

Ohio County Profiles

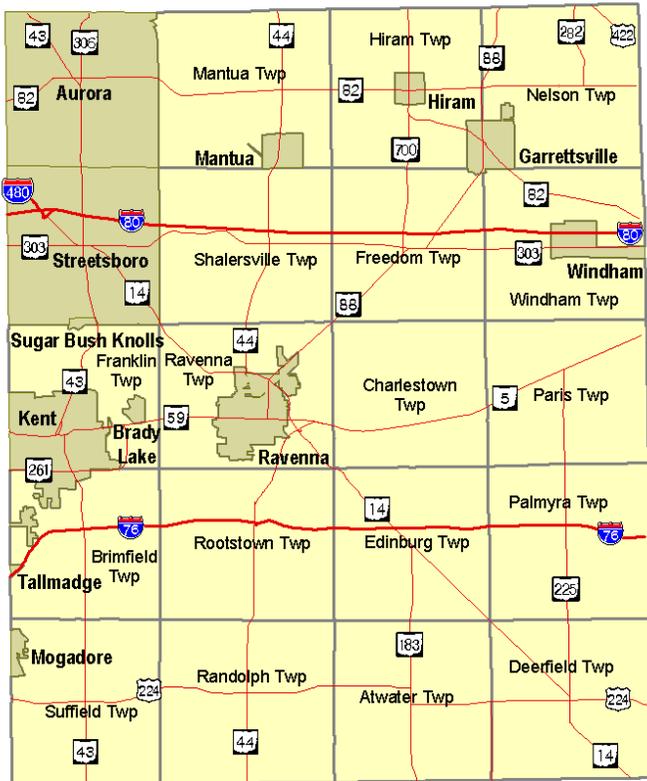
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OHIO DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT

Portage County

Established: Act - June 7, 1807
2004 Population: 154,764
Land Area: 492.4 square miles
County Seat: Ravenna City
Named for: "Portage", a carrying path



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Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$2,706,227,270
Residential	\$2,048,148,750
Agriculture	\$152,653,920
Industrial	\$135,843,470
Commercial	\$363,370,530
Mineral	\$6,210,600
Ohio income tax liability	\$100,253,240
Average per return	\$1,435.88

Land Cover

Acres

Total	322,322.9
Urban (open impervious surfaces)	10,162.1
Agriculture/Open Urban Areas	129,366.2
Shrub/Scrub	11,288.4
Wooded	146,929.0
Open Water	6,602.0
Non-forested Wetlands	17,671.3
Barren	303.9

Largest Areas Census 2000 Estimate 2004

Kent city	27,906	27,601
Aurora city	13,556	14,357
Streetsboro city	13,556	13,900
Ravenna city	11,771	11,503
Ravenna twp	9,270	9,276
Brimfield twp	7,963	7,933
Rootstown twp	7,212	7,246
Suffield twp	6,383	6,389
Shalersville twp	5,976	6,048
Randolph twp	5,504	5,591

UB: Unincorporated Balance

Total Population

Census	1900	1910	1920	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	Estimated	2001	2002	2003	2004	Projected	2010	2020	2030					
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