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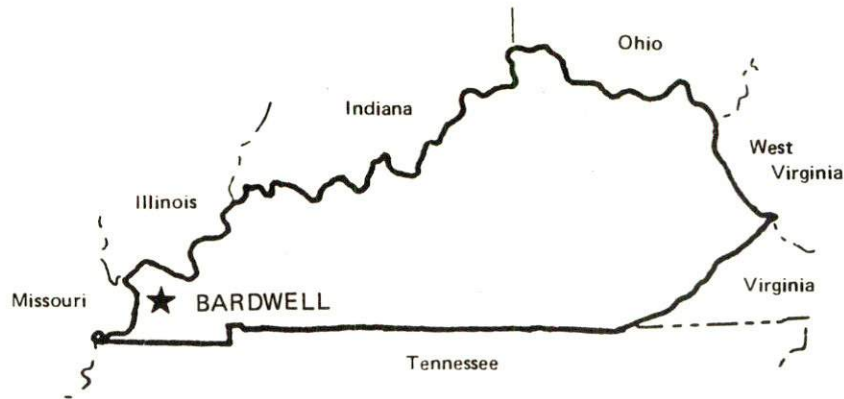
Carlisle County

**A summary
of resources
Bardwell, Ky.**



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SUMMARY OF INDUSTRIAL RESOURCES
BARDWELL, KENTUCKY



POPULATION: 1980: Bardwell - 988
1980: Carlisle County - 5,487; Labor Market Area - 115,709

BARDWELL LABOR MARKET AREA: Includes Carlisle, Ballard, Graves, Hickman and McCracken Counties.

LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS OF RESIDENTS, 1980:

	<u>Carlisle County</u>	<u>Labor Market Area</u>
Civilian Labor Force	<u>2,287</u>	<u>57,044</u>
Employment	<u>2,016</u>	<u>51,843</u>
Agricultural	<u>225</u>	<u>2,135</u>
Nonagricultural	<u>1,791</u>	<u>49,708</u>
Unemployment	<u>271</u>	<u>5,201</u>
Rate of Unemployment (%)	<u>11.8</u>	<u>9.1</u>

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME 1979:

Carlisle County	<u>\$6,020</u>
Labor Market Area Range	<u>\$8,169 - 6,020</u>

ESTIMATED AVAILABLE LABOR SUPPLY, 1979:

Carlisle County	<u>819 Male</u>	<u>583 Female</u>
Labor Market Area	<u>6,492 Male</u>	<u>5,175 Female</u>

CARLISLE COUNTY MANUFACTURING PLANTS:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Product</u>	<u>Employment</u>
<u>Bardwell</u>		
The Carlisle County News	Newspaper, job printing	4
Ford Construction Company	Ready-mixed concrete, water tanks	3
<u>Arlington</u>		
Denna Products Company	Lamps, residential	121
<u>Cunningham</u>		
National Ceramics	Ceramic lamp bases	25
Partin Sausage Company	Sausage	6

LABOR ORGANIZATIONS:

There are no unions representing manufacturing workers in Carlisle County at the present time.

TRANSPORTATION:

Rail: Bardwell is served by the Illinois Central Gulf Railroad. Services include 15-20 southbound and northbound freights daily with no regularly scheduled stops at present; siding space for about 200 cars; nearest piggyback facilities located at Paducah, 30 miles northeast of Bardwell.

Highways: Major highways serving Bardwell are U.S. 62 and U.S. 51. The Purchase Parkway is 28 miles southeast of Bardwell via U.S. 51 and Kentucky 80, and Interstate 24 is 30 miles to the northeast via U.S. 62.

Road Distance in Miles:

Atlanta	<u>399</u>	Baltimore	<u>824</u>	Chicago	<u>394</u>
Detroit	<u>603</u>	New York	<u>986</u>	St. Louis	<u>173</u>

Truck: Common carrier truck service is provided to Bardwell by four trucking companies providing interstate service only and three trucking companies providing both interstate and intrastate service.

Water: The nearest navigable river is the Mississippi River which forms the western boundary of Carlisle County. Port facilities on the Mississippi River are available at the Hickman-Fulton County Riverport, 27 miles southwest of Bardwell. Port facilities on the Ohio River are available at the Paducah-McCracken County Riverport, 30 miles northeast of Bardwell.

Air: The nearest scheduled airline service is at Barkley Regional Airport at Paduach, 30 miles away. Airlines serving this airport are Allegheny Commuter and Air Illinois (commuter). There is a local airport at Paducah, Farrington Airport, with a paved runway.

UTILITIES:

Electricity: Bardwell is served by Bardwell City Utilities and the source of power is Kentucky Utilities Company. Carlisle County is served by Hickman-Fulton RECC, Jackson Purchase RECC and West Kentucky RECC. A small portion of Carlisle County is served by Kentucky Utilities Company.

Natural Gas: Commonwealth Service Corporation provides natural gas to Bardwell and the source of supply is Truckline Gas Company.

Other Fuels: There are 3 propane distributors in the Bardwell area and one distributor of distillate fuel oil.

WATER AND SEWERAGE:

Water: Bardwell City Utilities provides water service to the city and the source of supply is wells. The treatment plant capacity is 225,000 gallons per day and average daily consumption is 125,000 gallons. Peak daily consumption reaches 140,000 gallons. Storage capacity is 100,000 gallons.

Sewerage: Bardwell City Utilities provides sewerage service to the city. The design capacity of the treatment plant is 90,000 gallons per day. The average daily flow is 62,000 gallons and treatment is secondary.

GOVERNMENT STRUCTURE:

City: Bardwell is served by a mayor elected to a four-year term and six council persons elected to two-year terms.

County: Carlisle County is served by a county judge/executive and four magistrates elected to four-year terms.

TAXES:

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

	<u>Inside City of Bardwell</u>	<u>Outside City</u>
1. Land and buildings	\$0.883	\$0.623
2. Mfg. machinery, raw materials, goods in process, pollution control equipment	0.150	0.150
3. Finished goods, office equipment, vehicles, other tangibles	1.092	0.832
4. Intangibles (accounts receivable, notes, bonds, etc.)	0.250	0.250
5. Leaseholds in industrial revenue bond financed plants	0.015	0.015

EDUCATION: Students in Bardwell are served by the Carlisle County School System. Total enrollment in the county schools is 1,105 with 508 elementary, 245 middle school, and 352 high school students. A state vocational-technical school and an area vocational education center are located at Paducah, 30 miles from Bardwell.

COMMUNICATIONS:

Telephone: Continental Telephone Company of Kentucky serves Bardwell with standard services.

Telegraph: A Western Union toll-free number is available for sending mailgrams, international and telegram messages. The number is (800) 325-5100.

Newspaper: The Carlisle County News is published weekly and circulation is 2,150.

Television: Major television networks are received without cable from Paducah, Kentucky; Cape Girardeau, Missouri; and Harrisburg, Illinois.

OTHER LOCAL FACILITIES:

Hospitals: The Clinton-Hickman County Hospital is located at Clinton, 15 miles from Bardwell. Facilities include 41 acute and 46 intermediate care beds.

Churches: Three Christian denominations (Baptist, Christian and Methodist) are represented in Bardwell.

Financial Institutions: The Bardwell Deposit Bank provides financial services to the community.

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