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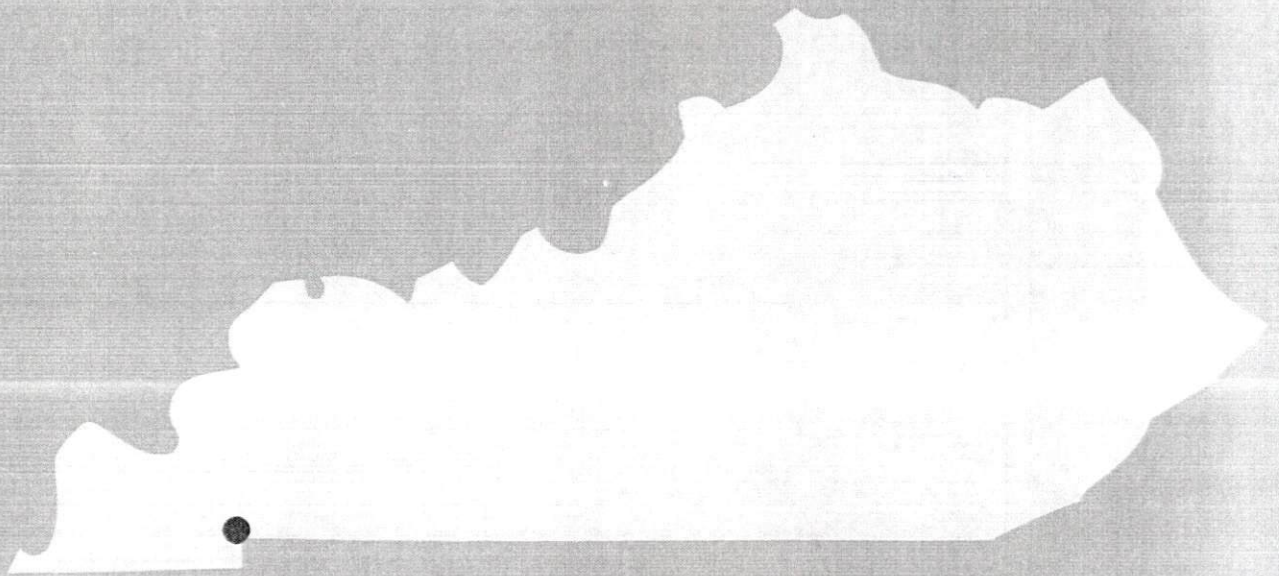
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A comprehensive  
report on  
**Murray, Ky.**



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### Site 181 - 105 Acres

LOCATION: Approximately 1.2 miles north of city limits  
ZONING: Industrial  
HIGHWAY ACCESS: U. S. 641 along western boundary  
RAILROAD: Louisville and Nashville Railroad passes through eastern portion of site  
WATER: Murray Water and Sewer System  
Size Line: 12-inch line approximately 5000 feet south  
NATURAL GAS: Texas Gas Transmission Corporation  
Size Line: 4-inch high pressure line along western boundary  
ELECTRICITY: West Kentucky RECC  
SEWERAGE: Package treatment plant necessary  
OWNERSHIP: Murray-Calloway County Industrial Foundation

### Site 282 - 8 Acres

LOCATION: Adjacent to northeastern city limits  
ZONING: Industrial  
HIGHWAY ACCESS: Paved access road along western boundary and adjacent to southwestern corner of site; U. S. 641 approximately 0.4 mile west via paved access road  
RAILROAD: Louisville and Nashville Railroad approximately 2000 feet east  
WATER: Murray Water and Sewer System  
Size Line: 12-inch line approximately 500 feet northwest  
NATURAL GAS: Texas Gas Transmission Corporation  
Size Line: 6-inch medium pressure line approximately 2000 feet west along east side of U. S. 641  
ELECTRICITY: West Kentucky RECC  
SEWERAGE: Package treatment plant necessary  
OWNERSHIP: City of Murray

### Site 382 - 12 Acres

LOCATION: Within northeastern city limits  
ZONING: Industrial  
HIGHWAY ACCESS: Paved access road along southwestern boundary; KY 2075 approximately 300 feet west via paved access road  
RAILROAD: Louisville and Nashville Railroad along eastern boundary  
WATER: Murray Water and Sewer System  
Size Line: 8-inch line approximately 250 feet west  
NATURAL GAS: Texas Gas Transmission Corporation  
Size Line: 2-inch high pressure line approximately 250 feet west along east side of KY 2075  
ELECTRICITY: Murray Electric System  
SEWERAGE: Murray Water and Sewer System  
Size Line: 10-inch line along eastern boundary  
OWNERSHIP: Murray-Calloway County Chamber of Commerce

SCALE: 1 inch = 2000 feet  
CONTOUR INTERVAL: 10 feet  
BASE: USGS 7.5 minute series - 1969

UTILITIES  
----- Water Line  
----- Sewer Line

A COMPREHENSIVE REPORT ON  
MURRAY, KENTUCKY

Prepared by  
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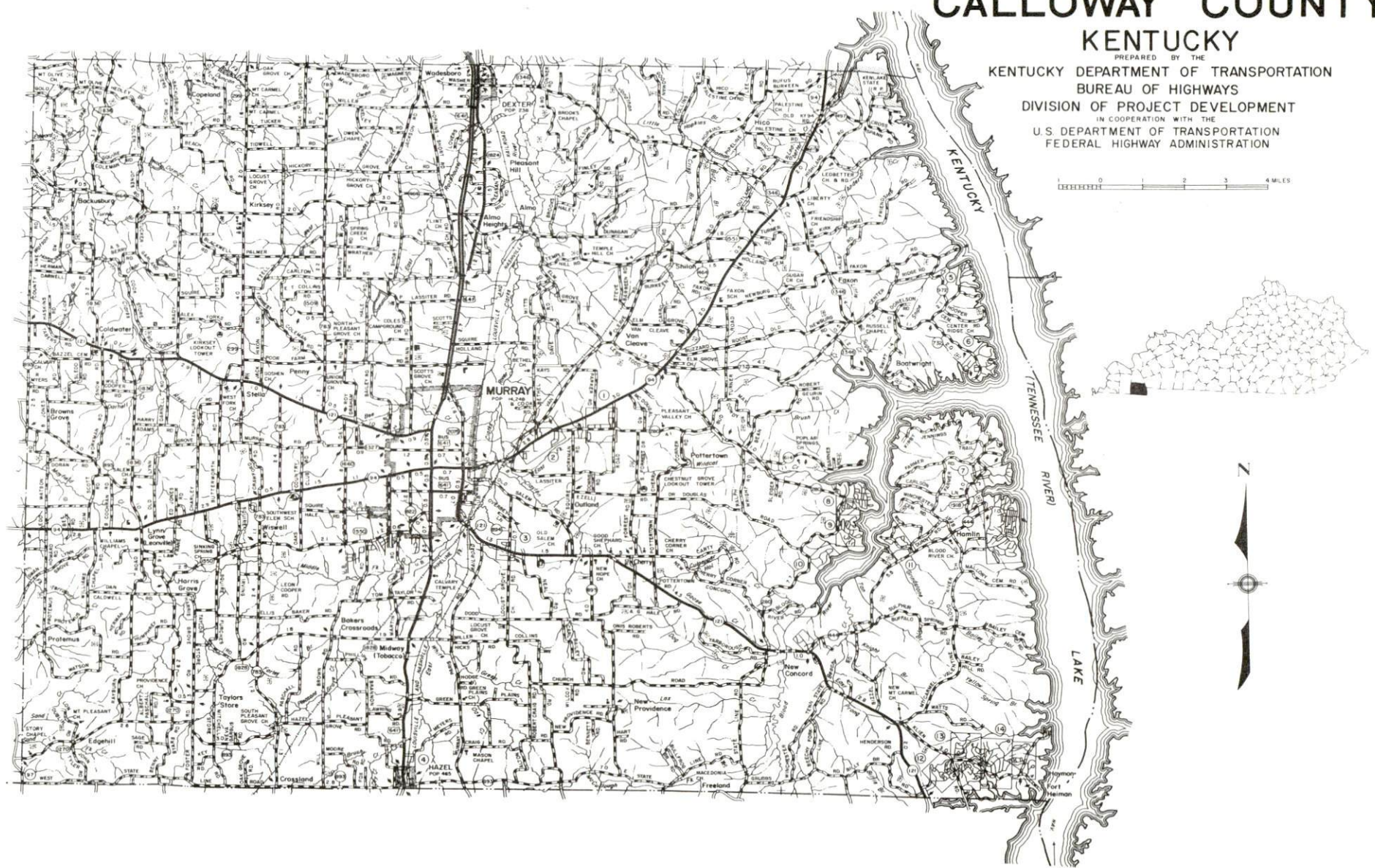
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GENERAL HIGHWAY MAP  
**CALLOWAY COUNTY**  
**KENTUCKY**

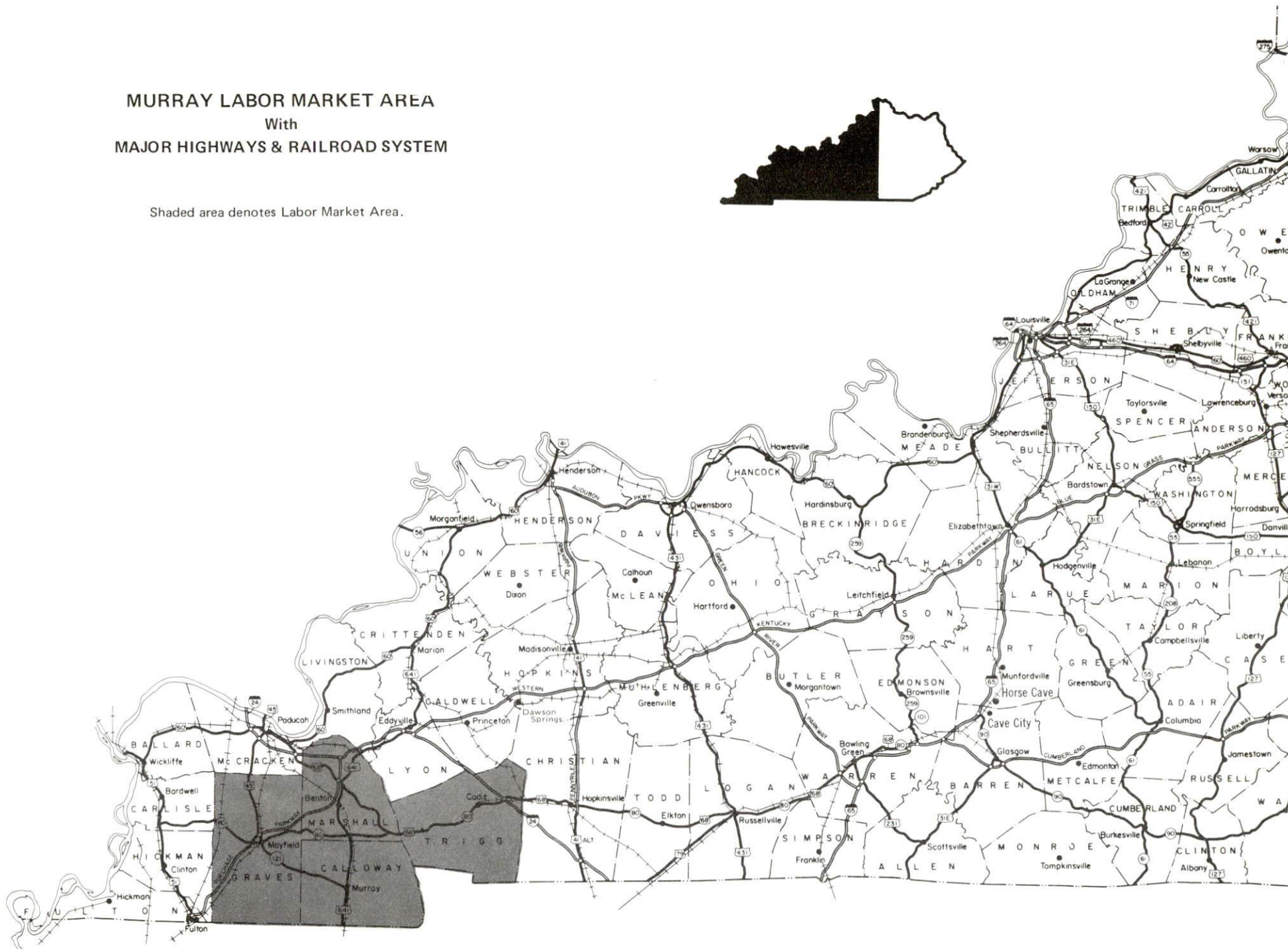
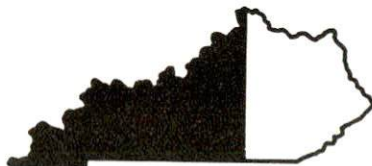
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# MURRAY LABOR MARKET AREA

With  
MAJOR HIGHWAYS & RAILROAD SYSTEM

Shaded area denotes Labor Market Area.



## MURRAY - A RESOURCE PROFILE

Murray, Kentucky, home of Murray State University is a community of 14,248 residents in western Kentucky's Jackson Purchase region. Serving as the county seat of Calloway County, Murray is approximately 20 miles west of Kentucky Lake - the state's largest lake - and its multitude of nearby recreation areas. Calloway County, bordered by Kentucky Lake to the east, Marshall County on the north, Graves County on the west, and the Tennessee state line to the south, has a land area of 384 square miles. The 1980 census showed that there were 30,031 persons living in the county.

Murray is in close proximity to interstate highway and parkway systems, and is only 120 miles northwest of Nashville, Tennessee, and 228 miles southwest of Louisville, Kentucky.

### The Economic Framework

Total employment in Calloway County in 1981 averaged 11,626 with 11,076 employed in nonagricultural jobs. Manufacturing provided 1,297 jobs; wholesale and retail trade provided 2,103 jobs; and state and local government provided 2,798 jobs. Manufacturing employment is greatest in the miscellaneous manufacturing and the food and kindred products fields.

Per capita income in the county in 1980 was \$6,770. Between 1976 and 1980 per capita income increased by 48.5 percent.

Murray is the hub of a labor market area which includes Calloway and its three adjoining counties. Area employment in 1981 averaged 36,700 with 34,583 employed in nonagricultural jobs. Manufacturing provided 7,933 jobs; wholesale and retail trade provided 5,726 jobs; and state and local government provided 5,488 jobs.

### Resources for Growth

1. There is a current estimated labor supply of 9,505 men and 7,128 women available for industrial jobs in the labor market area. In addition, 4,483 young men and 4,195 young women will become 18 years of age, and potentially available for work, before 1986.

2. Local transportation capability is excellent. The Louisville and Nashville Railroad serves Murray on its line between Paducah, Kentucky, and Bruceton, Tennessee. The Purchase Parkway is accessible 19 miles north of Murray at Benton, Kentucky, and provides multilane transportation capability from its intersection with Interstate 24, 27 miles north of Murray, southwest to the Kentucky-Tennessee state line at Fulton, Kentucky. Direct highway access to Murray is provided by U. S. Highway 641 and Kentucky highways 94 and 121. Four trucking companies provide both interstate and intrastate service to Murray; four others provide interstate service only. The Murray-Calloway County Airport, five miles northwest of Murray, provides scheduled commuter air carrier service. Other major commercial airlines provide service to Cape Girardeau Municipal Airport at Cape Girardeau, Missouri, 100 miles northwest of Murray, and to Nashville Metropolitan Air-

port at Nashville, Tennessee, 126 miles southeast of Murray. Privately owned port facilities are located on Kentucky Lake, 12 miles from Murray.

3. Tennessee Valley Authority provides electric power to Murray and Calloway County through the Murray Electric System and the West Kentucky Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation. Natural gas is supplied by Texas Gas Transmission Corporation through Murray Natural Gas. There are four suppliers of distillate fuel oil and one supplier of propane in the Murray area.

4. Education is an important growth asset for Murray. Both the Murray Independent and the Calloway County school systems are accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

Murray State University is a state-supported institution of higher education, offering undergraduate, graduate, and professional programs in the fields of business and public affairs, creative expression, environmental sciences, human development and learning, humanistic studies, and industry and technology. Four other institutions of higher learning are located within 60 miles of Murray.

Vocational and technical training in 28 course areas is offered at the West Kentucky State Vocational-Technical School at Paducah, 46 miles northwest of Murray. The Murray Vocational Education Center offers vocational training in eight areas.

## THE LABOR MARKET AREA

The Murray Labor Market Area includes Calloway County and the adjoining Kentucky counties of Graves, Marshall and Trigg.

POPULATION			
Area	1980	1970	Percent Nonwhite
Murray	14,248	13,537	6.4
Labor Market Area	99,101	87,632	N/A
Calloway County	30,031	27,692	3.6
Graves County	34,049	30,939	4.7
Marshall County	25,637	20,381	0.2
Trigg County	9,384	8,620	12.7

Note: The 1980 counts of population by race are provisional.

Sources: U. S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, 1980 Census of Population and Housing, March 1981; 1980 Census of Population, Number of Inhabitants. Population Research Unit, Urban Studies Center, University of Louisville, Kentucky Demographics: The 1980 Census of Kentucky, Characteristics of Population, Households, Housing, January 1982.

LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS OF RESIDENTS, 1981		
	Calloway County	Labor Market Area
Civilian Labor Force	12,879	42,060
Employment	11,626	36,700
Agricultural	550	2,117
Nonagricultural	11,076	34,583
Unemployment	1,253	5,360
Rate of Unemployment (%)	9.7	12.7

Source: Kentucky Cabinet for Human Resources, Kentucky Labor Force Estimates, Annual Averages, 1981.

ESTIMATED MALE LABOR SUPPLY  
MURRAY LABOR MARKET AREA

Area	Current			Future	
	Total	Not in Labor Force	Unemployed	Under-employed	Reaching 18 years of age before 1986
Labor Market Area*	9,505	-	-	-	4,483
Calloway	2,452	522	788	1,142	960
Graves	2,360	526	1,299	535	1,326
Marshall	3,619	2,335	905	379	852
Trigg	474	0	297	177	412
Henry (Tenn.)	600	N/A	N/A	N/A	933

\*Additional workers may be drawn from other nearby counties.

Note: Unemployed - persons unemployed and actively seeking work; Under-employed - persons employed but working only 14 to 26 weeks per year; 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).

Sources: Kentucky Cabinet for Human Resources, Kentucky Labor Supply Estimates by County, 1980. Tennessee Department of Employment Security, Available Labor Estimates, 1980. Kentucky Department of Economic Development, Future Labor Supply before 1986.

ESTIMATED FEMALE LABOR SUPPLY  
MURRAY LABOR MARKET AREA

Area	Current			Future	
	Total	Not in Labor Force	Unemployed	Under-employed	Reaching 18 years of age before 1986
Labor Market Area*	7,128	-	-	-	4,195
Calloway	1,621	0	570	1,051	895
Graves	1,976	351	940	685	1,184
Marshall	2,273	1,330	412	531	821
Trigg	428	0	226	202	377
Henry (Tenn.)	830	N/A	N/A	N/A	918

\*Additional workers may be drawn from other nearby counties.

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MURRAY MANUFACTURING FIRMS,  
THEIR PRODUCTS AND EMPLOYMENT

Firm (Establishment date)	Product	Employment			Labor Unions
		Total	Male	Female	
Ellis Popcorn Company Inc. (1950)	Popcorn	4	3	1	
Fisher Price Toys (1973)	Toys	700	233	467	
Fitts Block & Ready Mix Company Inc. (1945)	Concrete block, ready-mixed concrete	17	17	-	
General Silica Products Inc. (1968)	Resin coated silica sand	8	7	1	
Landolt Ltd.(1980)	Men's and women's denim jeans	180	30	150	
Murray Fabrics Inc. (1955)	Knitted tubing	19	4	15	
The Murray Ledger & Times, Murray News- papers Inc. (1879)	Newspaper	26	14	12	
Parker Popcorn Company Inc. (1937)	Popcorn	12	11	1	
Redmon Stake Company (1969)	Wood stakes	3	2	1	
Ryan Milk Company (1919)	Sterile cream, sour cream, coffee cream- ers	91	85	6	Food & Commercial Workers*
Sager Glove Corporation (1965)	Safety apparel	124	24	100	
Vanderbilt Chemical Corporation (1969)	Industrial chemical additives	60	57	3	Oil Chemical & Atomic Workers*
Weaver Popcorn Company (1947)	Popcorn	3	2	1	
Winchester Printing Services (1964)	Job printing, offset print- ing	14	8	6	
York Spring Company (1970)	Springs	12	5	7	

\*See Labor Organizations.

Source: Kentucky Department of Economic Development, 1982 Kentucky  
Directory of Manufacturers.

New Industrial Improvements

Fisher Price Toys completed a \$20 million expansion project in 1981.

The Murray Ledger & Times has moved to a new \$1 million facility.

LABOR ORGANIZATIONS IN MANUFACTURING FIRMS

<u>Union</u>	<u>Representing workers at:</u>
Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers International Union, AFL-CIO	Vanderbilt Chemical Corporation
United Food and Commerical Workers International Union, AFL-CIO	Ryan Milk Company

INDUSTRIAL SERVICES

<u>Types of Services</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Mileage from Murray</u>
Tool & Die, Machine & Pattern Shops	Murray, Kentucky	-
Metal Service Centers	Russellville, Kentucky	96
Heat Treating	Nashville, Tennessee	120
Metal Finishers	Morganfield, Kentucky	94
Electric Motor Repair	Paducah, Kentucky	46

Source: Kentucky Department of Economic Development, Kentucky Directory of Selected Industrial Services, 1981.



AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES BY INDUSTRY,  
BY PLACE OF WORK, 1981

	Calloway County	Graves County	Marshall County	Trigg County
All Industries	\$216.34	\$266.46	\$350.19	\$205.15
Mining & Quarrying	*	264.41	*	*
Contract Construction	257.76	205.80	387.20	264.27
Manufacturing	236.66	387.44	509.58	246.55
Transportation, Communications & Public Utilities	334.96	358.30	345.42	312.10
Wholesale & Retail Trade	166.17	165.94	157.67	133.25
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	212.68	251.06	245.29	216.46
Services	190.94	170.67	177.62	150.33
State/Local Government	241.80	249.29	203.82	200.19
Other	229.70	188.17	124.00	172.53

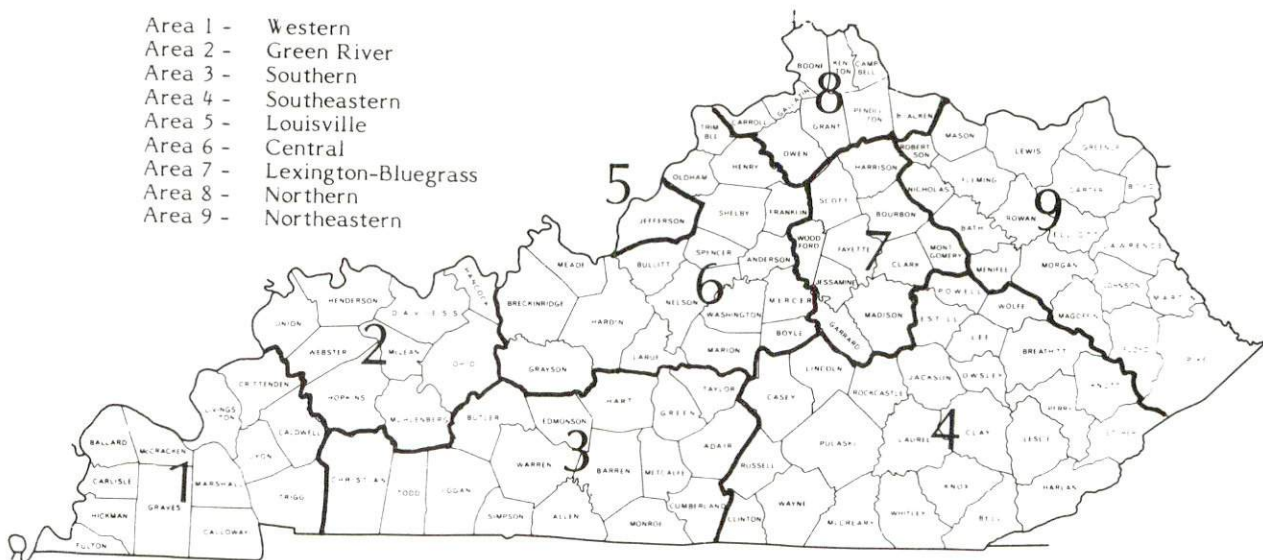
\*Not disclosed.

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 Weekly Wages of Workers Covered by Kentucky Unemployment Insurance Law, 1981.

Occupational wage rates for specific industries are usually not available to most government agencies, and wage data furnished to state employment agencies by individual industrial employers are protected from disclosure by federal law. The most reliable up-to-date wage information can be obtained by direct contact with local employers.

Associated Industries of Kentucky, a voluntary organization of Kentucky businesses, regularly collects occupational wage rates and fringe benefits data from participating member firms. Data are compiled for over 127 clearly defined office, production, and service occupations. Tabulations are published for nine geographical areas of Kentucky, as shown on the map below. It should be noted that the data may be weighted by the preponderance of firms in the larger cities and may be somewhat higher than the rates paid in the smaller communities. Data from these tabulations are available, upon request, from the Kentucky Department of Economic Development, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.



Associated Industries of Kentucky Area Wage Surveys

Up-to-date occupational wage rates of the existing industries are maintained by South Kentucky Industrial Development Association, Post Office Box 726, Hopkinsville, Kentucky 42240.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

<u>Area</u>	<u>1976</u>	<u>1980</u>	<u>Percent Change</u>
Calloway County	\$4,559	\$6,770	48.5
Labor Market Area			
Range	\$4,559 - 5,317	\$6,770 - 7,246	N/A
Kentucky	5,263	7,662	45.6
U. S.	6,367	9,511	49.4

Source: U. S. Bureau of Economic Analysis, Kentucky Economic Information System, June 1982.

## TRANSPORTATION

### Rail

Line serving Murray - Louisville and Nashville Railroad

Services - One northbound freight to Paducah, Kentucky, and return five days per week; one southbound freight to Bruceton, Tennessee, and return five days per week; switching facilities; team track space for five cars; siding space for 35 cars; nearest piggyback facilities at Paris, Tennessee, 22 miles south.

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

Director of Industrial Development  
Louisville and Nashville Railroad  
P. O. Box 32290  
Louisville, Kentucky 40232  
(502) 587-5723

### Highways

Murray is served directly by U. S. Highway 641 and by Kentucky highways 94 and 121. Access to the Purchase Parkway, a multilane toll road, is available 19 miles north of Murray at Benton via U. S. Highway 641, and 23 miles northwest of Murray at Mayfield via Kentucky Highway 121. U. S. 641 and Kentucky 121 to Mayfield are "AAA" rated, 80,000-pound gross load limit highways.

The Purchase Parkway provides access to Interstate 24, a major route connecting Interstate 57 in Illinois with Interstate 59 at Chattanooga, Tennessee. Interstate 24 is 27 miles north of Murray via U. S. Highway 641 and the Purchase Parkway.

A project to widen U. S. Highway 641 from Murray to Benton was completed in 1981, thus greatly improving access to the Purchase Parkway.

Truck Service

Company

Home Office

McLean Trucking Company\*

P. O. Box 213  
Winston-Salem, North Carolina 27154

Overnite Transportation  
Company\*\*

1000 Semmes Avenue  
P. O. Box 1216  
Richmond, Virginia 23209

Paschall Truck Lines Inc.\*\* (T)

Route 4  
Murray, Kentucky 42071

Roadway Express Inc.\*

1077 Gorge Boulevard  
Akron, Ohio 44309

Robbins Truck Line Inc.\*\*

Route 1  
Hardinsburg, Kentucky 40143

Smith's Transfer Corporation\*

P. O. Box 1000  
Staunton, Virginia 24401

United Trucking Service Inc.\*\*

8505 West Warren  
Dearborn, Michigan 48126

Yellow Freight System Inc.\*

10990 Roe Avenue  
P. O. Box 7270  
Overland Park, Kansas 66207

(T) Local terminal.

\*Interstate service only.

\*\*Interstate and intrastate service.

Other Freight ServicesNearest Shipping Center

Purolator Courier Corporation\*  
 United Parcel Service\*\*

Paducah, Kentucky, 46 miles northwest  
 Paducah, Kentucky, 46 miles northwest

HIGHWAY MILES AND TRUCK TRANSIT TIME IN DAYS FROM  
 MURRAY, KENTUCKY, TO SELECTED MARKET CENTERS

City	Highway Miles	Delivery		City	Highway Miles	Delivery	
		Time TL				Time TL	
Atlanta, Ga.	362	1		Los Angeles, Ca.	2,112	7	
Baltimore, Md.	807	2		Louisville, Ky.	228	1	
Birmingham, Ala.	316	1		Nashville, Tenn.	120	1	
Chicago, Ill.	420	1		New Orleans, La.	574	1	
Cincinnati, Ohio	329	1		New York, N. Y.	969	2	
Cleveland, Ohio	573	1		Pittsburgh, Pa.	609	1	
Detroit, Mich.	588	1		St. Louis, Mo.	267	1	
Knoxville, Tenn.	297	1					

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

Sources: Rand McNally Road Atlas, 1979. Official Kentucky Mileage Map, 1979. Delivery time - Pashall Truck Lines Inc., Route 4, Murray, Kentucky 42071

\*For regular scheduled pickups or for occasional pickups, arrangements must be made with the Paducah office of Purolator Courier Corporation.

\*\*For regular scheduled pickups or for occasional pickups, arrangements must be made with the Louisville office of United Parcel Service.

Air

Nearest Scheduled Commercial Airline Service

Murray-Calloway County Airport (Kyle Field)  
Location: 5 miles northwest of Murray  
Runways: 1 paved  
Length: 5,000 feet  
Traffic  
Control: Wind sock  
Lighting: Rotating beacon, radio control runway lighting system  
with low medium or high intensities  
Services: Sunbird Commuter, 80 and 100 octane, jet fuel, hangar,  
tie-down, charter service, agricultural service,  
flight instruction, maintenance and repair  
Air Freight  
Service: Chartered air freight services must be arranged.

Cape Girardeau Municipal Airport  
Location: 5 miles southwest of Cape Girardeau, Missouri;  
100 miles northwest of Murray  
Runways: 2 paved  
Length: 6,500 feet and 4,000 feet  
Traffic  
Control: Tower  
Lighting: Beacon, runway  
Services: Ozark, Air Illinois, 100LL, jet-A-fuel; major A & P  
repairs, minor Avionics repairs; hangars, tie-downs;  
charter service; flight instruction; plane rental;  
taxi; car rentals; weather information; restaurant  
Air Freight  
Service: Air freight terminal

(Contd.)

Nashville Metropolitan Airport  
Location: 6 miles southeast of Nashville, Tennessee; 126 miles southeast of Murray  
Runways: 3 paved  
Length: 8,000 feet; 7,700 feet; 4,320 feet  
Traffic  
Control: Tower  
Lighting: Beacon, runway  
Services: American, Braniff, Delta, Eastern, Ozark, Piedmont, Republic, TWA, USAir, Allegheny Commuter, Skyways, Sunbird, Tennessee Airways; fuel - 100LL, jet-A; tie-downs, hangars; major A & P repairs, major Avionics repairs; APU, charter, flight instruction, oxygen, plane rental, survival equipment, U.S. Customs; taxi, limousine, car rental, public transit; weather information, restaurant, snack bar  
Air Freight  
Service: Air freight terminal

Bus - Murray-Calloway County Transit System; Brooks Bus Line Inc.

Taxi - One company, 18-hour daily service, radio-dispatched

Rental Services - Car, truck and trailer rentals

#### Water

The Port of Murray-Calloway County is located on Kentucky Lake, approximately 12 miles from Murray. This large, privately-owned port is owned by the Hutson Company Inc. and Hutson Grain Inc. and is operated by the Hutson Company and the Pillsbury Company. The port can accommodate the unloading of bulk commodities and the loading of grain simultaneously. The facility has storage capacity for 30,000 tons of fertilizer and 50,000 bushels of grain.



POWER AND FUEL

Electricity

Company serving Murray - Murray Electric System  
Source of power - Tennessee Valley Authority  
Total generating capacity - 31,109,160 KW  
For industrial rates contact:

South Kentucky Industrial Development  
Association Inc.  
P. O. Box 726  
Hopkinsville, Kentucky 42240  
(502) 885-5392

and/or

Murray Electric System  
401 Olive Street  
Murray, Kentucky 42071  
(502) 753-5312

Company serving Calloway County - West Kentucky Rural Electric  
Cooperative Corporation  
Source of power - Tennessee Valley Authority  
Total generating capacity - 31,109,160 KW  
For industrial rates contact:

South Kentucky Industrial Development  
Association Inc.  
P. O. Box 726  
Hopkinsville, Kentucky 42240  
(502) 885-5392

and/or

West Kentucky Rural Electric Cooperative  
Corporation  
1218 West Broadway  
P. O. Box 589  
Mayfield, Kentucky 42066  
(502) 247-1321

## Natural Gas

Company serving Murray - Murray - Murray Natural Gas

Source of supply - Texas Gas Transmission Corporation and private well

Size of transmission mains - 26- and 30-inch (supplier);  
6-, 4- and 2-inch (distributor)

Distribution mains - 6-, 2-, and 1-inch

Distribution pressure - 30 to 40 psi

Btu content - 1,005 per cubic foot

Specific gravity - 0.585

For rates and supplies contact:

Murray Municipal Utilities  
5th and Poplar Streets  
Murray, Kentucky 42071  
(502) 753-5631

## Other Fuels

### Propane

Texgas Corporation  
Railroad Avenue  
Murray, Kentucky 42071

### Fuel Oils

Belcher Oil Company Inc.  
(bulk plant)  
403 L. P. Miller Street  
Murray, Kentucky 42071

Richard Orr Distributing Company  
(bulk plant)  
1109 Pogue Avenue  
Murray, Kentucky 42071

Kentucky Lake Company Inc.  
(bulk plant)  
P. O. Box 368  
Murray, Kentucky 42071

Residual fuel oil - Arrangements must be made with the refinery.

Low sulphur content coal - Available in Kentucky.

## WATER AND SEWERAGE

### Public Water Supply

Company serving Murray - Murray Water System  
 P. O. Box 6  
 Andrus Drive  
 Murray, Kentucky 42071  
 (502) 753-4321

Source - Five deep wells  
 Treatment plant capacity - 5,000,000 gallons per day  
 Average daily consumption - 2,200,000 gallons  
 Peak daily consumption - 3,300,000 gallons  
 Type treatment - Iron removal, filtration, chlorination,  
 fluoridation, pH adjustment  
 Storage capacity - 3,200,000 gallons  
 Size lines - 2 through 16 inches  
 Average pressure - 52 psi  
 Average temperature - 59 degrees F.

### MONTHLY WATER RATES

#### Inside City

First	2,000 gallons	\$4.00 (Minimum)
Next	2,000 gallons	1.25 per M gallons
Next	2,000 gallons	1.10 per M gallons
Next	2,000 gallons	.95 per M gallons
Next	2,000 gallons	.80 per M gallons
Next	50,000 gallons	.70 per M gallons
All over	60,000 gallons	.50 per M gallons

#### Outside City

First	2,000 gallons	\$4.80 (Minimum)
Next	2,000 gallons	1.50 per M gallons
Next	2,000 gallons	1.32 per M gallons
Next	2,000 gallons	1.14 per M gallons
Next	2,000 gallons	.96 per M gallons

Tap-on charge:	<u>Meter Size</u>	<u>Inside City</u>	<u>Outside City</u>
	3/4-inch	\$150	\$300
	1-inch	200	400
	1 1/2-inch	300	600
	2-inch	350	700
	All over 2- inches	Cost of materials and labor	

Raw Water

Surface water sources - Kentucky Lake and Clark's River  
Expected ground water yield - 5 to 50 gpm along the eastern boundary  
of the county bordering Kentucky Lake; 500 to 1,000 gpm over remainder  
of county

Sewerage

Company serving Murray - Murray Sewer System\*

P. O. Box 6  
Murray, Kentucky 42071  
(502) 753-4321

Design capacity - 2,500,000 million gallons per day

Average daily flow - At capacity

Treatment - Primary and secondary

Type treatment - Primary and secondary settling, trickling filter,  
digester, vacuum filter, drying beds

Treated effluent discharged into - Clark's River

Size of sanitary mains - 24 to 6 inches

Rates (based on water usage)

Inside City

First	2,000 gallons	\$4.00 (Minimum)
Next	2,000 gallons	1.69 per M gallons
Next	2,000 gallons	1.49 per M gallons
Next	2,000 gallons	1.28 per M gallons
Next	2,000 gallons	1.08 per M gallons
Next	50,000 gallons	.95 per M gallons
All over	60,000 gallons	.68 per M gallons

Outside City

First	2,000 gallons	\$4.80 (Minimum)
Next	2,000 gallons	2.03 per M gallons
Next	2,000 gallons	1.79 per M gallons
Next	2,000 gallons	1.54 per M gallons
Next	2,000 gallons	1.30 per M gallons
Next	50,000 gallons	1.14 per M gallons
All over	60,000 gallons	.82 per M gallons

Tap-on charge: Inside city - \$100  
Outside city - 200

\*Construction began in the spring of 1982 on a new 3.5 million gallons-per-day wastewater treatment plant. The \$10 million facility is scheduled to be completed by the end of 1983.

# CLIMATE

## Calloway County

### Temperature

Normal (30-year record)	59.4 degrees
Average annual 1980	59.2 degrees
Record highest, July, 1952 (41-year record)	107.0 degrees
Record lowest, January, 1963 (41-year record)	-15.0 degrees
Normal heating degree days (30-year record)	3,696
(Heating degree day totals are the sums of negative departures of average daily temperatures from 65 degrees F.)	

### Precipitation

Normal (30-year record)	46.00 inches
Mean annual snowfall (39-year record)	11.6 inches
Total precipitation 1980	34.92 inches
Mean number days precipitation (.01 inch or more) (37-year record)	119
Mean number days thunderstorms (39-year record)	54

Prevailing Winds (22-year record) South

### Relative Humidity (15-year record)

Midnight	79 percent
6 a.m.	84 percent
Noon	58 percent
6 p.m.	62 percent

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Environmental Science Services Administration, Climatological Data, 1980.  
Station of record: Nashville, Tennessee.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

City

Murray

Structure - Mayor - 4-year term; 12 council members; 2-year terms

Budget 1982-83 - General Fund \$2,265,000

1982 - Water and Sewer Fund 1,038,000

1982 - City Gas System 2,900,000

Fees and licenses - Annual occupational license taxes on manufacturers:

Less than 25 employees - \$82.50, 26 to 50 employees - \$165.00, 51 to

250 employees - \$247.50, 251 to 500 employees - \$330.00, 501 or more

employees - \$440.00; vehicle license - \$15.00 per vehicle, \$20.00

for trucks 1 1/2 tons and larger.

County

Structure - County Judge/Executive - 4-year term;

4 magistrates - 4-year terms

Budget 1981-82 - General Fund \$984,630; Road Fund \$602,298

Assessed Value of Property, 1981\*

<u>Classes of Property</u>	<u>Murray</u>	<u>Calloway County</u>
Real Estate	\$135,491,487	\$320,742,572
Tangibles	36,931,142	72,431,566

\*Excludes Homestead Exemptions.

## Property Taxes

All property in Kentucky is assessed at 100 percent of fair cash value.

Land and buildings are taxed by the state and may be taxed by local jurisdictions. The state rate is \$0.229 per \$100 of assessed valuation.

Manufacturing machinery, raw materials inventories, pollution control equipment, and goods in the process of manufacture are not subject to local taxation. The state rate is \$0.15 per \$100.

Other tangible personal property owned by manufacturers (automobiles, trucks, finished goods, office furniture, office equipment) is taxed by the state at \$0.45 per \$100 and may be taxed by local jurisdictions.

Property stored in public warehouses in a transit status is not subject to local taxation. The state rate is only \$0.015 per \$100.

Intangible personal property located in Kentucky (money in hand, shares of stock, notes, bonds, accounts receivable, and other credits) is taxed by the state at \$0.25 per \$100, and is not subject to local taxation.

Private leaseholds in industrial facilities owned by cities or counties and financed by industrial revenue bonds are subject to a state tax of \$0.015 per \$100 of value (essentially the lessee's equity, adjusted for appreciation or depreciation). Local taxation is not permitted.

### Combined State and Local Rates Per \$100 Valuation, 1981\* (100% assessment)

	<u>Inside City of Murray</u>	<u>Site Inside Unincorporated Calloway County</u>
1. Land and buildings	\$1.043	\$0.556
2. Mfg. machinery, raw materials, goods in process, pollution control equipment	0.150	0.150
3. Finished goods, office equipment, vehicles, other tangibles	1.264	0.777
4. Intangibles (accounts rec., notes, bonds, etc.)	0.250	0.250
5. Leaseholds in industrial revenue bond financed plants	0.015	0.015

\*Kentucky Department of Economic Development.

## Utilities Gross Receipts Tax for Schools

A 3 percent tax is levied on utilities receipts for schools in Calloway County. Tax is paid by all consumers of utilities as an add-on to the utilities bills. Exempted are receipts from utilities services that are resold and the receipts from the sale of energy or energy producing fuels that exceed 3 percent of the cost of production in manufacturing, processing, mining or refining.

## Planning and Zoning

City agency - Murray Planning Commission  
Zoning enforced - Within corporate limits of Murray  
Subdivision regulations enforced - Within city of Murray and 4 miles beyond the intersection of 12th and Main streets.  
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 and applying to buildings with an occupancy of 100 or more persons)

## Safety

<u>Police</u>	<u>Murray</u>	<u>Calloway County</u>
Total staff	25	7
Radio-patrol cars	7	6

## Fire

Insurance Services Organization Public Protection Classifi- cation	4	10
Full-time staff	27	-
Volunteers	-	25

## Rescue Service

Calloway County Fire-Rescue Inc.  
Number of volunteers - 25 (includes 5 emergency medical technicians and one licensed practical nurse)  
Equipment - Two 750-gpm pumpers, one 1,200-gallon tanker, rescue van, two motor boats with dragging equipment, two four-wheel-drive vehicles, rescue truck with generator, extrication equipment  
Personnel training - First aid and advanced first aid, cardiopulmonary resuscitation, emergency medical technician training, fire fighting techniques, fire-training instructor certification, water rescue training



Refuse Collection and Disposal

Murray

Type service	Municipal
Fee charged:	
residential	\$5.50
business	Varies by volume and frequency
industrial	Varies by volume and frequency
Collection frequency:	
residential	Weekly
business	As needed
industrial	As needed
Trash pickup	Spring and fall
Disposal method	Landfill

County residents may dispose of refuse at the landfill for a fee.

## EDUCATION

### Public Schools

	<u>Murray Independent</u>	<u>Calloway County*</u>
Total Enrollment (Spring 1982)	1,461	3,100
Elementary	520	1,640
Middle School	477	506
High School	464	954
Student-Teacher Ratio	16-1	19-1
Elementary	16-1	20-1
Middle School	16-1	22-1
High School	15-1	18-1
Accreditation	Southern Association of Colleges and Schools	Southern Association of Colleges and Schools
Percent High School Graduates to College (1981)	70.8	26.7
Expenditures Per Pupil (1980-81)	\$1,524.41	\$1,392.58
Bonded Indebtedness (June 30, 1981)	\$1,215,000	\$5,670,000

\*A new Calloway County Middle School building was completed in January of 1980 at a cost of \$2,150,000.

## Area Colleges and Universities

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location (Miles distant)</u>	<u>Enrollment (Fall, 1981)</u>	<u>Highest Degree Conferred</u>
Murray State University	Murray, Kentucky	7,722	Masters, Specialist/ Doctorate*
Bethel College	McKenzie, Tennessee (41)	424	Baccalaureate
Paducah Community College	Paducah, Kentucky (46)	1,843	Associate
University of Tennessee	Martin, Tennessee (57)	5,538	Academic and Professional
Hopkinsville Community College	Hopkinsville, Kentucky (60)	1,082	Associate

Murray State University is a regional coeducational public institution of higher learning offering undergraduate, graduate and professional instruction and regional continuing education programs. There are six colleges at Murray State University representing the fields of business and public affairs, creative expression, environmental sciences, human development and learning, humanistic studies, and industry and technology. The university's main campus is located in the residential section of Murray and covers 238 acres.

\*Joint doctoral degree programs are offered in cooperation with the University of Kentucky, Lexington.

## Vocational Schools

Both the state vocational-technical schools and the area vocational education centers are operated by the Kentucky Department of Education. The state vocational-technical schools enroll persons full time who are at least 16 years of age and not in school. These students attend classes for six hours each day. The area vocational education centers are designed to accommodate high school students who are at least 15 years of age. These students attend vocational school for three hours each day. The state vocational-technical schools and the area education centers offer evening courses to enable working adults to upgrade current job skills.

### Nearest State School

Location	West Kentucky State Vocational-Technical School Paducah
Miles Distant	46
Curriculum	Business and Communications Business and Office Occupations Commercial Art* Consumer Education Cooperative Education Distributive Education Printing Construction Trades Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Architectural Drafting Carpentry Electricity Masonry Mechanical Drafting Welding Health Programs Dental Assistant Emergency Medical Technology Nurse's Assistant Operating Room Technology Practical Nursing Respiratory Therapy Ward Secretary Service Trades Auto Body Repair and Painting Auto Mechanics Barbering Commercial Foods Cosmetology Diesel Mechanics Tailoring

(Contd.)

\*Planned additions to the curriculum.

Technical Education  
Chemical Lab Technology  
Civil and Highway Technology  
Electronics  
Industrial Plant Maintenance\*  
Instrumentation\*  
Machine Shop\*

Nearest Area Education Center

Location	Murray Area Vocational Education Center
Curriculum	Murray Agriculture Adult Agriculture Marketing and Distributive Education Health and Personal Services Occupations Health Services Practical Nursing Industrial Education Auto Body Repair Auto Mechanics Carpentry Major Appliance Repair

Arrangements can be made to provide training in the specific production skills required by an industrial plant. Instruction may be conducted either in the vocational school or in the industrial plant, depending upon the desired arrangement and the availability of special equipment.

\*Planned additions to the curriculum.

## HEALTH

### Local Medical Personnel

Physicians - 39  
Dentists - 19

### Hospitals

<u>General Hospitals</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Beds</u>
Murray-Calloway County Hospital*	Murray	178 (acute) 40 (long term care)

General hospital facilities and services - 6 operating rooms; 6-bed intensive coronary unit; cardiac care linked by computer with Vanderbilt Hospital at Nashville, Tennessee, 24 hours-a-day for monitoring; diagnostic X-ray department with isotope scanner; xeromammography; ultrasound; pharmacy; laboratory defibrillator obstetric department; respiratory and physical therapy; social services department; holter monitoring; treadmill and stress testing; EEG testing; training facility for student nurses attending Murray State University; hospice program

Medical staff - 37 doctors, 65 registered nurses (full time), 27 registered nurses (part time), 63 licensed practical nurses (full time), 6 licensed practical nurses (part time)

### Other Medical Facilities

The Medical Arts Building in Murray is a three-floor complex consisting of a pharmacy, and outpatient laboratory and office spaces for 23 physicians. It is adjacent to the hospital.

### Ambulance Service

Name - Murray-Calloway County Hospital Ambulance Service  
Staff - 12 emergency medical technicians, with 1 having paramedical training  
Service - County-wide, 24-hour service  
Equipment - 3 fully-equipped ambulances

\*A \$7.4 million expansion project, completed in early 1981, added 125,000 square feet to the Murray-Calloway County Hospital.

Public Health

Facility - Calloway County Health Department - Purchase District  
Staff -

Full time: Administrator, 8 public health nurses, 2 community health workers, 2 sanitarians, social worker, plumbing inspector, 4 clerks

Part time: 2 nutritionists, 2 public health nurses, physical therapist, speech and hearing pathologist, X-ray technician

## OTHER LOCAL FACILITIES

### Communications

Telephone - South Central Bell Telephone Company  
Services - Standard

Telegraph - Western Union Telegraph Company  
Services - Toll-free number, 1-800-325-5100  
Counter service available

Postal - U. S. Post Office  
Class - First  
Mail received - Twice daily  
Mail dispatched - Twice daily

Newspapers -  
Daily except Sunday and circulation - The Murray Ledger & Times, 7,800  
Weekly and circulation - The Murray State News (college newspaper),  
14,000  
Other papers  
received from - Louisville and Paducah, Kentucky; Memphis and  
Nashville, Tennessee; New York, New York

Radio - WNBS-AM, WAAW-FM, WKMS-FM, WSJP-AM  
Stations received from - All radio networks and independent  
stations within a 150-mile radius

Television -  
Cable service  
Reception from - 11 channels and constant weather scan which  
includes Paducah, Kentucky; Jackson and  
Nashville, Tennessee; Cape Girardeau,  
Missouri; and Atlanta, Georgia  
Kentucky Educational  
Television - Murray-Mayfield transmitter, Channel 21



## Library Services

Public library - Calloway County Public Library and Arts Annex

Size collection - 55,000 volumes

Circulation, 1980-81 - 221,959

Services - Bookmobile serves city and county, shut-in service through the bookmobile, films, periodicals, paintings, microfilms, story hour four times weekly, children's programs, adult and junior great books, discussion groups, book reviews, special displays, programs in art displays and music, outreach program to disadvantaged, children's art workshops, adult beginning language courses, Jackson Purchase Regional Library headquarters

University library - Harry Lee Waterfield Library (open to the public)

Size collection - Over 611,000 resource materials

Special collections - Early history of Kentucky and Tennessee; genealogy; TVA publications; Jesse Stuart Collection, consisting of manuscripts and letters; Kentuckiana and Jackson Purchase Collections; manuscripts of Nathan B. Stubblefield, Harry Lee Waterfield, Mancil Vinson, and Edward T. Breathitt; the Gregory papers, and the Everett papers from Obion County, Tennessee; Murray Women's Club scrapbooks and records; Jackson Purchase newspapers on microfilm; legal resources annex; other papers and memorabilia of well-known graduates

## Religious Institutions

Denominations - Assembly of God  
Baptist  
Catholic  
Christian  
Christian Science  
Church of Christ  
Church of Latter Day Saints  
Episcopal  
Jehovah's Witnesses  
Lutheran  
Methodist  
Mormon  
Nazarene  
Pentecostal  
Presbyterian  
Seventh Day Adventist  
Wayman Chapel AME

Nearest Synagogues - Paducah, 46 miles northwest

Congregations - Temple Israel (reform)

Financial Institutions

<u>Banks</u>	<u>Assets</u>	<u>Deposits</u>	<u>Statement Date</u>
Bank of Murray	\$125,503,823.00	\$112,117,224.00	6/30/81
Peoples Bank of Murray, Kentucky	86,398,059.08	77,410,064.73	12/31/81
<u>Savings and Loan Associations</u>	<u>Assets</u>	<u>Savings Accounts</u>	<u>Statement Date</u>
Home Federal Savings and Loan Association (Murray branch)	\$125,151,603.90	\$104,293,010.48	12/31/81
Hopkinsville Federal Savings and Loan Association (Murray branch)	101,263,862.68	94,420,263.91	12/31/81
Security Federal Savings and Loan Association of Mayfield and Murray	45,555,899.00	40,561,258.00	12/31/81

Hotels and Motels

Total number - 3  
Total rooms - 187

## Clubs and Organizations

A.A.U.W.  
American Legion Post 73  
American Red Cross  
Beta Sigma Phi, Gamma Gamma  
Beta Sigma Phi, Xi Alpha Delta  
Big "M" Club  
Bluegrass CB Club  
Boy Scouts of America  
Business and Professional  
Women's Club  
Calloway County Association  
for Retarded Citizens  
Calloway County Bar Association  
Calloway County Country Club  
Calloway County Farm Bureau  
Calloway County Genealogical  
Society  
Calloway County Homemakers  
Council  
Calloway County Medical Society  
Civitan Club  
Daughters of the American  
Revolution (DAR)  
Daughters of the Confederacy  
Disabled Veterans  
Disabled Veterans, Ladies  
Auxiliary  
Epsilon Sigma Alpha  
4-H Council  
Fraternal Order of Police  
Girl Scouts  
Kiwanis  
Lions  
Loyal Order of the Moose  
Magazine Club  
Murray Baseball Association  
Murray-Calloway County Board of  
Realtors

Murray-Calloway County Chamber of  
Commerce  
Murray-Calloway County Insurance  
Association  
Murray-Calloway County Jaycees  
Murray-Calloway County Mental Health-  
Mental Retardation Center Inc.  
Murray-Calloway County Needle  
Association  
Murray-Calloway County Shrine Club  
Murray-Calloway County Shrine Club  
Crippled Children  
Murray Dental Society  
Murray League of Women Voters  
Murray Masonic Lodge  
Murray Ministerial Association  
Murray Squar-A-Naders  
Murray Woman's Club  
Oa's Country Club  
Optimist Club  
Professional Firefighters  
Professional Secretaries  
International  
Racer Club  
Rose and Garden Club  
Rotary Club  
Senior Citizens  
Sons of American Revolution  
U. S. Coast Guard Auxiliary  
Veterans of Foreign Wars  
Weight Watchers  
Welcome Wagon  
Woodmen of the World  
Woodmen of the World Society

## RECREATION

### Local

The city of Murray has a year-round supervised recreational program, with organized total-youth sports for children of the city and county. The city has a 100-acre park, a 20-acre park, two mini parks, three swimming pools (olympic, training and infant), seven tennis courts, nine ball fields, 2 soccer fields, six covered pavilions, picnic areas, bike and hiking trails, and playground equipment available for public use. A new golf course is under construction.

Among the youth sports programs offered by the city of Murray are baseball, soccer, basketball, boxing, karate, football and swimming.

Several historic buildings have been restored at the city-county park, including the relocated Louisville and Nashville Railroad freight depot. The depot is used by the Murray-Calloway County Community Theatre, and several plays are presented there each season, year-round. The theatre group stresses the need for theatrical education as well as production, and integrates workshops on acting, directing and technical theatre into its yearly activities.

Private recreational facilities in Murray include two country clubs with 18-hole golf courses, a bowling facility, 6 movie theaters, and a skating rink.

Murray State University has sixteen lighted tennis courts, six racquetball courts, a lighted baseball-football field, four indoor basketball courts, sauna, weight rooms, indoor jogging track, outdoor track, indoor archery/golf range, gymnastic room, several open playing fields, and an indoor swimming pool. The Murray State University Thoroughbreds are perennial challengers for major honors in the eight men's and five women's intercollegiate sports in the Ohio Valley Conference. In addition, several lectures, recitals, concerts, and plays are presented each year on campus and are also open to the public.

Other attractions on the Murray State University campus include the National Museum of the Boys Scouts of America, which houses historical scouting memorabilia and exhibits and the Norman Rockwell painting collection. The Wrathier West Kentucky Museum, housed in Murray State University's oldest building, reflects the cultural heritage of the geographic area surrounding Murray and Western Kentucky.

### Area

Murray's location in the heart of Kentucky's Land of the Lakes region makes it an excellent recreation area. The city is located near two of the largest inland lakes in America - Kentucky Lake and Lake Barkley. This lakeland area offers numerous recreational facilities for water sports, fishing, boating and camping.

Located around this lakeland area are three of the state's finest resort parks - Kenlake State Resort Park, Lake Barkley State Resort Park, and Kentucky Dam Village State Resort Park.

Charm and serenity exemplify Kenlake State Resort Park which is located on the 160,000-acre Kentucky Lake, 16 miles northeast of Murray. The park offers hotel and cottage accommodations and an efficient camping site. Other facilities include a 9-hole golf course, pool and lake swimming, horseback riding, hiking trails, fishing, boating, picnicking, playgrounds, shuffleboard, planned recreation, and one of the finest tennis complexes in the area.

Lake Barkley State Resort Park, 30 miles northeast of Murray near Cadiz, is located on the scenic Little River embayment of the 58,000-acre Lake Barkley. The magnificent lodge includes 120 rooms, four suites, nine cottages, a dining room, a coffee shop, a gift shop, two meeting rooms, and a recreation room. An activities center with a capacity for 400 and a 80-site campground area located near the lodge. A lodge pool, a beach and bathhouse, an 18-hole golf course, tennis courts, a riding stable, a trapshooting range, a basketball court, hiking trails, playgrounds, and a picnic area comprise the recreational facilities. The marina near the lodge has everything for the "boat lover": covered and open slips, launching ramp, and rentals for fishing boats, skiing boats, and pleasure-ride pontoons.

Kentucky Dam Village State Resort, located 30 miles north of Murray near Gilbertsville, is one of the largest and most popular vacation resorts in Kentucky. A modern lodge with 72 rooms, six different cottage types, and a 225-site campground make up the accommodations. A recently completed convention center has a theater-seating capacity of 750 persons and a seating capacity of 500 for dinner. For smaller groups, the convention center can be partitioned. There is also a dining room overlooking Kentucky Lake, a coffee shop, a snack bar, two gift shops, a meeting room, an activities center, and a recreation room. Recreational activities to choose from include boating and fishing at the largest docking facility in the Kentucky parks system, golf at the 18-hole Village Green Course, hiking, horseback riding, picnicking, swimming at the lodge pool or off the sand beach, and tennis.

Land Between the Lakes National Recreation Area, accessible 20 miles northeast of Murray, is woodland formed into a peninsula by Kentucky Lake and Lake Barkley. A major area for outdoor recreation, conservation, and environmental learning, there are facilities for fishing, boating, hiking, swimming, hunting, camping and picnicking.

