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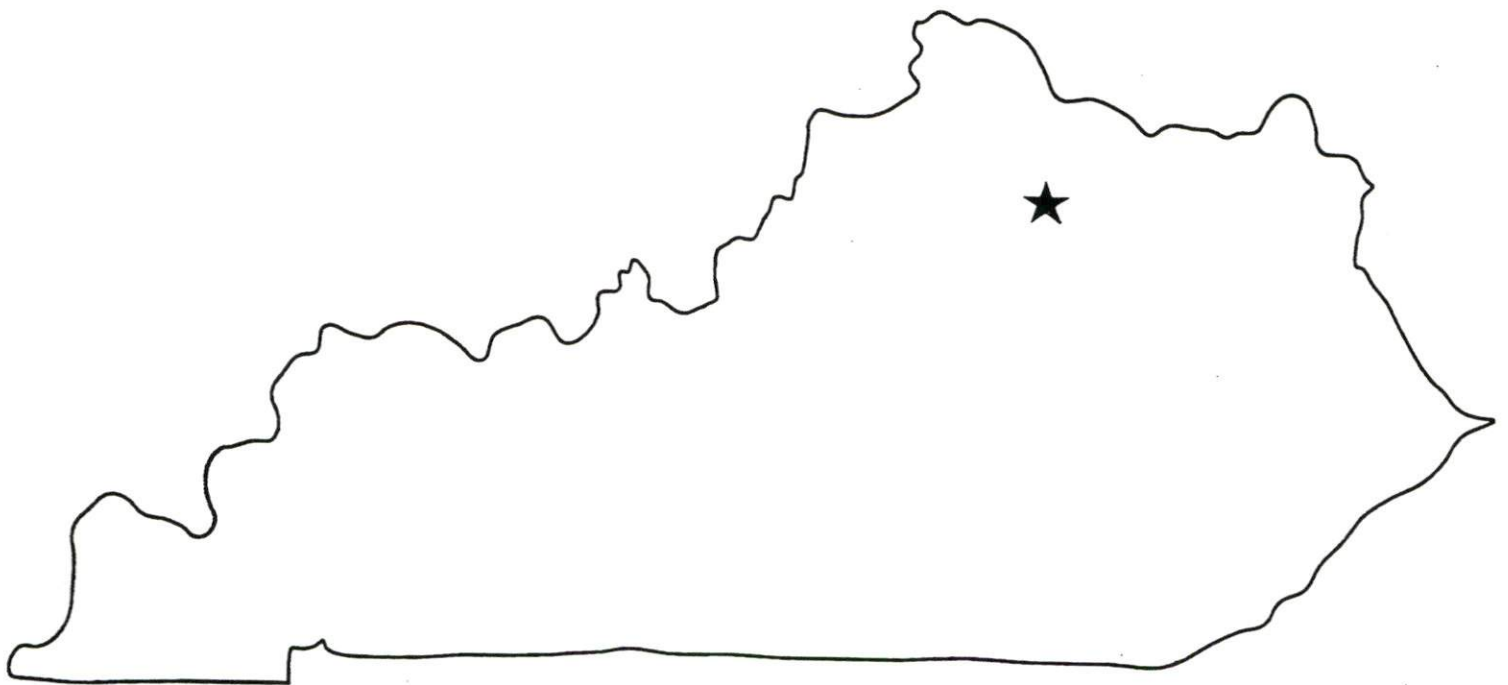
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Cynthiana



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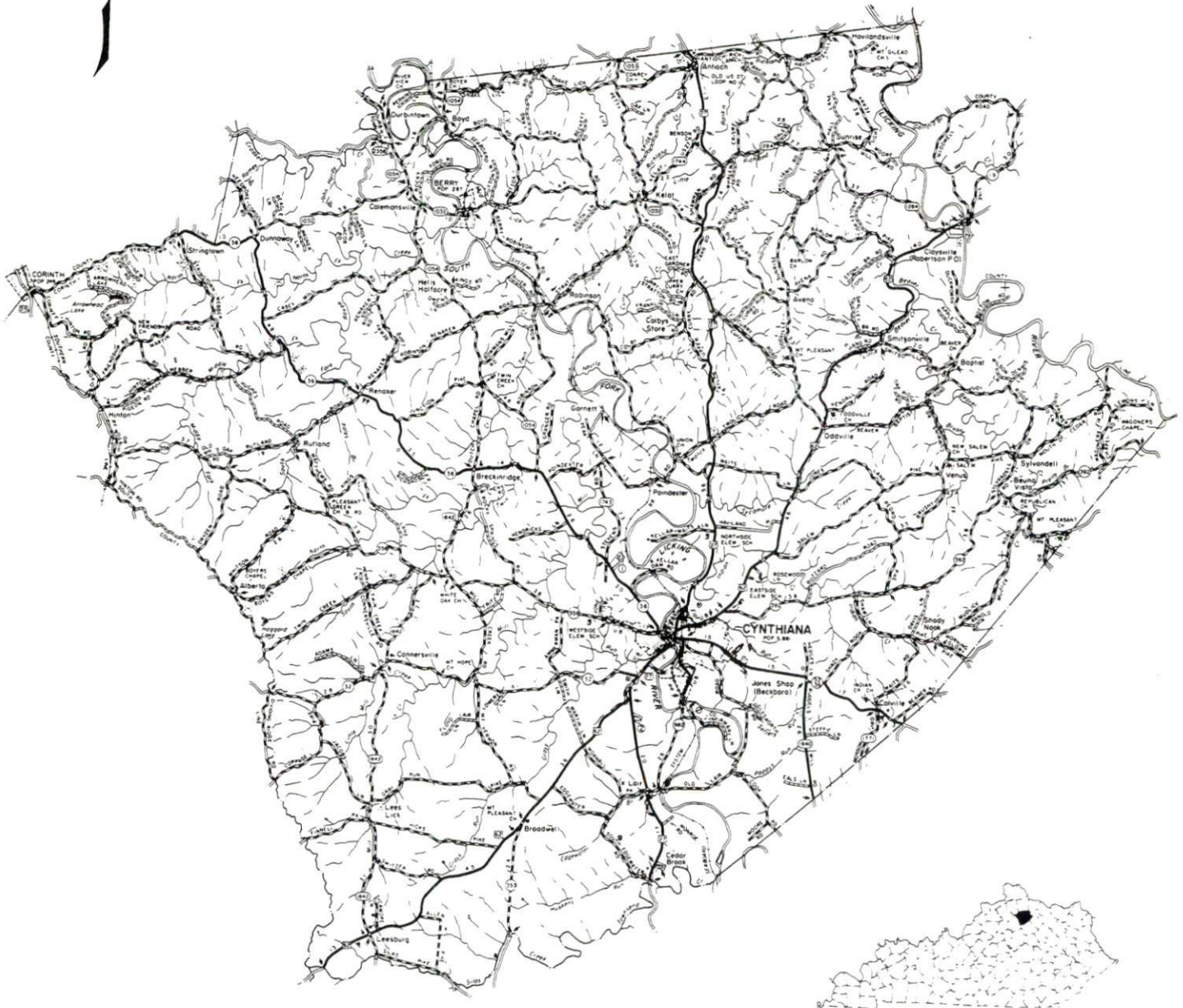
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GENERAL HIGHWAY MAP
HARRISON COUNTY
KENTUCKY

PREPARED BY THE
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CYNTHIANA, KENTUCKY - A RESOURCE PROFILE

Cynthiana, the county seat of Harrison County, is located in north-central Kentucky. With an estimated 1994 population of 6,285, Cynthiana is located 34 miles northeast of Lexington, Kentucky; 69 miles southeast of Cincinnati, Ohio; 92 miles east of Louisville, Kentucky; and 205 miles north of Knoxville, Tennessee.

Harrison County covers a land area of 309 square miles in the Bluegrass Region of Kentucky. The Licking River forms the eastern boundary of the county and the South Fork Licking River bisects the county. Harrison County had an estimated 1994 population of 16,829.

The Economic Framework - The total number of Harrison County residents employed in 1994 averaged 7,182. Manufacturing firms in the county reported 1,936 employees; wholesale and retail trade provided 1,126 jobs; 889 people were employed in service occupations; state and local government accounted for 668 employees; and contract construction firms provided 144 jobs.

Labor Supply - There is a current estimated labor supply of 5,999 persons available for industrial jobs in the labor market area. In addition, from 1997 through 2001, 8,220 young persons in the area will become 18 years of age and potentially available for industrial jobs.

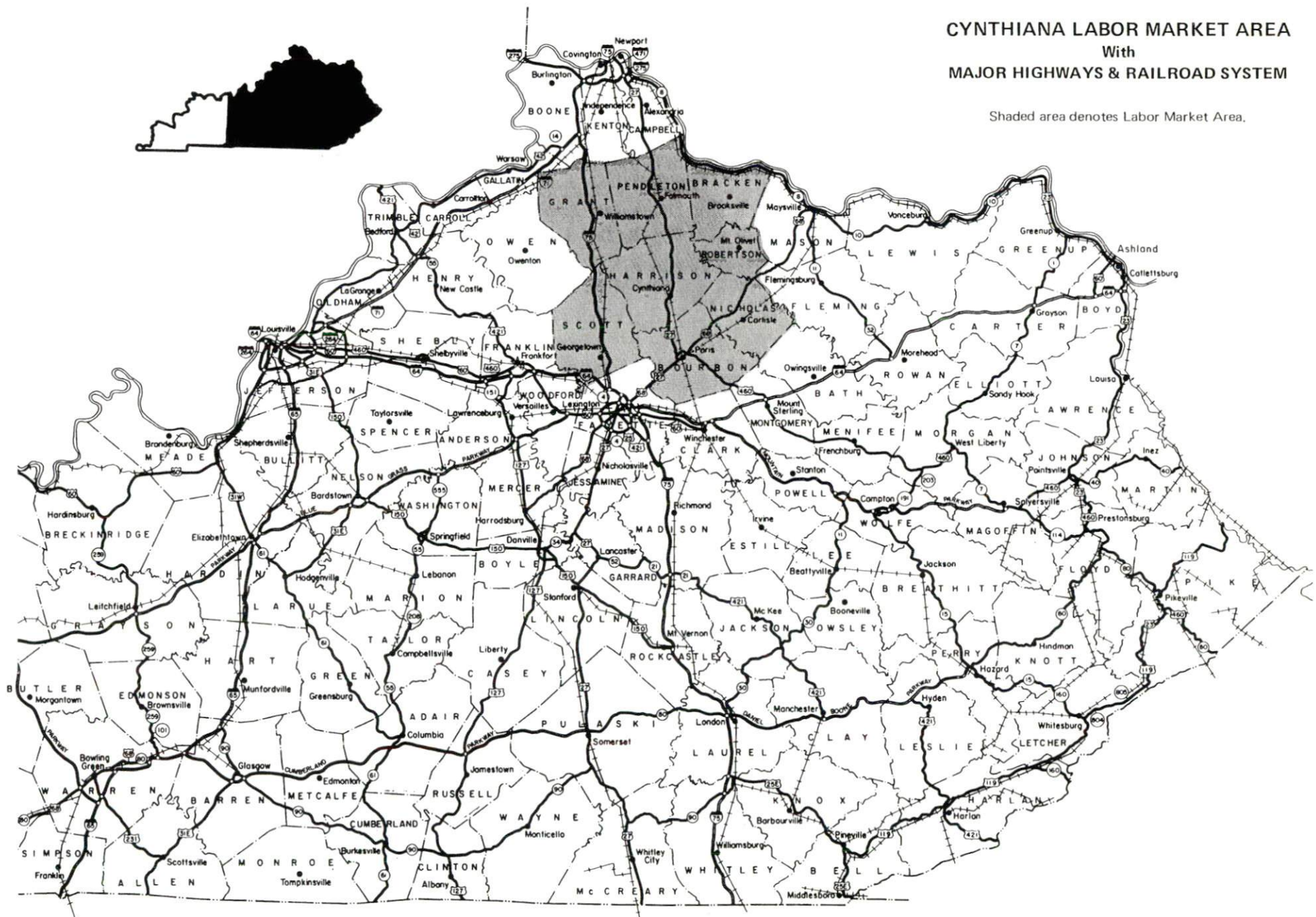
Transportation - Major highways serving Cynthiana are U.S. Highways 27 and 62. Kentucky Route 36 also serves Cynthiana. Interstate 75 is accessible 19 miles southwest via U.S. 62 and 30 miles northwest via Kentucky 36. Interstate 64 and the Mountain Parkway are accessible 31 miles south via U.S. 27 and Kentucky 627. Twenty-five trucking companies provide interstate and/or intrastate service to Cynthiana. CSX Transportation provides main line rail service to Cynthiana. The nearest scheduled commercial airline service is located at Lexington's Blue Grass Airport, 38 miles southwest of Cynthiana. The local Cynthiana-Harrison County Airport has a paved 3,200-foot runway.

Power and Fuel - Kentucky Utilities Company provides electric power to Cynthiana and parts of Harrison County. Harrison Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation provides power to the remainder of the county. Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc. provides Cynthiana with natural gas service.

Education - The Harrison County School System provides primary and secondary education to Cynthiana and Harrison County. Two nonpublic schools have facilities in Cynthiana. Ten colleges and universities are located within 55 miles of Cynthiana. Vocational training is available locally at the Harrison County Area Technology Center and at the Central Kentucky Regional Technology Center in Lexington, 34 miles southwest of Cynthiana.

CYNTHIANA LABOR MARKET AREA With MAJOR HIGHWAYS & RAILROAD SYSTEM

Shaded area denotes Labor Market Area.



LABOR MARKET STATISTICS

The Cynthiana Labor Market Area includes Harrison County and the adjoining Kentucky counties of Bourbon, Bracken, Grant, Nicholas, Pendleton, Robertson, and Scott.

POPULATION

	<u>1994*</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>1980</u>	<u>1970</u>
Labor Market Area	111,266	103,739	97,846	86,428
Cynthiana	6,285	6,497	5,881	6,356
Harrison County	16,829	16,248	15,166	14,158

*Population estimates.

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

POPULATION PROJECTIONS

	<u>2000</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2020</u>
Labor Market Area	122,454	136,789	149,896
Harrison County	17,908	19,227	20,300

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 1997 thru 2001</u>
Labor Market Area*	5,999	2,591	3,408	8,220
Harrison County	1,212	421	791	1,270

* 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.

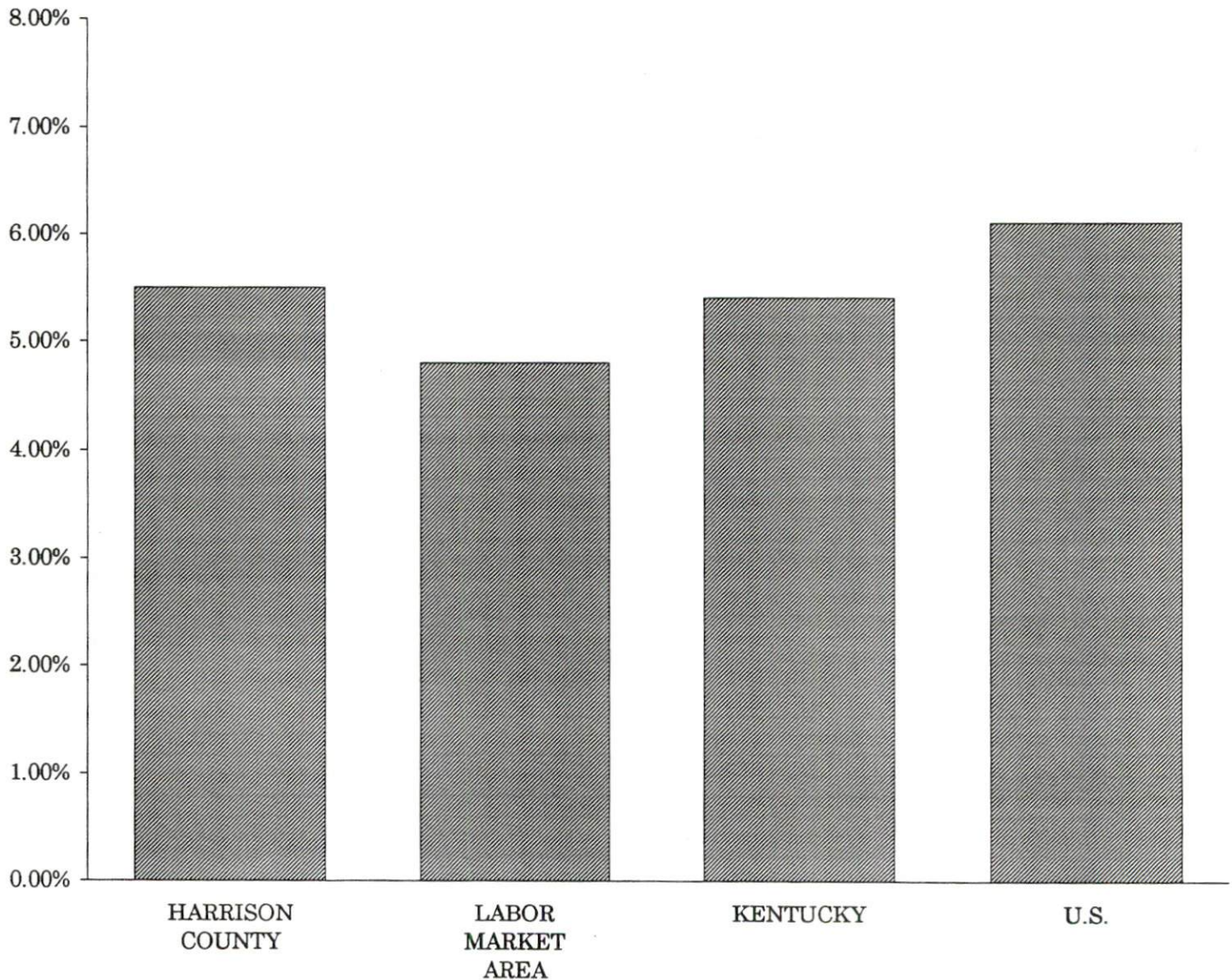
Sources: Kentucky Cabinet for Human Resources, Kentucky Labor Surplus Estimates by County, 1994. Kentucky Cabinet for Economic Development, Future Labor Supply Becoming 18 Years of Age, 1997 thru 2001.

LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS OF RESIDENTS, 1994

	<u>Harrison County</u>	<u>Labor Market Area</u>
Civilian Labor Force	7,603	53,572
Employment	7,182	50,981
Unemployment	421	2,591
Rate of Unemployment (%)	5.5	4.8

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

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES 1994



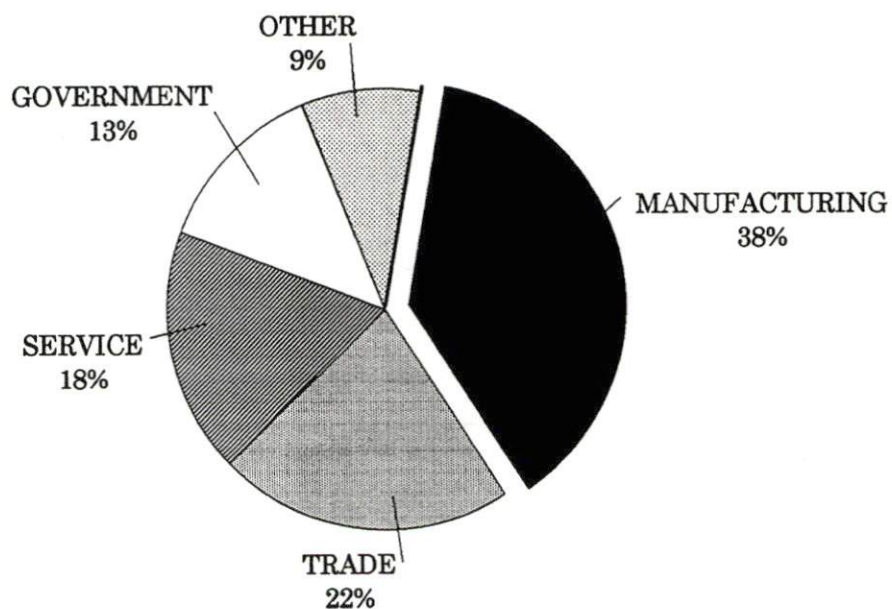
SELECTED COMPONENTS OF NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT
BY PLACE OF WORK, 1994

	<u>Harrison County</u>	<u>Labor Market Area</u>
All Industries (total)	5,057	35,751
Manufacturing	1,936	12,349
Wholesale & Retail Trade	1,126	7,680
Services	889	5,845
State/Local Government	668	4,941
Contract Construction	144	1,324

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.

HARRISON COUNTY

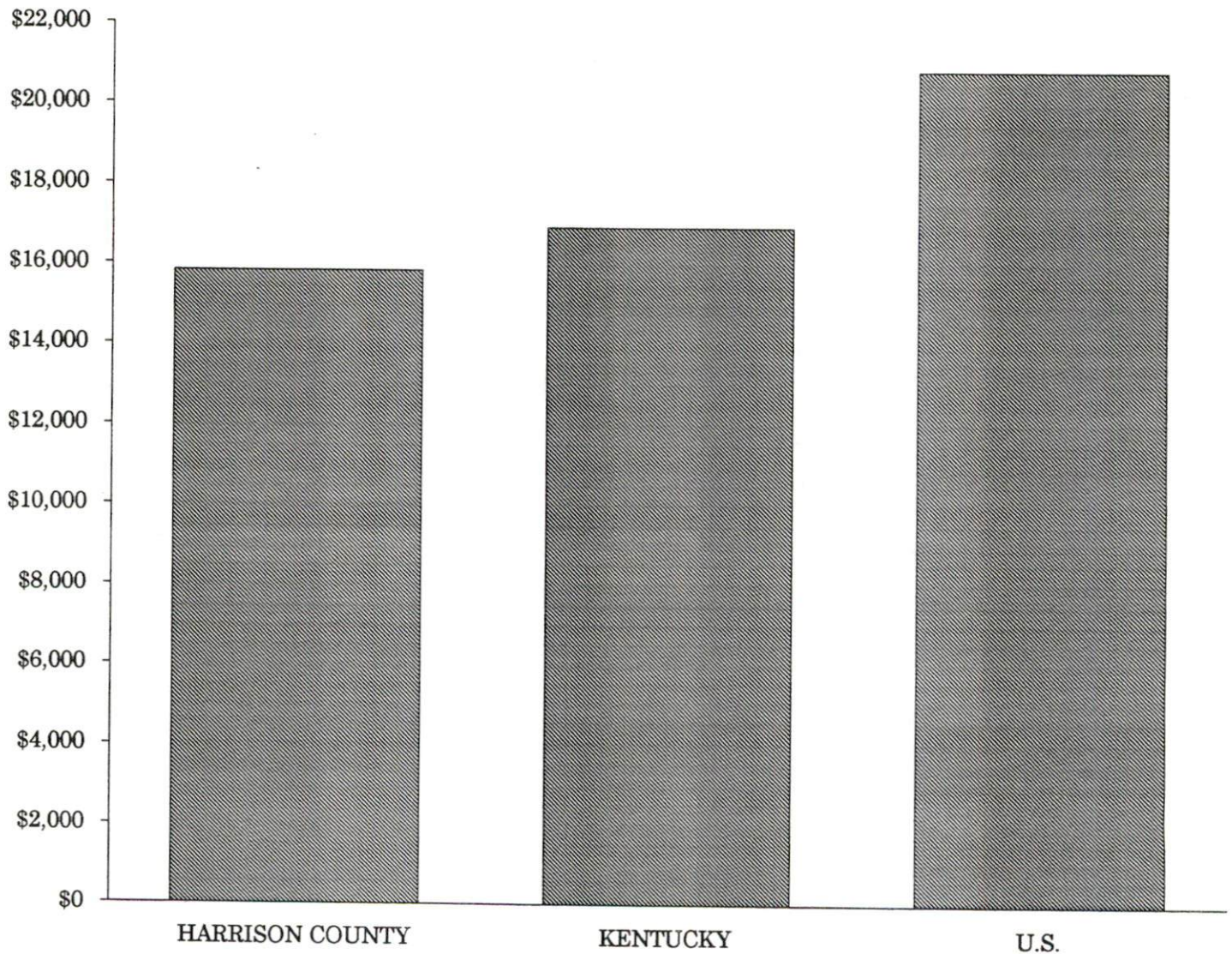


PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

Area	1989	1993	Percent Change
Harrison County	\$12,817	\$15,801	23.3
Labor Market Area Range	\$10,009 - \$14,704	\$12,676 - \$18,410	-
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

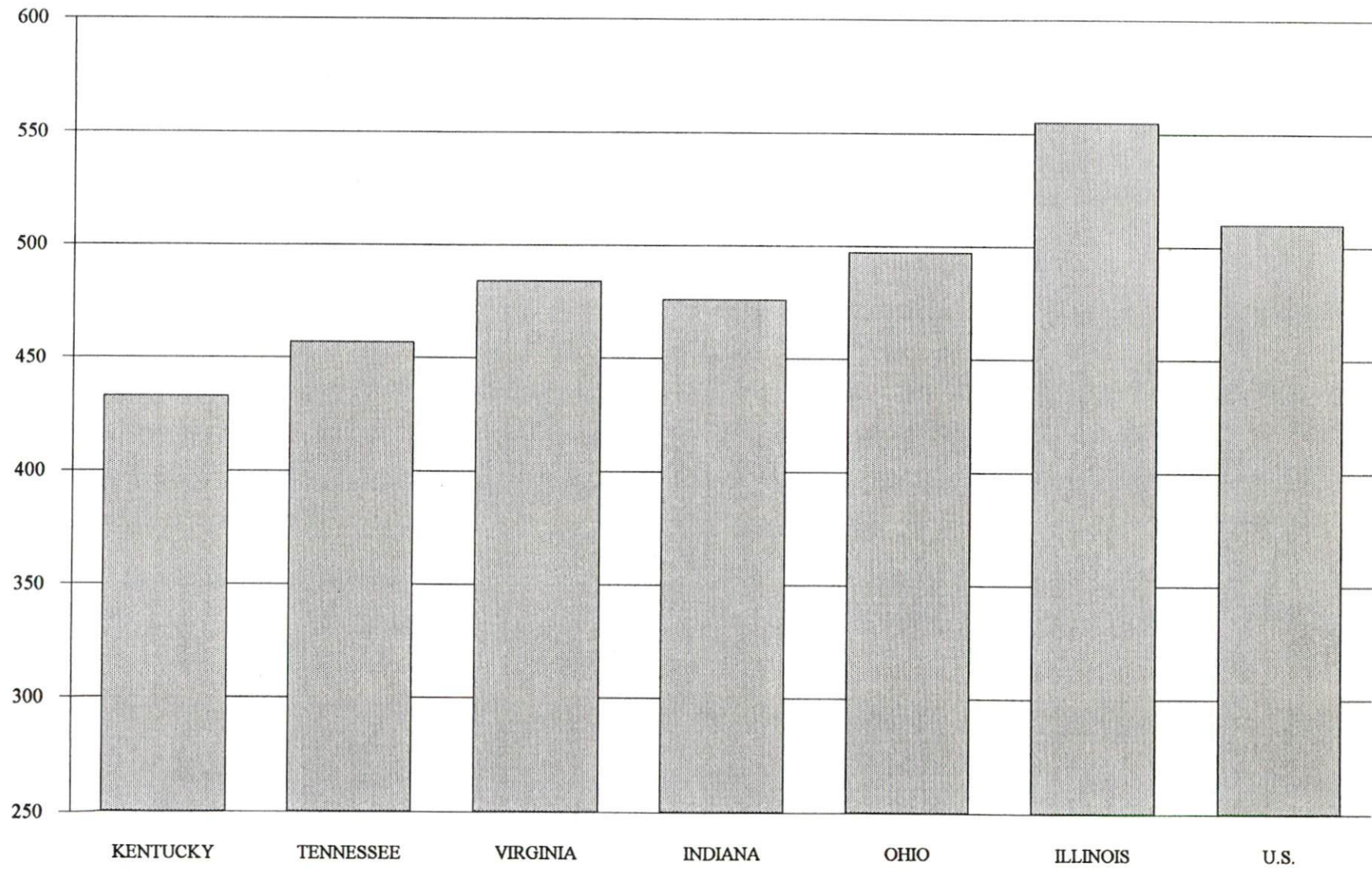
Harrison County is served by the Georgetown local office of the Kentucky Department for Employment Services. The focus of the following data is on job placements made by the Georgetown local office and may therefore be used as an indicator of the wages which employers in the area pay new employees. During the twelve months which ended on June 30, 1995, the local employment office filled 2,853 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	2,853	6.30
Clerical	91	5.55
Sales	15	4.67
Services (excluding domestic)	881	6.44
Agricultural, Fishery, Forestry, etc.	26	4.66
Processing	146	5.97
Machine Trades	236	6.33
Bench Work	1,065	6.04
Structural	53	8.11
Motor Freight/ Transportation	32	11.07
Packaging and Materials Handling	244	7.11
Other	1	8.00

The Georgetown local office also serves Bourbon, Nicholas, and Scott 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 - 1994**



AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES BY INDUSTRY
BY PLACE OF WORK, 1994*

	<u>Harrison County</u>	<u>Kentucky (Statewide)</u>	<u>Tennessee</u>	<u>Virginia</u>
All Industries	\$403.25	\$432.45	\$457.00	\$484.00
Mining & Quarrying	0.00	724.79	638.00	721.00
Contract Construction	467.40	457.02	485.00	476.00
Manufacturing	566.57	560.04	540.00	565.00
Transportation, Communications & Public Utilities	439.26	573.31	588.00	673.00
Wholesale & Retail Trade	200.66	297.57	N/A	N/A
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	392.88	521.15	585.00	609.00
Services	286.62	385.62	434.00	501.00
State/Local Government	412.03	441.53	N/A	N/A
	<u>Indiana</u>	<u>Ohio</u>	<u>Illinois</u>	<u>U. S.</u>
All Industries	\$476.00	\$497.00	\$555.00	\$510.00
Mining & Quarrying	771.00	682.00	815.00	839.00
Contract Construction	538.00	549.00	681.00	544.00
Manufacturing	653.00	701.00	692.00	645.00
Transportation, Communications & Public Utilities	581.00	619.00	694.00	658.00
Wholesale & Retail Trade	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	557.00	572.00	764.00	693.00
Services	400.00	433.00	501.00	483.00
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.

Sources: Kentucky Workforce Development Cabinet, Average Weekly Wages of Workers Covered by Kentucky Unemployment Insurance Law, 1994. U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Employment and Wages, Annual Averages, 1994, November 1995.

EXISTING INDUSTRY

CYNTHIANA MANUFACTURING FIRMS, THEIR PRODUCTS AND EMPLOYMENT

<u>Firm</u> <u>(Establishment date)</u>	<u>Product</u>	<u>1995</u> <u>Average Employment</u>
Bluegrass Ready Mix (1989)	Ready-mixed concrete	4
E.D. Bullard Company (1972)	Supplied air respirators, industrial and firefighter head protection	225
Bundy Tubing, Division of Bundy Corporation (1965)	Refrigeration coils, automotive steel tubing	248
Cargill, Inc. (1948)	Fertilizer	4
Concept Packaging Group (1989)	Corrugated boxes, inner pack corrugated materials, returnable containers/packaging	70
Custom Wood Products (1980)	Wood storage buildings	13
Cynthiana Publishing Company Inc. (1945)	Typesetting, web printing, newspaper	42
Cynthiana Tool & Die (1977)	Tools, dies, fixtures	2
Fikeco, Inc. (1985)	Sheet metal fabrication	10
Grede Perm Cast Foundry (1970)	Gray iron castings	375
Harrison Machine Shop (1942)	Metal fabrication	10
Harrison Ready Mix (1985)	Ready-mixed concrete	6
Ladish Company/Kentucky Division (1961)	Forged steel fittings, stainless steel valves, fittings	201
Lucas Equine Equipment Inc. (1981)	Horse barn wood doors, metal doors, and windows; metal fabrication	15
Marco Products Company (1948)	Sewer cleanout tools, snakes	35
Minnesota Mining & Manufacturing Company (3M) (1969)	Adhesive-backed note paper, box sealing tape	530
Old Kentucky Hams, Inc. (1895)	Country hams, bacon	1
Solution Dispersions Inc. (1991)	Aqueous carbon black dispersions	12
S.T.I. Manufacturing Inc. (1990)	Mechanical assemblies	18
Trig Inc. (1995)	Thermostats	60
Webber Farms, Inc. (1947)	Sausage and BBQ products	65

Sources: Kentucky Cabinet for Economic Development, Division of Research; Harrison County Industrial Foundation, Inc.

RECENT INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENTS

TR Technologies Kentucky Inc. announced plans in 1995 to begin a \$1.3 million wire harness manufacturing operation. Employment is expected to reach 50 to 100. Concept Packaging Group announced plans in 1995 to expand to an additional location and to add 25 new jobs. Five other Cynthiana manufacturing firms also announced plans in 1995 to expand or upgrade their operations for a total investment of over \$3.0 million.

The Harrison County Industrial Foundation, Inc. plans to construct a 15,000 square-foot "spec" building in the industrial park located on Kentucky Highway 982. The site offers access to rail and will be completed in 1996.

The newly formed Cynthiana/Harrison County Economic Development Authority has plans to purchase 350 acres for an industrial park in the near future.

Note: The Industrial Foundation will merge into the newly formed Economic Development Authority.

LABOR ORGANIZATIONS IN MANUFACTURING FIRMS

Union

International Union, United
Automobile, Aerospace and
Agricultural Implement Workers
of America

Unites Steelworkers of
America, AFL-CIO-CLC

Representing workers at:

Bundy Tubing

Ladish Company/Kentucky Division

SELECTED INDUSTRIAL SERVICES

<u>Types of Services</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Mileage from Cynthiana</u>
Custom Plastics Producers	Georgetown, Kentucky	21
	Lexington, Kentucky	34
Electric Motor Repair	Lexington, Kentucky	34
Heat Treating Facilities	Georgetown, Kentucky	21
	Lexington, Kentucky	34
Industrial Waste Removal	Georgetown, Kentucky	21
	Lexington, Kentucky	34
Machine Shops, Tool & Die	Cynthiana, Kentucky	-
Metal Castings	Cynthiana, Kentucky	-
Metal Finishers	Georgetown, Kentucky	21
	Lexington, Kentucky	34
Metal Service Centers	Lexington, Kentucky	34
Millwrights & Riggers	Lexington, Kentucky	34

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

TRANSPORTATION

Highways

Major highways serving Cynthiana are U.S. Highways 27 and 62, both "AAA"-rated trucking highways (80,000-pound gross load limit). U.S. Highway 62 is "AA"-rated (62,000-pound gross load limit) from Cynthiana northeast to Mt. Olivet. Kentucky Route 36, which is a "AA"-rated trucking highway from Cynthiana northwest to Interstate 75, also serves the city. Interchanges of Interstate 75 are located 19 miles southwest via U.S. 62, and 30 miles northwest via Kentucky 36. The junction of Interstate 64 and the Mountain Parkway is located 31 miles south via U.S. 27 and Kentucky 627.

A portion of the U.S. 62 reconstruction project, between Cynthiana and the Toyota Plant near Interstate 75, has been completed. The remaining portion is scheduled to be completed by 1999.

HIGHWAY MILES FROM CYNTHIANA, KENTUCKY, TO SELECTED MARKET CENTERS

City	Highway Miles	City	Highway Miles
Atlanta, GA	397	Los Angeles, CA	2,177
Baltimore, MD	540	Louisville, KY	92
Birmingham, AL	431	Nashville, TN	244
Chicago, IL	354	New Orleans, LA	766
Cincinnati, OH	69	New York, NY	725
Cleveland, OH	316	Pittsburgh, PA	356
Detroit, MI	329	St. Louis, MO	350
Knoxville, TN	205		

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

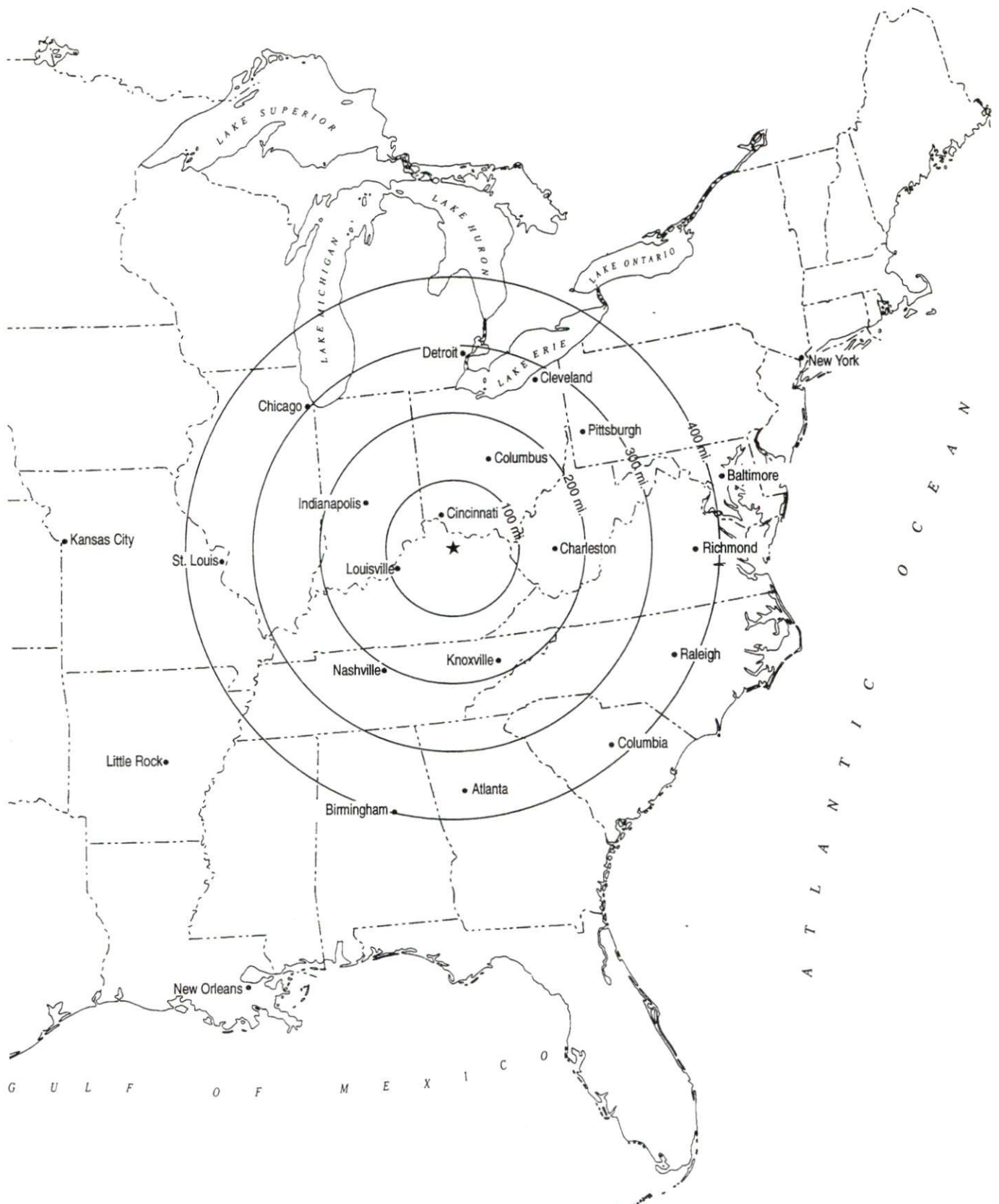
Sources: Rand McNally Standard Highway Mileage Guide, 1990. Official Kentucky Mileage Map, 1988.

Truck Service

Twenty-five trucking companies provide interstate and/or intrastate service to Cynthiana.

Source: American Motor Carrier Directory, Spring 1996.

Selected Market Centers



Rail

CSX Transportation provides main line rail service to Cynthiana. The Norfolk Southern Corporation provides the nearest intermodal facilities at Georgetown, Kentucky, 21 miles southwest of Cynthiana.

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

Manager
Industrial Development
CSX Transportation
9420 Bunsen Parkway
Suite 212
Louisville, Kentucky 40220
(502) 499-3025

Air

Local

Location:	Cynthiana-Harrison County Airport
Runways:	1.5 miles south of Cynthiana
Length:	1 paved
Traffic	3,200 feet
Control:	Wind sock and lighted wind tee
Lighting:	Runway lights-sundown to sunrise, VASI, REIL
Services:	80 and 100LL fuel; hangar, tie down; and taxi

Nearest Scheduled Commercial Airline Service

	Blue Grass Airport
Location:	4 miles west of Lexington, Kentucky; 38 miles southwest of Cynthiana
Air Service:	American Eagle, ASA, ComAir, Delta, Northwest Airlink, TW Express, United Express, USAir, US Air Express
Daily Arrivals & Departures:	176

UTILITIES

Electricity

Company serving **Cynthiana and parts of Harrison 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 **a major portion of Harrison County** - Harrison 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

General Manager
Harrison Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation
P.O. Box 130
Cynthiana, Kentucky 41031
(606) 234-3131

Natural Gas

Company serving **Cynthiana** - Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc.

Source of supply - Columbia Gas Transmission, Inc.

For rates and supplies contact:

Economic Development Department
Columbia Gas of Kentucky
70 Fountain Place
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601
(502) 227-4998 Fax (502) 227-7645

Public Water Supply

Company serving **Cynthiana** - City of Cynthiana
P.O. Box 67
Cynthiana, Kentucky 41031
(606) 234-7150

Source - South Fork Licking River and Main Licking River
Treatment plant capacity- 6,000,000 gallons per day
Average daily consumption - 2,046,000 gallons
Peak daily consumption - 2,952,000 gallons
Storage capacity - 2,600,000 gallons
Water pressure - 40 psi to 90 psi

Name of water district - Harrison County Water Association
P.O. Box 215
Cynthiana, Kentucky 41031
(606) 234-4284

Area served - Harrison County, North Bourbon County, and a portion of Nicholas County
Source of supply of treated water - City of Cynthiana
Average daily consumption - 662,860 gallons
Peak daily consumption - 801,450 gallons
Storage capacity - 809,900 gallons
Water pressure - 35 psi to 150 psi

The Harrison County Water Association is constructing 55 miles of additional water lines, an eighth storage tank with 110,000 gallon capacity, and a new pump station. The \$2.7 million project is scheduled for completion in May 1996.

Sewerage

Company serving **Cynthiana** - City of Cynthiana
North Locust Street
P.O. Box 67
Cynthiana, Kentucky 41031
(606) 234-7150

Design capacity - 1,500,000 gallons per day
Average daily flow - 600,000 gallons
Type of treatment - Tertiary
Treated effluent discharged into - South Fork Licking River

CLIMATE

Harrison County

Temperature

Normal (30-year record)	54.90 degrees
Average annual 1994	55.40 degrees
Record highest, July 1988 (50-year record)	103.00 degrees
Record lowest, January 1963 (50-year record)	-21.00 degrees
Normal heating degree days (30-year record)	4,783
(Heating degree day totals are the sums of negative departures of average daily temperatures from 65 degrees F.)	

Precipitation

Normal (30-year record)	44.55 inches
Mean annual snowfall (30-year record)	15.90 inches
Total precipitation 1994	45.70 inches
Mean number days precipitation (.01 inch or more) (50-year record)	129.70
Mean number days thunderstorms (50-year record)	44.40

Prevailing Winds (through 1963)

South

Relative Humidity (31-year record)

1 a.m.	78 percent *	(30-year record)
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, 1994. Station of record: Lexington, Kentucky.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Structure

Cynthiana is served by a mayor and four commissioners. The mayor serves a four-year term and the commissioners serve two-year terms. Harrison County is served by a county judge/executive and eight magistrates. The county judge/executive and magistrates all serve four-year terms.

Planning and Zoning

Joint agency - Cynthiana-Harrison County-Berry Joint Planning Commission

Participating cities - Cynthiana, Berry

Zoning enforced - County-wide, including all cities

Subdivision regulations enforced - County-wide, including all cities

Local codes enforced - Building and housing codes county-wide, including all cities

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

Cynthiana levies a 1.5 percent occupational license tax on gross wages, salaries, commissions, and other compensation earned in the city. A 1.5 percent tax is also levied on net profits of all businesses, professions, or occupations for activities conducted inside the city limits. Regulatory license fees for various businesses range from \$5 to \$300 per year.

Harrison County levies a 0.5 percent occupational license tax on wages, salaries, and commissions of individuals and on net profits of businesses.

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>1995 State Rate</u>	<u>Local Taxation Permitted</u>
Real Estate	\$0.167	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, 1995

<u>Taxing Jurisdiction</u>	<u>Real Estate</u>	<u>Finished Goods & Tangibles</u>	<u>Motor Vehicles</u>
Harrison County	\$0.2086	\$0.2277	\$0.2270
School Districts:			
Harrison County	0.3860	0.3860	0.5000
Cities:			
Cynthiana	0.1420	0.1420	0.1600

EDUCATION

Public Schools

Harrison County

Total Enrollment (Fall, 1994)	3,158
Pupil-Teacher Ratio (1993-94)	15.8-1
Percent High School Graduates to College (1993-94)	50.8
Expenditures Per Pupil (1993-94)	\$3,743.00

The Harrison County School System will complete a \$2.4 million renovation project in the fall of 1996 which will include the addition of four classrooms and two resource rooms at the middle school and air conditioning the four elementary schools.

Nonpublic Schools

<u>School</u>	<u>Enrollment</u>	<u>Grades</u>
St. Edward Elementary	88	1-8
Faith Christian School	30	K-12

Area Colleges and Universities

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location (Miles distant)</u>	<u>Enrollment (Fall, 1995)</u>
Georgetown College	Georgetown, Kentucky (21)	1,461
Midway College	Midway, Kentucky (31)	926
Lexington Community College	Lexington, Kentucky (34)	5,228
Transylvania University	Lexington, Kentucky (34)	923
University of Kentucky	Lexington, Kentucky (34)	24,378
Kentucky State University	Frankfort, Kentucky (39)	2,579
Maysville Community College*	Maysville, Kentucky (47)	1,362
Northern Kentucky University	Highland Heights, Kentucky (51)	11,637
Asbury College	Wilmore, Kentucky (52)	1,206
Eastern Kentucky University	Richmond, Kentucky (53)	15,727

*Maysville Community College recently opened the Licking Valley office in Cynthiana. Enrollment is currently about 800 students.

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.

	Location (Mileage from Cynthiana)	Number of Program Offerings	Cumulative Enrollment 1994-1995		Approximate Number Completing Long-Term Programs Annually
<u>Kentucky Tech Schools</u>					
Harrison County Area Technology Center	Cynthiana	7	<u>Sec</u> 401	<u>P/S</u> 6	80
Central Kentucky Regional Technology Center	Lexington (34)	21		<u>P/S</u> 1,099	249

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 both established and prospective businesses. Businesses needing customized training should contact a Training and Development Coordinator located at the Central Kentucky Regional Technology Center in Lexington (606) 255-8501.

Assessment Services

Kentucky Tech Career Connections offers to business, education, and government agencies customized assessment in career inventories, interest inventories, pre-hire assessment, psychomotor skills, and academic potential. A Career Connections assessment center is located on the campus of the Central Kentucky Regional Technology Center in Lexington (606) 255-8501.

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 Cynthiana, adult literacy is provided by the Harrison County Literacy Program and adult basic education is provided by the Community Education Center in Cynthiana.

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 - 15
Dentists - 8

Hospitals

<u>General Hospital</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Beds</u>
Harrison Memorial Hospital	Cynthiana	99

Medical staff - 15 active physicians; 27 consulting physicians; 4 courtesy physicians;
28 contract services; 44 registered nurses; 16 licensed practical nurses

Harrison Memorial Hospital recently completed renovation/relocation of its surgical and medical floors and addition of a new outpatient services area. A new day care center will be completed in the fall of 1996 and the present day care area converted to long-term care use.

Other Medical Facilities and Services

Brown Ambulance Service, Inc.
Combined Physicians Lab, Inc.
Cynthiana Home Medical
Harrison County Comprehensive Care Center
Hospice of the Bluegrass
Nurses Registry
WEDCO District, Harrison County Health
Center and Home Health Service

Bank and Savings & Loan Associations

Bourbon Bank - Cynthiana Loan Center
Farm Credit Services
Farmers National Bank
Harrison Deposit Bank
Fifth Third Bank - Central Kentucky
First Federal Savings Bank

Newspapers

Cynthiana Democrat (weekly)

Telephone Service

BellSouth

RECREATION

Local

The Cynthiana-Harrison County Recreation Department provides public recreational opportunities through a county-wide program. Public recreation facilities include three parks, two mini-parks, and a gymnasium. The Department also leases all recreational facilities at the high school for public use. These facilities include a swimming pool, four tennis courts, and three baseball diamonds. The city plans to construct a new park in the near future.

Lebus Field is a lighted soccer facility located on U.S. Highway 27, north of Cynthiana. The facility is maintained by the school system and contains bleachers and concession stands.

River Road Park is a 15-acre recreational facility located on the South Fork Licking River. The park contains a baseball diamond, two softball diamonds, a large picnic shelter, a picnic area, a concession stand, restrooms, playground, shuffleboard courts, four basketball courts, and volleyball courts.

Reverend Ross Park is an eight-acre facility featuring tennis courts, basketball courts, two playgrounds, a picnic area, and three shelters.

Pleasant Street Park offers a basketball court, picnic area, and a playground.

The Recreation Department oversees summer little league, girls softball, and youth soccer activities at the high school ball fields. It also schedules a variety of activities at the gymnasium including volleyball and a winter basketball program. Adult softball leagues and volleyball leagues are offered by the Recreation Department. In addition, classes in karate and gymnastics are available.

Private recreational facilities available in Cynthiana include an indoor movie theater; bowling lanes; a health spa; and a country club with a swimming pool, a nine-hole golf course, and tennis courts.

Area (Within 55 miles)

Blue Licks Battlefield State Park
Kincaid Lake State Park
Kentucky Horse Park
Waveland State Historic Site
Fort Boonesborough State Park
White Hall State Historic Site
Big Bone Lick State Park
Keeneland Race Course
Red Mile Harness Track
Headley-Whitney Museum
Turfway Race Course