paid by all consumers of utilities. Exempted are receipts from utilities services that are resold and the receipts from the sale of energy or energy producing fuels that exceed 3 percent of the cost of production in manufacturing, processing, mining or refining.

Planning and Zoning

Mandatory state codes enforced - Plumbing, National Fire Protection Association Code, National Building Code (for major buildings and residential construction containing more than 12 bedrooms per building)

Safety

<u>Police</u>	<u>Bedford</u>	<u>Milton</u>	<u>Trimble County</u>
Total staff	Town marshal	2	1
Radio-patrol cars	1		1

Fire

American Insurance Association Fire Rating	7	
Volunteers	25	18
Equipment:		
1,000 gpm pumper		1
750 gpm pumpers	1	1
500 gpm pumper	1	
portable pumps	2	
1,100-gallon tanker	1	
tanker		1

Ambulance Service

Type service	Private	Private
Equipment:		
ambulances	2	2

*Kentucky Department of Revenue, Kentucky Property Tax Rates, 1973.

**Kentucky Department of Education.

Sanitation

	<u>Bedford</u>	<u>Milton</u>	<u>Trimble County</u>
Type service	municipal	municipal	private
Fee charged:			
residential	none	none	contract
business	none	none	contract
Collection frequency:			
residential	weekly	weekly	when desired
business	weekly	weekly	when desired
Trash pickup	weekly	weekly	when desired
Disposal method	landfill	landfill	landfill

EDUCATION

Public Schools

	<u>Trimble County</u>
Total Enrollment (Fall 1973)	1,270
Elementary	560
Middle School	350
High School	360
Student-Teacher Ratio	20 - 1
Elementary	20 - 1
Middle School	27 - 1
High School	17 - 1
Percent High School Graduates to College	15.9
Expenditures Per Pupil (1971-72)	\$525
Bonded Indebtedness, June 30, 1972	\$1,249,000

Vocational Schools

	<u>Nearest State School</u>	<u>Nearest Area Education Center</u>
	Jefferson County State Vocational-Technical School	Carroll County Area Vocational Education Center
Location	Jeffersontown, Kentucky	Carrollton, Kentucky
Miles Distant	41	13
Curriculum	Mechanics, Horticulture Data Processing Clerical, Secretarial Marketing and Distributive Education Dental Assistant Practical Nursing Learning Lab, Drafting Electronics (Communications) Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Auto Body Repair Auto Mechanics, Welding Commercial Foods Machine Shop, Printing Office Machine Repair Radio and TV Repair	Clerical Secretarial Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Auto Mechanics Carpentry Electricity Welding

Arrangements can be made to provide training in the specific production skills required by an industrial plant. Instruction may be conducted either in the vocational school or in the industrial plant, depending upon the desired arrangement and the availability of special equipment.

Colleges and Universities

<u>Name</u>	<u>Area - Within 80 Miles</u>		<u>Highest Degree Conferred</u>
	<u>Location</u>	<u>Enrollment (Fall, 1972)</u>	
University of Louisville	Louisville	10, 883	Ph. D. , M. D. , D. M. D. , J. D.
Bellarmino-Ursuline College	Louisville	1, 530	Baccalaureate
Spaulding College	Louisville	1, 048	Masters
Kentucky State University	Frankfort	1, 961	Masters
Northern Kentucky State College	Covington	4, 099	Baccalaureate
Georgetown College	Georgetown	1, 243	Masters
Thomas More College	Ft. Mitchell	1, 589	Baccalaureate
University of Kentucky	Lexington	19, 538	Ph. D. , M. D. , D. M. D. , J. D.
Transylvania University	Lexington	726	Masters
Jeffersontown Community College	Louisville	4, 238	Associate
Southwest Campus	Louisville	242	Associate
Lexington Technical Institute	Lexington	*	Associate
Midway Junior College	Midway	252	Associate
Hanover College	Hanover, Ind.	1, 011	Baccalaureate
University of Cincinnati	Cincinnati, O.	31, 755	M. D. , Ph. D. , J. D.
Xavier University	Cincinnati, O.	5, 964	A. B. , B. S. , M. A. , M. S.

*Included in enrollment of University of Kentucky.

HEALTH

Hospitals

<u>General Hospital</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Beds</u>
Carroll County Memorial Hospital	Carrollton, 13 miles	80

General hospital facilities - Operating room, recovery room, emergency room, X-ray, laboratory, OB section, nursery, blood bank, physical therapy, electrocardiography, cardiac monitors, respiratory therapy, and skilled nurse facility for long-term care

Medical staff - 5 doctors, 16 registered nurses, 8 graduate licensed nurses

Public Health

Facility - Trimble County Health Department

Staff - Nurse, clerk, sanitarian (part-time)

Budget 1973-74 - \$28,449

OTHER LOCAL FACILITIES

Communications

<u>Bedford</u>	<u>Milton</u>
Telephone - South Central Bell Services - Standard	South Central Bell Standard
Telegraph - Western Union Services - Phone to Carrollton	Western Union Phone to Carrollton
Postal - U. S. Post Office Class - Second Mail received - Once daily Mail dispatched - Once daily	Second Once daily Once daily
Newspapers - Trimble Banner Democrat Weekly and circulation - 1,980 Other papers received from - Louisville, Kentucky; Madison, Indiana	Louisville, Kentucky; Madison, Indiana
Radio - Stations received from - Carrollton, Eminence and Louisville, Kentucky; Madison, Indiana	Carrollton, Eminence and Louisville, Kentucky; Madison, Indiana
Television - Reception from - Louisville, Kentucky; Cincinnati, Ohio; Indianapolis, Indiana Kentucky Educational Television - Owenton transmitter, Channel 52	Louisville, Kentucky; Cincinnati, Ohio; Indianapolis, Indiana Owenton transmitter, Channel 52

Library Services

Public library - Trimble County Library, located in Bedford, will be operational by January, 1974.

Religious Institutions

Bedford and Milton

Number of churches - 13
Denominations - Baptist, Catholic, Christian, Lutheran, Methodist,
Pentecostal, Wesleyan Methodist

Nearest synagogues - Louisville, Kentucky, 41 miles
 Congregations - Adath Israel (reform); Adath Jeshurun (conservative);
 Anshèi Sfard (orthodox); Brith Sholom (reform); Keneseth Israel
 (orthodox)

Financial Institutions

<u>Banks</u>	<u>Statement as of June 30, 1973</u>	
	<u>Assets</u>	<u>Deposits</u>
Bedford Loan and Deposit Bank	\$5,223,249.79	\$4,636,982.99
The Farmers Bank of Milton	7,783,285.39	6,994,046.12

Hotels and Motels

Total number - 1
 Units - 8

Clubs and Organizations

Bedford and Milton

Business and Civic - Lions, Rotary, Trimble County Chamber of
 Commerce, Junior Chamber of Commerce

Fraternal - Masonic Lodge, IOOF, American Legion, VFW

Women's - Eastern Star, Homemakers, Woman's Club, Younger
 Woman's Club, Bykota, Rebekahs

Youth - Little League, 4-H, FFA, FHA, Rainbow Girls, Demolay

Other - Trimble County Saddle Club

RECREATION

Local

	<u>Bedford</u>	<u>Milton</u>
Public Recreation Facilities		
Park -	1	
Playgrounds -	2	1
Golf course -	1	
Tennis court -	1	
Baseball diamonds -	1	1
Football fields -	1	1
Other -	Sanctioned Motor- cross motorcycle races	Boat ramp on the Ohio River Auto racing
	Steeplechase horse racing	
Tourist Attractions		
The Rogers House		
Historic jail (constructed in 1837)		
Richwood Plantation (Home of the Kentucky Arabian Horse Association)		

Area (Within 45 miles of Bedford and Milton)

General Butler State Resort Park
 Eagle Valley Recreation Center, Inc.
 Guist Creek Lake
 Louisville - Offers numerous cultural, recreational, and sports events

AGRICULTURE - NATURAL RESOURCES - CLIMATE

Agriculture*

	<u>Trimble County</u>	<u>Labor Market Area</u>
Total land area (acres)	93,504	479,424
Percent of area in farm land	82.0	87.8
Number of farms	616	2,868
Average size of farms (acres)	124.4	146.8
1969 value of all farm products	\$3,962,074	\$25,523,587
Value per farm	6,431	8,899
Total crop sales	2,589,051	13,103,455
Total livestock & livestock products	1,365,651	12,377,624
1972 agricultural production included:		
Burley tobacco (lbs.)**	3,611,000	17,865,000
Corn (bu.)	228,800	1,723,800
Cattle and calves (number)	10,600	86,700
Hogs and pigs (number)***	4,200	27,900
Milk production, 1971 (lbs.)	13,140,000	135,720,000
Peaches, 1969 (lbs.)	871,805	991,907

Natural Resources

Principal mineral resources	Sand and gravel
Other mineral resources	Limestone and clay
Acres of commercial forest land	34,300
Most abundant tree species	White oak, red oak, hickory, ash, yellow poplar, hard maple, black walnut

*U. S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Census of Agriculture, 1969. U. S. Department of Agriculture and Kentucky Department of Agriculture, Kentucky Agricultural Statistics, 1972.

**Estimated.

***Preliminary.

Climate*

Trimble County

Temperature

Annual mean (30-year record)	55.7 degrees
Average annual 1972	55.9 degrees
Record highest, July, 1966** (12-year record)	101.0 degrees
Record lowest, January, 1963 (12-year record)	-20.0 degrees
Normal heating degree days (30-year record)	4,660
(Heating degree day totals are the sums of negative departures of average daily temperatures from 65° F.)	

Precipitation

Mean annual total (30-year record)	41.32 inches
Mean annual snow and sleet (25-year record)	18.30 inches
Total precipitation 1972	49.38 inches
Mean number days precipitation (.01 inch or more) (25-year record)	123
Average number days thunderstorms (25-year record)	44

Prevailing winds (15-year record) South

*U. S. Department of Commerce, Environmental Science Services
Administration, Climatological Data, 1972. Station of Record:
Louisville, Kentucky.

**Also on earlier dates, months, or years.

HISTORY

Trimble County lies in the northern part of Kentucky, wedged into a coil of the Ohio River facing Indiana. Little Kentucky River flows northward through its eastern portion and empties into the Ohio in neighboring Carroll County. The land surface is rolling and the soil fertile in the valleys of the Ohio, and the uplands are hilly and broken. An escarpment which extends along the western and northern sides of the county is steep and treacherous but very scenic. Large tracts of the county's 146 square miles are forested.

In 1836 Trimble became Kentucky's eighty-sixth county, named in honor of Robert Trimble, a distinguished Kentucky jurist, who was appointed to the U. S. Supreme Court by John Quincy Adams. The area was first settled in the late 1700's by several Virginia families, among whose names were Knight, McHenry, Winlock, Gwyer and Standiford.

Bedford, the county seat, is located near the center of the county and was incorporated in 1816.

Milton, lying in the northern part of the county, is one of the oldest towns on the Ohio. Lookout Point on Milton Hill affords a sweeping view of the Ohio River Valley. Across the river from Milton is Madison, Indiana which has served as a commercial outlet for Trimble County since its connection with a railroad line. Trimble County has never had a railroad and was virtually isolated from Kentucky until 1927, when U. S. Highways 42 and 421 were constructed. Preston House, a Greek revival structure built in the northern part of the county by Colonel John Preston, was the legendary last stop of Little Eva of Uncle Tom's Cabin on her underground railroad flight to freedom.

In 1840, four years after its founding, Trimble County had a population of 4,480. This slowly grew to 5,148 in 1950, followed by a slight decline to 5,102 in 1960. By 1970 the population was back up to 5,349.

Trimble County has primarily an agricultural economy. Agriculture accounted for 520 of the county's 1,170 employed in 1972, with burley tobacco, corn, cattle and pigs the principal farm products. Presently there are four manufacturing companies in Trimble County: Bedford Products, Inc., Fold-Away Basket Company, Inc., The Trimble Banner Democrat, and Kentuckiana Vault and Art Shop.

Interstate Highway 71 crosses the eastern corner of the county, providing excellent access to Louisville and Cincinnati.