

Ohio County Profiles

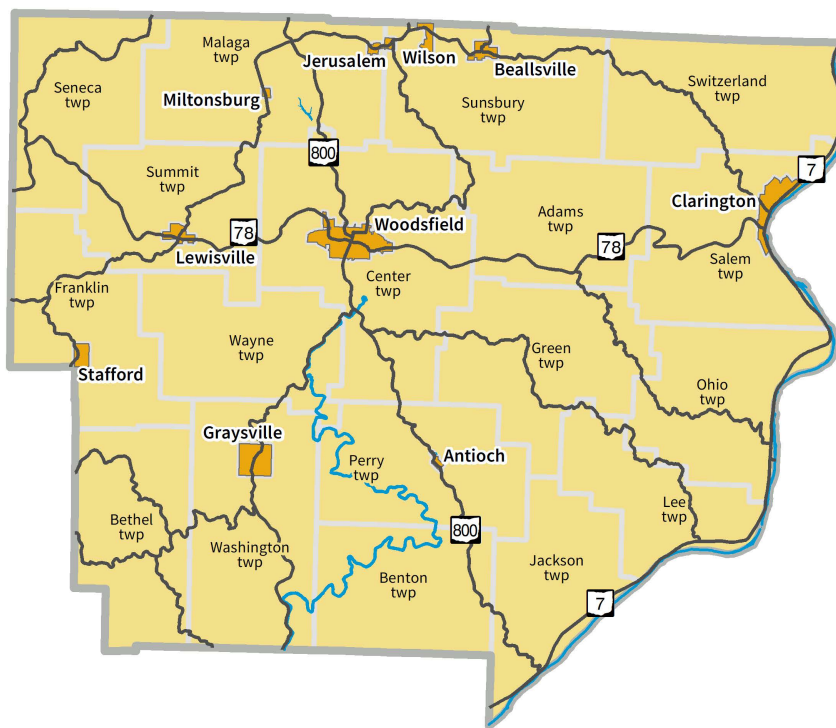
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2024 Edition



Monroe County

Established: Act - January 29, 1813
2023 Population: 13,153
Land Area: 455.6 square miles
County Seat: Woodsfield Village
Named for: James Monroe, Fifth U.S. President



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$572,287,290
Residential	\$141,093,290
Agriculture	\$182,922,100
Industrial	\$19,326,270
Commercial	\$18,725,380
Mineral	\$210,220,250
Ohio income tax liability	\$7,709,179
Average per return	\$1,205.12

Land Use/Land Cover

Percent

Developed, Lower Intensity	6.48%
Developed, Higher Intensity	0.58%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.04%
Forest	75.91%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	1.28%
Pasture/Hay	15.18%
Cultivated Crops	0.07%
Wetlands	0.04%
Open Water	0.42%

Largest Places

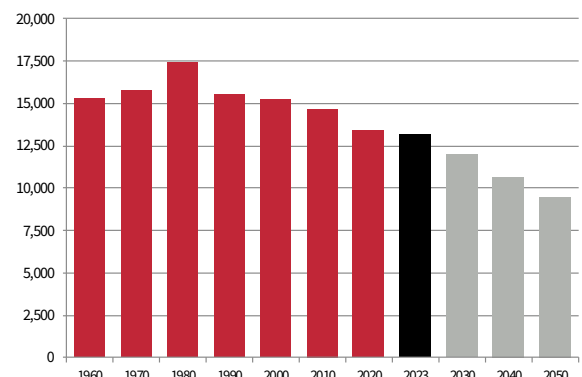
	2023	2020
Woodsfield vil.	2,170	2,211
Center twp UB	1,229	1,240
Malaga twp UB	915	926
Lee twp	884	899
Ohio twp	833	849
Sunsbury twp UB	784	802
Adams twp	628	635
Salem twp UB	530	541
Green twp	424	431
Seneca twp	424	434

UB: Unincorporated balance

Total Population

Census

1800		1810	24,244	2020	13,385
1810		1820	20,660		
1820	4,645	1830	18,426	Estimate	
1830	8,768	1840	18,641	2023	13,153
1840	18,521	1850	15,362		
1850	28,351	1860	15,268	Projection	
1860	25,741	1870	15,739	2030	11,974
1870	25,779	1880	17,382	2040	10,600
1880	26,496	1890	15,497	2050	9,397
1890	25,175	2000	15,180		
1900	27,031	2010	14,642		



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Population by Race

	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	13,401	100.0%
White	12,813	95.6%
African-American	119	0.9%
Native American	4	0.0%
Asian	13	0.1%
Pacific Islander	0	0.0%
Other	51	0.4%
Two or More Races	401	3.0%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	40	0.3%
Total Minority	588	4.4%

Educational Attainment

	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	9,678	100.0%
No high school diploma	1,081	11.2%
High school graduate	4,796	49.6%
Some college, no degree	1,584	16.4%
Associate degree	1,180	12.2%
Bachelor's degree	686	7.1%
Master's degree or higher	351	3.6%

Family Type by Employment Status

	Number	Percent
Total Families	3,615	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	1,117	30.9%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	685	18.9%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	293	8.1%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	879	24.3%
Male householder, in labor force	158	4.4%
Male householder, not in labor force	101	2.8%
Female householder, in labor force	286	7.9%
Female householder, not in labor force	96	2.7%

Household Income

	Number	Percent
Total Households	5,574	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	333	6.0%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	444	8.0%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	710	12.7%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	589	10.6%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	482	8.6%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	463	8.3%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	507	9.1%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	860	15.4%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	619	11.1%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	325	5.8%
\$200,000 or more	242	4.3%
Median household income	\$55,381	

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Population by Age

	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	13,401	100.0%
Under 5 years	652	4.9%
5 to 17 years	2,097	15.6%
18 to 24 years	974	7.3%
25 to 44 years	2,872	21.4%
45 to 64 years	3,694	27.6%
65 years and more	3,112	23.2%
Median Age	46.1	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18

	Number	Percent
Total Families	3,637	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	896	24.6%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	133	3.7%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	267	7.3%
Families with no own children	2,341	64.4%

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

	Number	Percent
Total Families	3,637	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	3,248	89.3%
Family income below poverty level	389	10.7%
Married couple, with related children	91	2.5%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	10	0.3%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	134	3.7%
Families with no related children	154	4.2%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level

	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	13,247	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	616	4.7%
50% to 99% of poverty level	1,225	9.2%
100% to 124% of poverty level	1,129	8.5%
125% to 149% of poverty level	572	4.3%
150% to 184% of poverty level	1,001	7.6%
185% to 199% of poverty level	493	3.7%
200% of poverty level or more	8,211	62.0%

Geographical Mobility

	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	13,205	100.0%
Same house as previous year	12,450	94.3%
Different house, same county	428	3.2%
Different county, same state	191	1.4%
Different state	136	1.0%
Abroad	0	0.0%

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Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	5,094	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	1,021	20.0%
15 to 29 minutes	1,470	28.9%
30 to 44 minutes	1,033	20.3%
45 to 59 minutes	515	10.1%
60 minutes or more	1,055	20.7%

Mean travel time 34.8 minutes

Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	7,160	100.0%
Occupied housing units	5,574	77.8%
Owner occupied	4,462	80.1%
Renter occupied	1,112	19.9%
Vacant housing units	1,586	22.2%

Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	7,160	100.0%
Built 2020 or later	17	0.2%
Built 2010 to 2019	603	8.4%
Built 2000 to 2009	696	9.7%
Built 1990 to 1999	845	11.8%
Built 1980 to 1989	675	9.4%
Built 1970 to 1979	1,054	14.7%
Built 1960 to 1969	720	10.1%
Built 1950 to 1959	550	7.7%
Built 1940 to 1949	216	3.0%
Built 1939 or earlier	1,784	24.9%

Median year built 1973

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	4,462	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	263	5.9%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	235	5.3%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	229	5.1%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	425	9.5%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	480	10.8%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	658	14.7%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	434	9.7%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	675	15.1%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	635	14.2%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	279	6.3%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	139	3.1%
\$1,000,000 or more	10	0.2%

Median value \$122,800

House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	5,574	100.0%
Utility gas	2,949	52.9%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	830	14.9%
Electricity	1,096	19.7%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	261	4.7%
Coal, coke or wood	320	5.7%
Solar energy or other fuel	113	2.0%
No fuel used	5	0.1%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	1,112	100.0%
Less than \$100	0	0.0%
\$100 to \$199	5	0.4%
\$200 to \$299	45	4.0%
\$300 to \$399	107	9.6%
\$400 to \$499	97	8.7%
\$500 to \$599	124	11.2%
\$600 to \$699	69	6.2%
\$700 to \$799	61	5.5%
\$800 to \$899	50	4.5%
\$900 to \$999	53	4.8%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	186	16.7%
\$1,500 or more	31	2.8%
No cash rent	284	25.5%

Median gross rent \$668

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 29.4

Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	1,500	100.0%
Less than \$400	2	0.1%
\$400 to \$599	104	6.9%
\$600 to \$799	280	18.7%
\$800 to \$999	266	17.7%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	398	26.5%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	106	7.1%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	215	14.3%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	113	7.5%
\$3,000 or more	16	1.1%

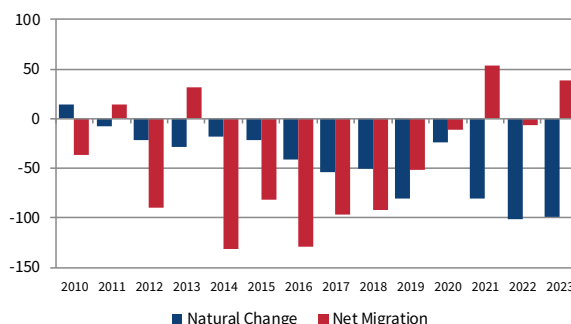
Median monthly owners cost \$1,062

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 16.8

Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	122	59.1
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	3	8.7
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	215	1,624.6

Components of Population Change



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Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	99,313
Number of farms	731
Average size (acres)	136
Total cash receipts	\$19,532,000
Per farm	\$26,720
Receipts for crops	\$6,406,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$13,126,000

Education

Traditional public schools buildings	7
Students	1,614
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	205.4
Expenditures per student	\$20,011
Graduation rate	90.9
Community/charter schools buildings	0
Students	0
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	0.0
Expenditures per student	
Graduation rate	
Private schools	1
Students	91
Public universities, 4-year	0
Public universities/colleges, 2-year	0
Public learning centers, less-than 2-year	0
Private universities and colleges	0
Public libraries (Districts / Facilities)	1 / 1

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	21,274
Passenger cars	9,652
Noncommercial trucks	5,578
Total license revenue	\$638,226.64
Permissive tax revenue	\$121,625.00
Interstate highway miles	0.00
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	0.00
State highway miles	213.08
County, township, and municipal road miles	918.37
Commercial airports	1

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

Areas/Facilities	5
Acreage	5,921

Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	3
Assets (000)	\$318,933
Branch offices	6
Institutions represented	4

Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$203,823,000
Payments to individuals	\$197,261,000
Retirement and disability	\$70,087,000
Medical payments	\$94,312,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$15,469,000
Unemployment benefits	\$792,000
Veterans benefits	\$8,364,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$2,426,000
Other payments to individuals	\$5,811,000
Total personal income	\$558,112,000
Dependency ratio	36.5%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

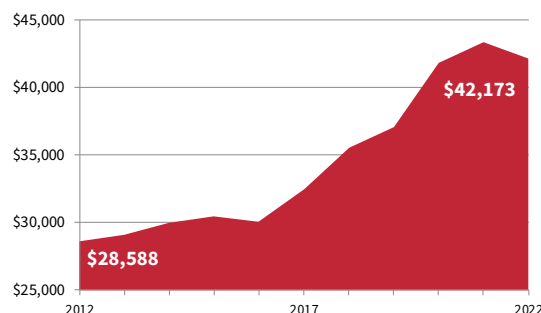
Voting

Number of registered voters	9,266
Voted in 2022 election	4,986
Percent turnout	53.8%

Health Care

Physicians	1
Registered hospitals	0
Number of beds	0
Licensed nursing homes	2
Number of beds	136
Licensed residential care	2
Number of beds	81
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	90.3%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	89.2%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	93.2%

Per Capita Personal Income



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Civilian Labor Force

	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
Civilian labor force	5,186	5,125	4,872	5,656	5,396
Employed	4,900	4,798	5,261	5,052	4,947
Unemployed	286	327	389	604	449
Unemployment rate	5.5	6.4	7.4	10.7	8.3

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2022

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	303	2,096	\$95,465,001	\$876
Goods-Producing	80	502	\$32,695,442	\$1,253
Natural Resources and Mining	28	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Construction	46	195	\$13,794,767	\$1,359
Manufacturing	7	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Service-Providing	222	1,594	\$62,769,559	\$757
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	80	663	\$30,183,282	\$875
Information	6	11	\$307,782	\$518
Financial Services	20	136	\$6,351,286	\$898
Professional and Business Services	35	110	\$4,118,143	\$723
Education and Health Services	32	374	\$17,074,052	\$878
Leisure and Hospitality	25	214	\$3,140,258	\$283
Other Services	26	86	\$1,594,756	\$355
Federal Government		48	\$2,743,584	\$1,105
State Government		37	\$2,141,721	\$1,118
Local Government		719	\$32,823,898	\$878

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2017

Private Sector	7.8%	10.6%	56.1%	41.1%
Goods-Producing	-4.8%	73.1%	167.0%	54.5%
Natural Resources and Mining	7.7%	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Construction	-9.8%	22.6%	91.7%	56.4%
Manufacturing	-12.5%	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Service-Producing	12.7%	-0.7%	28.3%	29.2%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	12.7%	5.4%	22.2%	15.9%
Information	100.0%	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Financial Services	-9.1%	-20.9%	6.7%	34.6%
Professional and Business Services	12.9%	-19.1%	-19.0%	0.4%
Education and Health Services	45.5%	28.5%	127.9%	77.4%
Leisure and Hospitality	8.7%	-13.0%	13.5%	31.0%
Other Services	0.0%	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Federal Government		-4.0%	16.1%	22.0%
State Government		-2.6%	7.1%	11.4%
Local Government		-1.5%	38.1%	40.0%

Major & Notable Employers

Arbors At Woodsfield	Serv
Monroe County Government	Govt
Riesbeck Food Markets	Trade
Slay Transportation Co Inc	Trans
Switzerland of Ohio Local Schools	Govt

Residential Construction

	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
Total units	0	0	1	3	0
Total valuation (000)	\$0	\$0	\$100	\$250	\$0
Total single-unit bldgs	0	0	1	3	0
Average cost per unit			\$100,000	\$83,333	
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	0	0	0	0
Average cost per unit					