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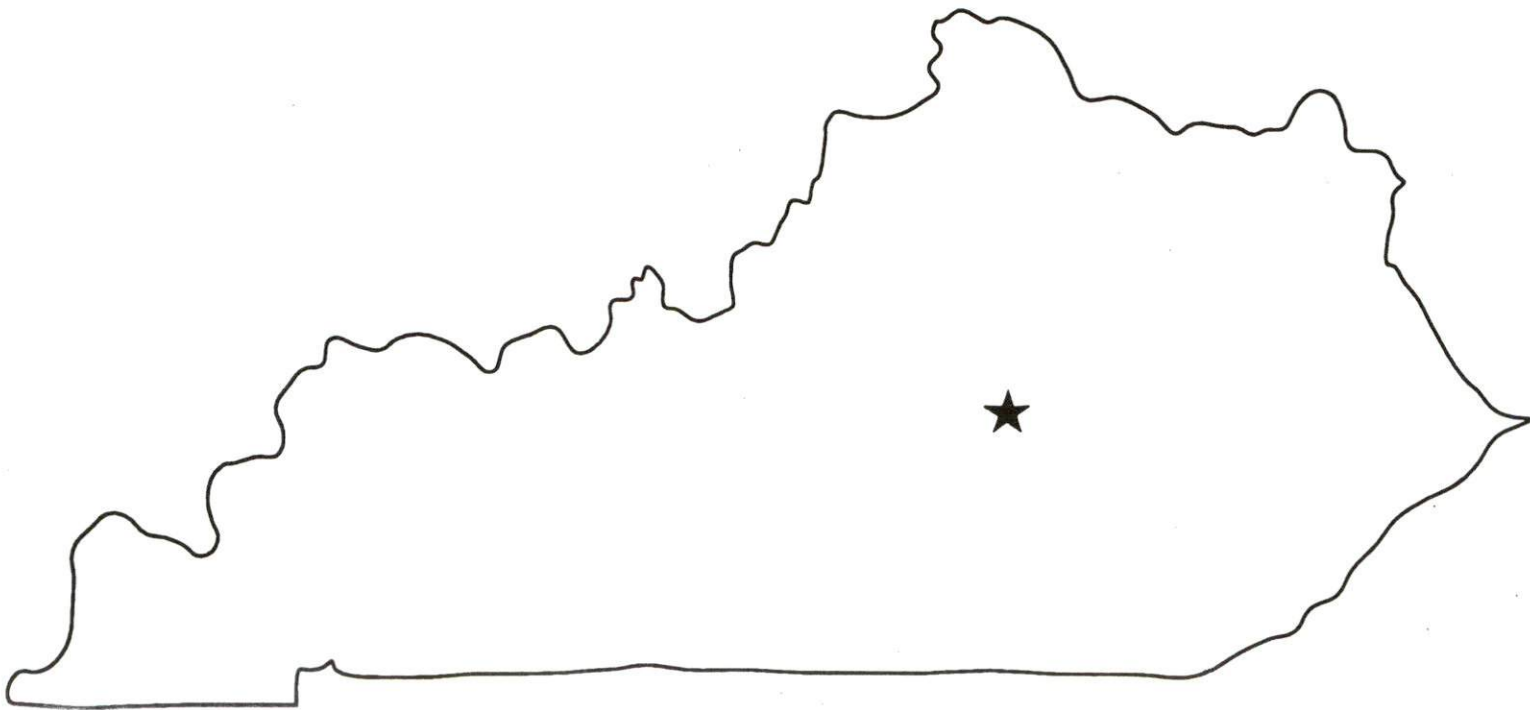
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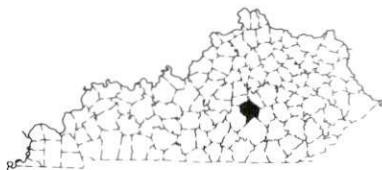
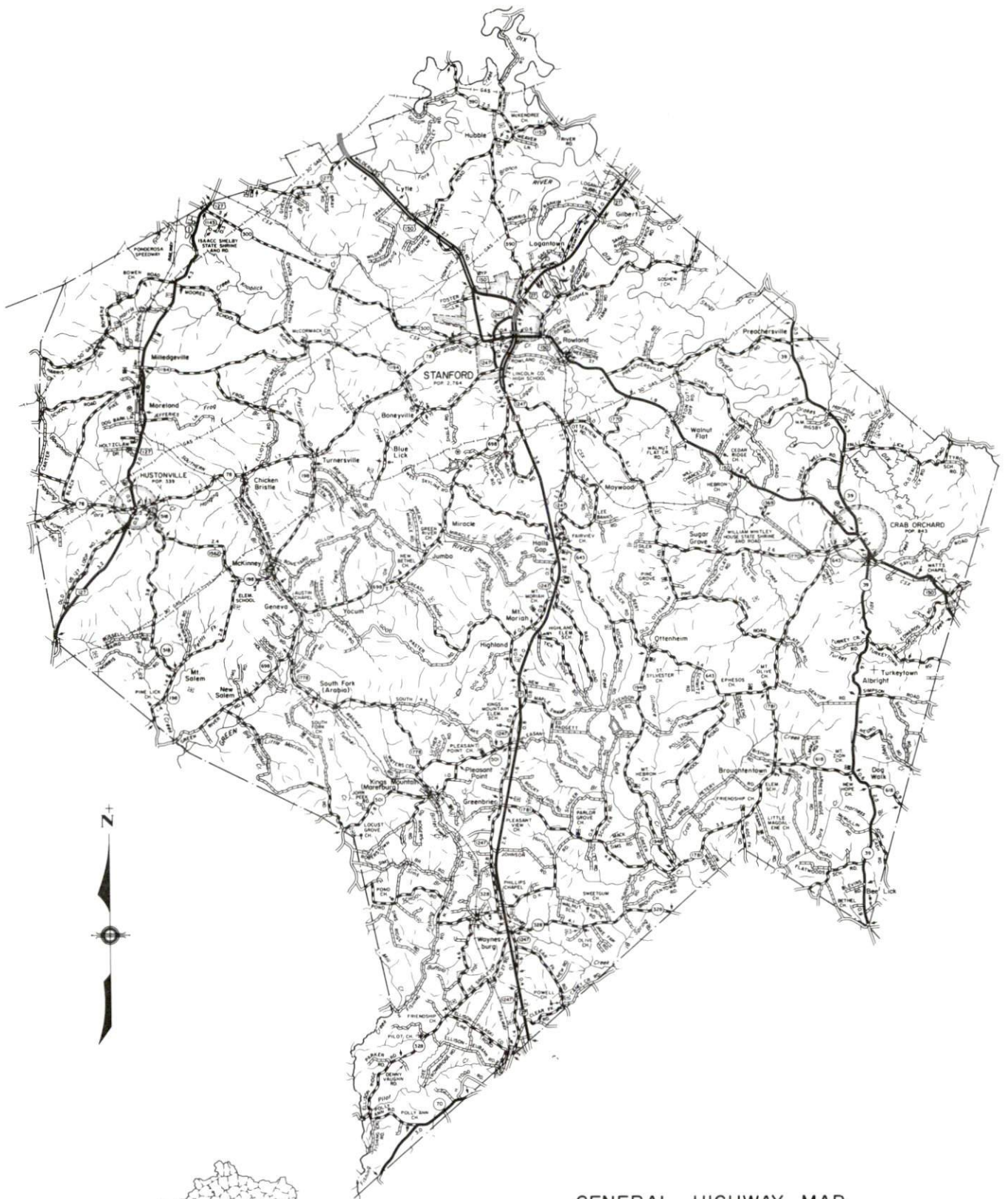
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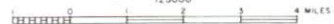
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GENERAL HIGHWAY MAP
LINCOLN COUNTY
KENTUCKY

PREPARED BY THE
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STANFORD, KENTUCKY - A RESOURCE PROFILE

Lincoln County, with a land area of 336 square miles, is located in portions of both the Outer Blue Grass and Mississippian Plateaus Regions. In 1992, Lincoln County had an estimated population of 20,481.

Stanford, the county seat of Lincoln County, is located in south central Kentucky. Stanford is located 42 miles south of Lexington, Kentucky; 93 miles southeast of Louisville, Kentucky; 120 miles south of Cincinnati, Ohio; and 144 miles north of Knoxville, Tennessee. In 1992, Stanford had an estimated population of 2,916.

The Economic Framework - The total number of Lincoln County residents employed in 1994 averaged 9,130. Manufacturing firms in the county reported 546 employees; wholesale and retail trade provided 702 jobs; 509 people were employed in service occupations; state and local government accounted for 826 employees; and contract construction firms provided 158 jobs.

Labor Supply - There is a current estimated labor supply of 11,054 persons available for industrial jobs in the labor market area. In addition, from 1996 through 2000, 9,899 young persons in the area will become 18 years of age and potentially available for industrial jobs.

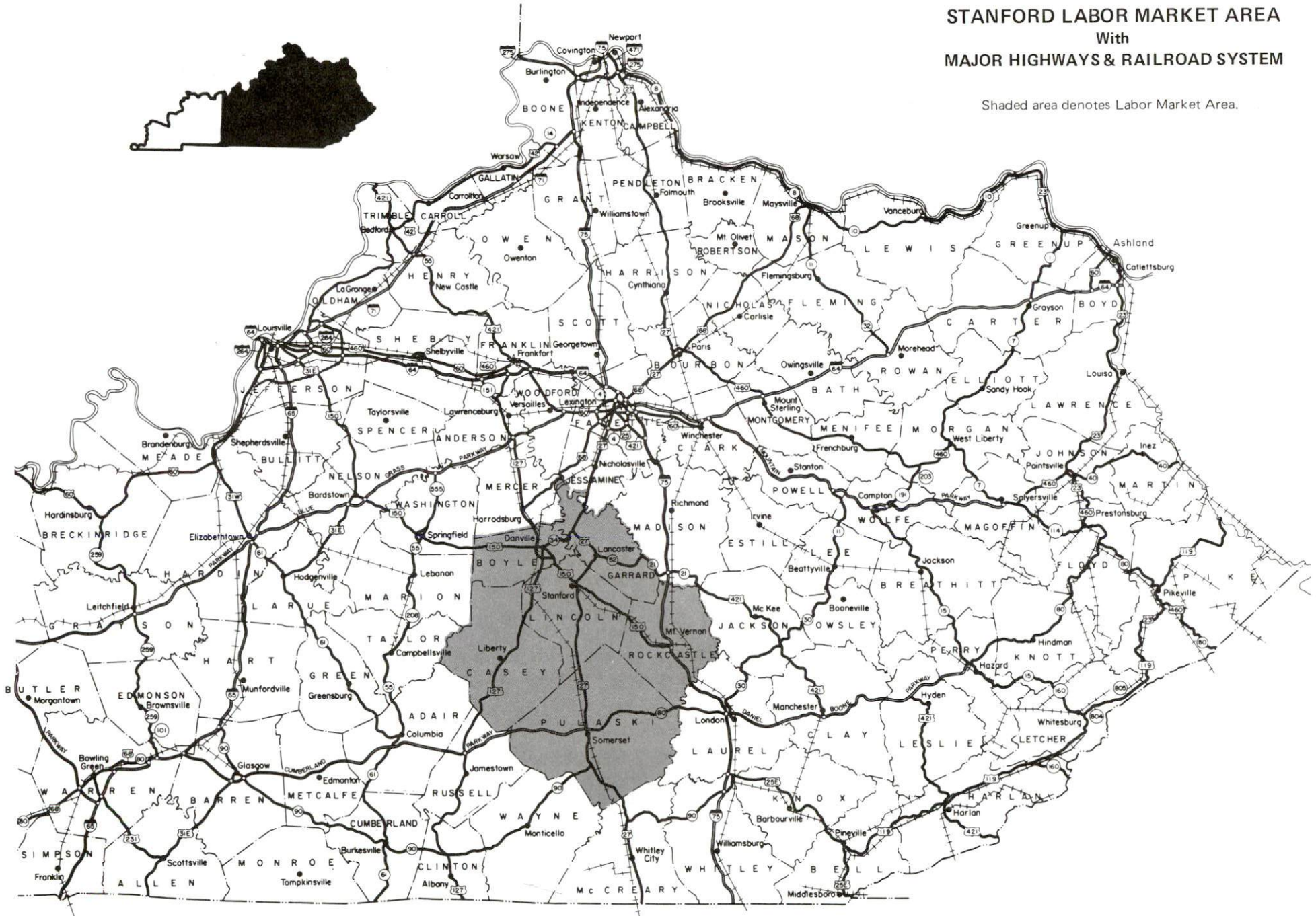
Transportation - U.S. Highways 27, 127, and 150 are "AAA"-rated trucking highways serving Lincoln County. Interstate 75, a major north-south corridor, is located 27 miles southeast of Stanford via U.S. 150. The Cumberland Parkway, an east-west multi-lane toll road located in south central Kentucky, is 34 miles south of Stanford via U.S. 27. The Blue Grass Parkway, an east-west multi-lane highway located in central Kentucky, is 36 miles north of Stanford via U.S. 150 and 127. Twenty-three trucking companies provide interstate and/or intrastate service to Stanford. Norfolk Southern Corporation provides the nearest rail service to Stanford at Danville, 11 miles northeast. The nearest scheduled commercial airline service is available at Blue Grass Airport near Lexington, 42 miles north of Stanford. Goodall Field, 8 miles northwest of Stanford, maintains two paved runways, 4,600 and 2,500 feet in length.

Power and Fuel - Electric power is provided to Stanford and parts of Lincoln County by the Kentucky Utilities Company. Lincoln County is also provided electric power by the South Kentucky Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation and the Inter-County Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation, which are supplied by East Kentucky Power. Natural gas service is provided to Stanford by the Western Kentucky Gas Company, which is supplied by the Tennessee Gas Transmission Company.

Education - Primary and secondary education is provided to Lincoln County by the Lincoln County School System. Nine institutions of higher learning are located within 45 miles of Stanford. Vocational training is available at Kentucky Tech-Somerset, 34 miles south of Stanford, and at the Garrard County Area Tech Center in Lancaster, 8 miles north of Stanford.

STANFORD LABOR MARKET AREA With MAJOR HIGHWAYS & RAILROAD SYSTEM

Shaded area denotes Labor Market Area.



LABOR MARKET STATISTICS

The Stanford Labor Market Area includes Lincoln County and the adjoining Kentucky counties of Boyle, Casey, Garrard, Pulaski, and Rockcastle.

POPULATION

	<u>1992*</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>1980</u>	<u>1970</u>
Labor Market Area	139,441	135,768	129,566	108,450
Stanford	2,916	2,686	2,764	2,474
Crab Orchard	874	825	843	861
Hustonville	333	313	339	413
Lincoln County	20,481	20,045	19,053	16,663

*Population estimates.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

POPULATION PROJECTIONS

	<u>1995</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2020</u>
Labor Market Area	145,411	153,784	164,460	172,164
Lincoln County	21,502	22,677	24,375	25,854

Note: Population projections are from High Growth Series forecast.

Source: University of Louisville, Urban Studies Center, State Data Center.

ESTIMATED LABOR SUPPLY

	<u>Current</u>			<u>Future</u>
	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unemployed</u>	<u>Not in Labor Force</u>	<u>Becoming 18 years of age 1996 thru 2000</u>
Labor Market Area*	11,054	4,657	6,397	9,899
Lincoln County	1,372	651	721	1,526

* Additional workers may be drawn from other nearby counties.

Note: Unemployed - persons unemployed and actively seeking work; Not in Labor Force - represents the number of persons who would enter the labor force if suitable employment were available (based on the assumption that persons in Kentucky would like to participate in the labor force in the same proportion that they do nationally). Underemployed persons (employed only 14 to 26 weeks during the year) are no longer included in labor surplus estimates.

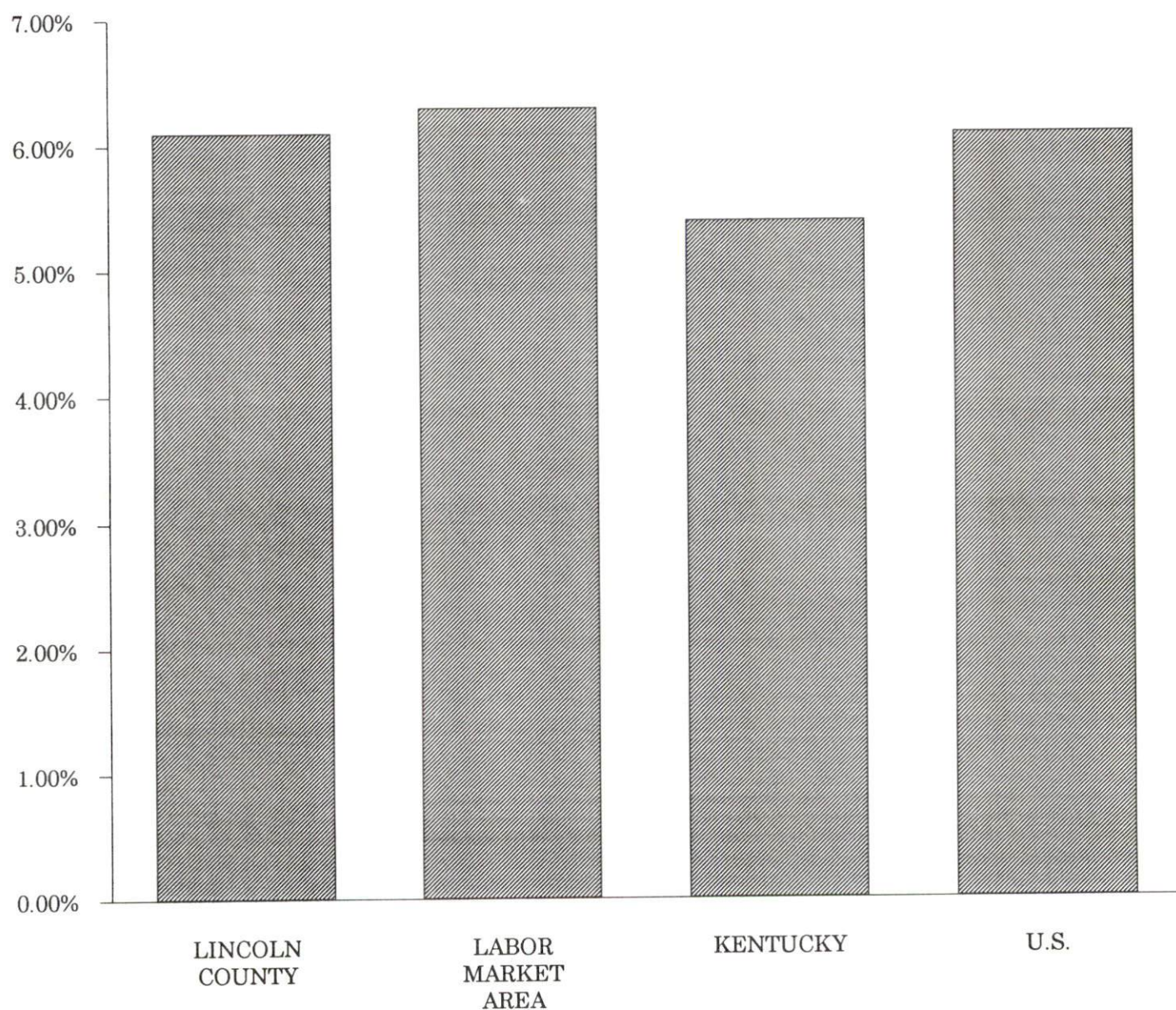
Sources: Kentucky Cabinet for Human Resources, Kentucky Labor Surplus Estimates by County, 1993. Kentucky Cabinet for Economic Development, Future Labor Supply Becoming 18 Years of Age, 1996 thru 2000.

LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS OF RESIDENTS, 1994

	<u>Lincoln County</u>	<u>Labor Market Area</u>
Civilian Labor Force	9,725	65,562
Employment	9,130	61,457
Unemployment	595	4,105
Rate of Unemployment (%)	6.1	6.3

Source: Kentucky Cabinet for Human Resources, Kentucky Labor Force Estimates, Annual Averages 1994.

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES 1994

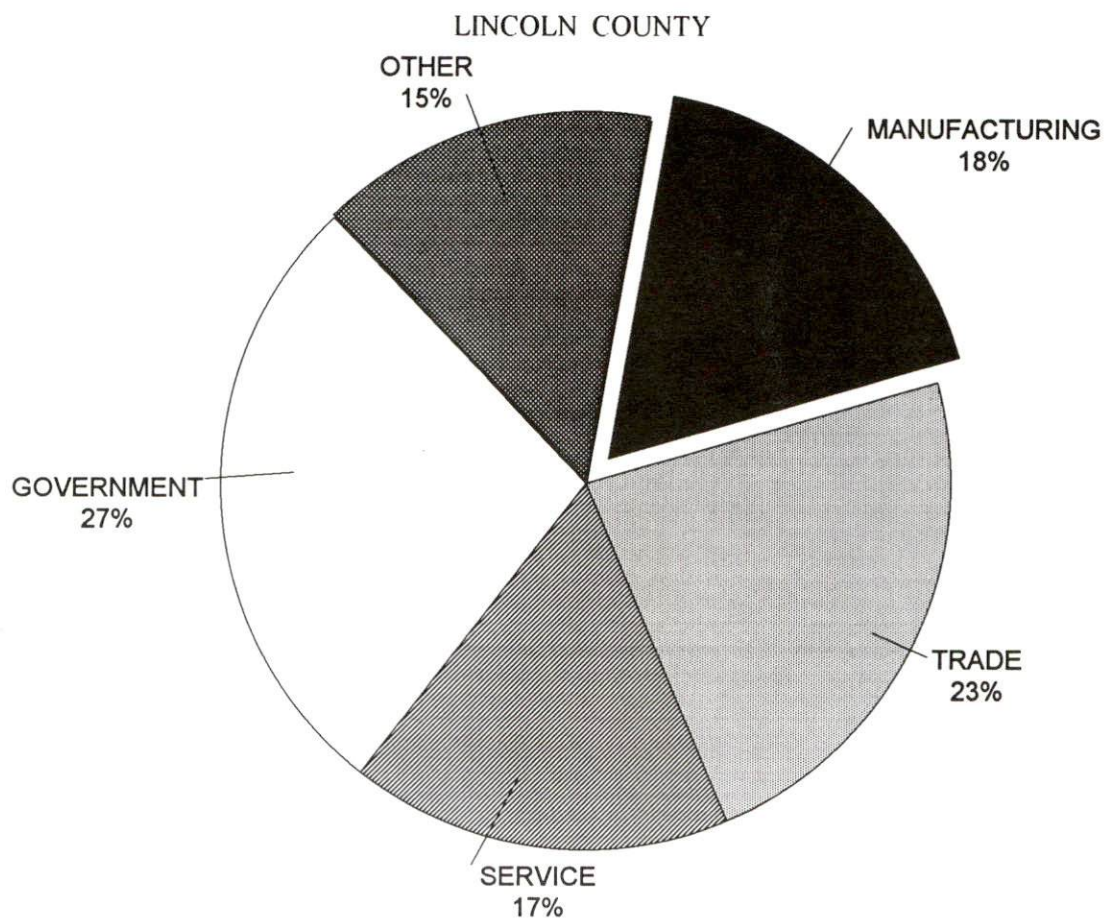


SELECTED COMPONENTS OF NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT
BY PLACE OF WORK, 1994

	<u>Lincoln County</u>	<u>Labor Market Area</u>
All Industries (total)	3,000	45,104
Manufacturing	546	11,245
Wholesale & Retail Trade	702	11,853
Services	509	9,106
State/Local Government	826	7,519
Contract Construction	158	1,726

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

Source: Kentucky Cabinet for Human Resources, Average Monthly Workers Covered by Kentucky Unemployment Insurance Law, 1994.

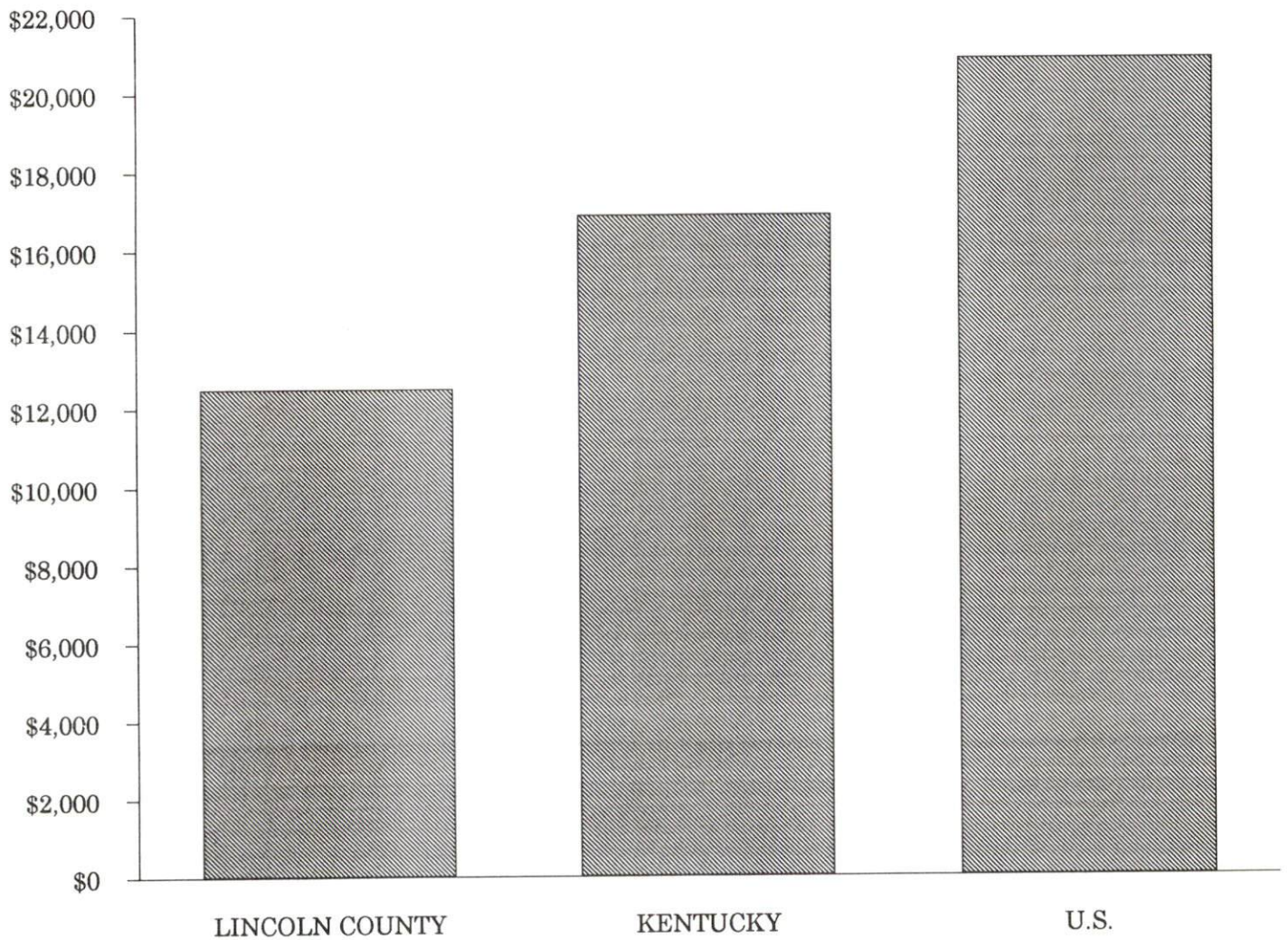


PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

<u>Area</u>	<u>1989</u>	<u>1993</u>	<u>Percent Change</u>
Lincoln County	\$9,639	\$12,491	29.6
Labor Market Area Range	\$8,993 - \$12,988	\$11,774 - \$16,149	-
Kentucky	\$13,756	\$16,889	22.8
U.S.	\$17,690	\$20,800	17.6

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, Regional Economic Information System.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME 1993



AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGES

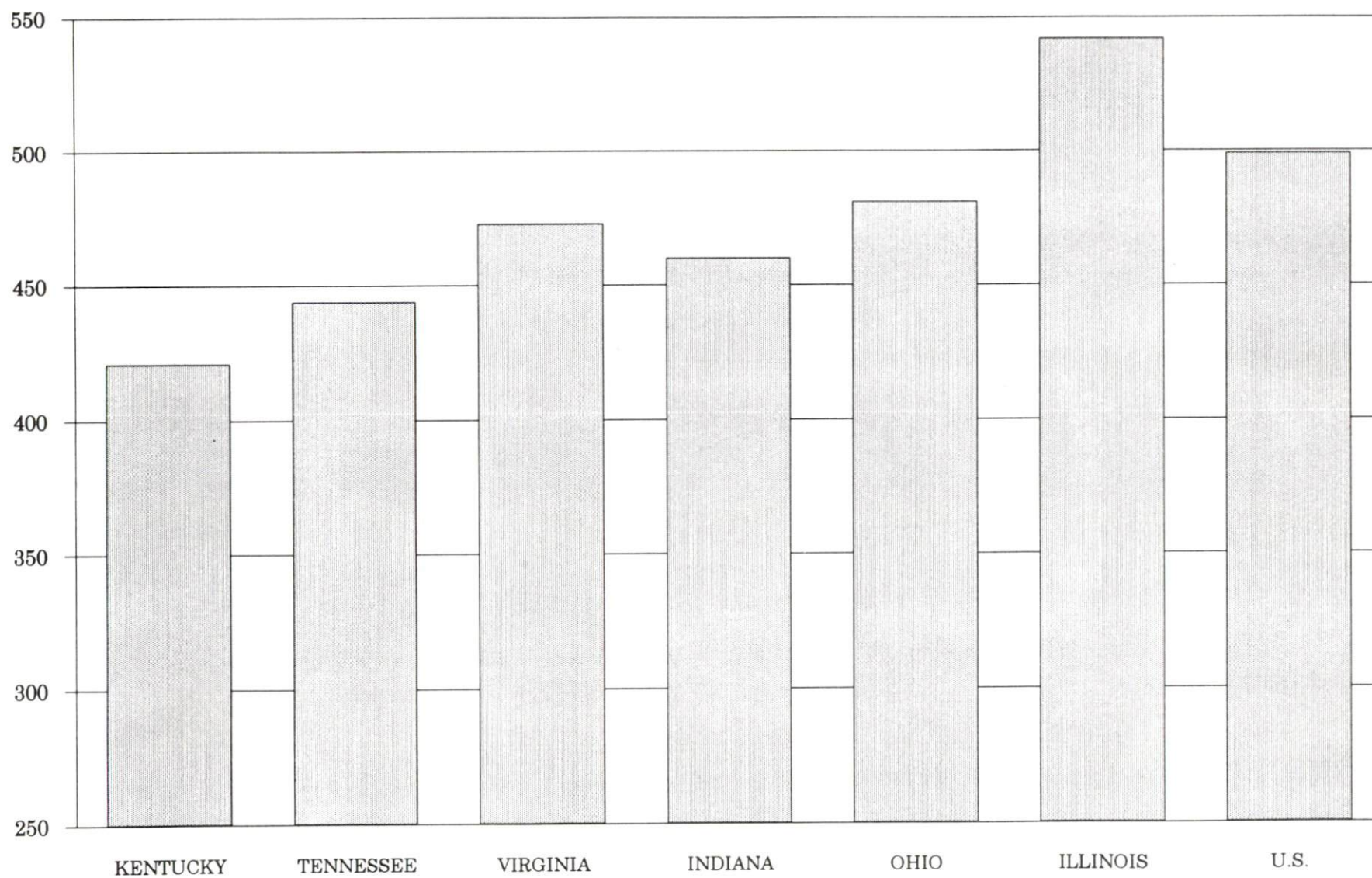
Lincoln County is served by the Danville local office of the Kentucky Department for Employment Services. The focus of the following data is on job placements made by the Danville local office and may therefore be used as an indicator of the wages which employers in the area pay new employees. During the twelve months which ended on June 30, 1995, the local employment office filled 2,052 job openings in various occupational categories. The average hourly wage for selected occupational categories were:

<u>OCCUPATIONAL CATEGORY</u>	<u>NUMBER OF PLACEMENTS</u>	<u>AVERAGE WAGE(\$)</u>
All Occupations	2,052	6.40
Clerical	178	5.00
Sales	57	5.12
Services (excluding domestic)	200	4.62
Agricultural, Fishery, Forestry, etc.	33	5.11
Processing	225	6.23
Machine Trades	547	7.05
Bench Work	520	7.08
Structural	102	6.57
Motor Freight/ Transportation	23	4.94
Packaging and Materials Handling	138	6.84
Other	2	5.00

The Danville local office also serves Boyle, Garrard, and Mercer Counties. The above occupational categories are taken from the Dictionary of Occupational Titles published by the U.S. Department of Labor.

Source: Kentucky Cabinet for Human Resources, Department for Employment Services.

**AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES OF WORKERS COVERED BY
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE - 1993**



AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES BY INDUSTRY
BY PLACE OF WORK, 1993*

	<u>Lincoln County</u>	<u>Kentucky (Statewide)</u>	<u>Tennessee</u>	<u>Virginia</u>
All Industries	\$303.13	\$421.30	\$444.00	\$473.00
Mining & Quarrying	.00	691.01	605.00	684.00
Contract Construction	290.62	440.47	467.00	464.00
Manufacturing	331.07	541.18	522.00	543.00
Transportation, Communications & Public Utilities	410.87	567.94	572.00	648.00
Wholesale & Retail Trade	201.07	287.24	N/A	N/A
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	429.84	449.89	495.00	523.00
Services	285.55	350.41	394.00	455.00
State/Local Government	371.46	413.84	N/A	N/A
	<u>Indiana</u>	<u>Ohio</u>	<u>Illinois</u>	<u>U. S.</u>
All Industries	\$460.00	\$481.00	\$542.00	\$499.00
Mining & Quarrying	757.00	645.00	738.00	816.00
Contract Construction	509.00	534.00	658.00	530.00
Manufacturing	629.00	670.00	667.00	623.00
Transportation, Communications & Public Utilities	561.00	600.00	682.00	643.00
Wholesale & Retail Trade	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	527.00	568.00	748.00	693.00
Services	391.00	422.00	494.00	475.00
State/Local Government	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

* Wages for U.S. and surrounding states rounded to nearest dollar.

N/A Not Available.

Note: The average weekly wage for each category includes the salaries and wages of all persons working for that type business. For example, the manufacturing category includes both production workers and administrative personnel. Excludes domestic workers, railway workers, certain nonprofit corporations, majority of federal government workers, and self-employed workers.

Source: Kentucky Cabinet for Human Resources, Average Weekly Wages of Workers Covered by Kentucky Unemployment Insurance Law, 1993. U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Employment and Wages, Annual Averages, 1993, October, 1994.

EXISTING INDUSTRY

LINCOLN COUNTY MANUFACTURING FIRMS, THEIR PRODUCTS AND EMPLOYMENT

<u>Firm</u> <u>(Establishment date)</u>	<u>Product</u>	<u>1994</u> <u>Average Employment</u>
Stanford		
Ceramichrome, Inc. (1977)	Hobby craft paint, plaster molds, ceramic bodies and colors	96
Cherokee Manufacturing (1960)	Truck beds, trailers	6
E.D. Bullard Company, Stanford Plant (1988)	Industrial and firefighter head protection	65
Griffen Concrete (1978)	Septic and water tanks	6
Hyden Printing (1994)	Printing	2
H.K.M. Friction, Inc. (1989)	Automotive disc brakes	286
Kool Pools (1994)	Fiberglass swimming pools	2
Lincoln County Pallet Company (1972)	Wood pallets	35
Lincoln County Ready Mix, Inc. (1978)	Ready-mixed concrete, concrete septic tanks	11
Lincoln Tool & Die Company (1978)	Machine shop, tool and dies	28
Schoma, Inc. (1987)	Commercial printing	3
Stanford Monument Works (1916)	Monuments	6
Stanford Ready Mix & Auto Sales, Inc. (1957)	Ready-mixed concrete	10
Stanford Wood Products Company, Inc. (1947)	Plastic laminated furniture, contract furniture, conference tables, wood store fixtures, bank interiors	29
The Interior Journal (1860)	Newspaper, job printing	7
Tillets Uniform, Inc. (1984)	Choir robes, flags, band uniforms	21
Um-Attire, Inc. (1994)	Sports clothing, custom imprinting	2
Crab Orchard		
Genton Tool & Die, Inc. (1983)	Machine parts, CNC machining, dies, jigs and fixtures	7

(Continued)

<u>Firm</u> <u>(Establishment date)</u>	<u>Product</u>	<u>1994</u> <u>Average Employment</u>
Eubank		
Monroe Pallet (1965)	Wood pallets	50
R.M. Bastin Lumber Company (1983)	Pallets, wood products, kiln dried lumber	42
Hustonville		
Burch Hester Feed Store (1950)	Feed	2
Cargill, Inc. (1984)	Fertilizer blending	3
Watson Manufacturing Company (1989)	Gates	20
Waynesburg		
Field Brothers Lumber Company (1955)	Pallet lumber	6
Lincoln County Pallet, Inc. (1972)	Wood pallets	35

Sources: Kentucky Cabinet for Economic Development, Division of Research; Stanford-Lincoln County Industrial Development Authority and Chamber of Commerce.

LABOR ORGANIZATIONS IN MANUFACTURING FIRMS

There are currently no labor organizations representing workers in Lincoln County manufacturing firms.

SELECTED INDUSTRIAL SERVICES

<u>Types of Services</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Mileage from Stanford</u>
Custom Plastics Producers	Danville, Kentucky	11
	Mt. Vernon, Kentucky	25
Electric Motor Repair	Danville, Kentucky	11
	Eubank, Kentucky	20
Heat Treating Facilities	Richmond, Kentucky	32
Industrial Waste Removal	Danville, Kentucky	11
Machine Shops, Tool & Die	Stanford, Kentucky	-
Metal Castings	Cynthiana, Kentucky	71
Metal Finishers	Richmond, Kentucky	32
Metal Service Centers	Junction City, Kentucky	10
Millwrights & Riggers	Nicholasville, Kentucky	30
	Lexington, Kentucky	42

Sources: Kentucky Cabinet for Economic Development, Division of Research.

TRANSPORTATION

Highways

Lincoln County is served directly by U.S. Highways 27, 127, and 150, all "AAA"-rated (80,000-pound gross load limit) trucking highways. Interstate 75, a major north-south corridor, is located 27 miles southeast of Stanford via U.S. 150. The Cumberland Parkway, an east-west multi-lane toll road located in south central Kentucky, is 34 miles south of Stanford via U.S. 27. The Bluegrass Parkway, an east-west multi-lane highway located in central Kentucky, is 36 miles north of Stanford via U.S. 150 and 127.

HIGHWAY MILES FROM STANFORD, KENTUCKY, TO SELECTED MARKET CENTERS

City	Highway Miles	City	Highway Miles
Atlanta, GA	327	Los Angeles, CA	2,167
Baltimore, MD	580	Louisville, KY	93
Birmingham, AL	350	Nashville, TN	191
Chicago, IL	353	New Orleans, LA	711
Cincinnati, OH	120	New York, NY	760
Cleveland, OH	367	Pittsburgh, PA	380
Detroit, MI	374	St. Louis, MO	353
Knoxville, TN	144		

Note: Mileage computations are via the best interstate or primary highways, not necessarily the most direct route of travel.

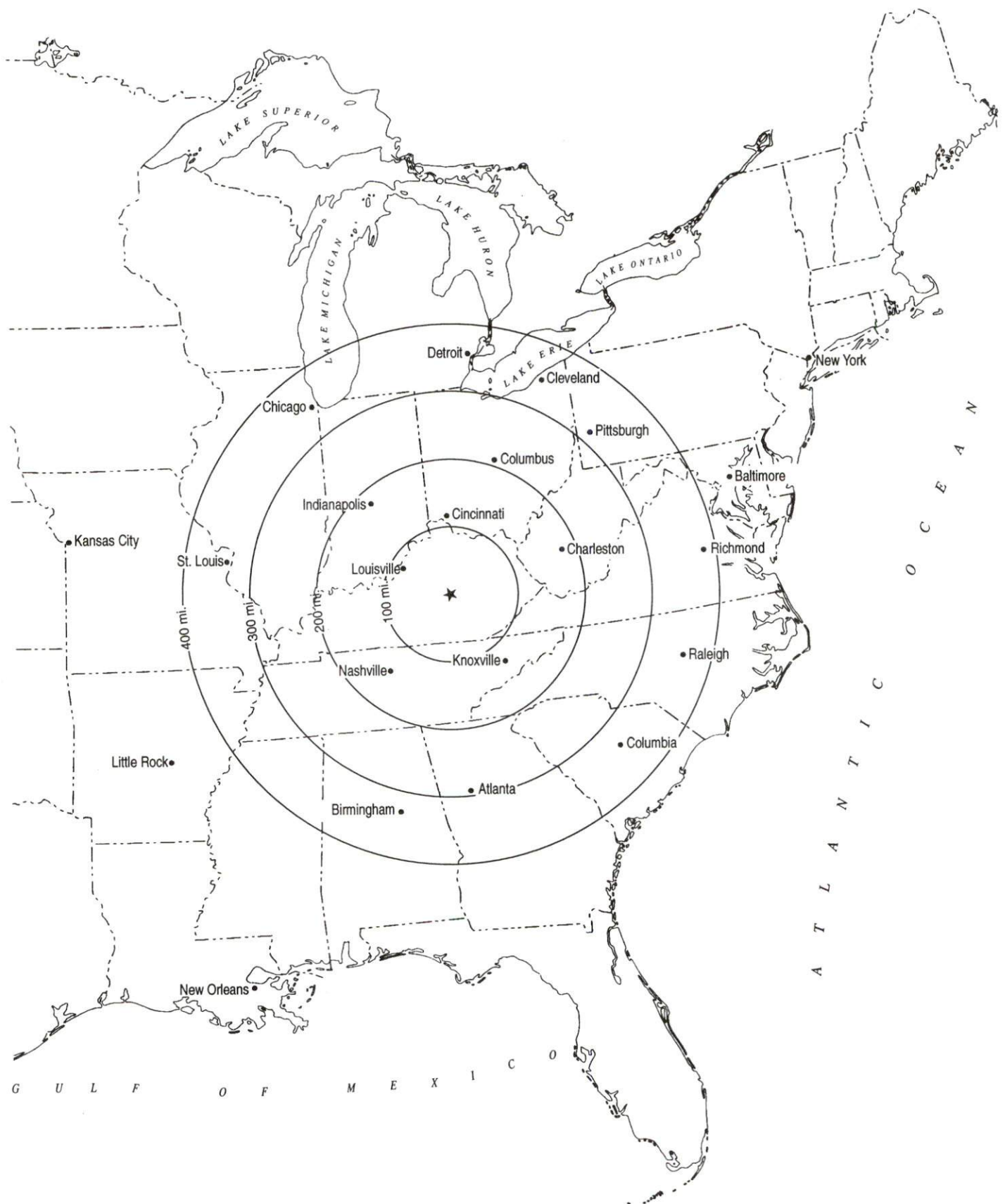
Sources: Rand McNally Standard Highway Mileage Guide, 1990. Official Kentucky Mileage Map, 1988.

Truck Service

There are currently twenty-three common carrier trucking companies that provide interstate and/or intrastate service to Stanford.

Source: American Motor Carrier Directory, Spring 1995.

Selected Market Centers



Rail

The nearest rail service is provided at Danville, 11 miles northeast of Stanford, by the Norfolk Southern Corporation. The nearest intermodal facilities are also provided by Norfolk Southern at Georgetown, 58 miles north of Stanford.

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

Industrial Development Manager
Norfolk Southern Corporation
Industrial Development Department
The Tower Suite 2904
611 Commerce Street
Nashville, Tennessee 37203
(615) 254-3398

Air

Nearest Small Craft Airport

Location:	Goodall Field
Runways:	8 miles northwest of Stanford
Length:	2 paved
Traffic	4,600 feet; 2,500 feet
Control:	Wind sock, unicom, non-directional beacon
Lighting:	Rotating beacon (dusk to dawn), VASI
Services:	100LL and Jet-A fuel; minor A & P repairs; hangar and tie downs; flight instruction; aircraft rental; car rental

Nearest Scheduled Commercial Airline Service

Location:	Blue Grass Airport
	4 miles west of Lexington, Kentucky;
	42 miles north of Stanford
Air Service:	American Eagle, ASA, ComAir, Delta, Northwest Airlink, TW Express, United Express, USAir, USAir Express
Daily Arrivals & Departures:	176

UTILITIES

Electricity

Company serving **Stanford and parts of Lincoln County** - Kentucky Utilities Company
Source of power - Kentucky Utilities Company
For industrial rates contact:

Economic Development Department
Kentucky Utilities Company
One Quality Street
Lexington, Kentucky 40507
(606) 255-2100

Company serving **parts of Lincoln County** - Inter-County Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation and South Kentucky Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation
Source of power - East Kentucky Power
For industrial rates contact:

Industrial Development Department
East Kentucky Power
P.O. Box 707
Winchester, Kentucky 40392-0707
(606) 744-4812

and/or

Inter-County Rural Electric
Cooperative Corporation
P.O. Box 87
Danville, Kentucky 40423-0087
(606) 236-4561 Fax #(606) 236-3627

and/or

South Kentucky Rural Electric
Cooperative Corporation
P.O. Box 910
Somerset, Kentucky 42502
(606) 678-4121 Fax #(606) 679-8279

Natural Gas

Company serving **Stanford** - Western Kentucky Gas Company
Source of supply - Tennessee Gas Transmission Company
For rates and supplies contact:

Western Kentucky Gas Company
P.O. Box 866
Owensboro, Kentucky 42302-0866
(502) 685-8069

Public Water Supply

Company serving **Stanford** - Stanford Water Company
P.O. Box 45
Stanford, Kentucky 40484
(606) 365-4512

Source -	Reservoirs
Treatment plant capacity -	900,000 gallons per day
Average daily consumption -	700,000 gallons
Peak daily consumption -	850,000 gallons
Storage capacity -	800,000 gallons
Water pressure -	40 psi to 100 psi

The \$1.5 million Pine Hall Waterline Expansion project will be completed in October 1995 and will expand storage capacity to 1.0 million gallons per day. The project will also extend waterlines 30 miles into eastern Lincoln County. A \$1.8 million planned water plant expansion will be completed by October 1997 and will increase treatment plant capacity to 3.0 million gallons per day. A feasibility study has been completed for the development of Cedar Creek Lake, a 780-acre lake, that will serve as an additional source of raw water.

Sewerage

Company serving **Stanford** - City of Stanford Waterworks
P.O. Box 45
Stanford, Kentucky 40484
(606) 365-4510

Design capacity -	800,000 gallons per day
Average daily flow -	491,740 gallons
Type of treatment -	Secondary
Treated effluent discharged into -	Logan Creek

A slip lining and sewer line replacement project is planned for Fiscal Year 1995-1996 at an estimated cost of \$186,000.

CLIMATE

Lincoln County

Temperature

Normal (30-year record)	54.90 degrees
Average annual 1993	55.00 degrees
Record highest, July 1988 (49-year record)	103.00 degrees
Record lowest, January 1963 (49-year record)	-21.00 degrees
Normal heating degree days (30-year record)	4,814
(Heating degree day totals are the sums of negative departures of average daily temperatures from 65 degrees F.)	

Precipitation

Normal (30-year record)	45.68 inches
Mean annual snowfall (49-year record)	15.70 inches
Total precipitation 1993	45.58 inches
Mean number days precipitation (.01 inch or more) (49-year record)	130.00
Mean number days thunderstorms (49-year record)	44.60

Prevailing Winds (through 1963)

South

Relative Humidity (30-year record, except 1 a.m. - 29-year record)

1 a.m.	77 percent
7 a.m.	82 percent
1 p.m.	60 percent
7 p.m.	64 percent

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Environmental Science Services Administration, Climatological Data, 1993. Station of record: Lexington, Kentucky.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Structure

The city of Stanford is served by a mayor and six council members. The mayor is elected to a four-year term and the council members serve two-year terms. Lincoln County is served by a county judge/executive and four magistrates. The county judge/executive and magistrates serve four-year terms.

Planning and Zoning

City agency - City of Stanford Planning Commission

Zoning enforced - Within city limits

Subdivision regulations enforced - Within city limits and two miles beyond

Local codes enforced - Building and housing

Mandatory state codes enforced - Kentucky Plumbing Code, National Electric Code, Kentucky Boiler Regulations and Standards, Kentucky Building Code (modeled after BOCA code)

Local Fees and Licenses

The City of Stanford levies a business license tax which ranges from \$5 to \$500 annually. Manufacturing firms are not charged a fee during the first five years of operation. After the fifth year, manufacturing firms with less than 25 employees are levied \$100 per year and firms with more than 25 employees are levied a tax of \$300 per year.

PROPERTY TAXES

The Kentucky Constitution requires the state to tax all classes of taxable property, and state statutes allow local jurisdictions to tax only a few classes. All locally taxed property is subject to county taxes and school district taxes (either a county school district or an independent school district). Property located inside of city limits may also be subject to city property taxes.

Special local taxing jurisdictions (fire protection districts, watershed districts, and sanitation districts) levy taxes within their operating areas (usually a small portion of community or county).

Property assessments in Kentucky are at 100% fair cash value. Accounts receivable are taxed at 85% of face value.

STATE PROPERTY TAX RATES PER \$100 VALUATION

<u>Selected Classes of Property</u>	<u>1994 State Rate</u>	<u>Local Taxation Permitted</u>
Real Estate	\$0.172	YES
Manufacturing Machinery	0.150	NO
Pollution Control Equipment	0.150	NO
Inventories		
Raw Materials	0.050	NO
Goods in Process	0.050	NO
Finished Goods	0.050	YES
Motor Vehicles	0.450	YES
Other Tangible Personal Property	0.450	YES
Intangibles (Accounts Receivable, Money on Hand)	0.250	NO

LOCAL PROPERTY TAX RATES PER \$100 VALUATION, 1994

<u>Taxing Jurisdiction</u>	<u>Real Estate</u>	<u>Finished Goods & Tangibles</u>	<u>Motor Vehicles</u>
Lincoln County	\$0.1638	\$0.1657	\$0.2540
School Districts:			
Lincoln County	0.4070	0.4070	0.5420
Cities:			
Stanford	0.1400	0.1600	0.1400
Crab Orchard	0.1700	0.3200	0.1800
Hustonville	0.1500	0.1500	0.1840

EDUCATION

Public Schools

Lincoln County

Total Enrollment (Fall, 1994)	3,887
Pupil-Teacher Ratio (1991-92)	16.7-1
Percent High School Graduates to College (1991-92)	49.6
Expenditures Per Pupil (1991-92)	\$3,424.13

The Lincoln County School System is constructing a new \$4.3 million elementary school with plans for completion by Fall of 1997.

Area Colleges and Universities

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location (Miles distant)</u>	<u>Enrollment (Fall, 1993)</u>
Centre College	Danville, Kentucky (11)	949
Berea College	Berea, Kentucky (30)	1,591
Eastern Kentucky University	Richmond, Kentucky (32)	16,391
Somerset Community College	Somerset, Kentucky (34)	2,813
Asbury College	Wilmore, Kentucky (35)	1,155
Saint Catharine College	Springfield, Kentucky (38)	386
Lexington Community College	Lexington, Kentucky (42)	5,046
Transylvania University	Lexington, Kentucky (42)	917
University of Kentucky	Lexington, Kentucky (42)	24,288

VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL TRAINING

Kentucky Tech schools are operated by the Cabinet for Workforce Development and provide secondary (Sec) and postsecondary (P/S) vocational-technical training.

<u>Kentucky Tech Schools</u>	<u>Location (Mileage from Stanford)</u>	<u>Number of Program Offerings</u>	<u>Cumulative Enrollment 1994-1995</u>	<u>Approximate Number Completing Long Term Programs Annually</u>
Danville School of Health Occupations	Danville (11)	2	<u>Sec</u> <u>P/S</u> 77 132	72
Garrard County Area Tech Center	Lancaster (8)	6	<u>Sec</u> <u>PS</u> 532 23	60
Kentucky Tech-Somerset	Somerset (34)	13	<u>Sec</u> <u>P/S</u> 154 1,033	96

Customized Training

The Kentucky Tech system, through its Training and Development Coordinators, will provide technical assistance and will identify and develop low-cost customized training programs and services for existing, as well as new and expanding businesses and industries. Businesses and industries needing customized training or a continuing education program for its employees should contact a Training and Development Coordinator located at Kentucky Tech-Somerset, 230 Airport Road, Somerset, Kentucky 42501 (606) 677-4049.

Assessment Services

Kentucky Tech Career Connections offers to business, education, and government agencies customized assessment in career inventories, interest inventories, psychomotor skills and academic potential as well as pre-hire assessment. The Career Connections Assessment Center is located on the campus of Kentucky Tech-Somerset, 714 Airport Road, Somerset, Kentucky 42501 (606) 679-4303.

Tech Prep

Tech Prep is a combined secondary and postsecondary program of studies that leads to an associate degree or diploma in a technical field. Garrard County Area Tech Center offers programs in automotive technology, carpentry, drafting, electricity, welding and health services.

Adult Education Services

Adult education programs are available to adults who want to develop new skills, improve basic skills or earn a high school equivalency diploma. In Stanford, adult literacy is provided through the Lincoln County Literacy Council, Inc. and through the Lincoln County Board of Education.

Bluegrass State Skills Corporation

The Bluegrass State Skills Corporation, an independent public corporation created and funded by the Kentucky General Assembly, provides programs of skills training to meet the needs of business and industry from entry level to advanced training, and from upgrading present employees to retraining experienced workers.

The Bluegrass State Skills Corporation is a major source for skills training assistance for a new or existing company. The Corporation works in partnership with other employment and job training resources and programs, as well as Kentucky's economic development activities, to package a program customized to meet the specific needs of a company.

OTHER LOCAL FACILITIES

Local Medical Personnel

Physicians - 6
Dentists - 3

Hospitals

<u>General Hospital</u>	<u>Location (miles from Stanford)</u>	<u>Beds</u>
Fort Logan Hospital	Stanford	73
Ephraim McDowell Regional Medical Center	Danville (11)	117

Fort Logan Hospital

Medical staff - 6 active physicians, 33 courtesy physicians

Ephraim McDowell Regional Medical Center

Medical staff - 56 physicians, 131 registered nurses, 73 licensed practical nurses

Other Medical Facilities and Services

Lincoln County Health Department
Southern Bluegrass Division of the Blue Grass
Mental-Health Retardation Board, Inc.
Stanford House Nursing Home
Stanford-Lincoln County Rescue Squads (6)
Mid-County Rescue Squad

Banks and Savings & Loan Associations

Lincoln Federal Savings Bank
First Southern National Bank of Lincoln County
Peoples Bank of Hustonville (Stanford Branch)

Newspapers

The Interior Journal (weekly)
Lincoln Ledger (weekly)

Telephone

South Central Bell
GTE (Hustonville)

RECREATION

Local

The Stanford-Lincoln County Recreational Park, located adjacent to the Lincoln County High School, contains four tennis courts, lighted playground, water fountain, and a softball field.

The Lincoln County Farm Bureau Center and Fairgrounds is the location of various activities for the youth and adults of Stanford. The Lincoln County Fair and Horse Show are among events held there. The Fair has been ranked as one of the top ten most progressive fairs (of all types) in the state and received the 1994 All Kentucky Fair award. The horse show has been ranked one of the top three one-night shows.

The Lions Club Recreational Park, a 15-acre facility, features two little league baseball fields.

The new Logan-Hubble Memorial Recreation Park is now open although additional facilities are still under construction.

A feasibility study has been completed for the development of Cedar Creek Lake, a 780-acre lake, that will serve as an additional source of raw water and be utilized for recreational purposes.

The Dix River Country Club provides an 18-hole golf course, two tennis courts, and a swimming pool for its members. Other private recreational facilities include a drive-in theatre and two tennis courts.

The Harvey Helm Museum provides historical records, genealogical records, and a collection of historical articles.

William Whitley House State Historic Site is southeast of Stanford. The Whitley house was the first brick house constructed west of the Alleghenies in 1788. The first circular racetrack was built there, using clay instead of turf in contrast with British tracks, and races were run counter clockwise instead of clockwise. The park is on a 10-acre site with a picnic area, playground equipment, and a gift shop.

Other special events in Lincoln County include Hustonville Heritage Day held the 3rd weekend of June, the Crab Orchard Homecoming held during the July 4th weekend, and Waynesburg Pioneer Days held the 3rd weekend in September.

Area (Within 45 miles)

Constitution Square State Historic Site
Isaac Shelby State Historic Site
Old Fort Harrod State Park
Perryville Battlefield State Historic Site
Herrington Lake
Shaker Village of Pleasant Hill
Waveland State Historic Site
Lincoln Homestead State Park
General Burnside State Park
White Hall State Historic Site