

Ohio County Profiles

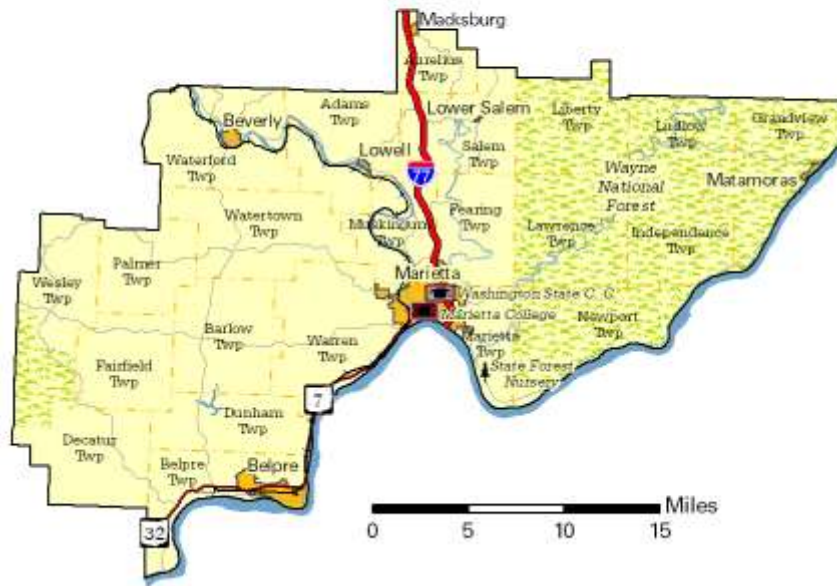


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2021 Edition

Washington County

Established: Proclamation - July 27, 1788
 2020 Population: 59,771
 Land Area: 635.2 square miles
 County Seat: Marietta City
 Named for: General George Washington, First U.S. President



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$1,266,650,670
Residential	\$832,237,960
Agriculture	\$181,237,750
Industrial	\$41,866,090
Commercial	\$208,798,680
Mineral	\$2,510,190
Ohio income tax liability	\$31,323,545
Average per return	\$1,142.44

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	7.61%
Developed, Higher Intensity	0.88%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.08%
Forest	66.63%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	1.72%
Pasture/Hay	19.68%
Cultivated Crops	2.25%
Wetlands	0.05%
Open Water	1.08%

Largest Places

	Census 2020	Census 2010
Marietta city	13,385	14,085
Belpre city	6,728	6,441
Muskingum twp	4,424	4,461
Marietta twp	4,265	4,595
Warren twp	3,948	4,045
Belpre twp	3,897	3,869
Dunham twp	2,581	2,568
Barlow twp	2,560	2,618
Waterford twp UB	2,314	2,400
Newport twp	1,901	1,988

UB: Unincorporated balance.

Total Population

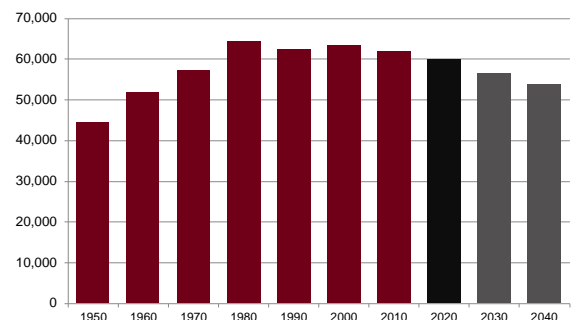
Census

1800	5,427	1910	45,422
1810	5,991	1920	43,049
1820	10,425	1930	42,437
1830	11,731	1940	43,537
1840	20,823	1950	44,407
1850	29,540	1960	51,689
1860	36,268	1970	57,160
1870	40,609	1980	64,266
1880	43,244	1990	62,254
1890	42,380	2000	63,251
1900	48,245	2010	61,778

2020 59,771

Projected

2030 56,220
 2040 53,720



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	60,426	100.0%
White	57,903	95.8%
African-American	781	1.3%
Native American	272	0.5%
Asian	387	0.6%
Pacific Islander	0	0.0%
Other	157	0.3%
Two or More Races	926	1.5%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	665	1.1%
Total Minority	2,988	4.9%

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	43,293	100.0%
No high school diploma	4,070	9.4%
High school graduate	17,433	40.3%
Some college, no degree	8,739	20.2%
Associate degree	4,899	11.3%
Bachelor's degree	5,267	12.2%
Master's degree or higher	2,885	6.7%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	16,305	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	5,319	32.6%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	2,602	16.0%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	1,207	7.4%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	3,148	19.3%
Male householder, in labor force	1,076	6.6%
Male householder, not in labor force	410	2.5%
Female householder, in labor force	1,677	10.3%
Female householder, not in labor force	866	5.3%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	25,197	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	1,535	6.1%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	3,073	12.2%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	2,776	11.0%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	2,811	11.2%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2,398	9.5%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	2,347	9.3%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	2,324	9.2%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	3,411	13.5%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	2,971	11.8%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	961	3.8%
\$200,000 or more	590	2.3%
Median household income	\$50,021	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	60,426	100.0%
Under 5 years	2,961	4.9%
5 to 17 years	8,927	14.8%
18 to 24 years	5,245	8.7%
25 to 44 years	13,636	22.6%
45 to 64 years	17,281	28.6%
65 years and more	12,376	20.5%
Median Age	44.3	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	16,397	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	3,663	22.3%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	763	4.7%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	1,429	8.7%
Families with no own children	10,542	64.3%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	16,397	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	14,619	89.2%
Family income below poverty level	1,778	10.8%
Married couple, with related children	368	2.2%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	238	1.5%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	724	4.4%
Families with no related children	448	2.7%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	58,671	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	3,134	5.3%
50% to 99% of poverty level	5,203	8.9%
100% to 124% of poverty level	2,052	3.5%
125% to 149% of poverty level	3,143	5.4%
150% to 184% of poverty level	3,968	6.8%
185% to 199% of poverty level	1,819	3.1%
200% of poverty level or more	39,352	67.1%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	59,830	100.0%
Same house as previous year	52,864	88.4%
Different house, same county	4,160	7.0%
Different county, same state	987	1.6%
Different state	1,700	2.8%
Abroad	119	0.2%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Travel Time To Work	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	25,614	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	8,563	33.4%
15 to 29 minutes	9,621	37.6%
30 to 44 minutes	5,113	20.0%
45 to 59 minutes	881	3.4%
60 minutes or more	1,436	5.6%
Mean travel time	23.0 minutes	

Housing Units	Number	Percent
Total housing units	28,218	100.0%
Occupied housing units	25,197	89.3%
Owner occupied	18,553	73.6%
Renter occupied	6,644	26.4%
Vacant housing units	3,021	10.7%

Year Structure Built	Number	Percent
Total housing units	28,218	100.0%
Built 2014 or later	374	1.3%
Built 2010 to 2013	657	2.3%
Built 2000 to 2009	2,589	9.2%
Built 1990 to 1999	3,443	12.2%
Built 1980 to 1989	2,978	10.6%
Built 1970 to 1979	4,730	16.8%
Built 1960 to 1969	3,019	10.7%
Built 1950 to 1959	2,495	8.8%
Built 1940 to 1949	1,602	5.7%
Built 1939 or earlier	6,331	22.4%
Median year built	1971	

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	18,553	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	868	4.7%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	891	4.8%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	1,082	5.8%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	1,386	7.5%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	2,410	13.0%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	2,074	11.2%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	1,908	10.3%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	3,578	19.3%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	2,784	15.0%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	1,312	7.1%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	199	1.1%
\$1,000,000 or more	61	0.3%
Median value	\$132,400	

House Heating Fuel	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	25,197	100.0%
Utility gas	17,394	69.0%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	1,361	5.4%
Electricity	4,806	19.1%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	286	1.1%
Coal, coke or wood	973	3.9%
Solar energy or other fuel	328	1.3%
No fuel used	49	0.2%

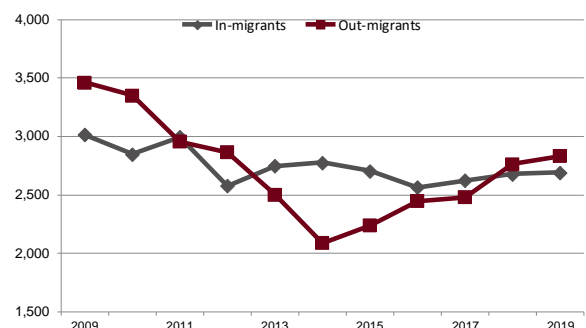
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Gross Rent	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	6,644	100.0%
Less than \$100	16	0.2%
\$100 to \$199	150	2.3%
\$200 to \$299	254	3.8%
\$300 to \$399	240	3.6%
\$400 to \$499	646	9.7%
\$500 to \$599	1,016	15.3%
\$600 to \$699	1,003	15.1%
\$700 to \$799	826	12.4%
\$800 to \$899	594	8.9%
\$900 to \$999	351	5.3%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	867	13.0%
\$1,500 or more	103	1.6%
No cash rent	578	8.7%
Median gross rent	\$668	
Median gross rent as a percentage of household income	28.3	

Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	8,993	100.0%
Less than \$400	42	0.5%
\$400 to \$599	658	7.3%
\$600 to \$799	1,338	14.9%
\$800 to \$999	1,959	21.8%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	1,735	19.3%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	1,380	15.3%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	1,003	11.2%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	743	8.3%
\$3,000 or more	135	1.5%
Median monthly owners cost	\$1,072	
Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income	19.1	

Vital Statistics	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	546	53.6
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	28	51.3
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	754	1,258.5

Domestic Migration



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	144,406
Number of farms	1,106
Average size (acres)	131
Total cash receipts	\$42,049,000
Per farm	\$38,019
Receipts for crops	\$23,320,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$18,729,000

Education

Traditional public schools buildings	21
Students	7,454
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	537.5
Expenditures per student	\$9,085
Graduation rate	90.9
Community/charter schools buildings	0
Students	0
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	0.0
Expenditures per student	
Graduation rate	
Private schools	2
Students	227
4-year public universities	0
Regional campuses	0
2-year public colleges/satellites	1
Ohio Technical Centers	1
Private universities and colleges	1
Public libraries (Districts / Facilities)	1 / 8

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	83,870
Passenger cars	45,280
Noncommercial trucks	17,039
Total license revenue	\$2,422,984.95
Permissive tax revenue	\$1,236,815.00
Interstate highway miles	17.64
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	5.89
State highway miles	245.36
County, township, and municipal road miles	1,296.13
Commercial airports	0

Health Care

Physicians	143
Registered hospitals	2
Number of beds	255
Licensed nursing homes	6
Number of beds	513
Licensed residential care	3
Number of beds	219
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	92.3%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	91.5%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	94.6%

Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	6
Daily newspapers	1
Circulation	7,019
Average monthly unique visitors	72,757
Weekly newspapers	0
Circulation	0
Average monthly unique visitors	0
Online only	0
Average monthly unique visitors	0

Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	512
Violent crime	34
Property crime	478

Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	6
Assets (000)	\$5,591,471
Branch offices	29
Institutions represented	10

Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$687,293,000
Payments to individuals	\$674,116,000
Retirement and disability	\$248,834,000
Medical payments	\$328,586,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$43,842,000
Unemployment benefits	\$5,113,000
Veterans benefits	\$31,129,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$11,583,000
Other payments to individuals	\$5,029,000
Total personal income	\$2,653,009,000
Dependency ratio	25.9%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

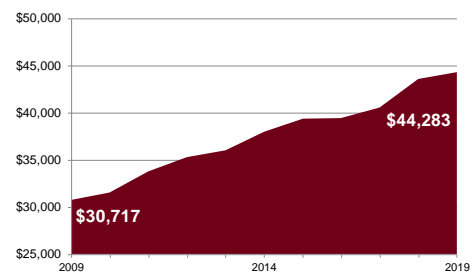
Voting

Number of registered voters	42,774
Voted in 2020 election	32,343
Percent turnout	75.6%

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

Areas/Facilities	10
Acreage	890

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Civilian labor force	26,900	27,600	27,200	27,400	27,900
Employed	24,600	26,100	25,700	25,700	25,900
Unemployed	2,300	1,500	1,500	1,700	2,000
Unemployment rate	8.6	5.4	5.6	6.2	7.0

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2019

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	1,479	22,452	\$1,099,226,150	\$942
Goods-Producing	304	5,923	\$400,899,809	\$1,302
Natural Resources and Mining	54	528	\$40,834,921	\$1,488
Construction	161	1,722	\$113,025,803	\$1,262
Manufacturing	89	3,673	\$247,039,085	\$1,293
Service-Providing	1,175	16,529	\$698,326,341	\$812
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	388	4,859	\$193,334,161	\$765
Information	13	55	\$2,604,398	\$911
Financial Services	128	1,114	\$59,687,763	\$1,031
Professional and Business Services	205	1,899	\$84,191,330	\$853
Education and Health Services	188	5,548	\$306,053,509	\$1,061
Leisure and Hospitality	136	2,486	\$37,573,592	\$291
Other Services	118	570	\$14,881,588	\$502
Federal Government		204	\$12,203,267	\$1,153
State Government		251	\$16,969,733	\$1,301
Local Government		2,493	\$96,903,304	\$747

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2013

Private Sector	2.4%	3.5%	18.0%	14.0%
Goods-Producing	-7.3%	3.6%	13.0%	9.1%
Natural Resources and Mining	-6.9%	-11.0%	5.2%	18.2%
Construction	-12.5%	-3.3%	12.5%	16.2%
Manufacturing	4.7%	9.8%	14.7%	4.4%
Service-Producing	5.1%	3.4%	21.0%	16.8%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	4.9%	-6.8%	3.0%	10.5%
Information	0.0%	-30.4%	-25.6%	6.3%
Financial Services	-2.3%	1.1%	18.8%	17.6%
Professional and Business Services	10.8%	13.8%	34.2%	18.0%
Education and Health Services	11.2%	10.3%	34.8%	22.2%
Leisure and Hospitality	8.8%	12.9%	23.0%	9.0%
Other Services	-3.3%	-16.4%	-3.5%	15.4%
Federal Government		-1.0%	3.1%	4.2%
State Government		-6.0%	23.8%	31.5%
Local Government		-0.9%	12.6%	13.5%

Residential

Construction	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Total units	1	12	13	15	15
Total valuation (000)	\$110	\$1,553	\$1,910	\$1,363	\$1,317
Total single-unit bldgs	1	9	7	12	11
Average cost per unit	\$110,000	\$150,312	\$229,983	\$101,057	\$101,527
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	3	6	3	4
Average cost per unit		\$66,667	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000