

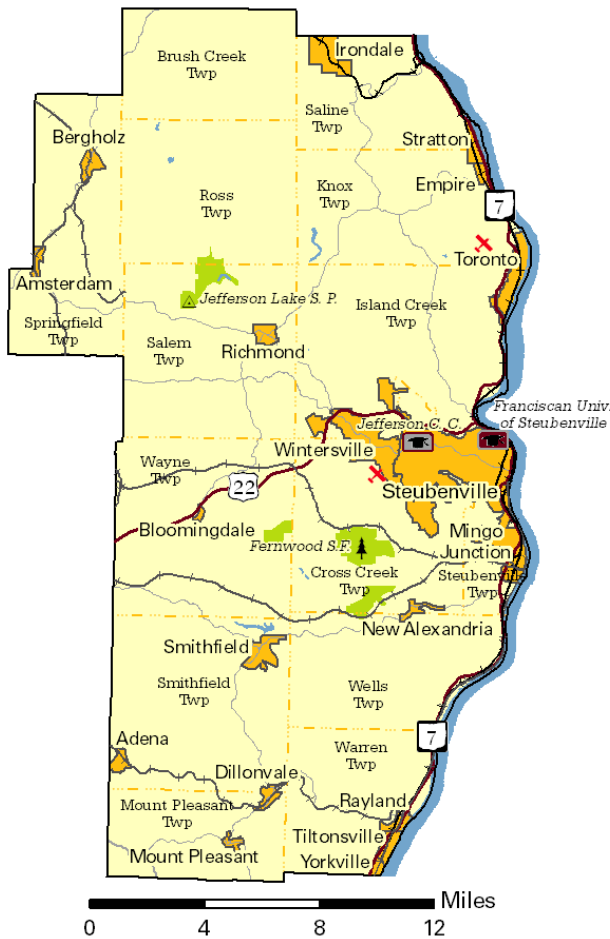
# Ohio County Profiles



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## Jefferson County

**Established:** Proclamation - July 29, 1797  
**2016 Population:** 66,704  
**Land Area:** 409.6 square miles  
**County Seat:** Steubenville City  
**Named for:** Thomas Jefferson, Third U.S. President



### Taxes

|                                |               |
|--------------------------------|---------------|
| Taxable value of real property | \$961,757,460 |
| Residential                    | \$647,806,600 |
| Agriculture                    | \$101,229,030 |
| Industrial                     | \$66,647,560  |
| Commercial                     | \$135,645,130 |
| Mineral                        | \$10,429,140  |
| Ohio income tax liability      | \$29,729,564  |
| Average per return             | \$1,044.24    |

### Land Use/Land Cover

|   | Percent |
|---|---------|
| Developed, Lower Intensity              | 10.29%  |
| Developed, Higher Intensity             | 1.73%   |
| Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.) | 0.78%   |
| Forest                                  | 64.61%  |
| Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands              | 2.25%   |
| Pasture/Hay                             | 12.11%  |
| Cultivated Crops                        | 7.05%   |
| Wetlands                                | 0.06%   |
| Open Water                              | 1.10%   |

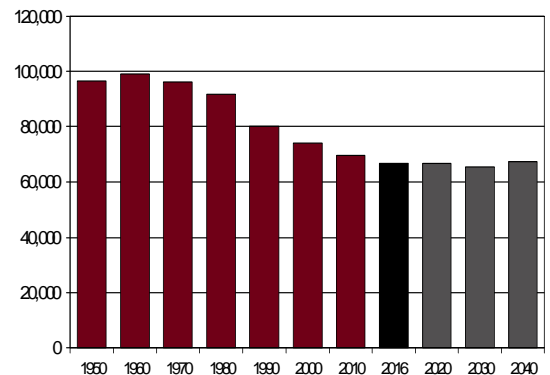
### Largest Places

|                     | Est. 2016 | Census 2010 |
|---------------------|-----------|-------------|
| Steubenville city   | 18,072    | 18,659      |
| Island Creek twp UB | 6,169     | 6,477       |
| Cross Creek twp UB  | 4,975     | 5,214       |
| Toronto city        | 4,851     | 5,091       |
| Wintersville vlg    | 3,774     | 3,924       |
| Mingo Junction vlg  | 3,302     | 3,454       |
| Wells twp UB        | 2,672     | 2,813       |
| Salem twp UB        | 2,540     | 2,667       |
| Knox twp UB         | 1,946     | 2,048       |
| Wayne twp UB        | 1,938     | 2,030       |

UB: Unincorporated balance.

### Total Population

| Census |        | Estimated |        |
|--------|--------|-----------|--------|
| 1800   | 8,766  | 1910      | 65,423 |
| 1810   | 17,260 | 1920      | 77,580 |
| 1820   | 18,531 | 1930      | 88,307 |
| 1830   | 22,489 | 1940      | 98,129 |
| 1840   | 25,030 | 1950      | 96,495 |
| 1850   | 29,133 | 1960      | 99,201 |
| 1860   | 26,115 | 1970      | 96,193 |
| 1870   | 29,188 | 1980      | 91,564 |
| 1880   | 33,018 | 1990      | 80,298 |
| 1890   | 39,415 | 2000      | 73,894 |
| 1900   | 44,357 | 2010      | 69,709 |
|        |        | 2011      | 68,881 |
|        |        | 2012      | 68,336 |
|        |        | 2013      | 67,984 |
|        |        | 2014      | 67,683 |
|        |        | 2015      | 67,327 |
|        |        | 2016      | 66,704 |
|        |        | Projected |        |
|        |        | 2020      | 66,540 |
|        |        | 2030      | 65,330 |
|        |        | 2040      | 67,410 |



## Population by Race

|                               | Number       | Percent     |
|-------------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| ACS Total Population          | 68,053       | 100.0%      |
| White                         | 62,372       | 91.7%       |
| African-American              | 3,871        | 5.7%        |
| Native American               | 60           | 0.1%        |
| Asian                         | 229          | 0.3%        |
| Pacific Islander              | 4            | 0.0%        |
| Other                         | 47           | 0.1%        |
| Two or More Races             | 1,470        | 2.2%        |
| Hispanic (may be of any race) | 859          | 1.3%        |
| <b>Total Minority</b>         | <b>6,346</b> | <b>9.3%</b> |

## Educational Attainment

|                           | Number | Percent |
|---------------------------|--------|---------|
| Persons 25 years and over | 47,972 | 100.0%  |
| No high school diploma    | 4,753  | 9.9%    |
| High school graduate      | 20,394 | 42.5%   |
| Some college, no degree   | 9,838  | 20.5%   |
| Associate degree          | 5,737  | 12.0%   |
| Bachelor's degree         | 4,585  | 9.6%    |
| Master's degree or higher | 2,665  | 5.6%    |

## Family Type by Employment Status

|   | Number | Percent |
|---|--------|---------|
| Total Families                                      | 18,206 | 100.0%  |
| Married couple, husband and wife in labor force     | 5,756  | 31.6%   |
| Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not    | 2,687  | 14.8%   |
| Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not    | 1,531  | 8.4%    |
| Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force | 3,427  | 18.8%   |
| Male householder, in labor force                    | 998    | 5.5%    |
| Male householder, not in labor force                | 547    | 3.0%    |
| Female householder, in labor force                  | 1,919  | 10.5%   |
| Female householder, not in labor force              | 1,341  | 7.4%    |

## Household Income

|                                | Number          | Percent |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|---------|
| Total Households               | 27,958          | 100.0%  |
| Less than \$10,000             | 2,726           | 9.8%    |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999           | 3,909           | 14.0%   |
| \$20,000 to \$29,999           | 3,285           | 11.7%   |
| \$30,000 to \$39,999           | 3,234           | 11.6%   |
| \$40,000 to \$49,999           | 3,182           | 11.4%   |
| \$50,000 to \$59,999           | 2,284           | 8.2%    |
| \$60,000 to \$74,999           | 2,519           | 9.0%    |
| \$75,000 to \$99,999           | 3,220           | 11.5%   |
| \$100,000 to \$149,999         | 2,500           | 8.9%    |
| \$150,000 to \$199,999         | 630             | 2.3%    |
| \$200,000 or more              | 469             | 1.7%    |
| <b>Median household income</b> | <b>\$41,942</b> |         |

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

## Population by Age

|                      | Number      | Percent |
|----------------------|-------------|---------|
| ACS Total Population | 68,053      | 100.0%  |
| Under 5 years        | 3,297       | 4.8%    |
| 5 to 17 years        | 10,093      | 14.8%   |
| 18 to 24 years       | 6,691       | 9.8%    |
| 25 to 44 years       | 14,604      | 21.5%   |
| 45 to 64 years       | 20,345      | 29.9%   |
| 65 years and more    | 13,023      | 19.1%   |
| <b>Median Age</b>    | <b>44.3</b> |         |

## Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18

|   | Number | Percent |
|---|--------|---------|
| Total Families  | 18,208 | 100.0%  |
| Married-couple families with own children                 | 4,120  | 22.6%   |
| Male householder, no wife present, with own children      | 541    | 3.0%    |
| Female householder, no husband present, with own children | 1,754  | 9.6%    |
| Families with no own children                             | 11,793 | 64.8%   |

## Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children

|   | Number | Percent |
|---|--------|---------|
| Total Families  | 18,208 | 100.0%  |
| Family income above poverty level                             | 15,907 | 87.4%   |
| Family income below poverty level                             | 2,301  | 12.6%   |
| Married couple, with related children                         | 411    | 2.3%    |
| Male householder, no wife present, with related children      | 205    | 1.1%    |
| Female householder, no husband present, with related children | 1,188  | 6.5%    |
| Families with no related children                             | 497    | 2.7%    |

## Ratio of Income To Poverty Level

|  | Number | Percent |
|--|--------|---------|
| Population for whom poverty status is determined | 65,557 | 100.0%  |
| Below 50% of poverty level                       | 6,097  | 9.3%    |
| 50% to 99% of poverty level                      | 5,436  | 8.3%    |
| 100% to 124% of poverty level                    | 3,499  | 5.3%    |
| 125% to 149% of poverty level                    | 3,300  | 5.0%    |
| 150% to 184% of poverty level                    | 4,721  | 7.2%    |
| 185% to 199% of poverty level                    | 2,327  | 3.5%    |
| 200% of poverty level or more                    | 40,177 | 61.3%   |

## Geographical Mobility

|                                  | Number | Percent |
|----------------------------------|--------|---------|
| Population aged 1 year and older | 67,546 | 100.0%  |
| Same house as previous year      | 59,133 | 87.5%   |
| Different house, same county     | 4,506  | 6.7%    |
| Different county, same state     | 1,388  | 2.1%    |
| Different state                  | 2,472  | 3.7%    |
| Abroad                           | 47     | 0.1%    |

## Travel Time To Work

|                           | Number | Percent |
|---------------------------|--------|---------|
| Workers 16 years and over | 26,510 | 100.0%  |
| Less than 15 minutes      | 8,666  | 32.7%   |
| 15 to 29 minutes          | 8,842  | 33.4%   |
| 30 to 44 minutes          | 4,532  | 17.1%   |
| 45 to 59 minutes          | 2,132  | 8.0%    |
| 60 minutes or more        | 2,338  | 8.8%    |

Mean travel time **25.2 minutes**

## Housing Units

|                        | Number | Percent |
|------------------------|--------|---------|
| Total housing units    | 32,604 | 100.0%  |
| Occupied housing units | 27,958 | 85.8%   |
| Owner occupied         | 19,796 | 70.8%   |
| Renter occupied        | 8,162  | 29.2%   |
| Vacant housing units   | 4,646  | 14.2%   |

## Year Structure Built

|                       | Number | Percent |
|-----------------------|--------|---------|
| Total housing units   | 32,604 | 100.0%  |
| Built 2010 or later   | 110    | 0.3%    |
| Built 2000 to 2009    | 1,279  | 3.9%    |
| Built 1990 to 1999    | 2,004  | 6.1%    |
| Built 1980 to 1989    | 1,949  | 6.0%    |
| Built 1970 to 1979    | 4,331  | 13.3%   |
| Built 1960 to 1969    | 4,910  | 15.1%   |
| Built 1950 to 1959    | 6,543  | 20.1%   |
| Built 1940 to 1949    | 2,934  | 9.0%    |
| Built 1939 or earlier | 8,544  | 26.2%   |

Median year built **1957**

## Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

|  | Number | Percent |
|--|--------|---------|
| Specified owner-occupied housing units | 19,796 | 100.0%  |
| Less than \$20,000                     | 1,143  | 5.8%    |
| \$20,000 to \$39,999                   | 1,657  | 8.4%    |
| \$40,000 to \$59,999                   | 2,762  | 14.0%   |
| \$60,000 to \$79,999                   | 3,288  | 16.6%   |
| \$80,000 to \$99,999                   | 3,199  | 16.2%   |
| \$100,000 to \$124,999                 | 2,617  | 13.2%   |
| \$125,000 to \$149,999                 | 1,428  | 7.2%    |
| \$150,000 to \$199,999                 | 1,920  | 9.7%    |
| \$200,000 to \$299,999                 | 1,044  | 5.3%    |
| \$300,000 to \$499,999                 | 422    | 2.1%    |
| \$500,000 to \$999,999                 | 236    | 1.2%    |
| \$1,000,000 or more                    | 80     | 0.4%    |

Median value **\$86,200**

## House Heating Fuel

|                            | Number | Percent |
|----------------------------|--------|---------|
| Occupied housing units     | 27,958 | 100.0%  |
| Utility gas                | 14,149 | 50.6%   |
| Bottled, tank or LP gas    | 1,371  | 4.9%    |
| Electricity                | 6,844  | 24.5%   |
| Fuel oil, kerosene, etc    | 4,148  | 14.8%   |
| Coal, coke or wood         | 960    | 3.4%    |
| Solar energy or other fuel | 309    | 1.1%    |
| No fuel used               | 177    | 0.6%    |

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

## Gross Rent

|   | Number | Percent |
|---|--------|---------|
| Specified renter-occupied housing units | 8,162  | 100.0%  |
| Less than \$100                         | 117    | 1.4%    |
| \$100 to \$199                          | 191    | 2.3%    |
| \$200 to \$299                          | 811    | 9.9%    |
| \$300 to \$399                          | 490    | 6.0%    |
| \$400 to \$499                          | 982    | 12.0%   |
| \$500 to \$599                          | 1,058  | 13.0%   |
| \$600 to \$699                          | 1,154  | 14.1%   |
| \$700 to \$799                          | 960    | 11.8%   |
| \$800 to \$899                          | 615    | 7.5%    |
| \$900 to \$999                          | 278    | 3.4%    |
| \$1,000 to \$1,499                      | 408    | 5.0%    |
| \$1,500 or more                         | 119    | 1.5%    |
| No cash rent                            | 979    | 12.0%   |

Median gross rent **\$594**

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income **28.4**

## Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

|  | Number | Percent |
|--|--------|---------|
| Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage | 9,886  | 100.0%  |
| Less than \$400  | 229    | 2.3%    |
| \$400 to \$599   | 1,013  | 10.2%   |
| \$600 to \$799   | 2,053  | 20.8%   |
| \$800 to \$999   | 2,416  | 24.4%   |
| \$1,000 to \$1,249                                     | 1,905  | 19.3%   |
| \$1,250 to \$1,499                                     | 1,118  | 11.3%   |
| \$1,500 to \$1,999                                     | 826    | 8.4%    |
| \$2,000 to \$2,999                                     | 255    | 2.6%    |
| \$3,000 or more  | 71     | 0.7%    |

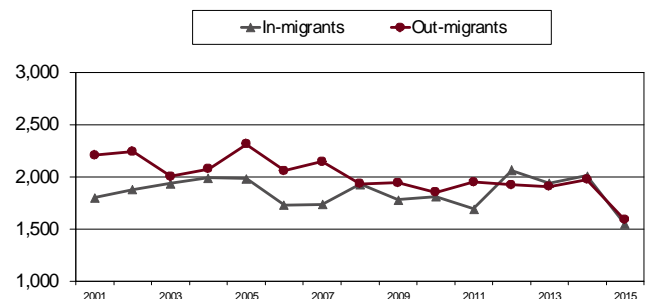
Median monthly owners cost **\$932**

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income **18.6**

## Vital Statistics

|   | Number | Rate    |
|---|--------|---------|
| Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44 | 668    | 56.3    |
| Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19  | 57     | 25.7    |
| Deaths / rate per 100,000 population        | 930    | 1,380.9 |

## Migration



## Agriculture

|                                 |             |
|---------------------------------|-------------|
| Land in farms (acres)           | 68,341      |
| Number of farms                 | 493         |
| Average size (acres)            | 139         |
| Total cash receipts             | \$7,829,000 |
| Per farm                        | \$15,879    |
| Receipts for crops              | \$3,788,000 |
| Receipts for livestock/products | \$4,040,000 |

## Education

|                                     |         |
|-------------------------------------|---------|
| Public schools buildings            | 25      |
| Students (Average Daily Membership) | 9,246   |
| Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)     | 537.3   |
| Expenditures per student            | \$8,041 |
| Graduation rate                     | 90.8    |
| Non-public schools                  | 4       |
| Students                            | 806     |
| 4-year public universities          | 0       |
| Branches                            | 0       |
| 2-year public colleges/satellites   | 1       |
| Private universities and colleges   | 1       |
| Public libraries (Main / Branches)  | 1 / 6   |

## Transportation

|  |                |
|--|----------------|
| Registered motor vehicles                  | 76,695         |
| Passenger cars                             | 49,724         |
| Noncommercial trucks                       | 13,360         |
| Total license revenue                      | \$1,975,974.62 |
| Permissive tax revenue                     | \$514,562.50   |
| Interstate highway miles                   | 0.00           |
| Turnpike miles                             | 0.00           |
| U.S. highway miles                         | 18.95          |
| State highway miles                        | 153.19         |
| County, township, and municipal road miles | 936.21         |
| Commercial airports                        | 2              |

## Health Care

|  |       |
|--|-------|
| Physicians (MDs & DOs)                       | 74    |
| Registered hospitals                         | 4     |
| Number of beds                               | 560   |
| Licensed nursing homes                       | 10    |
| Number of beds                               | 672   |
| Licensed residential care                    | 4     |
| Number of beds                               | 116   |
| Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64) | 92.7% |
| Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)        | 91.7% |
| Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)      | 95.7% |

## Voting

|                             |        |
|-----------------------------|--------|
| Number of registered voters | 47,714 |
| Voted in 2016 election      | 32,904 |
| Percent turnout             | 69.0%  |

## Communications

|                     |       |
|---------------------|-------|
| Television stations | 1     |
| Radio stations      | 2     |
| Daily newspapers    | 1     |
| Circulation         | 9,919 |
| Weekly newspapers   | 0     |
| Circulation         | 0     |

## Crime

|   |     |
|---|-----|
| Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report | 211 |
| Violent crime                                 | 9   |
| Property crime                                | 202 |
| Arson   | 0   |

## Finance

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs) | 1        |
| Assets (000)                              | \$57,827 |
| Branch offices                            | 27       |
| Institutions represented                  | 8        |

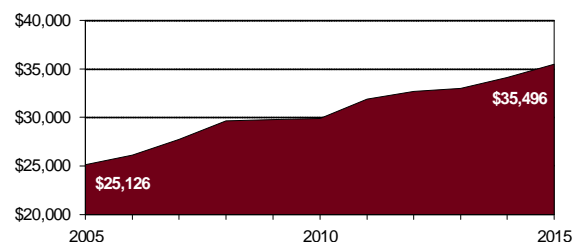
## Transfer Payments

|  |                 |
|--|-----------------|
| Total transfer payments  | \$765,470,000   |
| Payments to individuals  | \$750,042,000   |
| Retirement and disability  | \$275,378,000   |
| Medical payments   | \$358,703,000   |
| Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc) | \$68,260,000    |
| Unemployment benefits  | \$7,565,000     |
| Veterans benefits  | \$18,700,000    |
| Federal education and training assistance                                  | \$16,397,000    |
| Other payments to individuals  | \$5,039,000     |
| Total personal income  | \$2,390,563,000 |
| Dependency ratio   | 32.0%           |
| (Percent of income from transfer payments)                                 |                 |

## State Parks, Forests, Nature Preserves, Scenic Waterways, And Wildlife Areas

|                  |          |
|------------------|----------|
| Areas/Facilities | 3        |
| Acreage          | 8,127.33 |

## Per Capita Personal Income



## Civilian Labor Force

|                      | 2012   | 2013   | 2014   | 2015   | 2016   |
|----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Civilian labor force | 31,300 | 30,700 | 29,800 | 29,600 | 28,800 |
| Employed             | 27,900 | 27,300 | 27,400 | 27,400 | 26,400 |
| Unemployed           | 3,400  | 3,300  | 2,400  | 2,200  | 2,400  |
| Unemployment rate    | 10.9   | 10.9   | 8.1    | 7.4    | 8.3    |

## Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2015

| Industrial Sector                   | Number of Establishments | Average Employment | Total Wages        | Average Weekly Wage |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Private Sector                      | 1,425                    | 20,817             | \$784,413,606      | \$725               |
| Goods-Producing                     | 163                      | 2,083              | \$123,889,098      | \$1,144             |
| Natural Resources and Mining        | 13                       | * * * * *          | Data Not Available | * * * * *           |
| Constuction                         | 116                      | * * * * *          | Data Not Available | * * * * *           |
| Manufacturing                       | 34                       | 1,105              | \$68,438,388       | \$1,192             |
| Service-Providing                   | 1,099                    | 15,471             | \$544,831,676      | \$677               |
| Trade, Transportation and Utilities | 326                      | 5,802              | \$233,303,269      | \$773               |
| Information                         | 16                       | 341                | \$14,374,307       | \$812               |
| Financial Services                  | 119                      | 642                | \$20,213,555       | \$605               |
| Professional and Business Services  | 154                      | 1,134              | \$38,811,906       | \$658               |
| Education and Health Services       | 196                      | 4,855              | \$196,196,474      | \$777               |
| Leisure and Hospitality             | 157                      | 2,017              | \$27,395,153       | \$261               |
| Other Services                      | 130                      | 678                | \$14,372,628       | \$408               |
| Federal Government                  |                          | 162                | \$9,055,873        | \$1,072             |
| State Government                    |                          | 66                 | \$3,481,085        | \$1,012             |
| Local Government                    |                          | 3,034              | \$103,155,874      | \$654               |

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

## Change Since 2010

|                                     |        |           |                    |           |
|-------------------------------------|--------|-----------|--------------------|-----------|
| Private Sector                      | -5.2%  | -6.3%     | 2.6%               | 9.5%      |
| Goods-Producing                     | -8.9%  | -26.6%    | -13.3%             | 18.1%     |
| Natural Resources and Mining        | 18.2%  | * * * * * | Data Not Available | * * * * * |
| Construction                        | -10.8% | * * * * * | Data Not Available | * * * * * |
| Manufacturing                       | -8.1%  | -29.8%    | -13.9%             | 22.6%     |
| Service-Producing                   | -3.6%  | -1.5%     | 9.2%               | 10.8%     |
| Trade, Transportation and Utilities | -5.8%  | -0.8%     | 7.5%               | 8.3%      |
| Information                         | -27.3% | -38.6%    | -25.7%             | 21.0%     |
| Financial Services                  | -4.0%  | -6.0%     | 6.2%               | 12.9%     |
| Professional and Business Services  | -3.8%  | -5.3%     | -3.3%              | 2.2%      |
| Education and Health Services       | 1.0%   | -0.2%     | 16.3%              | 16.5%     |
| Leisure and Hospitality             | 4.7%   | 8.7%      | 22.7%              | 13.0%     |
| Other Services                      | -7.1%  | -2.4%     | 20.1%              | 23.3%     |
| Federal Government                  |        | -41.7%    | -27.4%             | 24.1%     |
| State Government                    |        | -28.3%    | -26.4%             | 1.8%      |
| Local Government                    |        | -7.8%     | -2.1%              | 6.2%      |

## Business Numbers

|                   | 2012  | 2013  | 2014  | 2015  | 2016 |
|-------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Business starts   | 79    | 69    | 65    | 67    | 73   |
| Active businesses | 1,062 | 1,062 | 1,046 | 1,017 | 909  |

## Residential

### Construction

|                             | 2012      | 2013      | 2014      | 2015      | 2016      |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Total units                 | 7         | 18        | 21        | 8         | 9         |
| Total valuation (000)       | \$1,388   | \$1,211   | \$1,834   | \$1,569   | \$2,277   |
| Total single-unit bldgs     | 3         | 2         | 5         | 8         | 9         |
| Average cost per unit       | \$202,801 | \$235,000 | \$218,744 | \$196,125 | \$253,000 |
| Total multi-unit bldg units | 4         | 16        | 16        | 0         | 0         |
| Average cost per unit       | \$194,900 | \$46,288  | \$46,288  | \$0       | \$0       |

## Major & Notable Employers

|                                 |       |
|---------------------------------|-------|
| Buckeye Local Schools           | Govt  |
| Edison Local Schools            | Govt  |
| First Energy                    | Util  |
| Franciscan Univ of Steubenville | Serv  |
| Indian Creek Local Schools      | Govt  |
| Jefferson County Government     | Govt  |
| Steubenville City Schools       | Govt  |
| Titanium Metals Corp/Timet      | Mfg   |
| Trinity Health System           | Serv  |
| Wal-Mart Stores Inc             | Trade |