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# *Resources for Economic Development*

## Stamping Ground



**KENTUCKY**

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RESOURCES FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT  
STAMPING GROUND, KENTUCKY

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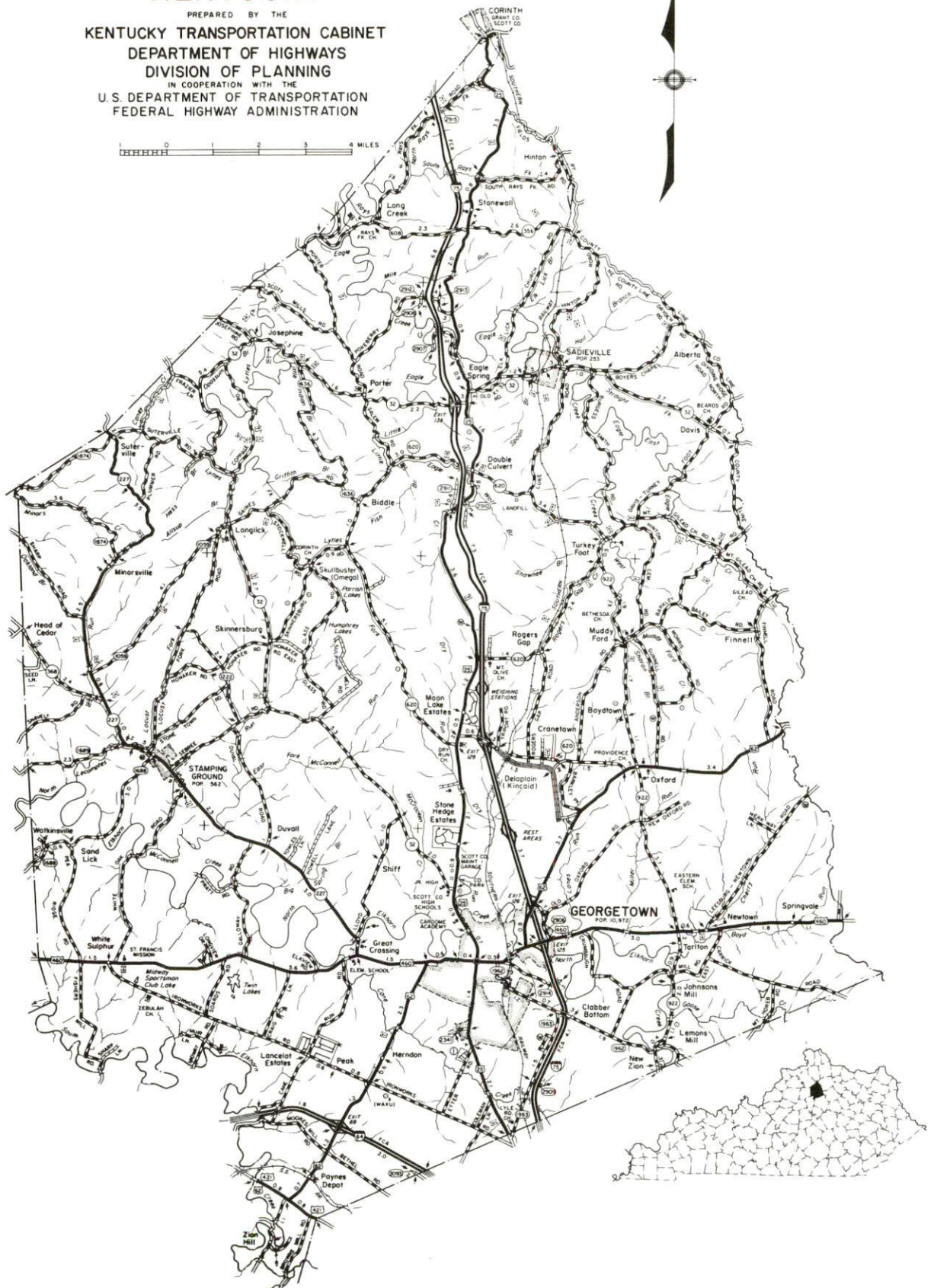
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GENERAL HIGHWAY MAP  
**SCOTT COUNTY**  
KENTUCKY

PREPARED BY THE  
KENTUCKY TRANSPORTATION CABINET  
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS  
DIVISION OF PLANNING  
IN COOPERATION WITH THE  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION

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## STAMPING GROUND, KENTUCKY - A RESOURCE PROFILE

Stamping Ground is located in central Kentucky's scenic Blue Grass Region, an area famous for its many beautiful horse farms and low rolling hills. Stamping Ground is located eight miles northwest of Georgetown, Kentucky, 23 miles northwest of Lexington, Kentucky; 85 miles east of Louisville, Kentucky; and 72 miles south of Cincinnati, Ohio. Stamping Ground's 1990 population was 698.

Scott County, which covers a land area of 285 square miles, had a 1990 population of 23,867.

**The Economic Framework** - The total number of Scott County residents employed in 1991 averaged 11,147. Manufacturing firms in the county reported 5,588 employees; wholesale and retail trade provided 2,038 jobs; 1,728 people were employed in service occupations; state and local government accounted for 1,137 employees; and contract construction firms provided 439 jobs.

**Labor Supply** - There is a current estimated labor supply of 30,151 persons available for industrial jobs in the labor market area. In addition, from 1992 through 1996, 24,078 young persons in the area will become 18 years of age and potentially available for industrial jobs.

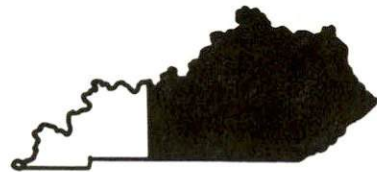
**Transportation** - Stamping Ground is served by AAA-rated Kentucky Route 227, which connects with U.S. 460, six miles southeast of Stamping Ground. Access to Interstate 75 is available ten miles southeast of Stamping Ground. Nineteen trucking companies provide interstate and/or intrastate service to Stamping Ground. The nearest scheduled commercial airline service is available at Bluegrass Airport near Lexington, 28 miles southeast. A local airfield for small craft is available at Georgetown, which offers a 4,000-foot paved runway.

**Power and Fuel** - Kentucky Utilities Company provides electricity to Stamping Ground and parts of Scott County. The remainder of the county is served by East Kentucky Power Cooperative through Harrison Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation and Owen Electric Cooperative.

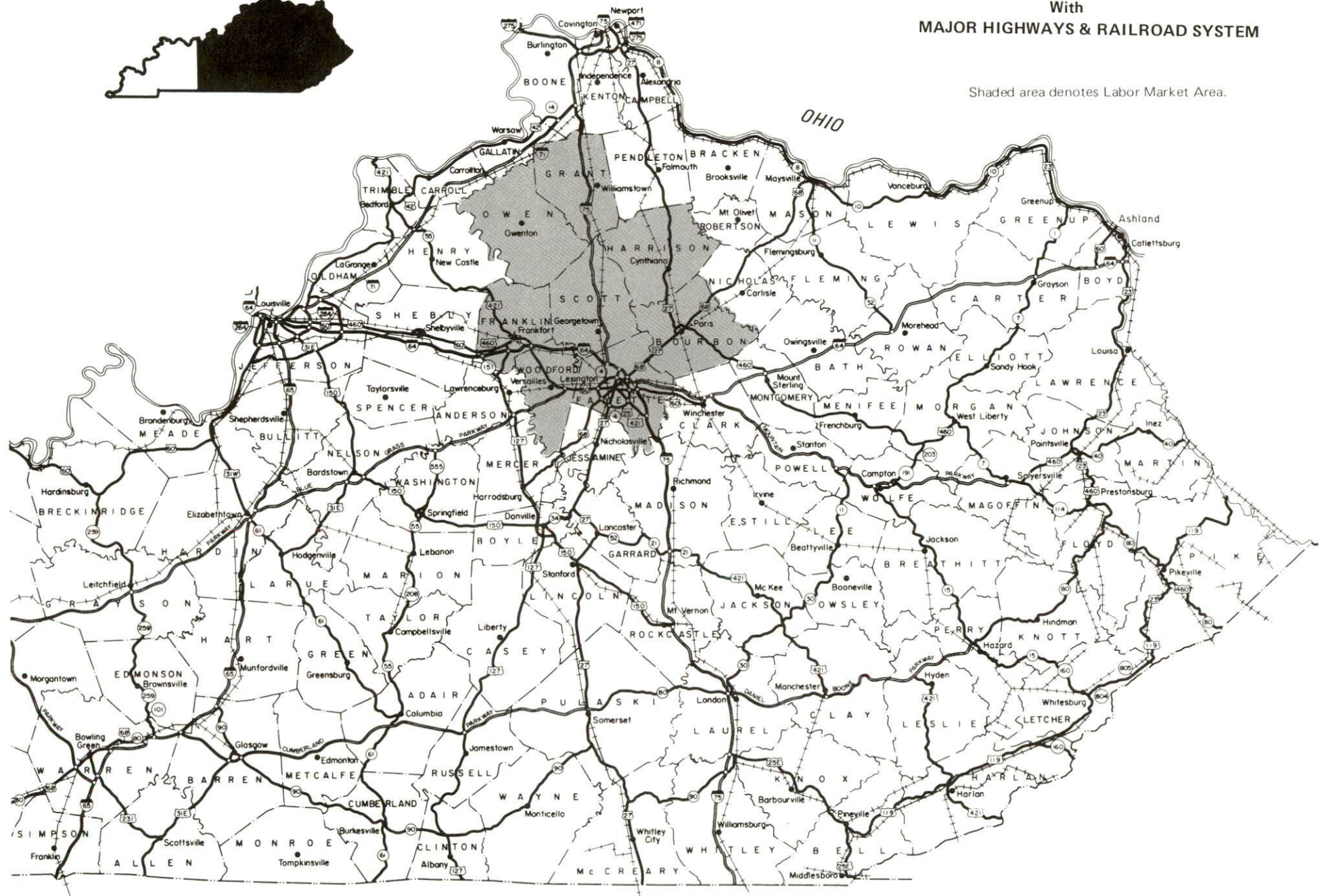
**Education** - The Scott County Public School System provides primary and secondary education to Stamping Ground. Eight institutions of higher learning are located within 50 miles of Stamping Ground. Vocational training is available at the Central Kentucky State Vocational-Technical School located in Lexington, Kentucky, 23 miles southeast, and at the Franklin County Area Vocational Education Center located in Frankfort, Kentucky, ten miles southwest of Stamping Ground.



# STAMPING GROUND LABOR MARKET AREA With MAJOR HIGHWAYS & RAILROAD SYSTEM



Shaded area denotes Labor Market Area.





## LABOR MARKET STATISTICS

The Stamping Ground Labor Market Area includes Scott County and the adjoining Kentucky counties of Bourbon, Fayette, Franklin, Grant, Harrison, Owen, and Woodford.

POPULATION			
	<u>1990</u>	<u>1980</u>	<u>1970</u>
Labor Market Area	373,225	342,389	291,289
Stamping Ground	698	562	411
Scott County	23,867	21,813	17,948

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, January 1991.

POPULATION PROJECTIONS				
	<u>1995</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2020</u>
Labor Market Area	390,792	406,417	429,440	439,796
Scott County	25,208	26,460	28,405	29,662

Note: Population projections are from Moderate Growth Series forecast.

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

ESTIMATED LABOR SUPPLY					
	Current			Not in Labor Force	Future Becoming 18 years of age 1992 thru 1996
	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unemployed</u>	<u>Employed Part-Time</u>		
Labor Market Area*	30,151	8,010	19,867	2,274	24,078
Scott County	1,966	678	1,288	0	1,790

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

Note: Unemployed - persons unemployed and actively seeking work; Employed Part-Time - 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).

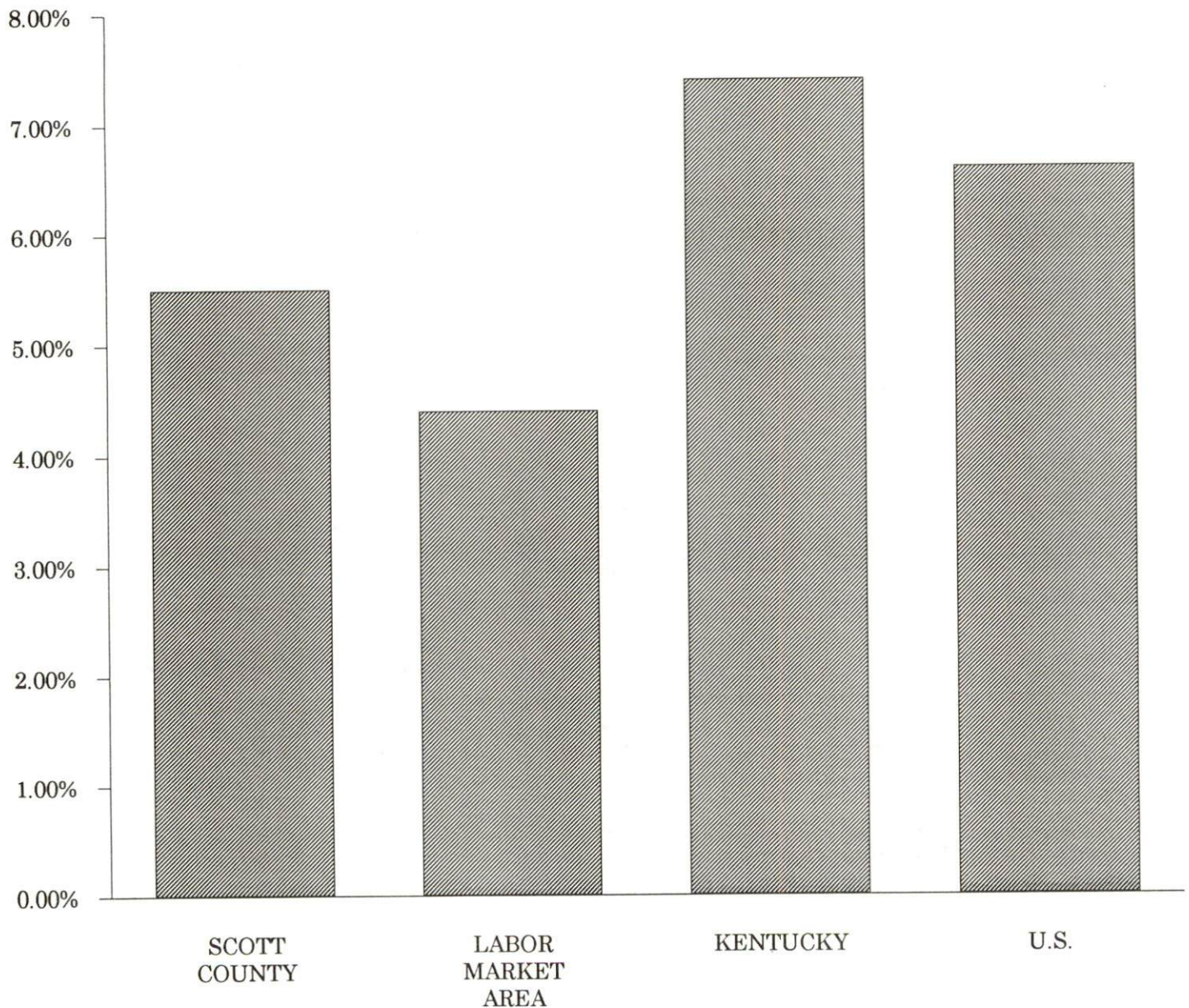
Sources: Kentucky Cabinet for Human Resources, Kentucky Labor Supply Estimates by County, 1989. Kentucky Cabinet for Economic Development, Future Labor Supply Becoming 18 Years of Age, 1992 thru 1996.

# LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS OF RESIDENTS, 1991

	<u>Scott County</u>	<u>Labor Market Area</u>
Civilian Labor Force	11,790	205,449
Employment	11,147	196,508
Unemployment	643	8,941
Rate of Unemployment (%)	5.5	4.4

Source: Kentucky Cabinet for Human Resources, Kentucky Labor Force Estimates, Annual Averages, 1991.

## UNEMPLOYMENT RATES 1991



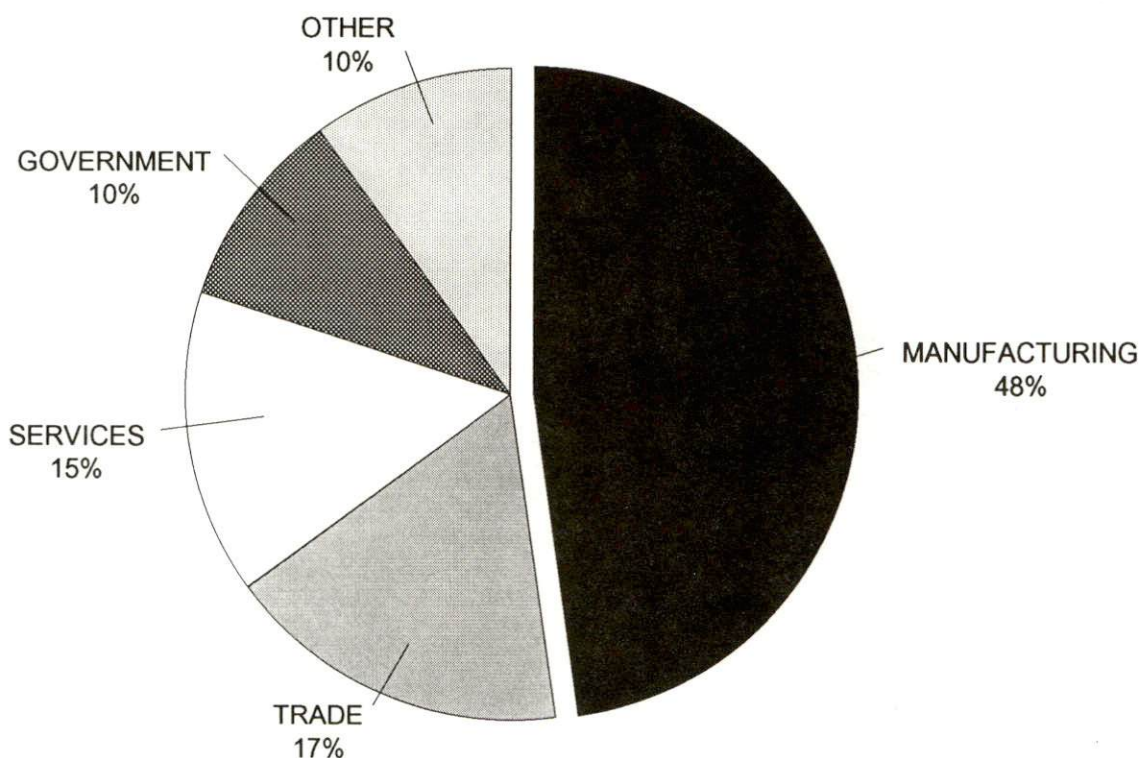


SELECTED COMPONENTS OF NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT  
BY PLACE OF WORK, 1991

	<u>Scott County</u>	<u>Labor Market Area</u>
All Industries (total)	11,819	198,945
Manufacturing	5,588	34,016
Wholesale & Retail Trade	2,038	46,125
Services	1,728	44,837
State/Local Government	1,137	41,620
Contract Construction	439	9,441

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, 1991.

SCOTT COUNTY



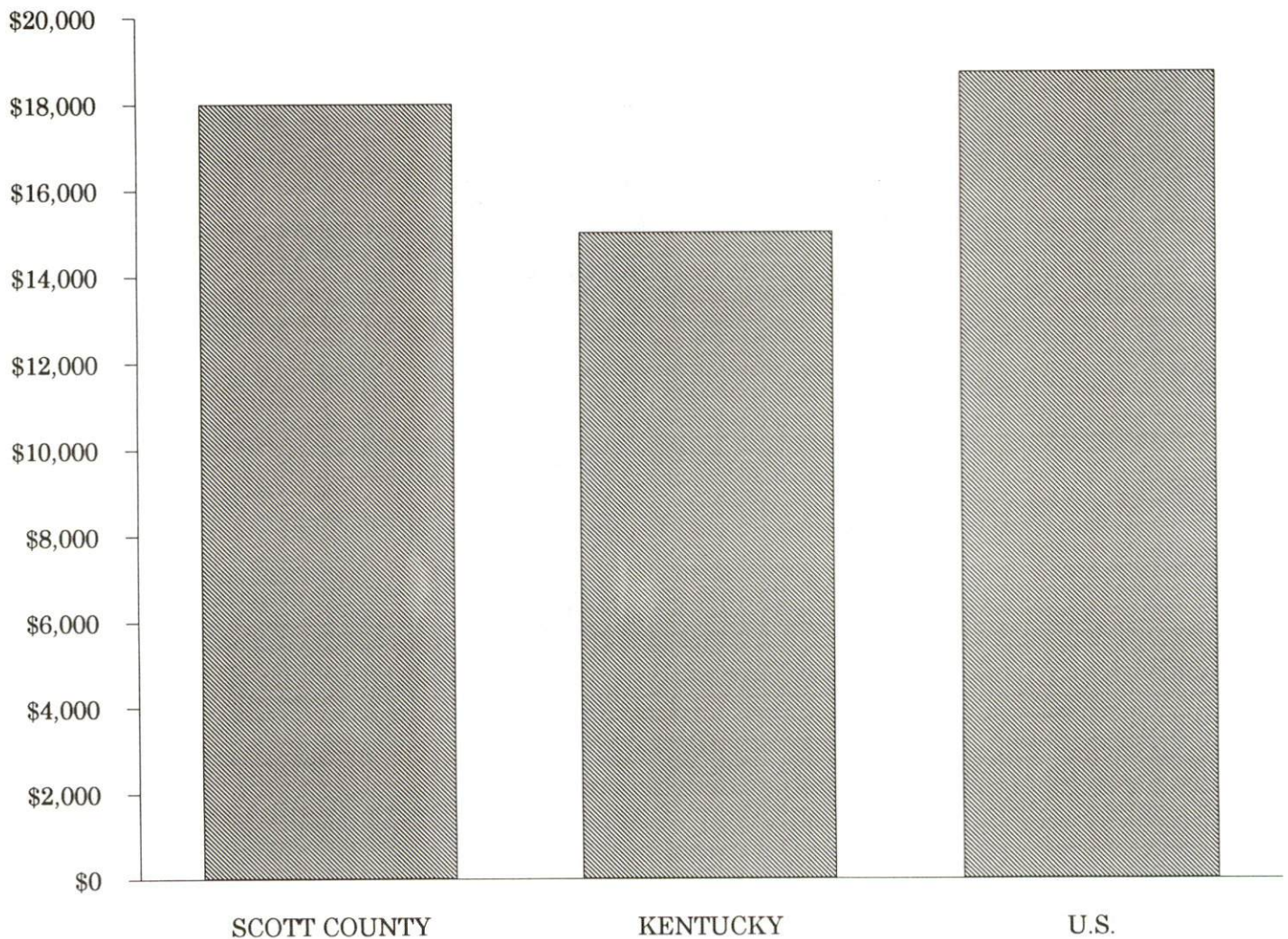


PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

<u>Area</u>	<u>1986</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>Percent Change</u>
Scott County	\$12,068	\$17,997	49.1
Labor Market Area Range	\$8,477 - \$19,486	\$11,649 - \$23,493	-
Kentucky	\$11,273	\$14,992	33.0
U.S.	\$14,654	\$18,696	27.6

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis, Kentucky Economic Information System, April 1992.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME  
1990



## AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGES

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Scott 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, 1990, the local employment office filled 1,867 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	1,867	5.62
Clerical	142	4.21
Sales	15	4.66
Services (excluding domestic)	324	4.33
Agricultural, Fishery, Forestry, etc.	24	3.91
Processing	36	6.18
Machine Trades	75	6.40
Bench Work	669	5.00
Structural	441	8.07
Motor Freight/ Transportation	28	5.69
Packaging and Materials Handling	62	4.73
Other	3	6.00

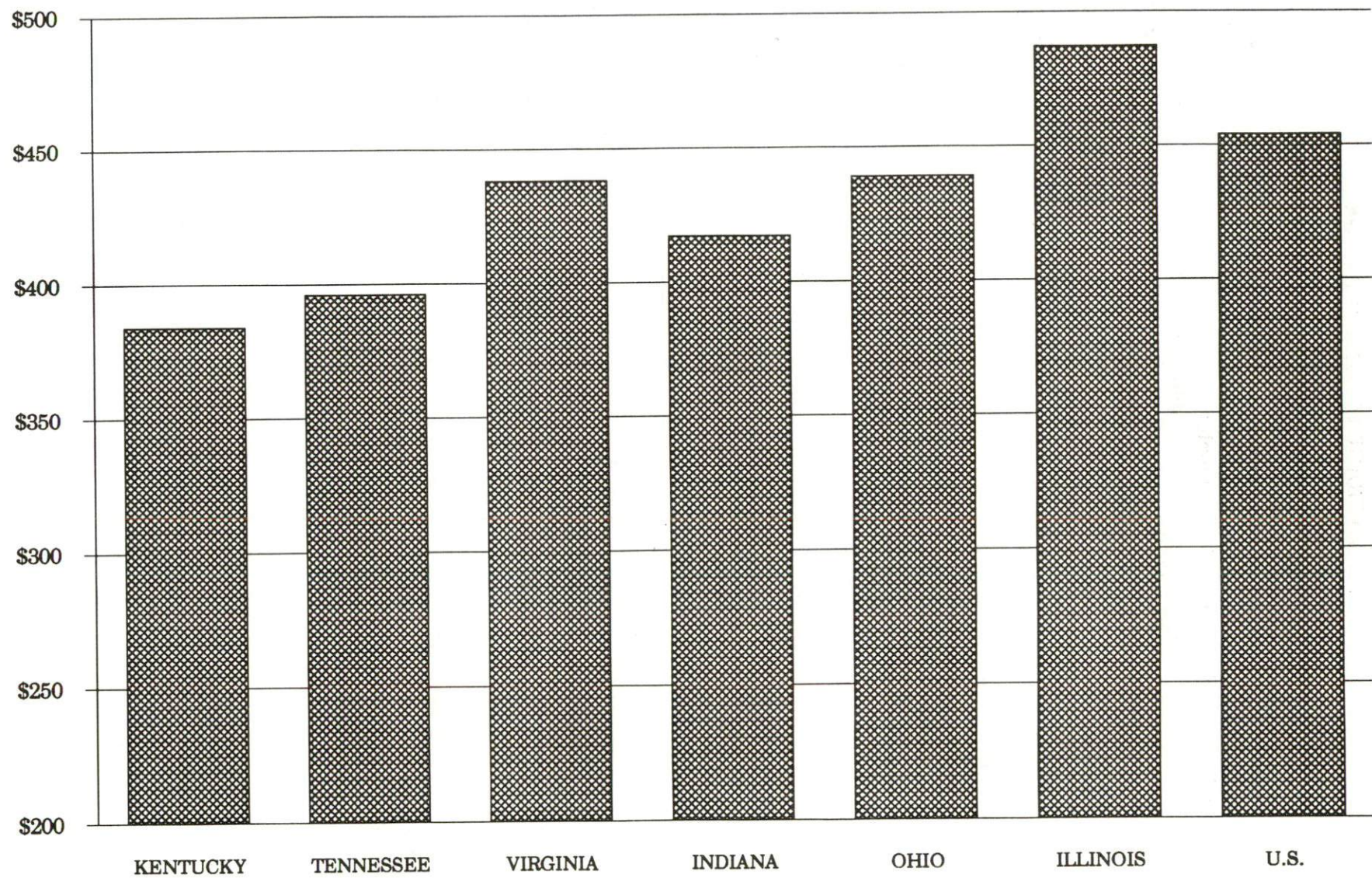
The Georgetown local office also serves Bourbon, Harrison and Nicholas Counties. The above occupational categories are taken from the Dictionary of Occupational Titles published by the U.S. Department of Labor.

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



AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES OF WORKERS COVERED BY  
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE - 1990





AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES BY INDUSTRY  
BY PLACE OF WORK, 1990\*

	Scott County	Kentucky (State- Wide)	Tennessee	Virginia
All Industries	\$463.83	\$379.97	\$396.00	\$438.00
Mining & Quarrying	N/A	654.24	535.00	635.00
Contract Construction	397.94	401.70	421.00	444.00
Manufacturing	663.09	496.95	449.00	487.00
Transportation, Communications & Public Utilities	554.96	500.70	523.00	575.00
Wholesale & Retail Trade	206.69	255.93	N/A	N/A
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	306.32	434.93	469.00	508.00
Services	253.92	329.76	378.00	430.00
State/Local Government	327.32	392.28	N/A	N/A
	<u>Indiana</u>	<u>Ohio</u>	<u>Illinois</u>	<u>U. S.</u>
All Industries	\$417.00	\$439.00	\$487.00	\$454.00
Mining & Quarrying	746.00	619.00	747.00	714.00
Contract Construction	475.00	504.00	624.00	503.00
Manufacturing	561.00	595.00	590.00	555.00
Transportation, Communications & Public Utilities	519.00	553.00	610.00	578.00
Wholesale & Retail Trade	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	442.00	478.00	619.00	571.00
Services	349.00	382.00	444.00	423.00
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, 1990. U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Employment and Wages, Annual Averages, 1990, November 1991.

## EXISTING INDUSTRY

### SCOTT COUNTY MANUFACTURING FIRMS, THEIR PRODUCTS AND EMPLOYMENT

<u>Firm</u> <u>(Establishment date)</u>	<u>Product</u>	<u>1992</u> <u>Average Employment</u>
<b>Stamping Ground</b>		
Commonwealth Tool & Machine, Inc. (1984)	Machine tools, dies, jigs, metal forming machine tools, metal cutting, fabricated metal products, wire EDM, CNC machining, CAD design	30
Wise Tool and Die Company (1978)	Tools, dies, jigs, fixtures and fabricated metal products	1
<b>Georgetown (more than 100 employees)</b>		
The GCA Group (1962)	Electronic sub-assemblies, wiring harnesses	230
Hoover Group, Inc.; Wire Products Division (1965)	Automotive seating components, bed and furniture springs, miscellaneous wire fabricated products	132
Johnson Controls, Inc.; Auto Systems Group (1961)	Automotive seating assemblies	450
Premix, Inc. Injection Molding Division (1989)	Custom plastic injection molding, custom molded parts, custom engineered composites	125
Toyota Motor Manufacturing USA, Inc., (1987)	Four-door sedan automobiles	4,700

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

### LABOR ORGANIZATIONS IN MANUFACTURING FIRMS

There are currently no unions representing manufacturing workers in Scott County.

# SELECTED INDUSTRIAL SERVICES

<u>Types of Services</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Mileage from Stamping Ground</u>
Custom Plastics Producers	Georgetown	8
	Frankfort	10
Electric Motor Repair	Frankfort	10
	Lexington	23
Heat Treating Facilities	Georgetown	8
	Frankfort	10
Industrial Waste Removal	Georgetown	8
	Frankfort	10
Machine Shops, Tool & Die	Stamping Ground	-
Metal Castings	Cynthiana	29
Metal Finishers	Georgetown	8
Metal Service Centers	Lexington	23
Millwrights and Riggers	Lexington	23

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



## TRANSPORTATION

### Highways

Stamping Ground is served by Kentucky Route 227, a "AAA"-rated (80,000-pound gross load limit) trucking highway, which connects with U.S. 460, six miles northwest of Stamping Ground. Access to Interstate 75 is available ten miles southeast of Stamping Ground near Georgetown. Interstate 64 is accessible 18 miles southeast of Stamping Ground near Frankfort.

#### HIGHWAY MILES FROM STAMPING GROUND, KENTUCKY, TO SELECTED MARKET CENTERS

City	Highway Miles	City	Highway Miles
Atlanta, GA	387	Los Angeles, CA	2,174
Baltimore, MD	557	Louisville, KY	85
Birmingham, AL	415	Nashville, TN	223
Chicago, IL	357	New Orleans, LA	737
Cincinnati, OH	72	New York, NY	721
Cleveland, OH	317	Pittsburgh, PA	351
Detroit, MI	330	St. Louis, MO	340
Knoxville, TN	195		

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

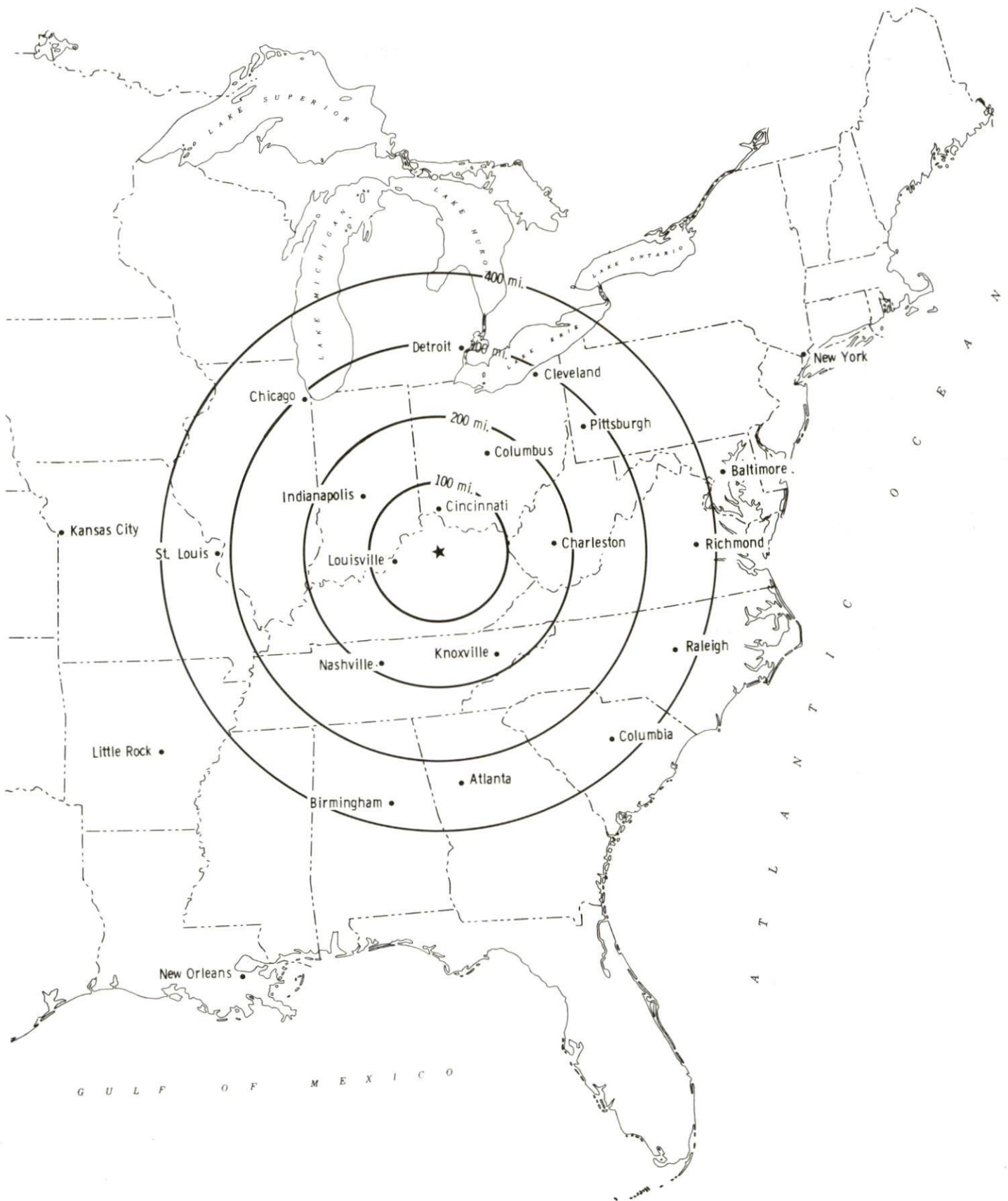
Sources: Rand McNally Standard Highway Mileage Guide, 1990. Official Kentucky Mileage Map, 1985.

### Truck Service

Nineteen trucking companies provide interstate and/or intrastate trucking service to Stamping Ground.

Source: American Motor Carrier Directory, Fall 1992.

## Selected Market Centers



## Rail

The nearest main line rail service is provided by the Norfolk Southern Corporation at Georgetown, eight miles southeast of Stamping Ground. Intermodal facilities are also available at the Norfolk Southern facility in Georgetown.

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

District Sales Manager  
Norfolk Southern Corporation  
1402 South 15th Street  
Louisville, Kentucky 40210  
(502) 636-6023

## Air

### Local

Location:	Georgetown-Scott County Regional Airport 5 miles east of Georgetown; 13 miles southeast of Stamping Ground
Runways:	1 paved
Length:	4,000 feet
Traffic	
Control:	Wind sock, taxiway
Lighting:	None
Services:	100LL and jet-A fuels, tie-downs, flight instruction, rental aircraft, charter, car rental and taxi

Development of the Georgetown-Scott County Regional Airport is nearing completion. The 4,000-foot paved runway is already operational, with lighting under construction. A full service terminal and hangar is also being constructed.

### Nearest Scheduled Commercial Airline Service

Location:	Bluegrass Airport 4 miles west of Lexington, Kentucky; 28 miles south of Stamping Ground
Air Service:	Delta, USAir, United Express, American Eagle, ComAir, TW Express, Atlantic Southeast Airlines, Northwest AirlinK, Henson Airlines
Daily Arrivals & Departures:	120



## UTILITIES

### Electricity

Company serving **Stamping Ground** and parts of **Scott County - Kentucky**  
Utilities Company

Source of power - Kentucky Utilities Company

For industrial rates contact:

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

Company serving **parts of Scott County - Harrison Rural Electric**  
Cooperative Corporation and Owen Electric Cooperative

Source of power - East Kentucky Power Cooperative

For industrial rates contact:

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

and/or

Harrison Rural Electric Cooperative  
Corporation  
P.O. Box 130  
Cynthiana, Kentucky 41031  
(606) 234-3131 or (800) 842-7481

and/or

Owen Electric Cooperative  
510 South Main Street  
Owenton, Kentucky 40359  
(502) 484-3471 or (800) 372-7612

### Natural Gas

Natural gas service is not available in Stamping Ground.

## Public Water Supply

Company serving Stamping Ground - Stamping Ground Water Company  
P.O. Box 29  
Stamping Ground, Kentucky 40379  
(502) 535-6114

Source -	North Elkhorn Creek
Treatment plant capacity -	220,000 gallons per day
Average daily consumption -	115,000 gallons
Peak daily consumption -	220,000 gallons
Storage capacity -	150,000 gallons
Water pressure -	60 psi to 90 psi

The City of Stamping Ground plans to interconnect with the water system of Elkhorn Water District which will effectively eliminate the use of Stamping Ground's water treatment plant and increase the availability of treated water by at least 80,000 additional gallons per day. The \$411,000 project will involve the construction of a new connection line and a booster station which will reach completion by August 1993.

## Sewerage

Company serving Stamping Ground - Stamping Ground Wastewater Company  
P.O. Box 29  
Stamping Ground, Kentucky 40379  
(502) 535-6114

Design capacity -	300,000 gallons per day
Average daily flow -	65,000 gallons
Type of treatment -	Secondary
Treated effluent discharged into -	Locust Fork Creek to North Elkhorn Creek

## CLIMATE

### Scott County

#### Temperature

Normal (30-year record)	54.90 degrees
Average annual 1991	57.30 degrees
Record highest, July 1988 (47-year record)	103.00 degrees
Record lowest, January 1963 (47-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 (47-year record)	15.70 inches
Total precipitation 1991	41.80 inches
Mean number days precipitation (.01 inch or more)	
(47-year record)	129.40
Mean number days thunderstorms (47-year record)	44.90

#### Prevailing winds (through 1963)

South

#### Relative Humidity (28-year record, except 1 a.m. - 27-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, 1991. Station of record: Lexington, Kentucky.



## **LOCAL GOVERNMENT**

### **Structure**

The City of Stamping Ground is governed by a mayor and four commission members. The mayor is elected to a four-year term while the commissioners serve two-year terms. Scott County is governed by a county judge/executive and three commissioners. Each county official serves a four-year term.

### **Planning and Zoning**

Joint agency - Georgetown-Scott County Joint Planning Commission

Participating cities - Georgetown, Stamping Ground and Sadieville

Zoning enforced - All areas

Subdivision regulations enforced - All areas

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 Stamping Ground levies a \$30 business license fee annually and a \$30 per year unloading license fee on trucks delivering goods in Stamping Ground.

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

Scott County School System levies a one-half of one percent occupational tax on wages, salaries, and commissions of residents employed in Scott County and on the 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. A 15% reduction is automatically granted for accounts receivable.

### STATE PROPERTY TAX RATES PER \$100 VALUATION

<u>Selected Classes of Property</u>	<u>1992 State Rate</u>	<u>Local Taxation Permitted</u>
Real Estate	\$0.184	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, 1992

<u>Taxing Jurisdiction</u>	<u>Real Estate</u>	<u>Finished Goods &amp; Tangibles</u>	<u>Motor Vehicles</u>
Scott County	\$0.1660	\$0.2433	\$0.2372
School Districts:			
Scott County	0.2850	0.2910	0.5480
Cities:			
Stamping Ground	0.2980	0.3010	0.4000



## EDUCATION

### Public Schools

#### Scott County

Total Enrollment (Fall, 1991)	4,716
Accreditation	Southern Association of Colleges and Schools
Pupil-Teacher Ratio (1990-91)	17.9-1
Percent High School Graduates to College (1990-91)	55.6
Expenditures Per Pupil (1990-91)	\$3,222.41

### Area Colleges and Universities

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location (Miles distant)</u>	<u>Enrollment (Fall, 1991)</u>
Georgetown College	Georgetown, Kentucky (8)	1,547
Kentucky State University	Frankfort, Kentucky (10)	2,534
Midway College	Midway, Kentucky (13)	722
Lexington Community College	Lexington, Kentucky (23)	4,985
Transylvania University	Lexington, Kentucky (23)	1,038
University of Kentucky	Lexington, Kentucky (23)	24,132
Asbury College	Wilmore, Kentucky (43)	1,081
Eastern Kentucky University	Richmond, Kentucky (47)	16,525

## 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 Stamping Ground)</u>	<u>Number of Program Offerings</u>	<u>Cumulative Enrollment 1991-1992</u>	<u>Approximate Number Completing Programs Annually</u>
Central Kentucky State Vocational- Technical School	Lexington (23)	18	<u>P/S</u> 1,061	269

A five million dollar expansion was completed at Kentucky Tech-Central in the fall of 1992. The expansion includes a new manufacturing technology building that houses manufacturing related programs such as machine tool technology, computer aided drafting, electronics and industry electrical technology. A computer-integrated work cell laboratory in one room of the building links all the programs, simulating the operation of an actual manufacturing plant. Applied physics, hydraulics and quality control applications are integrated into the curriculum.

Another room in the new building can be used by business and industry for start-up and new production training.

Moving all manufacturing-related training into one building provided space for Kentucky Tech-Central to add health care programs as part of its expansion. These include medical imaging, medical assisting, bio-medical technician and laboratory technician programs.

<u>Other Vocational Schools</u>	<u>Location (Mileage from Stamping Ground)</u>	<u>Number of Program Offerings</u>	<u>Cumulative Enrollment 1991-1992</u>	<u>Approximate Number Completing Programs Annually</u>
Franklin County Area Vocational Education Center	Frankfort (10)	5	<u>Sec</u> 162	25

### 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 simply contact a Training and Development Coordinator located at the Kentucky Tech North Central office in Lexington.



### 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-Central.

### 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 Scott County, adult literacy services are provided by the Scott County Adult Reading and adult basic education is provided through the Scott County School System.

### 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 (Scott County)

Physicians - 24

Dentists - 12

### Hospitals

<u>General Hospital</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Beds</u>
Scott General Hospital HTI	Georgetown, Kentucky eight miles southeast of Stamping Ground	75

Medical staff - 18 active staff physicians, 76 registered nurses,  
and 13 licensed practical nurses

### Other Medical Facilities and Services

Buffalo Springs Clinic - Stamping Ground

WEDCO District Health Department,  
Scott County Health Center  
(a public health facility)

Bluegrass West Comprehensive Care Center,  
Scott County Office

Scott County Home Health Agency

Georgetown - Scott County Ambulance Service

### Banks and Savings and Loan Associations

Farmers Bank and Trust Company

### Newspapers

Georgetown News & Times (weekly)

The Graphic (weekly)

### Telephone Service

South Central Bell

## RECREATION

### Local

A wide variety of recreational opportunities are available to residents of Stamping Ground. The Scott County Parks and Recreation Board schedules supervised recreational programs each summer at the Stamping Ground Elementary School and the Stamping Ground Park. Facilities at the School include a gymnasium, a playground and ball fields. A picnic shelter with restrooms was installed at the Stamping Ground Park in 1992 and a new "walking/running" trail is being planned for the near future. The Stamping Ground Park is also the site for summer basketball tournaments and softball leagues.

In Scott County, the Ed Davis Playground features playground equipment, a recreation building, two basketball courts, horseshoe pits, and a picnic shelter. The Buffalo Springs Park consists of two acres of passive recreation. Features at the 12-acre Suffoletta Park include a swimming pool, tennis courts, basketball and volleyball courts, four baseball fields, a horseshoe pitching complex, a picnic pavilion, picnic tables, and playground equipment. Marshall Park features a softball field, a youth football field, and playground equipment.

The 90-acre Scott County Community Park has a baseball and softball field, two new soccer fields, tennis courts, basketball courts, volleyball courts, and a lighted horse show ring with a show barn. The park also includes a picnic area, several playground areas, a lighted regulation-size croquet court, a tractor pull area, a concession-multi-purpose building, and parking.

The Georgetown-Scott County Parks and Recreation Board sponsors youth sports programs in baseball, football, soccer, T-ball, basketball, swimming, tennis, and ponytail softball. The board sponsors a supervised summer playground program at four locations for age 6 to 15, a summer camp for handicapped children, and a year-round supervised latchkey service is offered at the Ed Davis Recreation Building. The board also offers Red Cross-approved swimming lessons and sponsors a 10K race and two tennis tournaments yearly. During the evening hours, the community pool may be rented for private parties. Adult programs are offered in men's, women's, co-recreational, and church softball; men's, women's, and co-recreational volleyball; men's basketball; square dance classes; horseshoe pitching leagues; and tennis lessons and leagues.

### Area (Within 55 miles)

Blue Licks Battlefield State Park  
Boonesborough State Park  
General Butler State Resort Park  
Herrington Lake  
Kincaid Lake State Park  
Old Fort Harrod State Park  
Pleasant Hill (Shakertown)  
The Kentucky Horse Park  
Waveland State Historic Site  
White Hall State Historic Site



## COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENTS

Recent improvements at the Stamping Ground Community Park include construction of a picnic pavilion and concession stand. Other recreation facilities are planned at the park.

An enhancement of the "911" emergency dispatch system was recently completed throughout Scott County which significantly improved communications capabilities.

Several new bridges have recently been constructed in the Stamping Ground area.

The City of Stamping Ground plans to interconnect with the water system of Elkhorn Water District which will effectively eliminate the use of Stamping Ground's water treatment plant and increase the availability of treated water by at least 80,000 additional gallons per day. The \$411,000 project will involve the construction of a new connection line and a booster station which will reach completion by August 1993.

Development of the Georgetown-Scott County Regional Airport is nearing completion. The 4,000-foot paved runway is already operational, with lighting under construction. A full service terminal and hangar is also being constructed.

The Scott County Fiscal Court is in the process of extensively renovating the courthouse in Georgetown. The \$1.5 million project is scheduled for completion by December 1993.