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CURRENT INDUSTRIAL RESOURCES, BEAVER DAM AND HARTFORD, KENTUCKY

This is a 1974 supplement to "Industrial Resources, Beaver Dam and Hartford, Kentucky" which was published in 1973.

Population

	1972	1970	1960
Beaver Dam	N/A	2,622	1,648
Hartford	N/A	1,868	1,618
Ohio County	19,600	18,790	17,725
Labor Market Area	188,100	182,912	170,943
(Includes Breckinridge	Butlar Daviore	Graveon	Hancock McLon

(Includes Breckinridge, Butler, Daviess, Grayson, Hancock, McLean, Muhlenberg and Ohio Counties.)

General Employment Characteristics

	Employment 1972				
Industry	Ohio County	Labor Market Area			
TOTAL	5,870	66,090			
Agricultural	1,000	7,500			
Nonagricultural	4,870	58,590			
Manufacturing	1,110	15,510			
Trade and Services	721	13,033			
Government	760	7,180			
Other	2,279	22,867			
Manufacturing Employment		5			

Manufacturing Employment

		Ohio Co	ounty	Lab	or Mark	et Area
	Sept.	Sept.		Sept.	Sept.	
Type Industry	1973	1963	%Change	1973	1963	%Change
TOTAL	1,300	267	386.9	16,099	11,702	37.6
Food & Kindred Products	30	41	- 26.8	1,551	1,875	- 17.3
Tobacco	0	0	0	659	638	3.3
Apparel, Textiles, Leathe	r 408	69	491.3	2,147	791	171.4
Lumber, Furniture	239	114	109.6	1,695	1,469	15.4
Printing & Publishing, Pa	per 21	15	40.0	619	188	229.3
Chemicals, Petroleum &						
Coal, Rubber	0	0	0	401	214	87.4
Stone, Clay & Glass	0	0	0	712	589	20.9
Primary Metals	0	0	0	2,953	635	365.0
Machinery & Metal						
Products, Equipment	598	28	2035.7	5,251	5,295	- 0.8
Other	4	0	100.0	111	8	1287.5

There are presently 7 major manufacturing firms in Beaver Dam and Hartford. Major firms, employment, and year started operations:

Firms	Employment	Year started operations
Beaver Dam		
Cowden-Ohio Company	236	1965
Cynthetex Corporation	95	1970
Nestaway-Coated Metallic Products,	Inc. 135	1966
Thomas Industries, Inc.	403	1966
Young Manufacturing Company	106	1946
Hartford		
Montpelier Glove Company	125	1954
State Contracting and Stone Co., Inc.	. 105	1951

Labor Supply

	Ohio County		Labor Market Area		et Area	
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Current (1973) Potential additions	1,610	580	1,030	15,170	5,770	9,400
next five years	1,807	941	866	19,349	9,833	9,516

Personal Income

Ohio County, 1971: Per Capita - \$2,585 1961: Per Capita - \$1,213

Power and Fuel

Electric Distributors	Source of Supply
Kentucky Utilities Company Green River Electric Corporation Warren RECC	Kentucky Utilities Company Big Rivers Electric Corporation TVA
Natural Gas Distributor Specif	ic Gravity Btu per cu. ft.
Beaver Dam and Hartford	
Western Kentucky Gas Company	.60 1,040

Water and Sewerage

Beaver Dam

Water: Source of treated water - Ohio County Water District; average daily use - 375,000 gallons; peak daily use - 500,000 gallons; storage capacity -250,000 gallons; size distribution lines 10, 8 and 6 in ches

Rates:	First	2,000 gallons	\$2.50
	Next	3,000 gallons	.95 per M gallons
	Next	5,000 gallons	.85 per Mgallons
	Next	15,000 gallons	.70 per M gallons
	Next	25,000 gallons	.60 per Mgallons
	All over	50,000 gallons	.55 per M gallons

Hartford

Water: Daily treatment capacity - 500,000 gallons; average daily use - 300,000 gallons; peak daily use - 360,000 gallons; storage capacity - 320,000 gallons; size distribution lines 8, 6, 4 and 2 inches

Rates:	First		7,500 gallons	\$6.00
	7,501	-	13,500 gallons	.80 per M gallons
	13,501		19,500 gallons	.70 per Mgallons
	19,501	-	25,500 gallons	.60 per Mgallons
	All over		25,501 gallons	.50 per M gallons

Note: Addition of two rapid sand filters.

Water District: Ohio County Water District

<u>Water</u>: Daily treatment capacity - 1,000,000 gallons; peak daily use 735,000 gallons; size distribution lines 10, 8, 6, 4 and 2 inches

Rates:	First	2,000 gallons	\$4.00 (Minimum bill)
	Next	8,000 gallons	1.40 per Mgallons
	Next	10,000 gallons	1.20 per M gallons
	Next	30,000 gallons	1.00 per M gallons
	Next	50,000 gallons	.80 per Mgallons
	Next	100,000 gallons	.55 per Mgallons
	Next	800,000 gallons	.40 per M gallons
	All over	1,000,000 gallons	.35 per M gallons

Note: Under the new expansion plan, for which an FHA loan has been approved, the capacity of the treatment plant will be doubled and storage capacity will be increased by 250,000 gallons.

Beaver Dam

Sewerage: Type treatment - secondary ; design population of 6,000; average daily flow 300,000 gallons; size of sewer mains - 10, 8 and 6 inches.

Rates: 50 percent of monthly water bill

Hartford

Sewerage: Type treatment - Primary (Lagoons); design population of 5,000; average daily flow 250,000 gallons; size of sewer mains - 15, 8 and 6 inches.

- Rates: 80 percent of monthly water bill for residents, apartments and trailers. Commercial rates: 50 percent of monthly water bill up to \$30 maximum.
- Note: Addition of coagulant feeder and chlorine contact chamber to lagoons; extension of sewerage service to Iron Mountain Estates.

Local Government

Beaver Dam

Business Fees and Licenses: Business license fees range from \$10 to \$75 annually, depending on the type of business.

Hartford

Business Fees and Licenses: Business license fees range from \$5 to \$25 annually, depending on the type of business.

Property Tax Rates

Property tax rates per \$100 of assessed valuation, 1973.

	Beaver Dan	<u>Hartford</u>	Ohio County
State	\$.015	\$.015	\$.015
County	.168	.168	.168
School	.372	.372	.372
City	. 300	. 400	
Total	\$.855	\$.955	\$.555
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Special: (Not county-wide) Caney Creek Watershed \$.0006

Tax for Schools

Ohio County levies a 3 percent tax on utilities receipts for schools.