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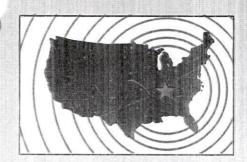
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MORGANTOWN

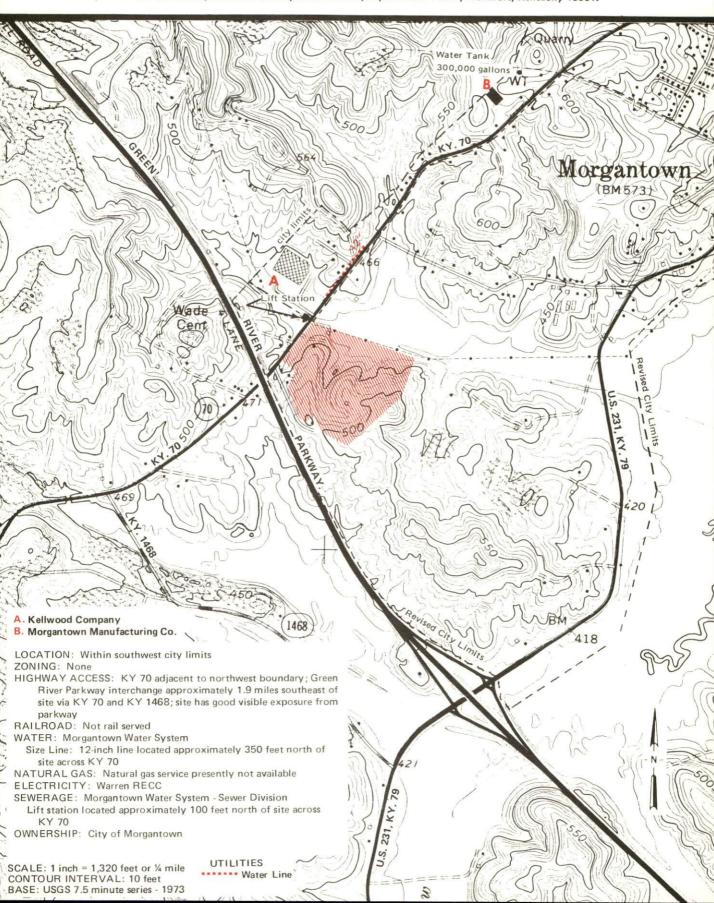




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MORGANTOWN, KENTUCKY --- Site No. 180 --- 50 Acres

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INDUSTRIAL RESOURCES
MORGANTOWN, KENTUCKY

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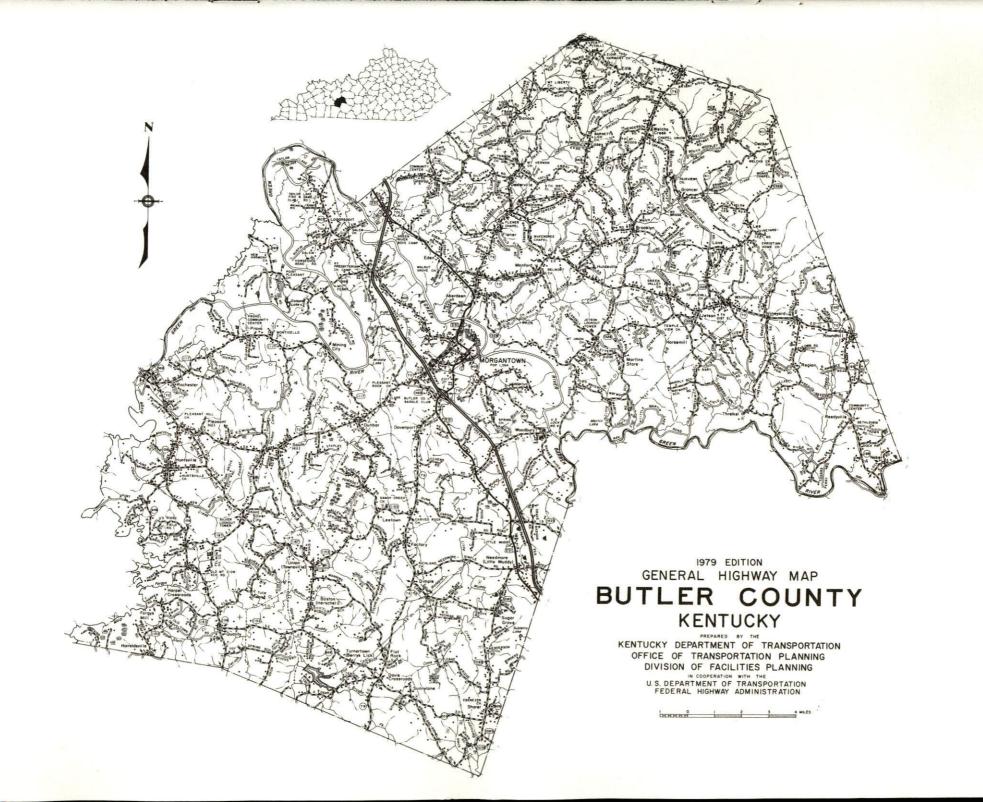
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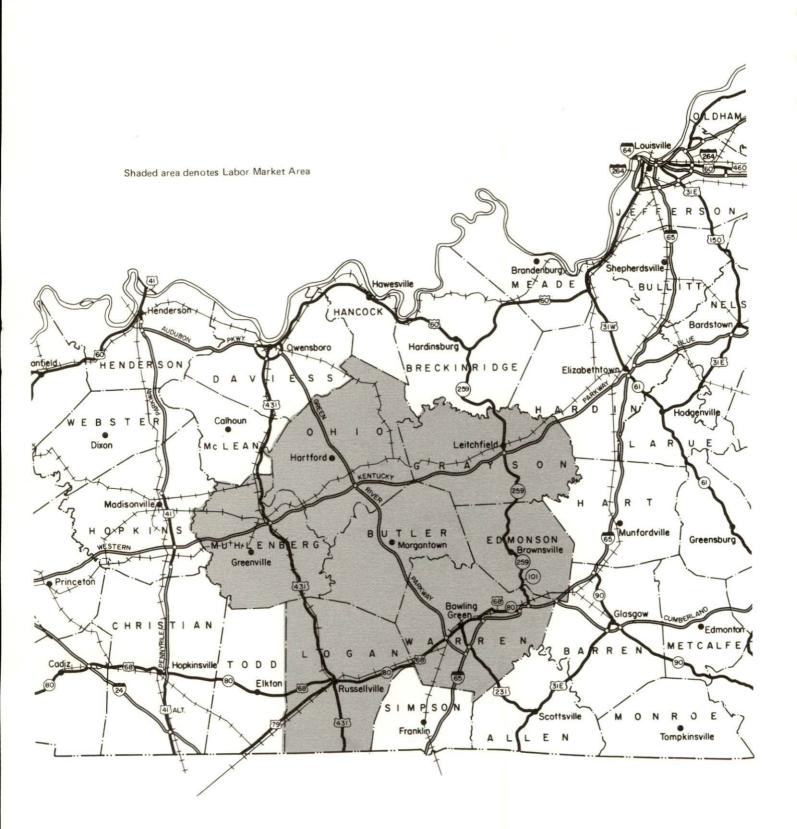
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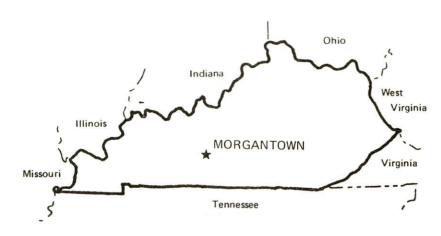


MORGANTOWN LABOR MARKET AREA With MAJOR HIGHWAY & RAILROAD SYSTEM



SUMMARY OF INDUSTRIAL RESOURCES MORGANTOWN, KENTUCKY

LOCATION



Road Distance in Miles:

| $\begin{array}{cccc} \text{Atlanta} & & \underline{327} & & \text{Baltimore} \\ \text{Chicago} & & \underline{379} & & \text{Detroit} \\ \text{New York} & & \underline{861} & & \text{St. Louis} \\ \end{array}$ | 699 480 257 |
|---|-------------------|
|---|-------------------|

POPULATION

| City of Morgantown, 1977 | 1,360 |
|---|---------|
| Butler County, 1978 | 10,600 |
| Labor Market Area, 1978 | 180,200 |
| % Nonwhite, Butler County, 1978 | 0.6 |
| , | 0.0 |

LABOR ANALYSIS

Labor Market Area - <u>Butler</u>, <u>Edmonson</u>, <u>Grayson</u>, <u>Logan</u>, <u>Muhlenberg</u>, <u>Ohio</u> and <u>Warren</u> Counties

Estimated available workers from labor market area, 1978:

| Male | 6,922 | Female | 6,288 |
|--|---|---|-----------------------|
| Unemployment rate, | 1978 | Labor Market Area | 4.9% |
| Butler County Edmonson County Grayson County Logan County | $\frac{6.2\%}{9.2\%}$ $\frac{6.0\%}{4.7\%}$ | Muhlenberg County Ohio County Warren County | $\frac{5.4\%}{4.1\%}$ |

Total employment, Butler County, $1978 - \frac{3,747}{\text{area}}$ Manufacturing employment in labor market area, $1978 - \frac{16,293}{\text{area}}$

Major local manufacturing plants:

| Name | Employment |
|---|-------------------|
| Kane Industries, Inc. #3 Kellwood Company | $\frac{225}{343}$ |

Labor unions in local manufacturing plants:

None

INDUSTRIAL SERVICES

| | Location | Miles Distant |
|--|---|----------------------------|
| Tool & Die, Machine & Pattern Shops Metal Service Centers Heat Treating Metal Finishers Electric Motor Repair | Bowling Green, Kentucky Bowling Green, Kentucky Nashville, Tennessee Hartford, Kentucky Bowling Green, Kentucky | 25 25 85 22 25 |

TRANSPORTATION

Rail:

Nearest rail service - Louisville and Nashville Railroad at Bowling
Green, 25 miles to the southeast, and Illinois Central Gulf Railroad
at Beaver Dam, 18 miles to the northwest
Distance to nearest piggyback - 25 miles

Highways:

Nearest Interstate - <u>I-65, 28 miles southwest</u> Parkway - <u>Green River Parkway</u> -U.S. Highway - <u>U.S. 231</u>

Truck:

Number of interstate motor carriers - $\underline{6}$; Local terminals - $\underline{0}$

Air:

Nearest scheduled airline service - <u>Nashville Metropolitan Airport</u>
Distance - <u>91 miles</u>; Airlines serving - <u>American, Braniff, Delta</u>,

<u>Eastern, Ozark, Piedmont, Southern, TWA and USAir plus five commuter</u>
air carriers

Nearest local airport - Morgantown Municipal Airport Distance - 2 miles; Runway length - 2,750 feet

Water:

Nearest navigable river - <u>Green River</u> Nearest public port - <u>Owensboro</u>; <u>Distance</u> - 48 miles

UTILITIES AND SERVICES

Electricity:

Local distributor - Warren RECC Source of power - Tennessee Valley Authority

Natural Gas:

Local distributor - <u>Morgantown Gas System</u> Source of supply - <u>Midwestern Gas Transmission Company</u> Available for new industry - No

Other Fuels:

Number of area propane distributors - $\frac{2}{100}$ Number of area distillate fuel oil distributors - 7

Water, treated:

Local supplier - Municipal Excess municipal system capacity - 72,000 gpd Storage capacity - 450,000 gallons Expansions planned - Yes

Water, raw:

Source for industrial use - Green River

Sewer:

Excess treatment capacity - $\underline{\text{None}}$ Planned expansions - Yes

CLIMATE

Temperature, Normal - $\underline{56.0}$ degrees F. Precipitation, Normal - $\underline{41.88}$ inches Snowfall, Mean Annual - $\underline{13.9}$ inches Prevailing winds - \underline{South} -southwest Relative humidity (%) - 6 a.m. $\underline{81}$; 6 p.m. $\underline{62}$

GOVERNMENT

Type - Mayor-City Council Police personnel - full-time - $\frac{4}{5}$ Fire department personnel - volunteer - $\frac{23}{5}$ Fire insurance rating (A.I.A.), class - Inside city - $\frac{7}{10}$ Outside city - $\frac{10}{5}$

TAXES

Property taxes:

Combined state and local rates per \$100 valuation, 1979 (100% assessment)

| | | side City Morgantown | Outside City |
|----|--|-------------------------|-----------------|
| 1. | Land and buildings | \$0.857 | \$0.607 |
| 2. | Mfg. machinery, raw materials, | | |
| | goods in process, pollution control equipment | 0.150 | 0.150 |
| 3. | Finished goods, office equip- ment, vehicles, other tangibles | 1.028 | 0.778 |
| 4. | Intangibles (accounts receivable, notes, bonds, etc.) | 0.250 | 0.250 |
| 5. | Leaseholds in I.R. bond financed plants | 0.015 | 0.015 |

Special local taxes:

Net profits tax - $\frac{0\text{ne percent}}{0\text{ne percent}}$ Utilities tax - $\frac{3\%}{0\text{ne percent}}$ of electric, gas, water, sewer, telephone services

EDUCATION

Nearest state vocational-technical school - Bowling Green State
Vocational-Technical School at Bowling Green, 25 miles away
Nearest area vocational education center - Russellville Area
Vocational Education Center at Russellville, 31 miles away
Nearest college or university - Western Kentucky University at
Bowling Green, 25 miles away

Public Schools:

High school enrollment - $\underline{668}$; Student/teacher ratio - $\underline{20-1}$ Elementary school enrollment - $\underline{1,638}$; Student/teacher ratio - $\underline{19-1}$

MEDICAL

Number of physicians locally - 2; Number of dentists locally - 2 Hospitals - Bowling Green-Warren County Hospital and Greenview Hospital at Bowling Green, 25 miles away; Total number of beds - 455

COMMUNICATIONS

Local newspaper - The Green River Republican - Weekly
Local radio station - WLBQ-AM
Television reception - Bowling Green, Louisville and Paducah, Kentucky;
Evansville, Indiana; Nashville, Tennessee

RELIGIOUS FACILITIES

Churches - 10; Synagogues - Owensboro, 48 miles away

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Banks - 2; Total assets - \$40,888,797.33

PUBLIC LODGING

Excellent accommodations are located at Bowling Green, 25 miles from Morgantown

RECREATION FACILITIES

Swimming pool; Tennis courts; Baseball diamond; Football field; Playground;
Picnic area; Youth center

Nearest state resort park - Rough River Dam State Resort Park

<u>Camping</u>; <u>Swimming</u>; <u>Fishing</u>; <u>Water skiing</u>; <u>Boating</u>; <u>Lodgings</u>; <u>Dining</u>

<u>facility</u>; <u>Open year round</u>

THE LABOR MARKET AREA

POPULATION

| Area | 1978* | 1970 | Percent Nonwhite** |
|--|---|--|--|
| Morgantown Labor Market Area Butler County Edmonson County Grayson County Logan County Muhlenberg County Ohio County Warren County | 1,360** 180,200 10,600 9,500 19,500 22,300 32,000 21,900 64,400 | 1,394 160,923 9,723 8,751 16,445 21,793 27,537 18,790 57,884 | 3.1 N/A 0.6 2.9 0.8 11.4 4.2 1.3 9.0 |

*Provisional Estimates.

**1977 Population Estimates; 1970 Percent Nonwhite for city; 1978 Percent Nonwhite for counties.

Sources: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Census of Population, 1970. U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Current Population Reports, Series P-25, No. 830, October 1979; Series P-26, No 78-17, August 1979. University of Louisville, Urban Studies Center, Population Research Unit, "Kentucky's Population Disaggregations of 1978 Estimates," January 1980.

LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS OF RESIDENTS, 1978

| | Butler County | Labor Market Area |
|---------------------------------|---------------|-------------------|
| Civilian Labor Force | 3,994 | 87,105 |
| Employment | 3,747 | 82,852 |
| Agricultural Nonagricultural | 416 3,331 | 5,353 77,499 |
| Unemployment | 247 | 4,253 |
| Rate of Unemployment (%) | 6.2 | 4.9 |

Source: Kentucky Department for Human Resources, Kentucky Labor Force Estimates, Annual Averages, 1978.

MORGANTOWN MANUFACTURING FIRMS, THEIR PRODUCTS AND EMPLOYMENT

| 5: /5 | | E | mploym | ent |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------|--------|--------|
| Firm (Establishment date) | Product | <u>Total</u> | Male | Female |
| B & R Lumber Company, Inc. (1959) | Pallet crating | | | |
| | lumber | 44 | 42 | 2 |
| Coleman Homes, Inc. (1968) | Sectional homes | 71 | 70 | 1 |
| Green River Republican (1885) | Newspaper, | | | |
| | job printing | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Kane Industries, Inc. #3 | | | | |
| (1953) | Men's and boys' | | | |
| Valley of Company (1967) | sport and suit coats | 225 | 25 | 200 |
| Kellwood Company (1967) | All weather coats, rainwear, | | | |
| Mongantown Food Mill (1055) | ladies' blazers | 343 | 81 | 262 |
| Morgantown Feed Mill (1955) | Feed, fertilizer | 13 | 11 | 2 |
| Morgantown Manufacturing | | | | |
| Company (1973) | Auto parts | 19 | 14 | 5 |
| Rone & McGuyer, Inc. (1965) | Pallets, lumber | 45 | 45 | 0 |

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

LABOR ORGANIZATIONS

INDUSTRIAL SERVICES

| | Location | Miles Distant |
|---|---|------------------|
| Tool & Die, Machine & Pattern Shops | Bowling Green, Kentucky | 25 |
| Metal Service Centers | Bowling Green, Kentucky | 25 |
| Heat Treating | Nashville, Tennessee | 85 |
| Metal Finishers | Hartford, Kentucky | 22 |
| Electric Motor Repair Source: Kentucky Directory of | Bowling Green, Kentucky Selected Industrial Services, 19 | 25 |

ESTIMATED MALE LABOR SUPPLY MORGANTOWN LABOR MARKET AREA

| | - 1 | TORGANTOWN LA | TOOK THINKE | 7111271 | |
|--------------|---------|---------------|-------------|----------|--------------------|
| | Current | | | Future | |
| | | Not in | | Under- | |
| Area | Total | Labor Force | Unemployed | employed | of age before 1986 |
| | | | | | |
| Labor Market | | | | | |
| Area | 6,922 | 1,229 | 2,063 | 3,630 | 6,908 |
| Butler | 411 | 79 | 122 | 210 | 421 |
| Edmonson | 356 | 70 | 166 | 120 | 375 |
| Grayson | 744 | 140 | 274 | 330 | 730 |
| Logan | 713 | 154 | 239 | 320 | 992 |
| Muhlenberg | 914 | 217 | 337 | 360 | 1,212 |
| Ohio | 701 | 155 | 246 | 300 | 821 |
| Warren | 3,083 | 414 | 679 | 1,990 | 2,357 |

Sources: Kentucky Department for Human Resources, Kentucky Labor Supply Estimates by County, 1978. Kentucky Department of Commerce, Future Labor Supply Before 1986.

ESTIMATED FEMALE LABOR SUPPLY MORGANTOWN LABOR MARKET AREA

| | M | JRGANTOWN LA | ABUK MAKKET | AKCA | |
|--------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| | | (| Current | | Future |
| | | Not in | | Under- | Reaching 18 years |
| Area | <u>Total</u> | Labor Force | <u>Unemployed</u> | <u>employed</u> | of age before 1986 |
| Labor Market | 6,288 | 518 | 2,190 | 3,580 | 6,744 |
| Area Butler | 357 | 32 | 125 | 200 | 419 |
| Edmonson | 343 | 29 | 174 | 140 | 372 |
| Grayson | 615 | 56 | 279 | 280 | 738 981 |
| Logan | 656 | 70 99 | 266 377 | 320 360 | 1,157 |
| Muhlenberg Ohio | 836 673 | 64 | 259 | 350 | 796 |
| Warren | 2,808 | 168 | 710 | 1,930 | 2,281 |

Sources: Kentucky Department for Human Resources, Kentucky Labor Supply Estimates by County, 1978. Kentucky Department of Commerce, Future Labor Supply Before 1986.

AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES BY INDUSTRY, BY PLACE OF WORK, 1978

| D | T PLACE OF | | | |
|--------------------------|------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| | Butler County | Edmonson County | Grayson County | Logan County |
| | ÷ | | | |
| All Industries | \$163.01 | \$134.95 | \$155.60 | \$167.62 |
| Mining & Quarrying | * | * | 221.68 | * |
| Contract Construction | 96.17 | * | 165.32 | 227.26 |
| Manufacturing | 127.83 | * | 163.60 | 181.90 |
| Transportation, | | | | |
| Communications & | | | | |
| Public Utilities | 214.19 | 160.84 | 213.71 | 201.52 |
| Wholesale & Retail Trade | 131.20 | 107.33 | 132.71 | 124.50 |
| Finance, Insurance & | | | | |
| Real Estate | * | * | * | 142.73 |
| Services | 131.91 | 159.63 | 115.97 | 123.14 |
| Other | 0 | * | * | 68.49 |

| | Muhlenberg County | Ohio County | Warren County | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------|------------------|--|
| All Industries Mining & Quarrying | \$274.16 | \$267.51 | \$187.08 | |
| Contract Construction | 197.02 | 222.63 | 253.84 178.38 | |
| Manufacturing | 147.17 | 168.35 | 216.92 | |
| Transportation, Communications & | \$ | | | |
| Public Utilities | 281.13 | 218.53 | 258.78 | |
| Wholesale & Retail Trade | 159.26 | 133.56 | 144.68 | |
| Finance, Insurance & Real Estate | 198.31 | 179.15 | 204.93 | |
| Services | 130.06 | 132.86 | 179.43 | |
| Other | 202.47 | * | * | |

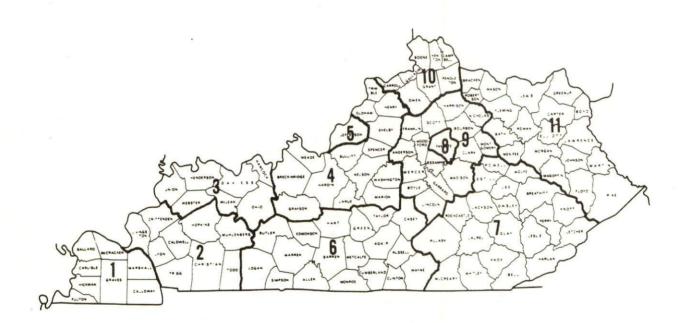
*Not disclosed.

Note: Excludes domestic workers, railway workers; certain nonprofit corporations; majority of federal, state, and local government workers; and self-employed workers.

Source: Kentucky Department for Human Resources, <u>Average Weekly Wages</u> of Workers Covered by Kentucky Unemployment Insurance Law, 1978.

Occupational wage rates for specific industries are usually not available to most government agencies, and wage data furnished to state employment agencies by individual 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 127 clearly defined office, production, and service occupations. Tabulations are published for eleven 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

Up-to-date occupational wage rates of the existing industries are maintained by South Kentucky Industrial Development Association, Inc., Post Office Box 726, Hopkinsville, Kentucky 42240.

| PER | CAPITA | PERSONAL | INCOME |
|-----|----------|-------------|---------|
| | 0111 111 | · LIVOUITIL | THOOLIT |

| Area | 1977 | 1973 | Percent Change |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| Butler County Labor Market Area | \$3,865 | \$2,583 | 49.6 |
| Range Kentucky U.S. | \$3,431 - 6,407 5,989 7,026 | \$2,388 - 4,015 4,021 4,980 | N/A 48.9 41.1 |

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, April 1979.

TRANSPORTATION

Rail

Morgantown is not directly served by a railroad. However, freight service is available within 25 miles of the city.

Line serving Bowling Green, 25 miles southeast of Morgantown -Louisville and Nashville Railroad

Services - Main line; one northbound freight and one southbound freight stop daily - other stops scheduled when needed; local daily freights to Elizabethtown and Russellville, Kentucky, and Portland, Tennessee; six northbound and six southbound through freights daily; switching facilities; team track with space for 10 cars plus several short tracks with space for 10 cars; siding space for 35 cars; piggyback facilities

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

Director of Industrial Development Louisville and Nashville Railroad 908 West Broadway Louisville, Kentucky 40201 (502) 587-5723

Line serving Beaver Dam, 18 miles northwest of Morgantown - Illinois Central Gulf Railroad

Services - 1 local freight from Central City to Beaver Dam and return 6 days a week; 3 northbound and 3 southbound through freights daily; switching services provided by local freight; team track with space for 20 cars plus siding space for 20 cars; piggyback facilities available at Princeton, 67 miles southwest of Beaver Dam

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

Manager of Industrial Development Illinois Central Gulf Railroad 112 North 4th Street 240 Pierce Building St. Louis, Missouri 63102 (314) 241-9400

Highways

Morgantown is served by the Green River Parkway, U.S. 231, and Kentucky Highway 79. The Green River Parkway intersects with the Western Kentucky Parkway, 14 miles northwest of Morgantown, and with Interstate 65, 28 miles southeast of Morgantown.

Truck Service

Company

Cooper-Jarrett, Inc.*

Majors Transit, Inc. **

McLean Trucking Company*

Overnite Transportation Company*

Smith's Transfer Corporation*

United Trucking Service, Inc.**

Other Freight Services

Purolator Courier Corporation*** United Parcel Service*** KATO Express (Air Cargo Service)**** Red Arrow Delivery Service (Air Cargo Service)**** Home Office

Hanover Plaza Morristown, New Jersey 07960

P.O. Box 7

Caneyville, Kentucky 42721

P.O. Box 213
Winston-Salem, North Carolina 27102

P.O. Box 1216 Richmond, Virginia 23209

P.O. Box 1000 Staunton, Virginia 24401

8505 West Warren Dearborn, Michigan 48126

Nearest Shipping Center or Home Office

Bowling Green, 25 miles distant Bowling Green, 25 miles distant

Elizabethtown, 63 miles distant

Bowling Green, 25 miles distant

**Interstate and intrastate service.

^{*}Interstate service only.

^{***}For regular scheduled pickups or for occasional pickups, arrangements must be made with the Louisville office of Purolator Courier Corporation or United Parcel Service.

^{****}Daily pickup and delivery service is available to and from Standiford Field in Louisville. Arrangements for service should be made through the home office in Elizabethtown.

^{*****}Daily pickup and delivery service is available to and from Standiford Field in Louisville, Kentucky, and Nashville Metropolitan Airport in Nashville, Tennessee. Arrangements for service should be made through the shipping center in Bowling Green.

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

| MUKGAN | | | SELECTED MARKET | CLITTERO | |
|------------------|---------|----------|------------------|----------|----------|
| | | Delivery | , | | Delivery |
| | Highway | Time | | Highway | Time |
| City | Miles | TL | City | Miles | TL |
| | | | | | |
| Atlanta, Ga. | 327 | 2 | Los Angeles, Ca. | 2,110 | 6 |
| Baltimore, Md. | 699 | 3 | Louisville, Ky. | 120 | 1 |
| Birmingham, Ala. | 281 | 2 | Nashville, Tenn. | 85 | 2 |
| Chicago, Ill. | 379 | 2 | New Orleans, La. | 602 | 4 |
| | 221 | 1 | New York, N.Y. | 861 | 3 |
| Cincinnati, Ohio | 465 | 2 | Pittsburgh, Pa. | 501 | 2 |
| Cleveland, Ohio | | _ | | 257 | 1 |
| Detroit, Mich. | 480 | 2 | St. Louis, Mo. | 237 | _ |
| Knoxville, Tenn. | 262 | 2 | 2.45 | | |

Source: Delivery Time Only - Majors Transit, Inc., P.O. Box 7, Caneyville, Kentucky 42721.

Air

Local Morgantown Municipal Airport* 2 miles northwest of Morgantown Runways: 1 turf 2,750 feet Traffic Control: Wind sock Lighting: Services: Tie down

(Contd.)

^{*}The airport which was privately owned has been purchased by the City of Morgantown. Planned improvements include paving of the runway, installing lights, constructing an office and maintenance building, and improving access to the airport.

Nearest Scheduled Airline Service*

Nashville Metropolitan Airport

6 miles southeast of Nashville, Tennessee;

91 miles south of Morgantown

Runways: 3 paved

Length: 8,000 feet; 7,700 feet; 4,320 feet

Tower

Traffic Control:

Lighting: Beacon, runway

Services: American, Braniff, Delta, Eastern, Ozark,

Piedmont, Southern, TWA, and USAir airlines; Air Kentucky, Air Bama, Comair, Tennessee Airways, and Vale International commuter air carriers; 100 LL, 100, and jet fuel; major repairs, major Avionics repairs; tiedowns and hangars; charter service; flight instructions; plane rental; U.S. Customs; car rental; limousine; taxi; weather information; hotel; restaurant

Air Freight Service:

Location:

Air freight terminal

Bus - Fuqua Bus Lines

Rental Services - Automobile, truck, and trailer rentals available at Bowling Green, 25 miles southeast of Morgantown

Water

Morgantown is located on the Green River. A 9-foot navigation channel is maintained on the Green River to Mile 103 which is northwest of Morgantown. A 5-foot to 5.5-foot navigation channel is privately maintained to Mile 149 at Woodbury which is just south of Morgantown.

^{*}Commuter air carrier service is provided by Vale International Airlines at Outlaw Field which is located 7 miles northwest of Clarksville, Tennessee, and 72 miles southwest of Morgantown.

POWER AND FUEL

Electricity

Company serving Morgantown and a major portion of Butler County Warren Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation
Source of power - Tennessee Valley Authority
Total generating capacity - 27,071,480 KW*
For industrial rates contact:

South Kentucky Industrial Development Association, Inc. P.O. Box 726 Hopkinsville, Kentucky 42240 (502) 885-5392

and/or

Warren RECC P.O. Box 1118 Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101 (502) 842-6541

Company serving extreme western portion of Butler County Pennyrile Rural Electric Cooperative Cooperation
Source of power - Tennessee Valley Authority
Total generating capacity - 27,071,480 KW*
For industrial rates contact:

South Kentucky Industrial Development Association, Inc. P.O. Box 726 Hopkinsville, Kentucky 42240 (502) 885-5392

and/or

Pennyrile RECC P.O. Box 551 Hopkinsville, Kentucky 42240 (502) 886-2555

^{*1976} capacity in service - kilowatts.

Natural Gas

Company serving Morgantown - Morgantown Gas System
Source of supply - Midwestern Gas Transmission Company
Size of transmission mains - 30-inch (supplier);
4-inch (distributor)
Distribution mains - 2 and 4 inches
Distribution pressure - 25 psi
Btu content - 1,023 per cubic foot
Specific gravity - .576
For rates and supplies contact:

Morgantown Gas System P.O. Box 417 Morgantown, Kentucky 42261 (502) 526-3623

Other Fuels

Propane (Located in Bowling Green, 25 miles distant)

Miller's Bottled Gas, Inc. 110 East Campbell Lane Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101 Southern States Bowling Green
Petroleum Cooperative
Emmett Drive
Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101

Fuel oils

Distillate fuel oil - (Located in Bowling Green, 25 miles distant)

Browning Oil Company Louisville Road Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101

Chevron U.S.A., Inc. 316 Portage Railroad Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101

Ike L. Duncan Gulf Distributor 800 Power Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101

Exxon Company U.S.A. 3170 Industrial Boulevard Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101 Ramsey Oil Company (Phillips 66 Fuel Oils) 633 U.S. 31-W Bypass Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101

Southern States Bowling Green
Petroleum Cooperative
Emmett Drive
Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101

Texaco Heating Oil (R.C. McKinney Distributor) 110 Plain Avenue Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101

Residual fuel oil - Arrangements must be made with the refinery.

Low sulphur content coal - Available in Kentucky.

WATER AND SEWERAGE

Water

Company serving Morgantown - Morgantown Water System*
P.O. Box 417
Morgantown, Kentucky 42261
(502) 526-3623

Source - Green River
Treatment plant capacity - 432,000 gallons per day
Average daily consumption - 230,000 gallons
Peak daily consumption - 360,000 gallons
Type treatment - Coagulation, sedimentation, filtration, and chlorination
Storage capacity - 450,000 gallons
Size lines - 4, 6, 8, 10 and 12 inches
Average pressure - 55 psi
Average temperature - 55 degrees F.

MONTHLY WATER RATES

| First | 2,000 gallons | \$4.70 (Minimum) |
|----------|----------------|-----------------------|
| Next | 3,000 gallons | 0.150 per 100 gallons |
| Next | 5,000 gallons | 0.125 per 100 gallons |
| Next | 10,000 gallons | 0.085 per 100 gallons |
| All over | 20,000 gallons | 0.065 per 100 gallons |

Tap-on charge: 3/4-inch meter (Residential) \$150

over 3/4-inch meter (Commercial) \$150

plus materials.

^{*}Plans are under way to increase pumping, settling, and filtration capacity of the plant from 432,000 to 900,000 gallons per day.

Name of water district - Butler County Water System, Inc.* P.O. Box 1118 Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101 (502) 842-6541

Area served - Aberdeen; Kentucky Highway 70 to Jetson; Kentucky Highway 79 west to Brooklin Road; U.S. Highway 231 from Ohio County line to Warren County line; Kentucky Highway 79 south to Richland

Church, Woodbury, and Leetown areas Date when water district began operating - September 1973 Source of supply of treated water - Morgantown Water System

Average amount of water used in a 24-hour period - N/A

Storage capacity - 250,000 gallons Size lines - 3, 4, 6, and 8 inches

| Monthly rates | - | | Logansport- Dunbar** Project 2 |
|--|---|--|--|
| First Next Next Next All over | 2,000 gallons 3,000 gallons - per M gallons 5.000 gallons - per M gallons 10,000 gallons - per M gallons 10,000 gallons - per M gallons | \$6.25 2.50 2.00 1.75 1.50 | \$7.25 2.50 2.00 1.75 1.50 |
| Minimum Month | y Bill | | |
| Meter Size | , | | |
| 5/8-inch 3/4-inch 1-inch 1 1/2-inch 2-inch 3-inch 4-inch 6-inch | First 2,000 gallons First 3,000 gallons First 5,000 gallons First 10,000 gallons First 16,000 gallons First 30,000 gallons First 50,000 gallons First 100,000 gallons | \$ 6.25 8.75 13.75 23.75 34.25 56.25 86.25 161.25 | \$ 7.25 9.75 14.75 24.75 35.25 57.25 87.25 162.25 |
| CONTRIBUT | ION IN AID OF CONSTRUCTION | | |
| 3/4 1 1 1/2 2 3 | -inch meter (Residential) -inch meter -inch, or larger, meter | \$ 250 300 350 500 675 950 1,350 Actual Cos | :t |

^{*}The Logansport-Dunbar Water System, Inc., was merged with the Butler County Water System, Inc., in 1978.

^{**}Rates approved by Public Service Commission before merger of the Logansport-Dunbar Water System, Inc., and the Butler County Water System, Inc.

Surface water sources - Green River
Average discharge - Green River at lock 4 at Woodbury - 8,134 cfs
(41-year record, unadjusted, USGS)

Expected ground water yield - 5 to 50 gpm and 50 to 200 gpm bands running parallel through the central part of the county; 5 gpm or less in the northern and southern parts of the county

Sewerage

Company serving Morgantown - Morgantown Sewer System*
P.O. Box 417
Morgantown, Kentucky 42261
(502) 526-3623

Design capacity - 200,000 gallons per day
Average daily flow - At capacity
Treatment - Primary and secondary
Type treatment - Aeration, sedimentation, and chlorination
Treated effluent discharged into - Green River
Size of sanitary mains - 6, 8, 10 and 12 inches
Size of storm mains - 18 and 24 inches
Rates - 60 percent of monthly water bill
Tap-on charge: 3/4-inch to 4-inch - \$150

over 4-inch - \$150 plus materials

^{*}A 201 Facilities Study is under way. Initial plans include expansion of plant capacity to 400,000 gallons per day and the extension of lines to future development sites.

CLIMATE

| | Butler County |
|---|---|
| Temperature | |
| Normal (30-year record) Average annual 1978 Record highest, July, 1954 (38-year record) Record lowest, February, 1951 (38-year record) Normal heating degree days (30-year record) (Heating degree day totals are the sums of negative departures of average daily temperatures from 65 degrees F.) | 56.0 degrees 54.0 degrees 105.0 degrees -23.0 degrees 4,629 |
| Precipitation | |
| Normal (30-year record) Mean annual snowfall (38-year record) Total precipitation 1978 Mean number days precipitation (.01 inch or more) (38-year record) Mean number days thunderstorms (38-year record) | 41.88 inches 13.90 inches 42.96 inches 115 45 |
| Prevailing Winds (14-year record) | South-southwest |
| Relative Humidity (17-year record) | |
| Midnight 78 percent 6 a.m. 81 percent Noon 59 percent | |

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Environmental Science Services Administration, Climatological Data, 1978. Station of record: Evansville, Indiana.

Noon 6 p.m.

62 percent

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

City

Structure - Mayor - 4-year term; 6 councilmen - 2-year terms

Budget 1979 - General Fund \$212,500

Water and Sewer Fund 169,166 City Gas System 247,673

Fees and licenses - Occupational license fees - one percent on wages and one percent on net profits of businesses; business license fees - \$20.50 and \$25.50 per year

County

Structure - County Judge/Executive - 4-year term; 5 magistrates - 4-year terms Budget 1979-80 - General Fund \$271,050; Road Fund \$183,300

Assessed Value of Property

| Classes of Property | Morgantown (1979) | Butler County (1979-80) |
|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|
| Real Estate | \$10,976,019 | \$67,657,838 |
| Tangibles | 6,652,856 | 27,350,655 |

Property Taxes

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

Land and buildings are taxed by the state and may be taxed by local jurisdictions. The state rate is \$0.279 per \$100 of assessed valuation.

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

Other tangible personal property owned by manufacturers (automobiles, trucks, finished goods, office furniture, office equipment) is taxed by the state at \$0.45 per \$100 and may be taxed by local jurisdictions.

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

Intangible personal property located in Kentucky (money in hand, shares of stock, notes, bonds, accounts receivable, and other credits) is taxed by the state at \$0.25 per \$100, and is not subject to local taxation.

Private leaseholds in industrial facilities owned by the cities or counties and financed by industrial revenue bonds are subject to a state tax of \$0.015 per \$100 of value (essentially the lessee's equity, adjusted for appreciation or depreciation). Local taxation is not permitted.

Combined State and Local Rates Per \$100 Valuation, 1979* (100% assessment)

| | | Inside City of Morgantown | Outside City |
|---------------------------------|---|------------------------------|-----------------|
| Mfg. mate | and buildings machinery, raw rials, goods in | \$0.857 | \$0.607 |
| cont 3. Fini | ess, pollution rol equipment shed goods, ce equipment, | 0.150 | 0.150 |
| tang 4. Inta | cles, other ibles ngibles (accounts | 1.028 | 0.778 |
| bond | ivable, notes, s, etc.) eholds in I. R. | 0.250 | 0.250 |
| | financed plants | 0.015 | 0.015 |

Utilities Gross Receipts Tax for Schools

A 3 percent tax is levied on utilities receipts for schools in Butler County. Tax is paid by all consumers of utilities as an add-on to the utilities bills. 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

City agency - Morgantown Planning Commission
Zoning enforced - Within city limits only
Subdivision regulations enforced - Within city limits only
Local codes enforced - Housing and building
Mandatory state codes enforced - Kentucky Plumbing Code, National
Electric Code, Kentucky Boiler Regulations and Standards, National
Fire Protection Association Standards of Safety (for buildings with
an occupancy of less than 100 persons), Kentucky Building Code
(modeled after BOCA code and applying to buildings with an occupancy
of 100 or more persons)

^{*}Kentucky Department of Commerce.

Safety

| Police | Morgantown | Butler County |
|--|------------|---|
| Total staff | 4 | 3 full-time 2 part-time |
| Radio-patrol cars | 2 | 2 |
| Fire | | |
| American Insurance Association Fire Rating Volunteers | 7 23 | 10 Fire protection is provided county-wide. Equipment is housed in the city and in one station located in the county. |

Rescue Service

Butler County Civil Defense Rescue Squad:

Number of volunteers - 18

Equipment - Van, utility truck, pickup truck, jeep, 2 troop carriers; 2 boats, outboard motor, dragging equipment, scuba diving equipment; two-way radios; 5 light generators; "Jaws of Life" rescue apparatus Personnel training - Emergency medical technician training, cardio-pulmonary resusitation training, first aid, radiological monitoring, and scuba diving

Refuse Collection and Disposal

| | Morgantown | Butler County |
|---|---|---|
| Type service | Private | Private |
| Fee charged: residential | \$4.00 per week | Varies according to volume collected |
| business | Varies according to volume collected | Varies according to volume collected |
| industrial | Varies according to volume collected | Varies according to volume collected |
| Collection frequency: residential business industrial Disposal method | By contract By contract By contract Landfill | By contract By contract By contract Landfill |

Butler County residents are afforded free access to the Warren County sanitary landfill.

EDUCATION

Public Schools

| | Butler County |
|--|------------------------|
| Total enrollment (June 1979) Elementary High School | 2,306 1,638* 668 |
| Student-Teacher Ratio Elementary High School | 19-1 19-1 20-1 |
| Percent High School Graduates to College | 28.4 |
| Expenditures Per Pupil (1978-79) | \$1,037.86 |
| Bonded Indebtedness, June 30, 1979 | \$1,104,000 |

Area Colleges and Universities

| Name | Location (Miles distant) | Enrollment (Fall, 1979) | Highest Degree Conferred |
|--|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Western Kentucky University | Bowling Green (25) | 13,417 | Masters, Specialist** |
| Brescia College Kentucky Wesleyan | Owensboro (48) | 844 | Baccalaureate |
| College Madisonville | Owensboro (48) | 916 | Baccalaureate |
| Community College | Madisonville (62) | 773 | Associate |
| Community College Hopkinsville Community College | Elizabethtown (63) | 1,767 | Associate |
| | Hopkinsville (67) | 1,054 | Associate |

^{*}Includes Kindergarten enrollment.

**Joint doctoral degree programs are offered in cooperation with the University of Kentucky, Lexington, and cooperative doctoral degree programs are offered with the University of Louisville.

Vocational Schools

Location Miles Distant Curriculum

Nearest State School

Bowling Green State Vocational-Technical School Bowling Green Business and Office Accounting-Junior Management Clerical Secretarial Consumer and Home Economics Commercial Foods Distributive Education Health and Personal Services Occupations Dental Assistant Health Careers Nurse Assistant (Adult) Practical Nurse Respiratory Therapy Surgical Technician Industrial Education Auto Body Repair Auto Mechanics Carpentry Civil Highway Technology Drafting Electronics (Technology) Electronics Servicing Occupations (i.e. Radio & TV Repair) Graphic Arts (Printing) Industrial Electricity Machine Shop Masonry Refrigeration & Air Conditioning Small Engine Repair Tool and Die Making Welding

(Contd.)

Nearest Area Education Center

Location Miles Distant Curriculum Russellville Area Vocational Education Center Russellville 31 Agriculture Adult and Young Farmer Business and Office Accounting-Junior Management Clerical Secretarial Health and Personal Services Occupations Health Careers Industrial Education Auto Mechanics (first & second year) Carpentry - Building Trades Drafting Electricity Electronics Machine Shop 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.

HEALTH

Local Medical Personnel

Greenview Hospital

Physicians - 2 Dentists - 2

Hospitals

General Hospitals
Serving Morgantown

Location

Beds

Bowling Green-Warren County
Hospital*

Bowling Green

298 including
15 psychiatric
and 23 extended
care beds

Bowling Green

157

Bowling Green-Warren County Hospital

General hospital facilities - 8 operating rooms, 10 emergency rooms, 12-bed coronary care unit, 12-bed intensive care unit, physical therapy department, respiratory therapy department, 15-bed psychiatric unit, laboratory and pathology, electrocardiograph, electroencephalograph, computerized tomography, xeroradiography, neonatal intensive care unit, X-ray facilities, ambulance service, social services, home health agency, pharmacy, coffee shop, ultrasound

Medical staff - 102 physicians, 115 registered nurses, and 800 other employees

Greenview Hospital

General hospital facilities - 4 operating rooms, emergency facilities, 8-bed coronary-intensive care unit, physical therapy department, pathological laboratory, electroencephalography, nuclear medicine, diagnostic department, inhalation therapy, X-ray department, outpatient department, pharmacy, coffee shop

Medical staff - 82 physicians, 70 registered nurses, 20 licensed practical nurses and 200 other employees

^{*}The new \$15 million 298-bed Bowling Green-Warren County Hospital has been completed. The new hospital provides nearly three times as much space as the old facility and will be the regional medical center for a 10-county area.

Other Medical Facilities

Wan's Medical Clinic
Staff - 1 doctor, 1 physician assistant, 3 technicians, 12 staff
employees; consulting doctors available from Bowling Green
Facilities - Emergency room, X-ray, laboratory

Ambulance Service

The county provides county-wide ambulance service and maintains 3 ambulances. The staff consists of 11 emergency medical technicians.

Public Health

Facility - Butler County Health Department Staff - 2 nurses, 1 clerk, 1 health environmentalist

OTHER LOCAL FACILITIES

Communications

Telephone - South Central Bell Telephone Company Services - Standard

Telegraph - Western Union Telegraph Service Services - Toll-free telephone number

Postal - U.S. Post Office Class - Second Mail received - Once daily Mail dispatched - Once daily

Newspapers - The Green River Republican
Weekly and circulation - 3,500
Other papers
received from - Louisville, Owensboro, and Bowling Green, Kentucky

Radio - WLBQ-AM
Stations received from - Bowling Green, Central City, Greenville,
Glasgow, Leitchfield, Hardinsburg,
Russellville, Owensboro and Louisville,
Kentucky; Nashville, Tennessee

Television Reception from - Bowling Green, Louisville, and Paducah, Kentucky;
Evansville, Indiana; Nashville, Tennessee

Kentucky Educational
Television - Bowling Green transmitter, Channel 53

Library Services

Public library - Butler County Public Library
Size collection - 29,726 volumes
Circulation, 1977-78 - 53,542 (includes Bookmobile)
Service - Bookmobile, story hour, community room, arts and crafts show, services to the retarded, participation in summer work program, college work-study program, interlibrary loan, talking books, 8 and 16 MM film, film strips, slide projectors, microfilm, copy machine, newspapers, magazines, and nursing home services

Religious Institutions

Number of churches - 10
Denominations - Baptist, Independent Baptist, Catholic, Church of
Christ, Holiness, Church of Jesus Christ of LatterDay Saints, Nazarene, Pentecostal, Presbyterian,
United Methodist

Nearest Synagogues - Owensboro, Kentucky, 48 miles from Morgantown Congregations - Adath Israel (reform)

Financial Institutions

| Banks | Assets | Deposits | Statement Date |
|--|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|
| Morgantown Deposit Bank Green River Bank | \$33,788,797.33 7,100,000.00 | \$30,164,423.98 6,706,000.00 | 12/31/79 12/30/78 |

Hotels and Motels

Excellent accommodations are located at Bowling Green, only 25 miles from Morgantown. A 25-unit motel is planned for Morgantown.

Clubs and Organizations

Boy Scouts
Daughters of the American Revolution
Eastern Star
Girl Scouts
Jaycees
Jaycettes
Lions
Lioness
Masons
Morgantown Business Association
Odd Fellows
Rebekah
Senior Citizens Organization

RECREATION

Local

A supervised recreation program provides the Morgantown residents with a variety of recreational activities. Public recreation facilities include a playground, tennis courts, baseball diamond, football field, youth center, swimming pool, and picnic area. In addition to a planned community building which will contain a recreation center and bathhouse, 16 acres of land are being purchased for future park development.

Morgantown's location on the Green River provides an opportunity for enjoying a full range of water sports.

Area (Within 70 miles)

Morgantown has easy access to many of the outstanding recreational areas in Kentucky. Three full-facility state resort parks, a state park, a state shrine, and a national park are all located within 70 miles of Morgantown.

Rough River Dam State Resort Park is located northeast of Morgantown. Accommodations include a 40-room lodge and cottages. Five general camping areas with 50 sites are available. Park features include 4,860-acre Rough River Lake, lodge pool, beach, bathhouse, boat and motor rentals, paddle boats, dock, miniature golf, 9-hole par 3-golf, tennis, hiking, shuffleboard, picnicking, playground and supervised recreation.

Barren River Lake State Park, southeast of Morgantown, offers a resort lodge, cottages, lodge pool, riding stables, nature trails, open and covered boat slips, 9-hole par-3 golf course, park camping with service building, restaurant, boats, picnic area and playground. Barren River Lake, covering 10,000 acres, is a popular area for recreation and fishing.

Pennyrile Forest State Resort Park, west of Morgantown, is comprised of 435 acres with a resort lodge, cottages, and camping facilities. The park features a 55-acre lake, beach and bathhouse, swimming pool, tennis courts, a 9-hole golf course, boat rentals, horseback riding, hiking trails, picnic areas, fishing and miniature golf.

Lake Malone State Park is located southwest of Morgantown. The park is open year round and offers camping sites, boating, fishing, swimming beach, hiking trails, picnicking, tennis, and restaurant.

The Jefferson Davis Monument State Shrine, located southwest of Morgantown, is the site of the birthplace of Confederate President Jefferson Davis. A 351-foot obelisk with an elevator to the top provides a panoramic view of the scenic countryside.

Renowned Mammoth Cave National Park is located east of Morgantown. The national park offers guided tours through the cave, hotel accommodations, cottages, park camping, nature trails, visitor center, wildlife, tennis, shuffelboard, naturalist programs, dining room, coffee shop, and gift and craft shops. Other caves in the area include Crystal Onyx Cave, Mammoth Onyx Cave, Diamond Caverns, and Jesse James Cave.

Nolin River Lake, just north of Mammoth Cave National Park, has a surface area of approximately 5,800 acres and offers excellent opportunity for fishing and camping.

Western Kentucky University at Bowling Green, 25 miles from Morgantown, offers an array of cultural and athletic activities, including a fine arts series, a University lecture series, various musical performances and productions by the Western Players. The Hardin Planetarium and the Kentucky Building are open to the public. The Kentucky Building, devoted to state and local history, houses a large art collection; collections of animals, birds, insects and fossils, Indian and pioneer relics; early musical instruments; and special exhibits.

One thousand-acre Beech Bend Park is located just west of Bowling Green on bluffs overlooking Barren River. The amusement park offers camping sites, swimming, horseback riding, miniature golf, trampolines, a zoo, and over 42 rides. The Beech Bend International Raceway has several national championships scheduled each year.

COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENTS

Plans are under way to increase the pumping, settling, and filtration capacity of the Morgantown water treatment plant from 432,000 to 900,000 gallons per day.

A 201 Facilities Study of the Morgantown Sewer System is under way. Tentative plans are to increase the plant capacity to 400,000 gallons per day and to extend sewer lines to future development sites.

The Morgantown Airport, which was privately owned, has been purchased by the City of Morgantown. An airport board has been created and the airport will be known as the Morgantown Municipal Airport. Planned improvements to the facilities include paving of the present runway; installation of landing lights; construction of an office and maintenance building; and improving access to the airport. Completion of the project is scheduled for the fall of 1980.

Contracts totaling \$199,000 have been awarded by the Kentucky Department of Transportation for the repair of two bridges in the Morgantown area.

Two portable 2-way radios and two radio-patrol cars are planned for the Butler County Sheriff's Department.

The purchase of two pumper fire trucks has been approved for the joint Morgantown-Butler County Fire Department.

Funds totaling \$65,000 have been appropriated to improve and update the Butler County ambulance service.

Recent improvements by the Butler County School System include the construction of a \$610,000 gymnasium and the initiation of an honors curriculum for grades 9 through 12. In addition, classes are available for students classified as learning disabled, trainable mentally handicapped, and educable mentally handicapped. A speech therapy program is also available.

A \$200,000 remodeling and expansion project is planned by the Morgantown Deposit Bank.

A 25-unit motel is planned for Morgantown.

Kentucky Department of Commerce Capital Plaza Tower Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

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Existing Industries Division (502) 564-4300

Office of Minority Business Enterprise (502) 564-2064

Agribusiness Division (502) 564-6784

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Research and Planning Division (502) 564-4886 Map Sales Office 133 Holmes Street (502) 564-4715

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Kentucky Film Commission (502) 564-2240