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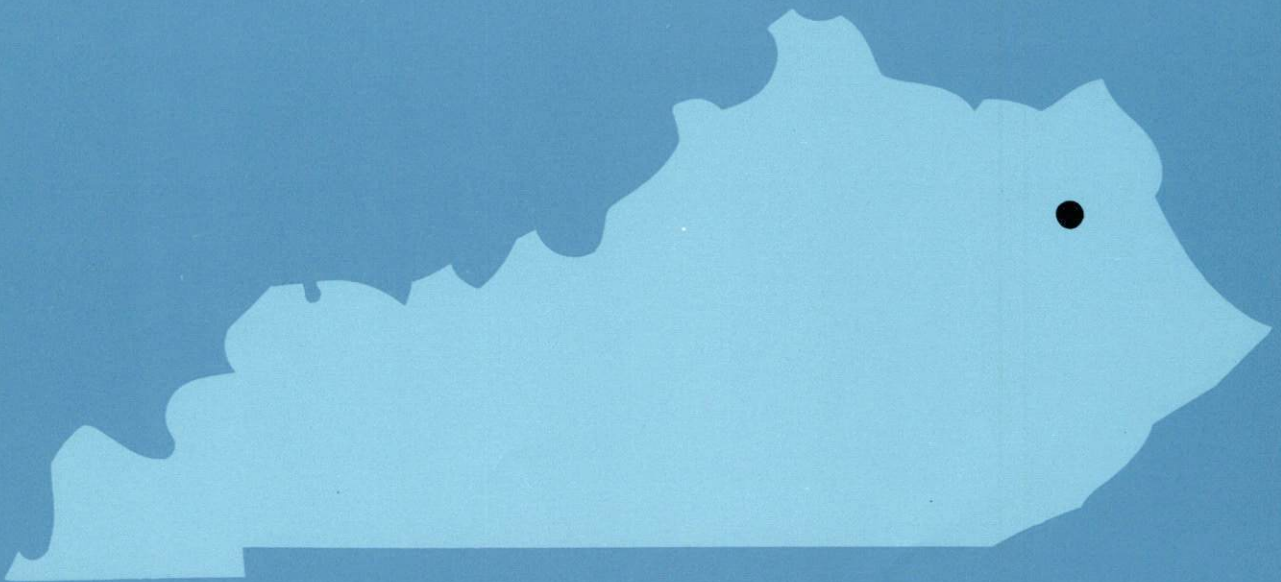
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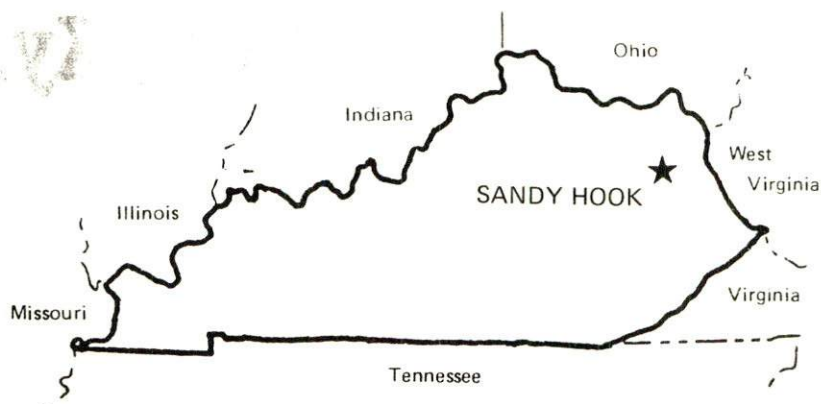
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A summary
of resources
Sandy Hook, Ky.



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A SUMMARY OF
SANDY HOOK, KENTUCKY



POPULATION: 1980: Sandy Hook - 627
1980: Elliott County - 6,908; Labor Market Area - 74,241

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

LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS OF RESIDENTS, 1980:

	<u>Elliott County</u>	<u>Labor Market Area</u>
Civilian Labor Force	3,433	29,260
Employment	3,084	26,030
Agricultural	141	1,362
Nonagricultural	2,943	24,668
Unemployment	349	3,230
Rate of Unemployment (%)	10.2	11.0

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME, 1979:

Elliott County	\$4,279
Labor Market Area Range	\$4,279 - \$5,707

ESTIMATED AVAILABLE LABOR SUPPLY, 1979:

Elliott County	326 Male	212 Female
Labor Market Area	3,669 Male	2,542 Female

LOCAL MANUFACTURING PLANTS:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Product</u>	<u>Employment</u>
Fannin Kitchen Cabinet Manufacturing Company	Kitchen cabinets, formica tops	10

LABOR ORGANIZATIONS:

There are no labor organizations representing manufacturing workers in Sandy Hook at the present time.

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), two team tracks with combined space for 35 cars, and siding space for 20 cars. The nearest Chessie System 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 Interstate 64 is 25 miles northeast of Sandy Hook via Kentucky 7. Access to the Mountain Parkway, a limited access toll road, is 43 miles to the south 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 both interstate and intrastate motor transportation service to Sandy Hook. Smith's Transfer Corporation provides interstate service only.

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

Air: The nearest scheduled airline service is available at Tri-State Airport located near Huntington, West Virginia, about 50 miles north-east of Sandy Hook. Piedmont and USAir Airlines serve this airport. The nearest small craft airport is the West Liberty-Morgan County Airport, 21 miles southwest, which has a 2,400-foot, paved runway.

UTILITIES:

Electricity: Sandy Hook and Elliott County receive electrical service from Grayson Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation. The source of power is East Kentucky Power Cooperative Corporation.

Natural Gas: Natural gas service is not available in Sandy Hook or Elliott County.

Other Fuels: Two propane distributors are located in Sandy Hook and two fuel oil distributors are located in West Liberty, 19 miles away. Additional fuel supplies are available in Morehead, 28 miles distant.

WATER AND SEWERAGE:

Water: Sandy Hook is served by the Sandy Hook Water District. The source of raw water is wells and the treatment plant capacity is 158,400 gallons per day. Average daily consumption is 50,000 gallons and peak daily consumption is 65,000 gallons. Storage capacity is 100,000 gallons.

Sewerage: Sandy Hook Sewage Treatment Plant provides sewerage services to the community. The design capacity of the treatment plant is 70,000 gallons per day, and average daily flow is approximately 30,000 gallons. Treatment is tertiary.

GOVERNMENT STRUCTURE:

City: Sandy Hook is governed by a mayor elected to a 4-year term and 6 council members elected to 2-year terms.

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

TAXES:

Combined state and local property tax rates per \$100 valuation, 1980
(100% assessment)

	<u>Inside City of Sandy Hook</u>	<u>Outside City</u>
1. Land and buildings	\$ 0.923	\$0.723
2. Mfg. machinery, raw materials, goods in process, pollution control equipment	0.150	0.150
3. Finished goods, office equip- ment, vehicles, other tangibles	1.132	0.932
4. Intangibles (accounts receivable, notes, bonds, etc.)	0.250	0.250
5. Leaseholds in industrial revenue bond financed plants	0.015	0.015

EDUCATION: There is one public school system operating in Elliott County. Total enrollment in the Elliott County School System is 1,550 with 1,125 elementary and 425 high school students. Two state vocational schools are located within 50 miles of Sandy Hook - Mayo State Vocational-Technical School at Paintsville and Ashland State Vocational-Technical School at Ashland. An area vocational education center is located in West Liberty, 19 miles distant.

COMMUNICATIONS:

Telephone: The Mountain Rural Telephone Company provides standard service to Sandy Hook.

Telegraph: There is a Western Union toll-free number available for sending telegrams, mailgrams and international messages.

Newspaper: The Elliott County News is a weekly publication serving Sandy Hook and Elliott County. Current circulation is 1,500.

Television: Cable service is available.

OTHER LOCAL FACILITIES:

Hospitals: Morgan County Appalachian Regional Hospital located in West Liberty, 19 miles from Sandy Hook, is the nearest hospital. The hospital has 20 acute care, 15 intermediate care, and 15 skilled nursing 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 the community.

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