

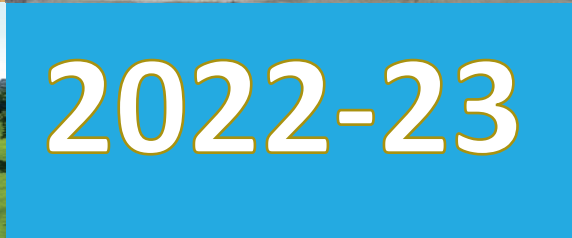


# County Lines

A Profile of Lackawanna County



**Anthracite People :  
Immigration & Ethnicity in  
Pennsylvania's  
Hard Coal Region**





# Commissioners' Message



**Dear Lackawanna County Residents  
& Municipal Officials:**

As you already know, Lackawanna County is a great place to live, work, raise a family, do business, and enjoy a variety of leisure activities.

Our various cities, boroughs and townships all contribute to the economic climate that we enjoy. Each community has its own unique history, folklore, specialty shops, playgrounds and gathering places.

The 2022-23 edition of *County Lines* highlights those elements by providing a comprehensive history of our area along with statistical sketches of our communities and other vital data about Lackawanna County's operating environment.

*County Lines* is a great resource for the public and municipal staffs. It contains a wealth of data on our various municipalities, school districts, and private institutions along with maps, business parks and utilities overview, government contacts, law enforcement and court system information, ethnic make-up, quality of life amenities, library system, higher education listings, and much more.

We are pleased to be able to compile this information. We hope that it to be a valuable resource for your professional work, classroom studies, or personal use.

Please visit our website at [www.lackawannacounty.org](http://www.lackawannacounty.org) to check-out *County Lines*.

As always, we welcome your suggestions on what other data should be included to fit your needs.

Sincerely,



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Jerry Notarianni



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Debi Domenick, Esq.

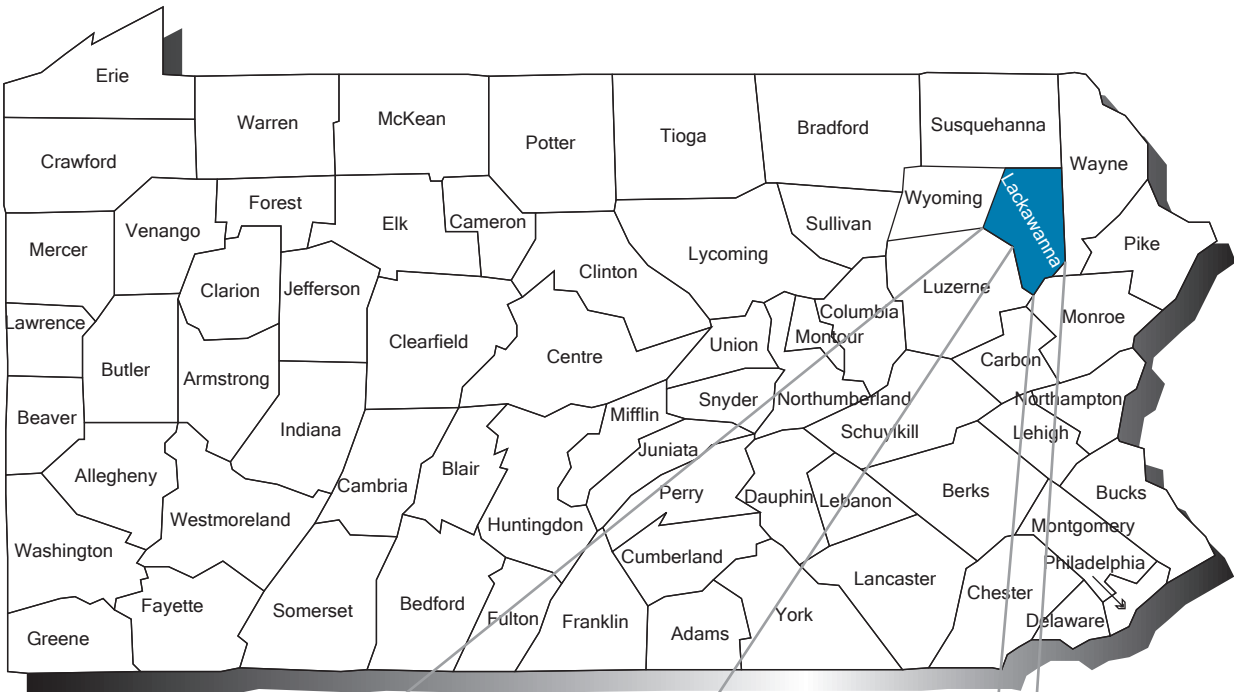


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# Lackawanna County Quick Facts



2020 Population: 215,896

Area: 473.8 square miles

Created August 13, 1878, from a portion of Luzerne County

Named for the Lackawanna River  
(Lackawanna is an Algonquin word meaning "where the streams meet")

Seat: Scranton

Government: Home Rule Charter, 1976

Latitude/Longitude: 41°24.29'N; 75°38.54'W



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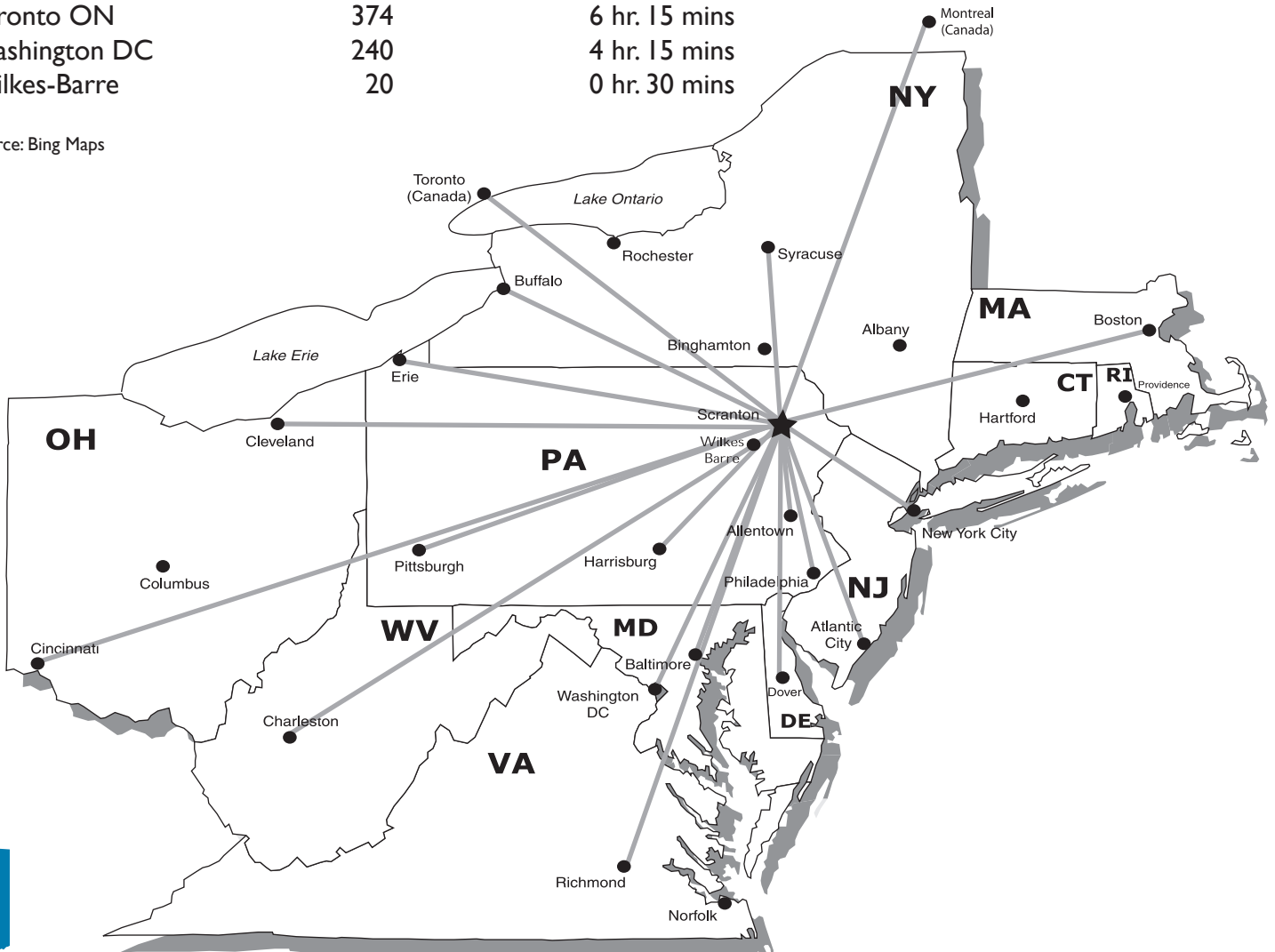


# Mileage & Travel Times

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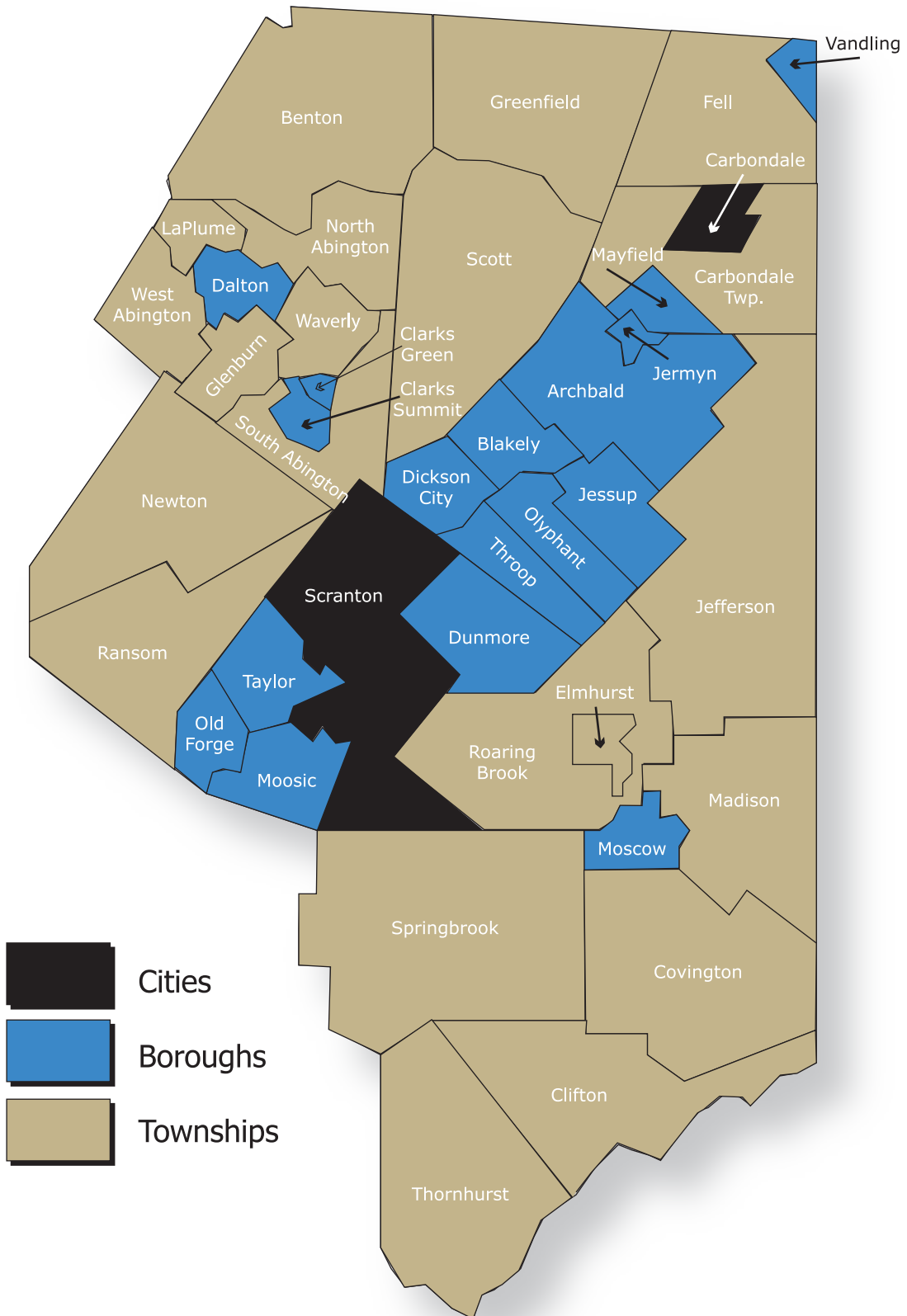
	Miles	Estimated Travel Time via Shortest Route
Allentown	76	1 hr. 25 mins
Atlantic City	185	3 hr. 15 mins
Baltimore	201	3 hr. 25 mins
Boston	295	5 hr. 00 mins
Buffalo	257	4 hr. 30 mins
Charleston WV	483	7 hr. 45 mins
Cincinnati	580	9 hr. 20 mins
Cleveland	374	6 hr. 00 mins
Dover DE	192	3 hr. 20 mins
Erie	323	5 hr. 15 mins
Harrisburg	125	2 hr. 05 mins
Montreal QB	382	6 hr. 30 mins
New York City	121	2 hr. 20 mins
Philadelphia	125	2 hr. 15 mins
Pittsburgh	282	5 hr. 05 mins
Richmond VA	343	6 hr. 00 mins
Syracuse	130	2 hr. 10 mins
Toronto ON	374	6 hr. 15 mins
Washington DC	240	4 hr. 15 mins
Wilkes-Barre	20	0 hr. 30 mins

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# Municipalities Map



# Business Parks & Attractions

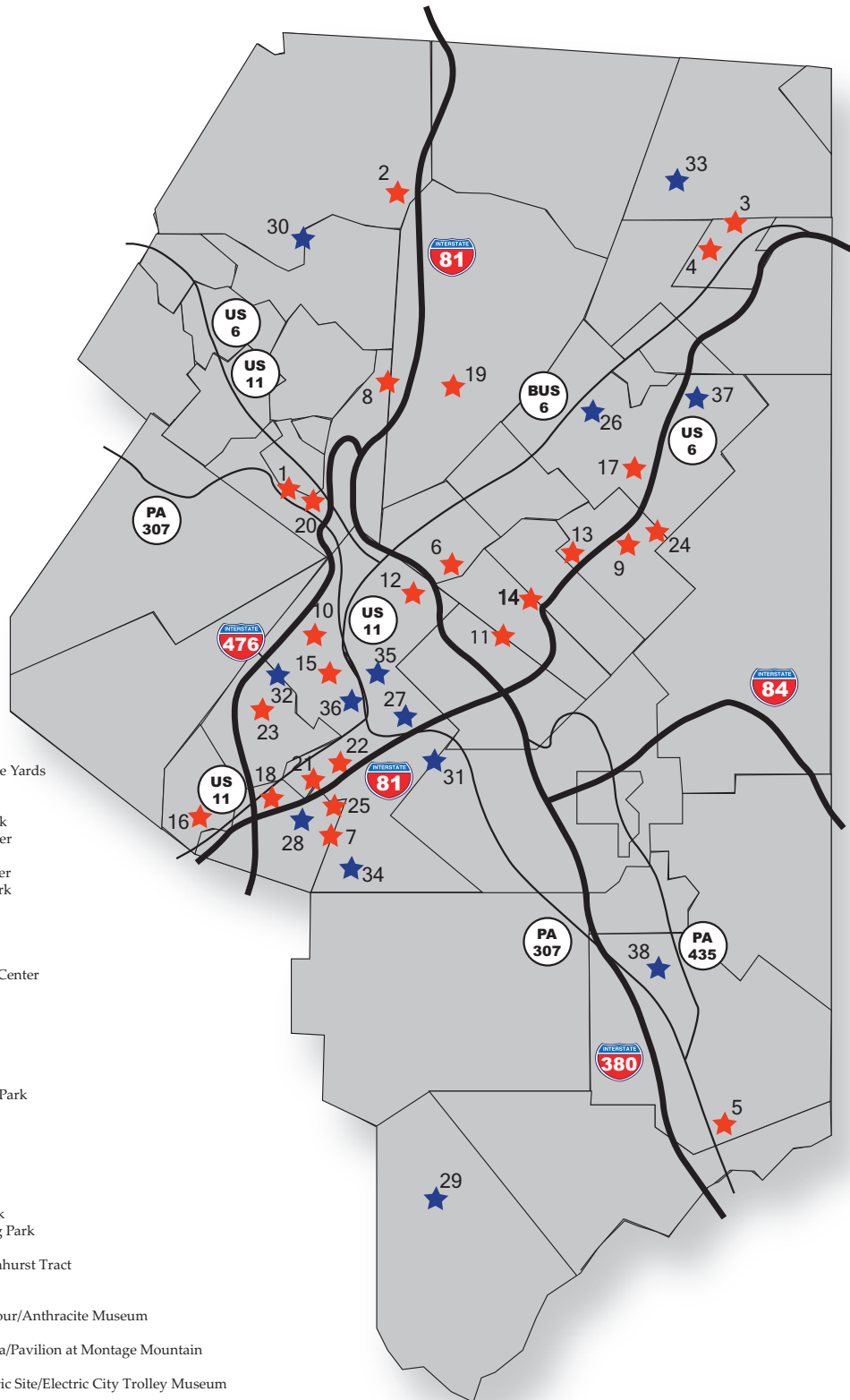
## Visitor Information:

### Lackawanna County Visitor's Center

135 Jefferson Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18503  
1-800-22-WELCOME  
570-496-1701  
[www.visitnepa.org](http://www.visitnepa.org)

### Lackawanna Herit: Valley Authority

213 Railroad Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18505  
570-963-6730  
[www.lhva.org](http://www.lhva.org)



#### Business Parks



1. Abington Executive Park
2. Benton Industrial Park
3. Business Park at Carbondale Yards
4. CLIDCO Industrial Park
5. Covington Industrial Park
6. Dickson City Industrial Park
7. Glenmaura Corporate Center
8. Ivy Industrial Park
9. Jessup Small Business Center
10. Keyser Valley Industrial Park
11. Keystone Industrial Park
12. Marvine Industrial Park
13. MEYA Park
14. Mid Valley Industrial Park
15. Mount Pleasant Corporate Center
16. Old Forge Industrial Park
17. PEI Power Park
18. Rocky Glen Industrial Park
19. Scott Technology Park
20. Shady Lane Business Park
21. South Side Industrial Park
22. Stafford Avenue Industrial Park
23. Stauffer Industrial Park
24. Valley View Business Park
25. W.W. Scranton Office Park

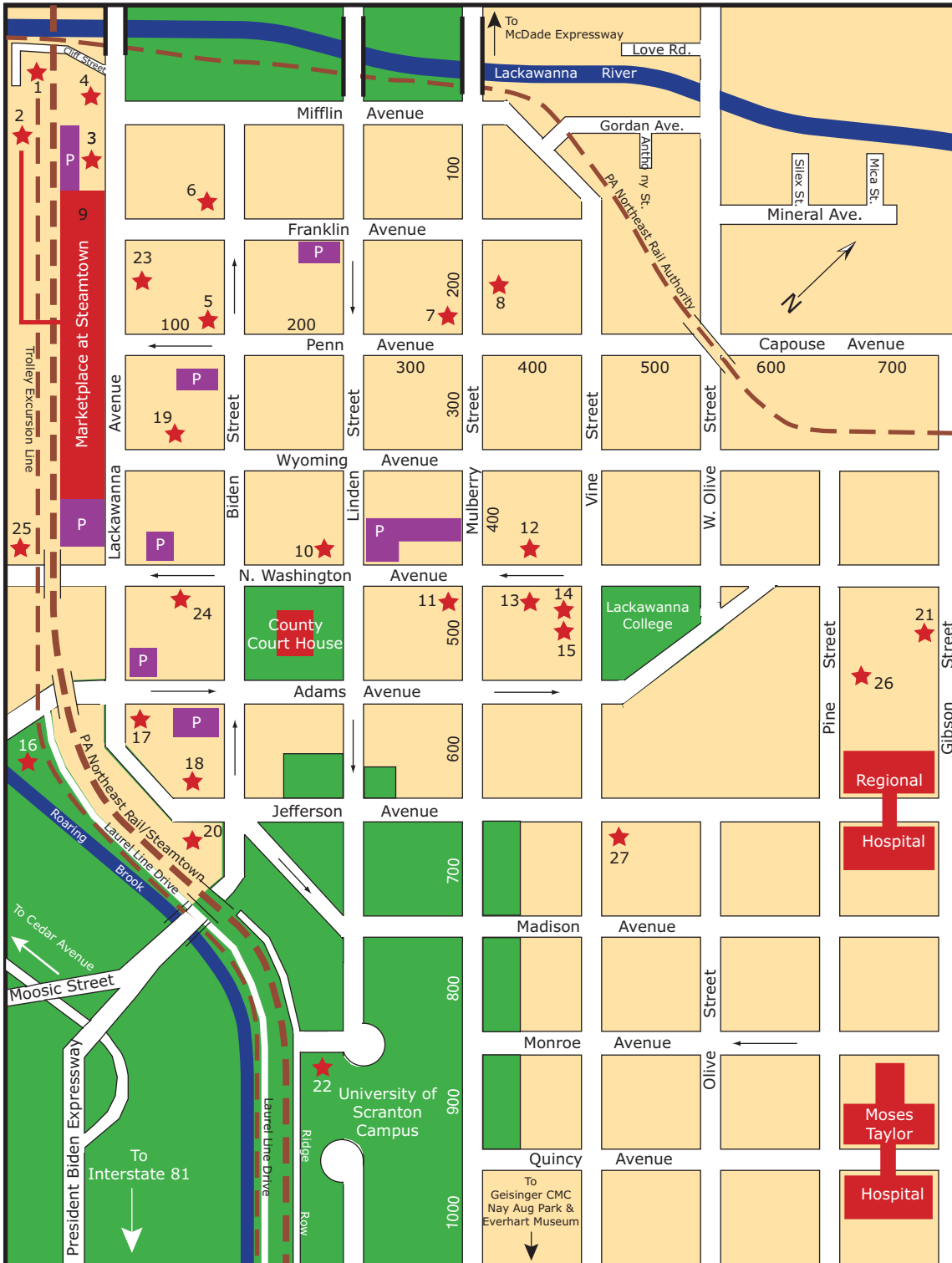
#### Major County Attractions



26. Archbald Pothole State Park
27. Everhart Museum/Nay Aug Park
28. PNC Field
29. Pinchot State Forest - Thornhurst Tract
30. Lackawanna State Park
31. Lake Scranton
32. McDade Park/Coal Mine Tour/Anthracite Museum
33. Merli-Sarnoski Park
34. Montage Mountain Ski Area/Pavilion at Montage Mountain
35. Scranton Cultural Center
36. Steamtown National Historic Site/Electric City Trolley Museum
37. Aylesworth Park
38. Covington Park



# Scranton Center City Map



## NUMBER KEY



1. Electric City Trolley Museum
2. Steamtown National Historic Site
3. State Office Building
4. Lackawanna Transit Center
5. Scranton Times Newseum
6. CareerLink Lackawanna County
7. Chamber of Commerce
8. Gino Merli VA Care Facility
9. Luzerne Co Community College
10. Federal Courthouse/Post Office
11. Scranton City Hall/Fire Headqtrs
12. Scranton School District Offices
13. Scranton Cultural Center
14. Scranton Public Library
15. Lackawanna Co. Children's Library
16. Iron Furnaces Historic Park
17. Hilton Scranton & Conference Center
18. Gateway Center—County Offices
19. County Gov't Center at The Globe
20. Radisson Lackawanna Station Hotel
21. Northeast Intermediate School
22. Lackawanna Historical Society
23. Scranton Enterprise Center
24. Brixx Bldg—County Probation Offices
25. Scranton Police Headquarters
26. Geisinger Commonwealth Medical College
27. Lackawanna College Student Union/ Gymnasium

## LEGEND



Parking Garages



Rail Lines

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Block Numbers

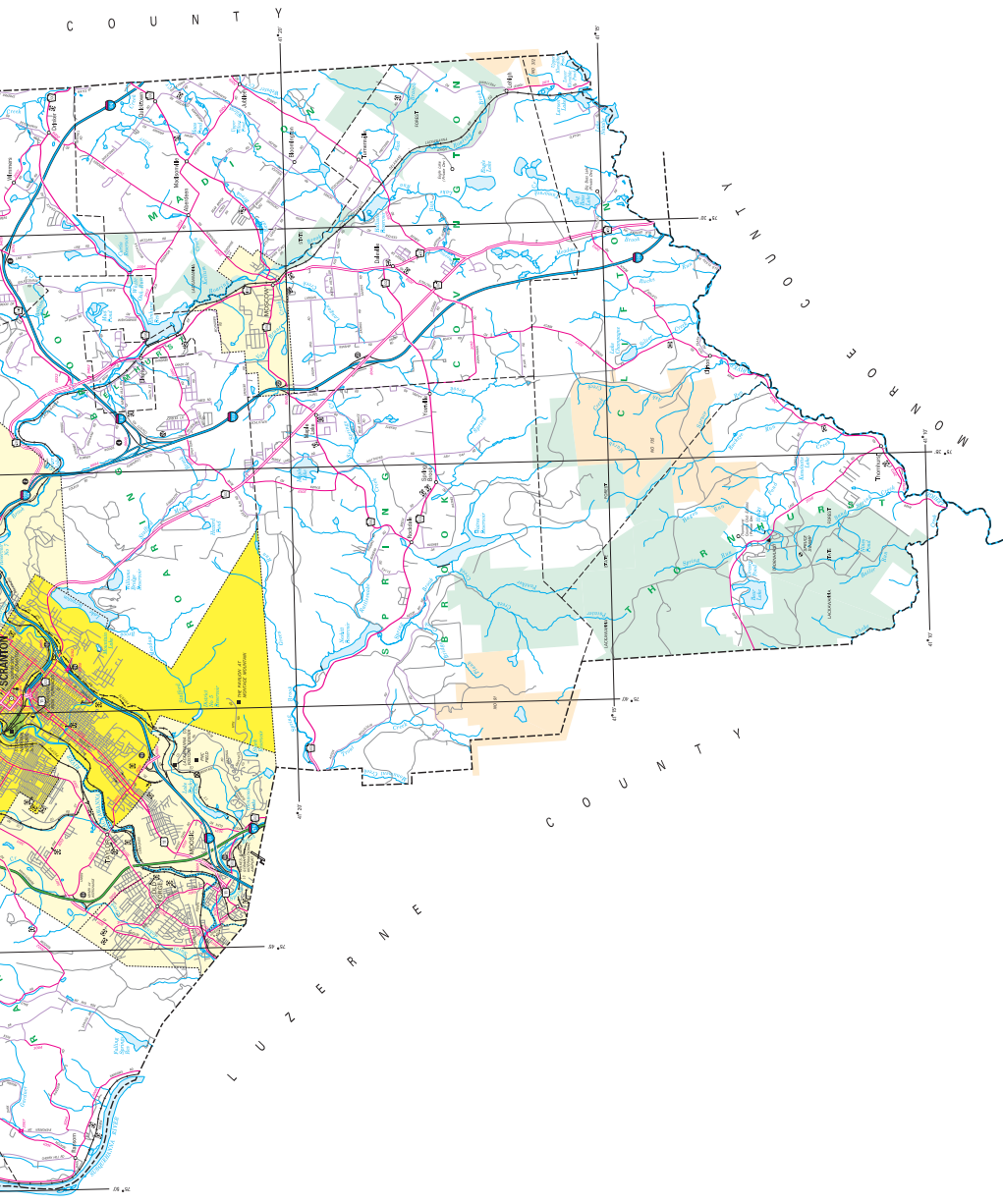


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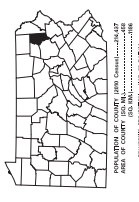
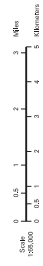






2018  
GENERAL HIGHWAY MAP  
**LACKAWANNA COUNTY**  
PENNSYLVANIA

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Lackawanna County was created on August 13, 1878, from the northern portion of Luzerne County. It became Pennsylvania's 67th county, and the last county to be formed in the Commonwealth.

The name Lackawanna stems from the Algonquin word meaning "where the streams meet," referring to the junction of the Lackawanna and Susquehanna Rivers.

## Prior to 1800: Native Americans and Early Settlers

Glaciers sculpted the natural features of the county. Monseys, part of the Delaware tribe, give the earliest evidence of human dwellers within the county. As Delawares, they were part of a Native American confederation known as the Six Nations.

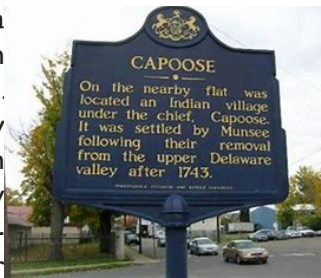
Small in number and often defeated in war by more powerful tribes, the Monseys apparently retreated to the Lackawanna Valley before 1700 to escape raging conflicts that swept the land at regular intervals. They built homes as a base for their nomadic journeys along the banks of the nearby Susquehanna River.

But it was the Lackawanna that provided abundant fish and rich soil for their crops. Game abounded in the valley of the Lackawanna, and with stone-headed weapons they hunted moose, elk, deer, panther, bear, and other animals for meat and material for clothing.

Their village bore the name of Capoose, the chief. It was situated near present-day Weston Field, in Providence, the oldest section of Scranton. The tribe, under Capoose, was not warlike. Nearby tribes were prevented from settling the lands given to Capoose by the Six Nations and no attempt was made to broaden his power through conquest.

Not all members of the tribe shared Capoose's peaceful ways, for when he died, sometime before 1775, Monseys joined nearby tribes on a bloody warpath against white settlers near Bethlehem, Pennsylvania.

The power of the Native American in Lackawanna County began to ebb with the death of Capoose. White hunters, traveling from Connecticut, began to take an interest in the area around 1754. The real blow to Native American life came when the Delawares sold the Lackawanna Valley and surrounding lands to Pennsylvanians. This dual interest by Connecticut and Pennsylvania settlers was later to cause



serious problems for the area, but at this period it only meant the end of Native American domination.

Interest in the Lackawanna Valley began to grow in Connecticut. Stories brought back by hunters told of the beautiful valley, its rich farmland and variety of game.

Eventually the Susquehanna Company was formed in Connecticut to send explorers to the valley, map the area, and establish good relations with the Native Americans. It was not long after the activities of the Connecticut settlers that the valley came to the attention of the Proprietary Government of Pennsylvania. Government officials moved swiftly and in 1768 made a land purchase from the Delawares, which included the Lackawanna Valley.

Soon after the purchase, interest in the valley turned to suspicion, resentment, and eventually hostility, with frequent loss of life. Pennsylvania and Connecticut settlers fought each other bitterly for some 17 years. These principal actions, known as the Pennamite Wars, were highlights of the conflict. A settlement was reached in 1782, with territorial control of the valley going to Pennsylvania and title to land remaining in the hands of settlers, whether from Pennsylvania or Connecticut. Peace came once again to the Lackawanna Valley.

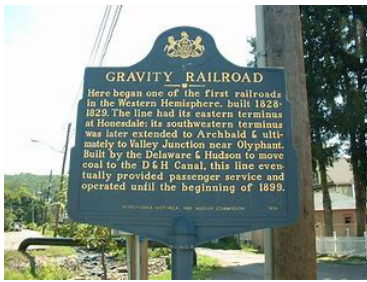
The Scranton of today, was, at the end of the Pennamite Wars, a collection of three small settlements: Razorville, Dark Hollow, and Hyde Park. The first home was built in Razorville, at the corner of present-day Oak Street and North Main Avenue. Three homes stood in Razorville before Philip Abbot of Connecticut built the first home in the "Hollow." Philip Abbot and his brother, John, ran a grist mill on the Roaring Brook. The Abbot's mill was purchased by Ebenezer and Benjamin Slocum who expanded the grist mill and built a saw mill adjacent to it. The Slocum's wished to call the area Unionville; however, the area became known instead as Slocum Hollow.

## 1800 to 1850: The Discovery of Anthracite Coal

Lackawanna County was in the heart of the Northern Anthracite Coal Field, which stretched 55 miles from Forest City in Susquehanna County to Schickshinny in Luzerne County.

William and Maurice Wurts of Philadelphia were among the earliest to recognize the future of the anthracite coal industry. They had a clothing firm and during the War of 1812 were awarded a contract to supply army clothing for the government. As partial payment they were given a grant of 70,000 acres in Pennsylvania. The brothers journeyed to the Carbondale area in 1814 and penetrated and bivouacked





along the western range of Moosic Mountain, exploring every gorge and opening that favored the extraction of coal. Coal was discovered and the first coal mine in the Lackawanna Valley was put down. Enough coal was taken to pay the entire cost

of the Delaware and Hudson Canal and Gravity Railroad that transported its product to market.

The Wurts brothers had planned to ship the coal to Philadelphia but when coal mining began in the Lehigh and Schuylkill regions, those areas supplied Philadelphia. The brothers then formed the Delaware and Hudson Canal Company. The idea was to transport coal from Carbondale's mines to Honesdale via a gravity railroad and from Honesdale to Roundout, New York, by a canal. From Roundout, the coal was transported down the Hudson River to New York City. With the success of the gravity railroad and canal system, additional gravity lines were extended from Carbondale down throughout the valley.

The Delaware and Hudson Canal Company was the first million-dollar private enterprise in the United States, and it led to the first suspension aqueducts that were built by John A. Roebling of Brooklyn Bridge fame and later to the first operation of a railroad locomotive, the "Stourbridge Lion," in America.

In 1842, William Henry, a native of Nazareth who had been operating a blast furnace in New Jersey, arrived with his son-in-law, Seldon T. Scranton. William Henry was a geologist and surveyor. He had previously visited the area and had discovered deposits of iron ore in the hills surrounding the Roaring Brook and Lackawanna River. Soon, Seldon's brother, George W. Scranton, arrived from Connecticut; the Slocum property was purchased, and funds were secured from a number of venture capitalists for the construction of the Lackawanna Furnace. By 1846, the Lackawanna Furnace and Rolling Mills Company was producing nails for market.

In 1847, the Scranton brothers invited their cousin, Joseph H. Scranton, who was a successful Georgia merchant, to invest in the growing industry. George secured a contract from the Erie Railroad to produce "T" rails for a line from Port Jervis to Binghamton. Conversion of the small iron-mill to a rail-producing factory was both expensive and risky, for iron rails had never been manufactured in the United States, having been imported from England. The project was completed on December 27, 1848. In the same year, a U.S. Post Office was established in the town then called "Scrantonia." Also, during this time period the first wave of immigrants

from England, Wales, Ireland, and Germany was beginning to settle in the region.

## 1850 to 1880: Growth and Transformation

In 1853, the Lackawanna Iron and Coal Company was organized, with Joseph H. Scranton as manager. His son, William Walker Scranton, was sent to Europe to study steel manufacturing. When he returned, he built a new mill and organized the Scranton Steel Company.

The railways, which were built and consolidated into the Delaware, Lackawanna, and Western Railroad, transported both iron and coal to markets. However, because the iron-ore deposits were neither high-grade nor plentiful, raw materials had to be transported from elsewhere in Pennsylvania. The steel industry was not profitable; therefore, capital development was concentrated on the anthracite mining industry.

The new industries attracted more settlers and immigrants to the county and the valley's rural appearance was transformed to reveal a clear physical structure whose tie to the anthracite industry was readily apparent. The valley's central axis was anchored at either end by Carbondale and Scranton, both of which were chartered as cities, and a network of rail lines connected every community and mine. Mining activity was centered on small towns along the valley floor where shaft mines provided access to layers of anthracite.

In 1878, after a long legal struggle, Lackawanna County was created from a portion of northern Luzerne County, and Scranton was designated the seat of the new county.

## 1880 to 1930: When Coal Was King

A new courthouse for Lackawanna County was built in 1882, and industry expanded around coal-mining to include manufacturing of silk thread, machine-made lace, railroad locomotives, stoves, heavy machinery, buttons, and clothing.

By the turn of the century, massive coal breakers dominated the sky in every community in the valley, and freight, as well as passenger rail lines such as the Laurel Line, were highly active. Scranton emerged as a showplace, becoming the banking and commercial center of the valley. Between 1880 and 1920, the city constructed the bulk of its commercial and cultural fabric and installed the first electric streetcar system in the United States, earning it the nickname "The Electric City."



*West End Coal Breaker, Scranton, c. 1910*

This era also marked the beginnings of the American labor movement, with the Great Anthracite Strike of 1902 known to be the driving force in establishing the legitimacy of collective bargaining. President Theodore Roosevelt's creation of the Anthracite Coal Strike Commission in October 1902 to arbitrate the grievances of the 150,000 coal miners, who led a five-month-long strike against the coal companies, represented the first time that the federal government intervened in a labor dispute to negotiate a settlement. The Lackawanna County Courthouse was the site of the Commission hearings, which are heralded as the single most important event in the history of Scranton. A memorial to John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers union, stands today on courthouse square in remembrance of the Great Anthracite Strike. Mitchell is touted as the "Champion of Labor, Defender of Human Rights."

### **1930 to Today: Decline and Renewal**

The economic success and entrepreneurial spirit that typified the valley waned. The depression, coupled with the development of alternative fuel sources, forced most of the traditional, larger companies to cease operations. The Knox Mine Disaster of 1959 effectively ended subsurface coal mining in the valley.

Today diversified and service industries have replaced mining as the basis of Lackawanna County's economy, and industrial and office parks have developed throughout the area.

In addition to those industries, tourism also flourishes, attracting thousands to the historic and natural landmarks found throughout the county. With the designation of the Lackawanna Valley as a corridor for the development of a Heritage Park under the state's 1984 study of a state-wide heritage park system, several historic sites, valley-wide, are now linked, integrating historic preservation, education,

recreation, tourism, and economic development.

Early in 1991, a plan that envisioned the creation of a new type of regional conservation and development area known as the "Lackawanna Heritage Valley" was officially adopted. Its focus is the creation of programs to preserve historical and natural assets, interpret their lessons to residents and visitors, reclaim devastated areas, and encourage sensitive economic, educational, and tourism development and productive use of the valley's natural, cultural, and recreational resources. Today, the Lackawanna Heritage Valley is designated as both a state and National Heritage Area.

With the opening of the Governor Casey Highway, a 15-mile, limited-access expressway linking Interstates 81-380 at Dunmore to US Route 6 east of Carbondale, in 1999, the designation of the Glenmaura Planned Development Zone in Moosic and several Keystone Opportunity Zones throughout the county, and more recently, the increase in construction of several large distribution centers, Lackawanna County is now experiencing a "second birth," and the county's future appears as promising as the success of its past—a past that fueled the growth of American cities and industries for 150 years.

### **Brief Historical Facts on County Municipalities**

**Archbald Borough**—incorporated in 1877 from Blakely Township and named for James Archbald, a senior mechanical engineer with the Delaware and Hudson Canal Company, who was appointed as superintendent when the Carbondale coal mines opened. The village of Eynon in the borough is named after Thomas Eynon, a Welshman who developed coal mines in the area. Archbald is most famous for the Archbald Pothole, the largest glacial pothole known to man. It is also the eighth largest borough in the state.

**Benton Township**—created in 1838 from Nicholson Township and named in honor of Thomas H. Benton, a US Senator from Missouri. The township was first settled in 1810 by a Mr. Bassett, after whom Bassett Pond is named. The village of Fleetville at the center of the township was named after James VanFleet, an early landowner and farmer who invented a more effective plow and became popular with the other local farmers.

**Blakely Borough**—originally created as Blakely Township in 1818 from Providence and Greenfield townships, it was incorporated as a borough in 1867. Blakely is named in honor of Captain Johnston Blakely, a naval hero in the War of

1812, who was lost at sea. Timothy Stevens, a Revolutionary War soldier from New York, was the first settler. Peckville, the largest community within the borough, was named after Samuel Peck of Massachusetts. Mr. Peck opened the Peck Lumber Manufacturing Company in the area.

**Carbondale City**—incorporated in 1851 from Carbondale Township as the first city within the anthracite region of the Commonwealth. The name Carbondale is derived from the presence of coal deposits in the area, "the dale or valley where coal is found." The first underground coal mine in the U.S. opened in Carbondale, known locally as the "Pioneer City." The Wurts brothers formed the Delaware & Hudson Canal Company to transport coal to Honesdale via a gravity railroad and the to New York by canal.



*Carbondale High School, c. 1900*

**Carbondale Township**—created in 1831 from Blakely and Greenfield townships, the name Carbondale is derived from the presence of coal deposits in the area, "the dale or valley where coal is found." The pioneer settler of the township was David Ailsworth, who came from Rhode Island in 1802.

**Clarks Green Borough**—incorporated in 1914 from South Abington Township and named in honor of Deacon William Clark, an early settler and Revolutionary War soldier who fought with George Washington at the Battle of Trenton. Deacon Clark cleared a triangular plot of several acres called the "green."

**Clarks Summit Borough**—incorporated in 1911 from South Abington Township and, like its twin borough Clarks Green, named in honor of Deacon William Clark, an early settler and Revolutionary War soldier who fought with George Washington at the Battle of Trenton. Deacon Clark's cleared triangular plot known as the "green" went to the point being the "summit" of the grade on the northern division of the Lackawanna Railroad out of Scranton.

**Clifton Township**—created from Covington Township in 1875 and named in honor of prominent landowner Henry Drinker's son, Clifton. Jacob Gress, the township's first settler, located here in 1840.

**Covington Township**—created from Wilkes-Barre Township in 1818 and named after Brigadier General Leonard Covington of Maryland, who fought and died in the War of 1812 at Williamsburg in Canada. At the time of its creation, the township contained the whole of Henry Drinker's possessions in the southern part of old Luzerne County. The village of Daleville at the center of the township is named for David Dale, a man who arrived from England and bought land in the area from Mr. Drinker.

**Dalton Borough**—incorporated in 1895 from North Abington Township and named in honor of Dr. Edward Dalton, a Civil War surgeon and superintendent of the New York City Board of Health. The borough was originally known as Bailey Hollow from the predominance of families of that name who were pioneers in the area. Agriculture and lumbering were the only industries in the borough until the building of the Leggetts Gap, a division of the Lackawanna Railroad, in 1850.

**Dickson City Borough**—incorporated in 1875 from Blakely Township and named in honor of Thomas Dickson, president of the Delaware and Hudson Railroad at the time of the borough's creation. The borough's first inhabitants were the extended family of Timothy Stevens, a Revolutionary War veteran who moved from New York in 1786. Little transpired in the borough until collieries sprang up, with the village of Priceburg developing with homes for the local miners.



*Dickson City Borough Building, c. 1900*

**Dunmore Borough**—incorporated in 1862 from Providence Township (now extinct) and named for the fifth Earl of Dunmore in England. The Earl's son, Sir Charles Augustus Murray, had an interest in the area and promised financial assistance to Henry Drinker to build a railroad over the Moosic Mountains to the Delaware River. In gratitude, Mr. Drinker urged the people of "Bucktown," the village's earliest name, to call the place Dunmore. Sir Charles Murray never set foot in Dunmore, nor did his financial help for Drinker's project ever materialize.



**Elmhurst Township**—incorporated as a borough in 1889 from Roaring Brook Township and named after the abundance of elm trees in the area. “Hurst” is a high German word meaning “forest.” Elmhurst Borough gave up its charter and became a township in 1941. The original settler of the township, Gilbert Dunning, started a sawmill and other wood working plants and as a result the village grew. The area was known as Dunning until borough incorporation.

**Fell Township**—created in 1845 from Carbondale Township and named in honor of Judge Jesse Fell of Wilkes-Barre, the first person to successfully use anthracite coal in a domestic grade. The township was first settled in 1818 by Peter Ball of New York who built a log-house in the northwest part of the township. The first coal mine in the township opened in 1864 on Elk Creek and a breaker was built there in 1874. Simpson, the main village in the township, is named for C. D. Simpson, an independent coal operator in the northern anthracite region.

**Glenburn Township**—incorporated as a borough in 1877 from North and South Abington townships and named by George Humphrey of New York, its founder, who built a mill dam and flouring mill. The village was originally known as Humphreyville, but at the time of incorporation Mr. Humphrey created a new name by using novelist Sir Walter Scott's term for narrow valley, “glen,” and the Scottish word for brook, “burn.” Glenburn Borough gave up its charter and became a township in 1933.

**Greenfield Township**—created in 1816 from Abington Township and named for the lush, green fields that dominate the township's rolling landscape—even to this day. Pioneer settlers of the township were Elijah Hobb and James Sackett of Vermont. The first schoolhouse in the township was built in 1820.

**Jefferson Township**—created in 1836 from Blakely and Providence townships (now extinct) and named in honor of President Thomas Jefferson. Early settlements date back to 1782 when John Somers made a clearing at the foot of Cobb's Mountain. In 1784 he sold the land to Asa Cobb, who became the township's first permanent settler. The village of Mount Cobb in the township was named in honor of Asa Cobb.

**Jermyn Borough**—incorporated as Gibsonburg in 1870 from Blakely Township but changed its name in 1874 in honor of John Jermyn, a wealthy Englishman with mining interests in the area. Jermyn's claim-to-fame as the Birthplace of First Aid came to be in 1899 when Dr. Matthew Shields of the borough developed a simple, but comprehensive method for treating injuries—the result of years of caring for injured miners.

**Jessup Borough**—incorporated as Winton in 1876 from Blakely Township and included both the village of Winton and the village of Jessup. In the 1960s the borough changed its name to Jessup, which was the larger of the two villages. Jessup is named in honor of William Jessup, a Montrose resident and President Judge of the 11th Judicial District, who became president of the Lackawanna Railroad. Jessup is most famous for its annual St. Ubaldo's Day Race of the Saints, a tradition originated in Gubbio, Italy, and dating back to 1914.

**LaPlume Township**—incorporated as a borough in 1885 from North Abington Township and named for the French phrase “nom de plume,” which means “pen name.” It was taken from writer Mrs. Isaac Tillinghast, who used the term LaPlume as the pen name for her various writings. Her husband had an extensive seed and plant nursery in the village. LaPlume Borough gave up its charter and became a township in 1932.

**Madison Township**—created in 1849 from Covington and Jefferson townships and named in honor of President James Madison. Henry Drinker was the first owner of much of the land in the township, and Thomas Beisecker and Richard Edwards were the pioneer residents. The township was originally heavily timbered with beech, hemlock, and ash trees, but much of the land was cleared for the establishment of many fine farms.



*Madisonville Corners, c. 1910*

**Mayfield Borough**—incorporated in 1881 from Carbon-dale Township as the Borough of Glenwood and named for the Glenwood Breaker located in the community. The name was changed to Mayville in 1888 and again to Mayfield in 1890 on the suggestion of postal authorities. The town was named after Captain William May, manager of the Hillside Coal & Iron Company for the part he played in the development of the anthracite mining operation, the chief industry in the community.

**Moosic Borough**—incorporated in 1890 from Lackawanna Township (now extinct) and named from the Algonquin word meaning “great herds of moose.” Several coal and freight rail lines traversed the borough as well as the “Laurel Line,” the passenger trolley route between Scranton and Wilkes-Barre.

**Moscow Borough**—incorporated in 1908 from Madison Township and named for the capital of Russia, from where many of its earlier settlers immigrated. The community owes its start to Reverend Peter Rupert, a Lutheran minister, who built a log home here. Lumbering and agriculture were the chief industries of the borough’s early days.

**Newton Township**—created in 1844 from Falls Township and named after the town of Newton, New Jersey, from where many of its early settlers came. Richard Gardner was the township’s pioneer settler.

**North Abington Township**—created in 1867 from Abington Township. In the Connecticut claim and survey this township was called Ebbington, in honor of Colonel Ebbington, a Connecticut land agent who granted titles to settlers in the area in the late 1700s. Pennsylvania land holders changed the name to Abington.

**Old Forge Borough**—incorporated in 1899 from Old Forge Township (now extinct) and named after an abandoned iron ore forge, deserted because of the mediocre quality of the iron ore. Dr. William Hooker Smith settled in this area in 1789 to practice medicine. Dr. Smith, along with James Sutton, built the “old forge.” Today, Old Forge is most famous for the pizza shops that line its Main Street, and it has recently been designated as the “Pizza Capital of the World.”

**Olyphant Borough**—incorporated in 1877 from Blakely Township and named in honor of George Talbot Olyphant, a president of the Delaware and Hudson Canal Company. Known as the “Midway City” in early days, it is today referred

to as the “Queen City.” The oldest volunteer fire company in the valley, Excelsior #1, remains in existence in Olyphant.

**Ransom Township**—created in 1849 from Exeter and Newton townships and named in honor of Captain Samuel Ransom, who raised a company in 1777 for the defense of the Wyoming Valley and fell in the Wyoming Massacre of 1778. The township’s pioneer settler, John Gardner, was also Lackawanna County’s first settler. Milwaukie, a village in the township, is an Algonquin word meaning “good land.”



*Train Station at Ransom, c. 1900*

**Roaring Brook Township**—created in 1871 from Dunmore Borough, Jefferson and Madison townships and named for the Roaring Brook, the major stream that passes through it. There had been no settlement in the township until Gilbert Dunning erected the first frame house around 1847. Prior to that only Barney Carney, the toll-gate keeper on the Drinker Turnpike, occupied the area.

**Scott Township**—created in 1846 from Greenfield Township and named for the Honorable David Scott, an associate judge of Luzerne County. Roger Orvis was the earliest settler, building a cabin in 1800 at Orvis Corners. A grist mill at the outlet of Chapman Lake was the township’s first industry. Agriculture, with a market chiefly in the Mid Valley towns, became the township’s chief occupation.

**Scranton City**—incorporated as a borough in 1856 from Providence Township (now extinct) and named for brothers George and Seldon Scranton, of Connecticut and New Jersey, respectfully, who came to the area in 1840 to smelt iron. In 1866, the City of Scranton was incorporated upon the merging of Scranton Borough with Hyde Park and Providence boroughs and parts of Providence Township. In 1950, the remaining portion of Lackawanna Township, including the village of Minooka, was disorganized and annexed to Scranton, completely wiping the township from the map. Scranton is known as the “Electric City,” and was once referred to as the “Anthracite Capital of the World.”



*The Globe Store, downtown Scranton, c. 1950s*

**South Abington Township**—created in 1867 from Abington Township and known locally as the “Gateway to the Abingtons.” In the Connecticut claim and survey this township was called Ebbington, in honor of Colonel Ebbington, a Connecticut land agent who granted titles to settlers in the area in the late 1700s. Pennsylvania land holders changed the name to Abington. The village of Chinchilla, the main portion of the township, was named after a chinchilla shawl. Originally known as “Leach’s Flats,” the village’s female postmaster renamed the town after her cherished shawl in the late 1800s.

**Spring Brook Township**—created in 1853 from Covington and Pittston townships and named for Spring Brook, a major stream that flows through the area. Abraham Turner, a Welsh farmer, was the township’s pioneer settler. Lumbering and farming were of equal importance in the early days.

**Taylor Borough**—incorporated in 1893 from Lackawanna and Old Forge townships (both now extinct) and named for philanthropist Moses Taylor, a major financier of the Union cause during the Civil War. In 1901, the remaining portion of Old Forge township disorganized and was annexed to Taylor, completely wiping the township from the map. Taylor was the first settlement in Lackawanna County, settled by Timothy Keys, Solomon Hocksley and Andrew Hickman.

**Thornhurst Township**—created in 1878 when the incorporation of Lackawanna County from Luzerne County split Buck Township in half. The eastern portion of Buck Township, now in the new county, was named Lehigh in 1880, after the Lehigh River. The township officially changed its name to Thornhurst in 1996 to end years of confusion with neighboring Lehigh Township in Wayne County. Lumbering was the major industry, tree bark supplying tanneries at Gouldsboro. Isaac Lewis was the pioneer settler in 1842.

Thornhurst remains the only village in the township.

**Throop Borough**—incorporated in 1894 from Dickson City Borough and named in honor of Benjamin Henry Throop, who came from New Jersey and supplied the area with a gas and water company and three banks. Before its incorporation, Throop was known as the village of Rough and Ready. Throop’s history is marred by the Pancoast Mine Disaster of 1911, when a coal mine fire took the lives of 73 workers and one government official.

**Vandling Borough**—incorporated in 1899 from Fell Township and named after Abraham Vandling, a benevolent mine boss who donated money to build a church in the village. Vandling was originally called Clintonville, after the Clinton Coal Colliery. Lumbering was the first industry in the area until coal was discovered near the surface for easy mining.

**Waverly Township**—created in 1806 from Tunkhannock Township. In the Connecticut claim and survey this township was called Ebbington, in honor of Colonel Ebbington, a Connecticut land agent who granted titles to settlers in the area in the late 1700s. Pennsylvania land holders changed the name to Abington. In 2011, the township again changed its name to Waverly Township, after the village of Waverly at the center of the township. The village of Waverly was once an independent borough (incorporated in 1854) but gave up its charter in 1920 to revert back to the township. Waverly was named from the title of a popular novel by Sir Walter Scott.



*Waverly Community House, c1920s*

**West Abington Township**—created in 1895 from North Abington Township. In the Connecticut claim and survey this township was called Ebbington, in honor of Colonel Ebbington, a Connecticut land agent who granted titles to settlers in the area in the late 1700s. Pennsylvania land holders changed the name to Abington. Since the 1980 Census, West Abington remains the least populated municipality in the county.



## Topography

Lackawanna County is situated in northeastern Pennsylvania, approximately 117 miles northwest of New York City and 132 miles north of Philadelphia. It occupies a total area of 473.8 square miles.

Topographically the features that stand out the most in Lackawanna County are the two nearly parallel mountain ranges that traverse the county in a southwest to northeast direction, forming the valley area. The range of mountains forming the east boundary of the valley is known as Moosic Mountain, while the opposite range is known as West Mountain.

The two mountain ranges naturally trisect the county. Each of these ranges reaches an average height of 2,000 feet above sea level, while the valley floor ranges in elevation from 585 feet in the southwestern section to 1,340 feet in the northeast. Beyond West Mountain in the northwest section of the county, elevations are generally 800 to 2,000 feet. Beyond Moosic Mountain in the southeast section of the county, elevations range from 1,100 to 2,300 feet.

The Lackawanna River flows through the valley between the two mountains. It accounts for the drainage of approximately two-thirds of Lackawanna County. The westerly slopes of West Mountain drain to tributaries of the Susquehanna River, and the easterly slopes of Moosic Mountain are drained by the Lackawanna and Lehigh Rivers and their tributaries.

The slopes of both mountain ranges are generally 20 percent or greater; whereas, the rest of the county is fairly uniform. The section beyond West Mountain is mostly in the 5 to 20 percent range, and the lands beyond Moosic Mountain are in the 1 to 10 percent range.

## Geology

Lackawanna County is within two physiographic provinces. The middle third of the county (the “valley”) is within the Appalachian Mountain section of the Valley and Ridge province. The Valley and Ridge section, known as the Anthracite Coal Region, averages about six miles in width and trends in a southwest-northeast direction. The remainder of the county lies within the Appalachian Plateaus province.

Most bedrock underlying the Appalachian Plateaus province consists chiefly of red to brownish shale and sandstone of the Catskill Formation, which is upper Devonian in age.

The Appalachian Mountain section of the Valley and Ridge province is known as the Lackawanna Valley and is a long synclinal trough with the outer rim made up of a very hard resistant sandstone and conglomerate of the Pocono Formation. The inner rim is made up of bedrock of the Pottsville Formation. Between the two rims is a thin section of soft Mauch Chunk shale. The inner synclinal trough contains folded and faulted beds of post-Pottsville shale, sandstone, and some conglomerate and several mineable anthracite coal layers. Several minor anticlines and synclines are in the Plateaus province in the remaining part of the county.

During the Pleistocene Epoch, a series of great continental ice sheets advanced and retreated, covering Lackawanna County with accumulations of glacial debris of sand, rounded gravels, and boulders from melt water. Other material that was deposited directly from the ice with little or no sorting or stratification is distributed unevenly throughout the region and is classified as glacial till. This till is as much as 300 feet deep in some places, and the present topography is the result of erosion of this glacial drift.

## Climate

The climate of Lackawanna County can be described generally as temperate or mild.

Summer, generally the most pleasant time of year, has warm days and cool nights. About 60% of possible sunshine is received during summer. The average daily maximum temperatures are generally in the low eighties, while nighttime daily minimum temperatures average in the high fifties. Maximum temperatures of 90°F or greater occur about 15 to 20 days a year during June, July, and August. The maximum recorded temperature at Scranton, 103°F, occurred on July 9, 1936. The annual precipitation for the area is approximately 37 inches. Late spring and summer receive the most yearly precipitation. An average of seven thunderstorms occurs during each of the summer months. Heavy rainfall associated with hurricanes or tropical storms moving up the east coast are occasional and result in flooding of the lower areas. The average noon relative humidity for the area during the summer is about 55%.

Winter is cold and cloudy with daytime maximum temperatures in the mid-thirties and nighttime daily minimum temperatures in the high teens to low twenties. The record low temperature, -21°F, occurred on January 21, 1994. Winter precipitation is light but frequent and is received as rain or snow. The annual snowfall for the area is about 40 inches, but varies widely from the lower to higher elevations.

The average total number of days with snow cover of an inch or more is 50. The average noon relative humidity for the area during the winter is about 60%.

Alternate periods of freezing and thawing occur frequently in spring and fall. Sunshine becomes more prevalent during spring with temperatures rising, while autumn sunshine provides many mild days and cool nights through much of October. The average dates for the last freeze in spring and the first in fall are April 24 and October 14, respectively.

### Population Distribution

The highest population densities in Lackawanna County are spread along the Lackawanna River Valley. This area is the northern end of the Scranton/Wilkes-Barre Metropolitan Area, which extends from Nanticoke in Luzerne County to Carbondale. The largest urban political unit in Lackawanna County is the city of Scranton with the boroughs of Moosic, Old Forge, and Taylor to the south. High density population areas continue northeasterly through the valley from Scranton into the boroughs of Dunmore, Throop, Dickson City, Olyphant, Blakely, Jessup, and Archbald. In the northeastern corner of the county is the suburban population center including the city of Carbondale, southcentral Carbondale Township, eastern Fell Township, and the boroughs of Jermy, Mayfield, and Vandling.

Another suburban population concentration exists beyond West Mountain around the area of US Routes 6 & 11, Interstate 81, and the Northeastern Extension of the Pennsylvania Turnpike Interchange. This area includes the boroughs of Clarks Green, Clarks Summit, Dalton, and the townships of Waverly, Glenburn, and South Abington.

Smaller settlement clusters associated with rural-agricultural areas include: Montdale, Justus, Tompkinsville, Finch Hill, Fleetville, East Benton, LaPlume, Milwaukee, and Ransom to the west of the valley area; and Elmhurst, Moscow, Daleville, Mount Cobb, Madisonville, Spring Brook, and Thornhurst to the east of the valley.

Also, settlement clusters containing a mix of summer and year-long residences are located at Chapman Lake, Newton Lake, Crystal Lake, Lake Sheridan, Baylors Lake, Handsome Pond, Deer Lake, Bassett Pond, and Lake Kewanee to the west of the valley; and at Moosic Lakes, Lake Spangenburg, Lake Kahagon, Eagle Lake, Big Bass Lake, and Bear Lake to the east of the valley.

The remaining areas of the county are rural, with scattered residential subdivisions, farms, and forestland.

There are approximately 263 active livestock and crop farms in Lackawanna County today capable of producing and selling \$1,000 or more of agricultural products. They encompassed 36,556 acres of land with a total of \$16,469,000 market value of the products sold.

### Political Subdivisions

Lackawanna County is divided into 40 municipalities. The breakdown includes 2 cities, 17 boroughs, and 21 townships of the second-class. The county is also divided into 12 school districts.

#### Cities

Scranton	Class 2A
Carbondale	Class 3

#### Boroughs

Archbald	Dunmore	Old Forge
Blakely	Jermy	Olyphant
Clarks Green	Jessup	Taylor
Clarks Summit	Mayfield	Throop
Dalton	Moosic	Vandling
Dickson City	Moscow	

#### Townships of the Second-Class

Benton	Greenfield	Roaring Brook
Carbondale	Jefferson	Scott
Clifton	LaPlume	South Abington
Covington	Madison	Spring Brook
Elmhurst	Newton	Thornhurst
Fell	North Abington	Waverly
Glenburn	Ransom	West Abington

#### School Districts

Abington Heights	Mid-Valley
Carbondale Area	North Pocono
Dunmore	Old Forge
Forest City Regional	Riverside
Lackawanna Trail	Scranton
Lakeland	Valley View

## Transportation

### Roadways



There are 1,627.36 linear miles of roadways in Lackawanna County. The jurisdictional breakdown is as follows:

PennDOT .....	557.55
Other Agency* .....	22.64
Turnpike .....	13.09
Local Municipal.....	1034.08
County .....	26.64
City/Borough/Twp .....	1007.44

\*Includes state and federal agencies such as the State Forest Service, National Parks, & US Forest Service.

Major highways traversing the county include Interstates 81, 84, & 380, the northeast extension of the Pennsylvania Turnpike (Interstate 476), US Route 6 (Governor Robert Casey Highway), US Route 11, PA Route 307, and Business Route 6 (Scranton-Carbondale Highway).



### Railways

Rail service over the approximate 75 miles of rails within the county is provided by the following owner/operators:

- Delaware-Lackawanna Railroad Co. (DL)
- PA Northeast Regional Rail Authority (PNERRA)<sup>1</sup>
- Luzerne County Redevelopment Authority (LUCRA)<sup>1</sup>
- Luzerne & Susquehanna Railroad Co. (LS)
- Norfolk Southern Railway Co. (NS)
- Reading, Blue Mtn & Northern Railroad (RBMN)

<sup>1</sup>Non-operating owner of active freight line

### Public Transportation

- Lackawanna Transit Center, 30 Lackawanna Ave, Scranton
- County of Lackawanna Transit System (COLTS) 570-346-2061
- COLTS Shared Ride Services, 570-963-2061

## Commercial Transportation

- Martz Trailways, 570-342-0166
- Greyhound Bus Lines, [www.greyhound.com](http://www.greyhound.com)
- FlixBus, [www.flixbus.com](http://www.flixbus.com)
- McCarthy Flowered Cabs, 570-344-5000
- Burgit's Electric City Taxi, 570-207-2200
- AVP Taxi, 570-565-9184
- Pioneer City Cab, Carbondale, 570-282-6060
- Uber, [www.uber.com](http://www.uber.com)
- Lyft, [www.lyft.com](http://www.lyft.com)



### Air Travel

**Wilkes-Barre/Scranton International Airport (AVP)** - the hub of commercial air transportation for northeastern Pennsylvania.

The airport first opened in 1959. In 2006, the Joseph M. McDade Terminal Building replaced the old terminal building. The airport offers 9 daily departures to three major hubs. Airlines operating at the airport, with nonstop daily flights to destination cities, include:

- American (3 - Charlotte, 2 - Chicago O'Hare)
  - United (2 - Chicago O'Hare, 2 - Newark)
  - Boscov's Travel/Southwest (select Sundays only - Orlando)\*
- \*Chartered flights to Walt Disney World/Universal Studios

Airport address: 100 Terminal Road  
Avoca, PA 18641  
1-877-2-FLYAVP  
[www.flyavp.com](http://www.flyavp.com)

**Seamans Airport**—Benton Township, general aviation public use

Owner/Address: Endless Mountains Air, Inc.  
65 Windsock Lane  
Factoryville, PA 18419  
570-945-5125  
[www.seamansairport.com](http://www.seamansairport.com)

# Government

## County Government

Lackawanna County is classified as a third-class county, having a 2020 population between 210,000 and 500,000. One-third of the population resides in the city of Scranton. Lackawanna is the youngest of Pennsylvania's 67 counties. The county seat is located in Scranton.

Three commissioners make up the chief governing body of the county and are elected by the voters to four-year terms. A Home Rule Charter, adopted in 1976, governs the county. Some of the commissioners' authority encompasses registration and elections, assessments of persons and property, welfare services, veterans' affairs, county personnel, and fiscal monitoring and management. Counties also serve in a directional role as agents of the state for law enforcement and judicial administration. The construction and maintenance of county facilities, such as the courthouse, jail, and other facilities are the responsibility of the Commissioners.



## 2022 Elected County Officials

County officials serve four-year terms, with elections staggered every two years. Running during one election year are the three County Commissioners, Controller, Coroner, and Treasurer, then, two years later elections are held for Clerk of Judicial Records, Recorder of Deeds, Register of Wills, Sheriff, and District Attorney. County officials for 2022 are as follows:

Commissioners:	Jerry Notarianni (D) Debi Domenick, Esq. (D) Chris Chermak (R)
Coroner:	Timothy Rowland (D)
Treasurer:	Edward Karpovich (D)
Controller:	Gary DiBileo (D)
Clerk of Judicial Records:	Mauri Kelly (D)
Recorder of Deeds:	Evie Rafalko McNulty (D)
Register of Wills/ Orphans Court:	Frances Roland Kovaleski (D)
Sheriff:	Mark McAndrew (D)
District Attorney:	Mark Powell, Esq. (D)

## City Government

The cities of Scranton and Carbondale are run by a mayor who has broad appointive and removal powers and is responsible for the preparation of the annual budget. He or she also recommends measures for the consideration of the city council and may veto legislation, which may be overridden by a two-thirds majority of the council. Home Rule Charters have been adopted by both cities.

A municipality that has a Home Rule Charter may exercise any power or any function not denied by its Home Rule Charter or by the State General Assembly at any time. Municipal governing bodies make policy decisions, levy taxes, borrow monies, authorize expenditures, and direct administration of their government by appointees. Some of their functions include police and fire protection, maintenance of local roads and streets, water supply, sewerage collection and treatment, parking and recreation, garbage collection, health services, licensing of businesses, and code enforcements.

## Borough Government

The present type of borough government is the weak mayor form that governed all incorporated municipalities during the 19th Century. Boroughs have a dominant council, a weak executive and other elected officials. The governing body of a borough is an elected council.

Borough mayors are elected to four-year terms and councilpersons are elected to four-year, overlapping, or staggered, terms. A borough not divided into wards has seven councilpersons. In boroughs that are divided into wards, at least one and not more than two are elected from each ward.

## Township Government

Townships of the second-class are governed by three supervisors who are elected at large for six-year terms. Two additional supervisors may be elected if approved by referendum. Other elected township officials include tax collector and auditors. (A township can be considered first-class if it has a population density of at least 300 persons per square mile and has organized and elected officers in a manner related to the laws of townships of the first class). There are no first-class townships in Lackawanna County. Although three townships (Waverly, Elmhurst, and South Abington) qualify for first-class status, they have not organized as such and remain as second-class.



## School Boards

There are 12 school districts completely or partially located in Lackawanna County. Each district is operated by its own elected nine-member school board. Members of these boards, known as school directors, are elected for four-year terms and are unpaid.

Candidates for school director can, and usually do, cross-file; that is, they file in the primary election for nomination by each party, often resulting in the election being decided in the primary.

The school board is responsible for setting policy as required by the State Board of Education and administered by the State Department of Education. It also hires all school personnel, following recommendations of the district superintendent; provides for school buildings; approves the selection of textbooks; purchases school supplies; and levies school taxes.

The school board appoints a superintendent of schools who serves under a contract of no less than three years nor more than five years (but who may be reappointed). The superintendent is the chief executive officer of the district and as such, is responsible for the administration of the district's public education.

## County Judicial System

Lackawanna County is within the 45th Judicial District. The judicial system is officially known as the Lackawanna County Branch of the Court of Common Pleas of the 45th Judicial District, and is divided into civil and criminal divisions.

The Civil Division has jurisdiction in all equity matters. It also hears appeals of minor civil matters from District Justice Courts. The Criminal Division handles all criminal cases and appeals of summary matters (offenses for which the penalty is less than 90 days imprisonment) from District Justice Courts.

Family Court and Juvenile Court are also a part of the Court of Common Pleas. Family Court decides cases related to spouses and children and parents. Juvenile Court is responsible for cases involving children under 18 years of age, who have been neglected or are charged with violating some aspect of criminal law.

There are nine (9) Common Pleas Judges who are elected for ten-year retention terms and three (3) senior judges. Senior judges are judges who have reached the state-mandated retirement age of 70. They serve in part-time capacity. Judges may cross-file in the primary election. To continue in office a judge runs in a retention election. In this election, the judge does not appear as a candidate in the ordinary sense: running under a party label with competition from other candidates. Instead, the judge's name appears on

the ballot in a special box in which the voters may vote yes or no on the judge's retention of his or her seat. If there is a vacancy, the Governor appoints a judge to serve until the next municipal election when the appointee must run a political campaign. Judges are Commonwealth officials and are paid by the state. The judge with the longest term of service is known as the President Judge and is responsible for the administration of the courts, including scheduling and assignment of cases.

### **Common Pleas Judges**

Patricia Corbett, President Judge

Vito P. Geroulo

Michael J. Barrasse

Terrance R. Nealon

Margaret Moyle

James Gibbons

Andrew Jarbola

Julia Munley

Mary Walsh Dempsey

### **Senior Judges**

Thomas J. Munley

Robert A. Mazzoni

Carmen D. Minora

## Magisterial District Judges

In addition to the Lackawanna County Court of Common Pleas, 10 magisterial district judges preside in 10 districts determined by population. District judges, who may cross-file in the primary election, are elected for six-year terms and are supervised by the President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas. A district judge must either be an attorney or have successfully completed a course of instruction given by the Pennsylvania Department of Education.

Magisterial District Judges have jurisdiction in civil cases where the sum involved does not exceed \$12,000. In criminal cases they hold preliminary hearings to determine whether there is sufficient evidence to send a case to court. They also have jurisdiction over summary offenses and some misdemeanors. If a vacancy occurs in a district, the Governor appoints a district judge to serve until the next municipal election.

### **Magisterial District Judges:**

George Seig..... 45-1-01  
—Moosic, Old Forge, Taylor  
1 Maxson Drive, Old Forge 18518  
570-457-3320

Alyce Hailstone Farrell ..... 45-1-02  
—Scranton Wards 9, 10, 16, 17  
130 N. Washington Ave, Scranton 18503  
570-963-6518

Joanne Corbett..... 45-1-03  
—Scranton Wards 11, 12, 19, 20, 24  
1629 Pittston Ave, Scranton 18505  
570-963-6516

Terrence Gallagher ..... 45-1-05  
—Scranton Wards 4, 5, 6, 14, 15, 18, 21, 22  
1600 Farr Street, Scranton 18504  
570-963-6504

Paul J. Ware..... 45-1-06  
—Scranton Wards 1, 2, 3, 7, 13, 23, Dunmore  
2012 W. Pine St, Dunmore 18512  
570-963-6521

John P. Pesota..... 45-1-08  
—Dickson City, Olyphant, Throop  
901 Enterprise St, Dickson City 18519  
570-383-0421

Paul Keeler..... 45-3-01  
—Clarks Green, Clarks Summit, Dalton, Glenburn, LaPlume,  
Newton, North Abington, Ransom, South Abington, Waverly,  
West Abington  
104 Shady Lane Road, Chinchilla 18410  
570-587-1909

Kipp Adcock..... 45-3-02  
—Clifton, Covington, Elmhurst, Jefferson, Madison, Moscow,  
Roaring Brook, Springbrook, Thornhurst  
113 N. Main Street, Moscow 18444  
570-842-2111

Sean McGraw..... 45-3-03  
—Benton, Carbondale, Carbondale Twp, Fell, Greenfield,  
Scott, Vandling  
38 N. Main Street, Carbondale 18407  
570-282-3181

Laura Turlip ..... 45-3-04  
—Archbald, Blakely, Jermyn, Jessup, Mayfield  
400 Church Street, Archbald 18403  
570-876-0570



## Correctional Institutions

Lackawanna County Prison—the correctional institution of Lackawanna County, renovated and expanded in 1998, located on North Washington Avenue in Scranton. The operation of the jail is the responsibility of the Warden, a county official appointed by the Prison Board. The 2020 U.S. Census reports 1,019 institutionalized adults within the county correctional facility.

Lackawanna County Community Corrections Center—correctional institution of the county for first-time offenders referred by the Court, DUI offenders, or offenders from the prison system who are nearing probation, and have been given the opportunity to begin working. The facility is located at 614 Biden Street in downtown Scranton.

## Federal Officials Representing Lackawanna County - 2022

**President:** Joseph R. Biden, Jr. (D)  
**Vice-President:** Kamala D. Harris (D)  
The White House  
1600 Pennsylvania Ave NW  
Washington, DC 20500  
202-456-1414

**US Senators:** Patrick J. Toomey (R)  
538 Spruce St, Suite 302  
Scranton 18503  
941-3540  
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248 Russell Senate Office Building  
Washington, DC 20510  
202-224-4254

Robert P. Casey Jr. (D)  
417 Lackawanna Ave, Suite 303  
Scranton 18503  
570-941-0930  
OR  
393 Russell Senate Office Building  
Washington, DC 20510  
202-224-6324

**US Congressman:**  
Matt Cartwright (D) - 8th Congressional District  
226 Wyoming Ave.  
Scranton, PA 18503 570-341-1050

All of Lackawanna County PLUS all of Wayne and Pike counties and parts of Luzerne and Monroe counties.

## State Officials Representing Lackawanna County - 2022

**Governor:** Tom Wolf (D)  
225 Main Capitol Building  
Harrisburg, PA 17120  
717-787-2500

**Lt. Governor:** John Fetterman (D)  
200 Main Capitol Building  
Harrisburg, PA 17120  
717-787-3300

### State Senator:

Marty Flynn (D) - 22nd Senatorial District  
409 Lackawanna Ave, Suite 210  
Scranton, PA 18503 570-207-2881

All of Lackawanna County, PLUS Avoca, Dupont, and Duryea boroughs and Pittston Township in Luzerne County; and townships of Barrett, Coolbaugh, and Price in Monroe County.

### State Representatives:

Kyle Mullins (D) - 112th Legislative District  
1414 Monroe Ave.  
Dunmore, PA 18509 570-342-2710

Archbald; Blakely; Dunmore; Jessup; Olyphant; Scranton Wards 9, 10, 11, 12, 17 & 19 (Districts 1 & 2); Throop.

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Thom Welby (D) - 113th Legislative District  
409 N. Main Ave.  
Scranton, PA 18504 570-342-4348

Clarks Green; Scranton Wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 13, 14, 16, 19 (Districts 3 & 4); 20, 21, 22, 23, 24; South Abington.

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Bridget Malloy Kosierowski (D) - 114th Legislative District  
802 S. Main St.  
Taylor, PA 18517 570-562-2350

Carbondale City, Carbondale Twp, Clarks Summit, Dickson City, Fell, Glenburn, Greenfield, Jermyn, Mayfield, Moosic, Newton, North Abington, Old Forge, Ransom, Scott, Taylor, Vandling & Waverly

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Karen Boback (R) - 117th Legislative District  
133 W. Tioga St, Suite 4  
Tunkhannock, PA 18657 570-836-4777

Benton, Dalton, LaPlume & West Abington PLUS all of Wyoming County and parts of Luzerne County.

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Mike Carroll (D) - 118th Legislative District  
42 Center St.  
Hughestown, PA 18640 570-655-4883

Clifton, Covington, Elmhurst, Jefferson, Madison, Moscow, Roaring Brook, Spring Brook & Thornhurst PLUS parts of Luzerne County.

## Registered Voters in Lackawanna County (Nov 2021 General Election)

County Total—144,467  
Democrats—82,431 (57%)  
Republicans—45,819 (32%)  
Other—16,217 (11%)



## 2022 Taxes

### Real Estate Taxes:

Lackawanna County Real Estate Tax Millage  
(including debt millage):

60.1 mils

Library Real Estate Tax Millage:

2.82 mils

Education & Culture Real Estate Tax Millage:

1 mil

Municipal Real Estate Tax Millage:

See Individual Municipalities under “Town Lines.”

School District Real Estate Tax Millage:

See Individual School Districts under “School Lines.”

### Income Taxes:

State Personal Income Tax:

3.07% of gross earnings

Local Emergency & Municipal Services Tax

(Combined Municipal & School District):

See Individual Municipalities under “Town Lines.”

Local Earned Income Tax - Residents Only

(Combined Municipal and School District):

City of Scranton—3.4% of gross earnings

City of Carbondale—2.5% of gross earnings

All other municipalities—1% of gross earnings

### Sales Tax:

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania imposes a 6% sales tax on goods and services (some exemptions apply).

### Hotel Tax:

Lackawanna County imposes a 7% tax on all hotel-room rentals within the county.

## Tax Assessment

Assessed Value: (1) A value set on real estate and personal property by a government as a basis for levying taxes. (2) The monetary amount for a property as officially entered on the assessment roll for purposes of computing tax levy. Assessed values differ from the market value for three major reasons: fractional assessment ratios, partial exemptions,

and decisions by assessing officials to override market values.

The total county assessed valuation of taxable real property on which taxes are levied in 2022 is \$1,577,349,115.

## Calculating Real Estate Taxes in Lackawanna County

Example: Archbald Borough has a total assessed valuation of \$67,270,171 in 2022. Taxes generated from Archbald Borough in 2022 would be as follows:

Lackawanna County Tax at 60.1 mils:  
 $\$67,270,171 \times .0601 = \$4,042,937.28$

Lackawanna County Library Tax at 2.82 mils:  
 $\$67,270,171 \times .00282 = \$189,701.88$

Lackawanna County Education & Culture Tax at 1 mil:  
 $\$67,270,171 \times .001 = \$67,270.17$

Archbald Borough Tax at 25 mils:  
 $\$67,270,171 \times .025 = \$1,681,754.28$

Valley View School Dist Tax at 125.89 mils:  
 $\$67,270,171 \times .12589 = \$8,468,641.83$

Likewise, a property owner in Archbald Borough with his or her property assessed at \$20,000 would be taxed as follows:

Lackawanna County Tax at 60.1 mils:  
 $\$20,000 \times .0601 = \$1,202.00$

Lackawanna County Library Tax at 2.82 mils:  
 $\$20,000 \times .00282 = \$56.40$

Lackawanna County Education & Culture Tax at 1 mil:  
 $\$20,000 \times .001 = \$20.00$

Archbald Borough Tax at 25 mils:  
 $\$20,000 \times .025 = \$500.00$

Valley View School Dist Tax at 125.89 mils:  
 $\$20,000 \times .12589 = \$2,517.80$



# Population Characteristics

LACKAWANNA COUNTY  
 2020 TOTAL POPULATION<sup>1</sup> — 215,896  
 2025 PROJECTION (WOODS & POOLE) — 209,520

## Population Distribution<sup>1</sup>

Urban Population: 182,751 — 85%  
 Rural Population: 33,145 — 15%

## Marital Status (Pop. Age 15 & over)<sup>2</sup>

Never Married:	59,142
Married:	80,591
Separated:	2,997
Widowed:	13,286
Divorced:	18,809

## Ancestry (Top 25)<sup>2</sup>

Irish	52,887
Italian	44,124
Polish	32,426
German	32,230
English	14,295
Welsh	9,879
American	8,205
Russian	7,308
Slovak	4,256
Lithuanian	3,068
Ukranian	2,586
French	2,397
Scottish	2,108
Hungarian	1,585
Dutch	1,555
Arab	1,044
Greek	972
Swedish	724
Scotch-Irish	674
Subsaharan African	659
Swiss	626
Portuguese	439
West Indian	411
Czech	386
Norwegian	343

## Race - 2020<sup>1</sup>

White:	179,038	—	82.9%
Black:	8,350	—	3.9%
Asian/ Pacific Is:	6,861	—	1.7%
American Indian/ Alaska Native:	570	—	0.3%
Other:	8,334	—	3.9%
Two or More:	12,743	—	5.9%
Hispanic(Ethnicity):	18,267	—	8.5%

## Age/Sex Distribution<sup>2</sup>

Male:	101,990
Female:	108,172
0-14:	35,337
15-19:	13,178
20-34:	39,050
35-54:	50,911
55-64:	29,768
65+	41,918
Median Age:	42.1 years

## Households and Families<sup>2</sup>

Total Households:	87,737
Total Families:	53,577
Non-Family Households:	34,160
Persons Living Alone:	28,845
Living Alone over Age 65:	12,838

Average Household Size: 2.31 persons  
 Average Family Size: 2.92 persons

## Miscellaneous Social Characteristics<sup>2</sup>

Veterans:	12,271
Persons w/ a Disability:	32,213

### Place of Birth

Native:	198,303
Foreign Born:	11,859

### Language Spoken at Home

English Only:	178,868
Spanish:	10,214
Other European:	6,858
Asian/Pacific Islander:	2,546

<sup>1</sup>US Census Bureau, 2020 Census

<sup>2</sup>US Census Bureau, 2020 ACS Estimates

# Housing Characteristics

LACKAWANNA COUNTY  
 2020 TOTAL HOUSING UNITS<sup>1</sup> — 96,832  
 2020 VACANT UNITS<sup>1</sup> — 12,275

## Year Structure Built<sup>2</sup>

2014 or later .....	1,387
2010-2013.....	1,667
2000-2009.....	5,230
1990-1999.....	7,595
1980-1989.....	7,948
1970-1979.....	12,414
1960-1969.....	8,392
1950-1959.....	9,850
1940-1949.....	7,905
1939 or earlier .....	38,188

## Home Heating Fuel<sup>2</sup>

Utility Gas.....	56,402
Bottled, tank, LP Gas .....	5,100
Electricity.....	5,337
Fuel Oil.....	8,171
Coal or Coke.....	841
Wood.....	989
Solar Heat.....	3
Other Fuel.....	611
No Fuel Used.....	283

## Housing Unit Tenure<sup>2</sup>

Owner Occupied.....	56,316
-with mortgage .....	30,508
-without mortgage.....	25,808
Renter Occupied .....	31,421

## Value and Rent Paid<sup>2</sup>

Median Home Value.....	\$154,700
Median Rent Paid .....	\$799
Median Monthly Costs w/mortgage .....	\$1,353

## Telephone Service<sup>2</sup>

Units w/ no telephone .....	1,306
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## Vehicles Per Housing Unit<sup>2</sup>

None .....	8,675
One (1) .....	33,286
Two (2).....	31,167
Three (3) or more .....	14,609

## Rooms Per Housing Unit<sup>2</sup>

1 .....	1,975
2 .....	1,791
3 .....	6,990
4 .....	12,266
5 .....	16,722
6 .....	22,948
7 .....	14,049
8 .....	10,537
9 or more.....	13,298
Median Rooms per Unit .....	6.0

## Selected Characteristics<sup>2</sup>

-Lacking complete plumbing facilities .....	145
-Lacking complete kitchen facilities.....	534

## Occupants Per Room (Housing Units)<sup>2</sup>

1 or less.....	86,331
1.01 to 1.5.....	1,076
1.51 or more .....	330

**New Housing Units authorized by Permits in 2021 (Lackawanna County)<sup>3</sup> — 254**

**Cost of New Housing Units in 2021 (Lackawanna County)<sup>3</sup>— \$62,682,544**

NOTE: <sup>1</sup>US Census Bureau, 2020 Census  
<sup>2</sup>US Census Bureau, 2020 ACS Estimates  
<sup>3</sup>2021 Building Permits Survey, US Census Bureau

# Crime & Law Enforcement

## Offenses Within Lackawanna County 2021

### Part I Offenses:

	Reported	Cleared	Rate per 100,000 persons	State Rate per 100,000 persons
Murder . . . . .	1	0	0.5	7.9
Manslaughter . . . . .	0	0	0.0	0.6
Forcible Rape . . . . .	125	23	57.9	29.1
Robbery . . . . .	39	14	18.1	58.9
Aggravated Assault . . . . .	286	154	133.9	176.2
Burglary . . . . .	257	32	119.0	136.2
Larceny-Theft . . . . .	1,395	228	646.1	934.3
Motor Vehicle Theft . . . . .	190	19	88.0	125.8
Arson . . . . .	40	11	18.5	12.9
Human Trafficking . . . . .	0	0	0	0.5
<b>Total Part I . . . . .</b>	<b>3,337</b>	<b>1,066</b>	<b>1,545.7</b>	<b>1,482.6</b>

### Part II Offenses:

	Reported	Cleared	Rate per 100,000 persons	State Rate per 100,000 persons
Other Assault . . . . .	1,004	585	465.0	581.9
Forgery . . . . .	63	17	29.2	0.4
Fraud . . . . .	1,069	126	495.1	674.8
Embezzlement . . . . .	45	10	20.8	7.5
Stolen Property (Buying, Receiving) . . . . .	49	7	22.7	18.6
Vandalism . . . . .	798	119	369.6	393.1
Weapons (Carrying, Possessing) . . . . .	142	73	65.8	83.8
Prostitution . . . . .	7	2	0.1	2.6
Sex Offenses (Except forcible rape) . . . . .	51	20	23.6	63.0
Drug Abuse Violations . . . . .	882	582	408.5	358.5
Gambling . . . . .	0	0	0	2.9
Offenses against Family/Children . . . . .	141	89	65.3	55.3
Driving under the Influence . . . . .	446	389	206.6	292.3
Liquor Law Violations . . . . .	66	94	30.6	33.0
Drunkenness . . . . .	234	213	108.4	99.1
Disorderly Conduct . . . . .	847	327	392.3	392.7
Vagrancy . . . . .	25	18	11.6	18.8
All Other Offenses . . . . .	1,025	748	474.8	614.3
<b>Total Part II . . . . .</b>	<b>6,894</b>	<b>3,419</b>	<b>3,193.2</b>	<b>3,721.6</b>

Note: A reported crime is cleared if an arrest is made. Participation in the UCR program is mandatory, but not all police departments provided statistics to the Commonwealth.

### 2018 UCR DATA:

Lackawanna County Full-Time Police Officers (State & Local): 391 males; 17 females.

Lackawanna County College & University Crimes:

66 Part I Offenses; 263 Part II Offenses.

Scranton/Wilkes-Barre Metropolitan Statistical Area (Pop. 979,724):

10,448 Part I Offenses; 29,835 Part II Offenses. Ranks second safest of Pennsylvania's 14 MSAs (1.0% crime rate, tie with Reading MSA)

Safest MSA - State College MSA, 0.9% crime rate.) (Crime rate = number of Part I offenses ÷ MSA population)

Emergencies for Police/Fire/Ambulance: 911  
 Lackawanna County Communications Center: 570-342-9111 or 570-489-4767  
 Pennsylvania State Police at Dunmore: 570-963-3156



# Economics & Employment

## Class of Workers (2020 ACS 5-yr Survey)

Employed persons	
Age 16 & over.....	98,930
Private Wage &	
Salary Workers .....	82,874
Government Workers.....	11,565
Self-Employed.....	4,388
Unpaid Family Workers.....	103

## Income (2020 ACS 5-yr Survey)

Median household income .....	\$54,064
Median family income.....	\$70,489
Mean earnings .....	\$75,533
Mean social security .....	\$19,269
Mean retirement.....	\$21,044
Per capita income.....	\$30,452
Male median income.....	\$50,795
Female median income.....	\$41,654

## Poverty Status (2020 ACS 5-yr Survey)

% Families	
below poverty level.....	10.3%
% Families w/ female head	
no male present below poverty level .....	28.8%
% Population below poverty level .....	13.8%

## Commuting To Work (2020 ACS 5-yr Survey)

% drove alone.....	76.6
% in carpools.....	10.6
% using public transportation.....	1.0
% walked .....	3.3
% bicycle.....	0.1
% taxi, motorcycle.....	0.9
% worked at home.....	5.6
Mean travel time (minutes).....	21.8

## Labor Force (2020 ACS 5-yr Survey)

Total Labor Force.....	103,453
Civilian Labor Force .....	103,306
Armed Forces .....	147
Not in Labor Force.....	69,171

## Unemployment Rate

(in percent; not seasonally adjusted) Mar. 2022

United States.....	3.8
Pennsylvania.....	4.6
Scr/W-B/Hzltn MSA.....	5.7
Lackawanna County.....	5.1

## Wages (2020 PA DLI)

Average Annual County Wage.....	\$47,481
Average Annual State Wage .....	\$62,071

## Occupations (2020 ACS 5-yr Survey)

Agriculture, forestry, fishing & mining .....	716
Construction .....	5,868
Manufacturing .....	9,958
Wholesale Trade .....	3,128
Retail Trade .....	12,051
Transportation, warehousing & utilities .....	6,697
Information .....	1,613
Finance, insurance, & real estate.....	6,369
Professional, scientific & management .....	8,048
Educational services, health care & social assistance.....	26,606
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation	
& food service .....	8,318
Other services .....	4,648
Public Administration.....	4,910

## Top-15 Industries (2021, 3rd Quarter) PA Dept of Labor & Industry)

	NAICS
1. Restaurants & Other Eating Places.....	7225
2. Elementary & Secondary Schools .....	6111
3. Individual & Family Services .....	6241
4. General Medical & Surgical Hospitals .....	6221
5. Colleges & Universities .....	6113
6. Grocery Stores .....	4451
7. Warehousing & Storage.....	4931
8. Executive, Legislative & Other Government Support.....	9211
9. Nursing care facilities/Skilled Nursing .....	6231
10. Physicians' Offices .....	6211
11. Depository Credit Intermediation.....	5221
12. Employment Services .....	5613
13. Outpatient Care Centers.....	6214
14. Home Health Care Services.....	6216
15. Residential Mental Health Facilities.....	6232

## High Priority Occupations (higher skills, family sustaining wages) (2021 PA Dept of Labor & Industry)

1. Customer Service Reps.	6. Secretaries/Admin Assistants
2. Office Clerks	7. General/Operations Managers
3. Nursing Assistants	8. Accounting/Auditing Clerks
4. Tractor-Trailer Drivers	9. Retail Sales Supervisors
5. Registered Nurses	10. Maintenance/Repair Workers

## Agriculture (2017 USDA Census of Agriculture)

No. of Farms (\$1,000 or > production) .....	263
Net Cash Farm Income.....	\$903,000
Average Net Income per Farm .....	\$3,434
Acres in Farmland.....	36,556
Average Farm Size .....	139 acres
Market Value of Products Sold.....	\$16,469,000
County Rank of Market Value of Products Sold .....	53 (out of 67)



# Employers & Companies

## Lackawanna County Top-50 Employers (September 2021)

1. Pennsylvania State Government
2. Geisinger Community Medical Center
3. Allied Services Foundation
4. Scranton School District
5. Lackawanna County
6. Wal-Mart Associates Inc.
7. Chewy Inc.
8. University of Scranton
9. Federal Government
10. Bank of America
11. Amazon.com Services Inc.
12. Regional Hospital of Scranton
13. Moses Taylor Hospital
14. Marywood University
15. Gerrity's Supermarkets
16. Prudential Insurance Co. of America
17. McLane
18. Lockheed Martin Corp.
19. Penn Foster
20. City of Scranton
21. Keystone Community Resources Inc.
22. Geisinger Clinic
23. Saint Joseph's Center
24. Gentex Corporation
25. Wegmans Food Markets Inc.
26. Arlington Industries
27. Geisinger System Services
28. North Pocono School District
29. Wright Center for Graduate Med Edu
30. Golden Technology
31. Abington Heights School District
32. TMG Health Inc
33. Albert & Carol Mueller
34. The AZEK Company
35. UPS Supply Chain Solutions
36. Aramark Campus LLC
37. Barry Callebaut USA LLIC
38. Musculoskeletal Transplant Foundation
39. Lackawanna College
40. Job Connections
41. Kane Warehousing Inc.
42. Weis Markets Inc.
43. Maid-Rite Specialty Foods LLC
44. Canpack US LLC
45. United Parcel Service Inc.
46. Treesmiths Utility Arborists
47. Giant Food Stores LLC
48. Keystone College
49. General Dynamics
50. Bear Staffing Services Inc.

Number of Industries (establishments, 2020): 5,571 Average County Wage: \$47,481

Private Company Ownership: 5,350 Average County Wage: \$46,451

Federal Ownership: 47 Average County Wage: \$72,146

State Ownership: 34 Average County Wage: \$59,646

Local Ownership: 141 Average County Wage: \$52,318

# Community & Economic Development Programs

## Lackawanna County Community & Economic Development Programs

### Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)

The Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program is a flexible program that provides communities with resources to address a wide range of unique community development needs. Since 1974 the CDBG program is one of the longest continuously run programs at HUD. The CDBG program provides annual grants on a formula basis to 1209 general units of local government and states.

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### First Time Home Buyers Assistance Program

The First Time Home Buyers Assistance Program is funded by Lackawanna County and administered by NeighborWorks Northeastern Pennsylvania, 815 Smith Street, Scranton, PA 18504. The program offers down payment and closing costs in the amount of \$7,500. The applicant must also utilize some of their own funds as down payment. The home to be purchased must become the primary residency of the applicant. Any sale or transfer of the property will subject the seller to repayment within the first 5 years from closing date. The amount to be repaid will decrease each year; for example, if the property is sold in the second year, 3/5 of the remaining loan would be owed upon transfer or sale of the property. The loan will be forgiven after the 5 year period.

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### Community Re-Invest Program

The Community Re-Invest Program was established by the Lackawanna County Commissioners to assist local agencies in the revitalization of communities and neighborhoods. This grant program is designed for shovel-ready recreation & other community projects and are reimbursable upon submission of project costs encumbered.

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### Veterans Resource Coalition (VRC)

The Veterans Resource Coalition (VRC) is a collaboration initiative based in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for any Service Members or Veterans and their families providing education, awareness, and access to information that will improve quality of life. The VRC consists of over 30 organizations working in collaboration to serve the needs of our Service Members, Veterans and their families.

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### SBA Fee Waiver Program

The SBA Fee Waiver Program was established by the Lackawanna County Commissioners to promote Economic Development, spur Local Economic growth, and encourage the private sector to create family-sustaining jobs. A qualified lender can apply on behalf of a qualified business for reimbursement of the SBA guarantee fee for 7(a) or 504 loans that are deployed 100% in the county and will result in the creation or retention of jobs.

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### Land Development & Construction Fee Waiver Program

The Land Development & Construction Fee Waiver Program was established by the Lackawanna County Commissioners to offer a financial incentive to companies looking to expand or relocate to Lackawanna County. Awarded on a case-by-case basis depending on the type of business, jobs created, wages, geographical location, and capital investment, this program is reimbursable up to \$10,000 upon submission of municipal and state approved permits and itemized receipts of fees paid.

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### Business Improvement Grant (BIG)

The Business Improvement Grant was established to spur economic growth by encouraging the private sector to pursue exterior façade improvements or purchase/install new equipment leading to the creation of vital full-time jobs. This Grant is reimbursable up to \$5,000 and awarded on a 50/50 match basis.

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### Lackawanna County Job Fair

The Lackawanna County Job Fair was established by the Lackawanna County Commissioners to help get Lackawanna County back to work. In 2017, 85 companies from across Northeastern Pennsylvania, offering 2,435 full-time, part-time and seasonal job openings, participated.

**Contact:**  
[www.lackawannacounty.org](http://www.lackawannacounty.org) – 570.963.6336 x 1874

### LSA Grants

Local Share Account (LSA)-Monroe County funds were made available by the PA Race Horse Development and Gaming Act for the purpose of distributing 2% of gross terminal revenues to be used for economic development, community development and public interest projects in Monroe County and counties that share a border with Monroe County.

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### **Redevelopment Assistance Capital Program (RACP)**

The Redevelopment Assistance Capital Program (RACP) is a Commonwealth grant program administered by the Office of the Budget for the acquisition and construction of regional economic, cultural, civic, recreational, and historical improvement projects.

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### **Keystone Communities Grant (KC)**

The Keystone Communities (KC) program is designed to encourage the creation of partnerships between the public and private sectors that jointly support local initiatives such as the growth and stability of neighborhoods and communities; social and economic diversity; and a strong and secure quality of life. The program allows communities to tailor the assistance to meet the needs of its specific revitalization effort.

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### **Keystone Opportunity Zone (KOZ)**

This unique program develops a community's abandoned, unused, underutilized land and buildings into business districts and residential areas that present a well-rounded and well-balanced approach to community revitalization to increase employment and capital investments. Businesses operating in the KOZ/KOEZ program receive state local and school district tax abatements designed to give businesses more money to invest in operations. The program is open to Residents, Property Owners and Sole Proprietorships, Partnerships, S Corporations, and Limited Liability Companies moving into an existing KOZ/KOEZ Zone. The program is closed to New KOZ designations.

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### **Keystone Innovation Zone (KIZ)**

The Keystone Innovation Zone (KIZ) program is a Tax Credit program to encourage innovation and create entrepreneurial opportunities in geographic areas while partnering with local universities to create jobs.

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### **Local Economic Revitalization Tax Assistance (LERTA)**

LERTA is a tax abatement program designed to promote and provide incentives for property investment and redevelopment of deteriorated, difficult or undesirable properties- such as brownfields through exemptions on improvements. LERTA creates a graduated increase in tax payments on new construction and property rehabilitation for owners of commercial, industrial, and business properties located within designated LERTA zones to increase job opportunities as well as increasing future tax revenues needed to fund local government services.

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**[SaccoB@lackawannacounty.org](mailto:SaccoB@lackawannacounty.org) – 570.963.6830 x 1376**

### **Tax Increment Financing (TIF)**

The TIF program provides a means of encouraging private investment in deteriorating areas by allowing local governments to provide credit enhancement for TIF projects to improve market access and lower capital costs through the use of guarantees to issuers of bonds or other indebtedness and to use future property tax revenues to finance the current infrastructure costs needed to attract development. The TIF Program promotes and stimulates the general economic welfare of various regions and communities in the county and assists in the development, redevelopment and revitalization of Brownfield and Greenfield sites.

**Contact Person: Brenda Sacco**

**[SaccoB@lackawannacounty.org](mailto:SaccoB@lackawannacounty.org) – 570.963.6830 x 1376**

### **Land Bank**

The Lackawanna County Land Bank was created by Lackawanna County Commissioners on June 17, 2015 and this program helps foster economic and community development by converting vacant, abandoned, tax-delinquent, blighted and foreclosed properties into productive use. The Land Bank Program also establishes priorities for the reuse of properties, including public spaces; affordable housing; retail, commercial, and industrial activities; and conservation.

**Contact Person: Ralph Pappas**

**[PappasR@lackawannacounty.org](mailto:PappasR@lackawannacounty.org) – 570.963.6830 x 1358**

### US EPA Brownfield Assessment Grant

Formed a consortium of county, city (Scranton), and a local authority (LCRDA) to apply for countywide inventory and assessment grant for \$600k. The term "brownfield site" means real property, the expansion, redevelopment, or reuse of which may be complicated by the presence or potential presence of a hazardous substance, pollutant, or contaminant. DEP partners with economic and industrial development associations, local governments, communities and businesses to foster the cleanup of Pennsylvania's brownfields and other industrial sites. Remediating these often idle properties not only improves the environment, but gets them back into productive use.

**Contact Person: Brenda Sacco**

**SaccoB@lackawannacounty.org – 570.963.6830 x 1376**

### Lackawanna County Office of Economic Development

**Brenda Sacco, Director**

Government Center at The Globe  
123 Wyoming Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18503  
570.963.6830

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### Business Incubators/Small Business Support Programs

#### Scranton Enterprise Center

201 Lackawanna Avenue  
Scranton PA 18503  
570-341-0270 [www.scrantonplan.com](http://www.scrantonplan.com)

#### Great Valley Technology Alliance

201 Lackawanna Avenue, Suite 211  
Scranton PA 18503  
570-341-8099 [www.tecbridgepa.org](http://www.tecbridgepa.org)

#### University of Scranton Small Business Development Center

800 Linden Street  
Scranton PA 18510  
570-941-7588 [www.scrantonsbdc.com](http://www.scrantonsbdc.com)

### Other Public Agencies Promoting Economic Development

#### Scranton Office of Economic & Comm Development

340 N. Washington Avenue  
Scranton PA 18503  
570-348-4216 [www.scrantonpa.gov](http://www.scrantonpa.gov)

#### PA Dept. of Community & Economic Development

2 N. Main Street  
Pittston, PA 18640  
570-963-4122 [www.dced.pa.gov](http://www.dced.pa.gov)

### Workforce Development/PA Career Link

The WIOA was passed in July of 2014, replacing the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) of 1998 which was the primary federal workforce development law for 16 years. Inherent in the new legislation is improved and seamless service delivery for both employers and job seekers through greater alignment of education, economic development, and workforce systems and resources. The WIOA calls for the continuation of the existing service delivery structure, the nation's network of one-stop career centers. In Pennsylvania, they are known as PA CareerLink® sites.

**Contact Person: Virginia Turano**

**TuranoV@lackawannacounty.org – 570.342.3649**



#### Carbondale Technology Transfer Center

10 Enterprise Drive  
Carbondale PA 18407  
570-282-1255 [www.4cttc.org](http://www.4cttc.org)

#### Metro Action Inc.

222 Mulberry Street  
Scranton PA 18503  
570-341-0270 [www.metroaction.org](http://www.metroaction.org)

#### Carbondale Office of Economic & Comm Dev

City Hall, 1 N. Main Street  
Carbondale PA 18407  
570-282-2882





# Chambers of Commerce & Business Parks

## Chambers of Commerce/Economic Development Agencies

**Greater Scranton Chamber of Commerce  
Scranton/Lackawanna Industrial Building Co.**  
222 Mulberry Street  
Scranton PA 18501  
570-342-7711 | [www.scrantonchamber.com](http://www.scrantonchamber.com)

**Northeastern Pennsylvania Alliance**  
1151 Oak Street  
Pittston PA 18640  
570-655-5581 | [www.nepa-alliance.org](http://www.nepa-alliance.org)

**Greater Carbondale Chamber of Commerce**  
27 North Main Street  
Carbondale PA 18407  
570-282-1690 | [www.carbondalechamber.org](http://www.carbondalechamber.org)

**Penn's Northeast Inc.**  
1151 Oak Street  
Pittston PA 18640  
1-800-317-1313  
[www.pennsnortheast.com](http://www.pennsnortheast.com)



## Business/Industrial Parks

**Abington Executive Park**  
Morgan Highway  
South Abington Township

**Benton Industrial Park**  
Exit 201 off I-81 (Franklin Valley Rd)  
Benton Township

**Business Park at Carbondale Yards**  
Enterprise Drive  
Carbondale/Fell Township

**CLIDCO Industrial Park**  
Clidco Drive & N. Scott Street  
Carbondale

**Covington Industrial Park**  
Route 435  
Covington Township

**Dickson City Industrial Park**  
Enterprise Street  
Dickson City

**Glenmaura Corporate Center**  
Glenmaura National Boulevard  
Moosic/Scranton

**Ivy Industrial Park**  
Exit 197 off I-81 (Griffin Pond Rd)  
Scott/South Abington Townships

**Jessup Small Business Center**  
Route 247 at Sunnyside Drive  
Jessup

**Keyser Valley Industrial Park**  
North-South Road  
Scranton

**Keystone Industrial Park**  
O'Neill Highway & Marshwood Road  
Dunmore/Throop

**Marvine Properties**  
Boulevard Avenue  
Scranton

**Mid Valley Industrial Park**  
Mid Valley Drive & Underwood Road  
Jessup/Olyphant/Throop

**Old Forge Industrial Park**  
Industrial Drive & Moosic Road  
Old Forge

**PEI Power Park**  
Power Boulevard  
Archbald

**Rocky Glen Industrial Park**  
Rocky Glen Road  
Moosic

**Scott Technology Park**  
Route 632 / Discovery Drive  
Scott Township

**Shady Lane Business Park**  
Skyline Drive  
South Abington Township

**South Side Industrial Park**  
Davis Street  
Scranton

**Stafford Avenue Business Park**  
Stafford Avenue  
Scranton

**Stauffer Industrial Park**  
Keyser Avenue to Oak Street  
Taylor

**Valley View Business Park**  
Route 247  
Jessup

**W.W. Scranton Office Park**  
Exit 182 off I-81 (Montage Mtn Rd)  
Moosic/Scranton

**Mount Pleasant Corporate Center**  
Seventh Avenue at Scranton Expwy  
Scranton

For information contact:  
Scranton-Lackawanna Industrial Building Co or Penn's Northeast

# Conservation & Land Preservation

## Conservation Easements & Preserves

Land conservancies actively work with property owners to acquire land or secure easements aimed at protecting and preserving the land from development. A conservation easement is a legal agreement between the land owner and conservation agency that permanently limits the use of the land to protect its resources. Easements may result in property tax savings by reducing the market value of the land, which in turn lowers real estate taxes. Lackawanna County has over 7,500 acres in protected and preserved lands.

## Private Non-Profit Conservancies with Interests in Lackawanna County

### Countryside Conservancy

PO Box 55  
LaPlume PA 18440  
570-945-6995  
www.cconserve.org

### Lackawanna Valley Conservancy

2006 N. Main Avenue  
Scranton PA  
570-207-7608  
www.lrvca.org

### The Nature Conservancy

PO Box 55  
Long Pond PA 18334  
570-643-7922  
nature.org

### Wildlands Conservancy

3701 Orchid Place  
Emmaus PA 18049  
610-965-4397  
www.wildlandspa.org

### Pocono Heritage Land Trust

PO Box 553  
Pocono Pines PA 18350  
570-595-6001

### Natural Lands Trust

1031 Palmers Mill Road  
Media PA 19063  
610-353-5587  
www.natlands.org

### Additional Information: Pennsylvania Land Trust Association

105 Locust Street, Suite 300  
Harrisburg PA 17101  
717-230-8560  
www.conserveland.org



## Agricultural Security Areas & Farmland Preservation

The Agricultural Security Area Program was created by Act 43 of 1981 to help protect the agricultural industry in Pennsylvania from increasing development pressure. Ag security areas are not intended to stop development or restrict farm owners in any way. Participation in the program is completely voluntary. To form an ag security area, owners of viable agricultural land must submit a petition to the municipal governing body describing the proposed area. The petition must represent a total land area of at least 250 acres. For a landowner to be eligible to qualify for an easement purchase, the ag security area must be at least 500 acres. Farmers enrolled in an ag security area are protected from municipal nuisance ordinances and governmental acquisition of land via eminent domain, and are also eligible to sell their development rights to the county Agricultural Land Preservation Board.

### Lackawanna County Farmland Acres Enrolled in the Ag Security Program by Township

Benton	5,949
Covington	1,525
Greenfield	2,198
Jefferson	4,217
Madison	2,602
Newton	4,275
North Abington	1,503
Ransom	2,191
Scott	3,762
<b>Total Acres</b>	<b>28,222</b>

### No. of Farms with Ag Easements in Effect: 77

**Total Acres Protected by Ag Easements: 6,089**

**Average Size of Protected Farm: 79 acres**

**Average Cost/Acre for Easement Purchase: \$1,956**

**Purchase Price for all Ag Easements in Lackawanna County as of December 2021: \$11,448,961**

**Contact:** Eric Johnson, Administrator  
1038 Montdale Road  
Scott Twp, PA 18447  
570-382-3086 or johnson@lccd.net



## Public Agencies Promoting Conservation & Land Preservation

### Lackawanna County Dept. of Planning

123 Wyoming Avenue, 5th Floor  
Scranton, PA 18503  
570-963-6400  
www.lackawannacounty.org

### Lackawanna County Conservation District

1038 Montdale Road  
Scott Twp, PA 18447  
570-382-3086  
www.lccd.net

# Health Care & Human Services

## General/Acute Care Hospitals

Geisinger Community Medical Center (NP)—1800 Mulberry St., Scranton 18510—293 licensed beds  
Lehigh Valley Hospital-Dickson City (P)—334 Main St., Dickson City 18519—24 licensed beds  
Moses Taylor Hospital (P)—700 Quincy Ave., Scranton 18510—213 licensed beds  
Regional Hospital of Scranton (P)—746 Jefferson Ave., Scranton 18510—186 licensed beds



## Psychiatric Hospital

Clarks Summit State Hospital (State-owned)—1451 Hillside Dr., Clarks Summit (Newton Twp) 18411

## Rehabilitation Hospital

Allied Services Institute of Rehabilitation (NP)—475 Morgan Hwy., Scranton 18501

## Nursing Care Facilities

Abington Manor (P)—100 Edella Rd., Clarks Summit 18411—119 beds  
Allied Services Skilled Nursing Home (NP)—303 Smallacombe Dr., Scranton 18508—369 beds  
Allied Services Transitional Rehab Unit (NP)—475 Morgan Hwy, Scranton 18508—51 beds  
Aventura at Creekside (P)—45 N. Scott St, Carbondale 18407—81 beds  
Aventura at Terrace View (P)—260 Terrace Dr, Peckville 18452—262 beds  
Carbondale Nursing & Rehab Center (P)—10 Hart Pl., Carbondale 18407—115 beds  
Dunmore Health Care Center (Laurel Hill) (P)—1000 Mill St., Dunmore 18512—92 beds  
Gardens at Scranton (P)—824 Adams Ave, Scranton 18510—139 beds  
Gino J. Merli Veterans Center (State-owned)—401 Penn Ave., Scranton 18503—196 beds  
Green Ridge Care Center (P)—2741 Boulevard Ave., Scranton 18509—95 beds  
Guardian Healthcare at Taylor (P)—500 W. Hospital St., Taylor 18517—142 beds  
Jewish Home of Eastern PA (NP)—1101 Vine St., Scranton 18510—173 beds  
Linwood Nursing & Rehab Center (NP)—100 Linwood Ave, Scranton 18505—102 beds  
Marywood Heights (P)—2500 Adams Ave., Scranton 18509—54 beds  
Mid-Valley Health Care Center (P)—63 Sturges Rd, Peckville 18452—38 beds  
Mountain View Care Center (P)—2309 Stafford Ave, Scranton 18505—180 beds  
Scranton Health Care Center (P)—2933 McCarthy St., Scranton 18505—44 beds  
St. Mary's Villa Nursing Home (NP)—516 St. Mary's Villa Rd., Elmhurst Twp 18444—112 beds

## Personal Care Homes

Allied Terrace (NP)—100 Terrace Ln., Scranton 18508—Capacity 84  
Angel's Family Manor (P)—218 N. Main Ave., Scranton 18504—Capacity 53  
Celebration Villa of Mid Valley (P)—89 Sturges Rd, Peckville 18452—Capacity 50  
Clarks Summit Senior Living (P)—950 Morgan Hwy, Clarks Summit 18411—Capacity 120  
Elan Gardens (NP)—465 Venard Rd., Clarks Green 18411—Capacity 75  
Elmcroft of Mid Valley (P)—89 Sturges Rd., Peckville 18452—Capacity 50  
Glenmaura Senior Living (P)—11 Glenmaura National Blvd, Moosic—Capacity 100  
Harrison House (P)—712 Harrison Ave., Scranton 18510—Capacity 54  
Minelli's Kozy Comport Living (P)—1640 N. Main Ave., Scranton 18508—Capacity 27  
Oakwood Terrace (P)—400 Gleason Rd., Moosic 18507—Capacity 58  
Serenity Care Center Mid Valley (P)—65 Sturges Rd, Peckville 18452—Capacity 90  
Serenity Care Center Old Forge (P)—246 S. Main St, Old Forge 18518—Capacity 50  
Serenity Care Center Scranton (P)—819 Jefferson Ave, Scranton 18510—Capacity 67  
St. Mary's Villa Residence (NP)—1 Pioneer Place, Elmhurst Twp 18444—Capacity 68  
The Pines at Clarks Summit (P)—1300 Morgan Hwy, Clarks Summit 18411—Capacity 72  
West Side Kozy Comfort (P)—906 S. Main Ave, Scranton 18504—Capacity 36  
Willowbrook Place (P)—150 Edella Rd, Clarks Summit 18411—Capacity 80

(P) = For Profit facility; (NP) = Non-profit facility

### **Intermediate Care Facility for Persons with Intellectual Disabilities (> 9 beds)**

Allied Health Care Services—475 Morgan Hwy., Scranton 18508  
St. Joseph's Center—2010 Adams Ave., Scranton 18509

### **Home Health Agencies**

A Blessing Hand Home Health LLC—220 N. Main Ave, Scranton 18504  
Able Home Health—301 School Side Dr, Throop 18512  
Advanced Home Health Care Specialists—207 W. Grove St., Dunmore 18509  
Allcare Home Health—813 Main St., Moosic 18507  
Allied Services Home Health—100 Abington Executive Park, Clarks Summit 18411  
Aveanna Healthcare—1456 E. Lackawanna Ave, Olyphant 18447  
Bayada Home Health Care—233 Northern Blvd, Clarks Summit 18411  
Caregivers America Home Health—718 S. State St, Clarks Summit 18411  
Commonwealth Home Health of Moses Taylor—3 W. Olive St, Scranton 18508  
Home Health Care Professionals—520 Burke Bypass, Olyphant 18447  
Interim Healthcare Services of NEPA—200 Third Ave., Blakely 18447  
Medstaffers—1300 Old Plank Rd, Mayfield 18433  
Paragon Home Health Care—36 N. Scott St., Carbondale 18407  
Personal Home Healthcare & Hospice—233 Main St, Blakely 18447  
Residential Healthcare of NEPA—50 Glenmaura National Blvd, Moosic 18507  
Revolutionary Home Health—829 Scranton-Carbondale Hwy, Eynon 18403  
Traditional Home Health Care—113 W. Drinker St., Dunmore 18512  
VNA Hospice & Home Health Care of Lackawanna County—301 Delaware Ave., Olyphant 18447

### **Hospices**

Allied Services Hospice—100 Abington Executive Park, Clarks Summit 18411  
Home Health Care Professionals & Hospice—520 Burke Bypass, Olyphant 18447  
Hospice of the Sacred Heart—53 Glenmaura National Blvd, Moosic 18507  
Personal Home Healthcare & Hospice—233 Main St, Blakely 18447  
Residential Healthcare of NEPA—50 Glenmaura National Blvd, Moosic 18507  
Traditional Hospice—113 W. Drinker St., Dunmore 18512  
VNA Hospice & Home Health Care of Lackawanna County—301 Delaware Ave., Olyphant 18447

### **Ambulatory Surgical Centers**

Eynon Surgery Center—681 Scranton-Carbondale Hwy., Eynon 18403  
NEI Ambulatory Surgery—204 Mifflin Ave., Scranton 18503  
North East Surgery Center—423 Scranton-Carbondale Hwy., Dickson City 18519  
Reconstructive Dentistry—327 N. Washington Ave, Scranton 18503  
Regional Hospital Surgery Center—415 Adams Ave, Scranton 18503  
Scranton Endoscopy Center—517 Ash St., Scranton 18509

### **End Stage Renal Disease Services**

Childs Dialysis—101 Main St, Childs 18407  
Commonwealth Dialysis—920 S. Washington Ave, Scranton 18505  
Dunmore Dialysis—1212 O'Neill Hwy., Dunmore 18512  
Eynon Dialysis—260 Scranton-Carbondale Hwy, Eynon 18403  
Fresenius Kidney Care of West Scranton—321 Meridian Ave, Scranton 18504  
Montage Home Dialysis—3409 Birney Ave, Moosic 18507  
Old Forge Dialysis—325 S. Main St, Old Forge 18518  
Scranton Dialysis—Rear 475 Morgan Hwy, Scranton 18508



### **Portable X-ray Facility**

Lackawanna Mobile—1229 Monroe Ave., Dunmore 18509

### **Federally Qualified Health Center**

Andrew Mazza Memorial Health Center—127 Route 106, Greenfield Twp 18407  
Carbondale Family Health Center—141 Salem Ave, Carbondale 18407  
Scranton Primary Health Care Center—425 Alder St, Scranton 18505  
Scranton Primary Health Care Center—959 Wyoming Ave, Scranton 18509  
Scranton Primary Health Care Center—406 N.Washington Ave, Scranton 18503  
Wright Center for Community Health—5 S.Washington Ave, Jermyn 18433  
Wright Center for Community Health—1145 Northern Blvd, South Abington Twp 18411  
Wright Center for Community Health—640 Madison Ave, Scranton 18510  
Wright Center for Community Health—326 Adams Ave, Scranton 18503  
Wright Center for Community Health—501 S.Washington Ave, Scranton 18505  
Wright Center for Community Health—355 Maple St, Scranton 18505  
Wright Center for Community Health—721 Adams Ave, Scranton 18510  
Wright Center for Community Health—1401 Fellows St, Scranton 18504  
Wayne Memorial Community Health Center—44 N. Scott St, Carbondale 18407

### **Human-Service Providers & Facilities**

A Better Today, Inc.—1339 N. Main Ave., Scranton 18508  
The ARC of Northeastern PA—115 Meadow Ave., Scranton 18505  
Advanced Community Service Associates—1141 Clay Ave, Dunmore 18510  
Catholic Social Services—400 Wyoming Ave., Scranton 18503  
Drug & Alcohol Treatment Service, Inc.—441 Wyoming Ave, Scranton 18503  
Friendship House—433 Lackawanna Ave., Scranton 18503  
Goodwill Industries—925 Prospect Ave., Scranton 18505  
Keystone Community Resources—PO Box 1515, Gouldsboro 18424  
Keystone Independent Living Inc.—406 N. Washington Ave., Scranton 18503  
Lackawanna County Office of Children and Youth Services—123 Wyoming Ave, Scranton 18503  
Lourdesmont—537 Venard Rd., Clarks Green 18411  
Marworth Drug & Alcohol Treatment Center—Lilly Lake Rd., Waverly 18471  
Northeastern Occupational Medicine & Rehab Center—769 Keystone Ind Park Rd, Dunmore 18512  
Scranton Counseling Center—329 Cherry St, Scranton 18505  
Stillmeadow-Bartholomay Center—RR 1, Jermyn 18433  
Tri-County Human Services Center—185 Fallbrook St., Carbondale 18407  
United Cerebral Palsy of NEPA—425 Wyoming Ave., Scranton 18503

# Senior & Community Centers

## Senior Centers

Abington Senior Center (Hillside)—1151 Winola Rd, Clarks Summit 18411  
Carbondale Senior Center (Fallbrook)—185 Fallbrook St, Carbondale 18407  
Dunmore Senior Satellite Center—1414 Monroe Ave, Dunmore 18512  
Jefferson Twp Senior Satellite Center—487 Cortez Rd, Jefferson Twp 18436  
Mid Valley Senior Satellite Center—310 Church St, Jessup 18434  
North Pocono Senior Center—12 John J. Michaels Dr, Covington Twp 18444  
Senior Day Services—1200 Saginaw St, Scranton 18505  
South Side Senior Center—425 Alder St, Scranton 18505  
Taylor Senior Satellite Center—700 S. Main St, Taylor 18517  
Throop Senior Satellite Center—500 Sanderson St, Throop 18512  
Webster Towers—500 N. Webster Ave, Scranton 18510  
West Side Senior Center (Oppenheim)—1004 Jackson St, Scranton 18504

## Community/Civic Centers

Benton Twp Community Center—Route 407, Fleetville 18420  
Dickson City Civic Center—935 Albert St, Dickson City 18519  
Dunmore Community Center—1414 Monroe Ave 18512  
Jermyn Community Center—201 Bacon St, Jermyn 18433  
Jewish Community Center—601 Jefferson Ave, Scranton 18510  
Joe Terry Civic Center—1038 Montdale Rd, Scott Twp 18447  
Keyser Valley Citizens Association—101 N. Keyser Ave, Scranton 18504  
Moosic Youth Center—606 Main St, Moosic 18507  
Newton Twp Recreation Center—1814 Newton-Ransom Blvd, Clarks Summit 18411  
Taylor Community Center—700 S. Main St, Taylor 18517  
Throop Civic Center—500 Sanderson St, Throop 18512  
Tripp Park Community Building—2000 Dorothy St, Scranton 18504  
Waverly Community House—1115 N. Abington Rd, Waverly 18471

# Health Profile & Vital Statistics

## County Health Profile 2019-2021

**Primary-Care Physicians:** 185  
**Dentists:** 170  
**Mental Health Providers:** 512

**COVID-19 (as of May 2022):** Cases: 37,433; Deaths 782  
**Reported Teen Pregnancies (2019):** 112  
**Induced Abortions (2020):** 311

**Births:** 2,054 (10.2/1000 persons)  
**Deaths:** 2,536 (12.1/1000 persons)

### **Invasive Cancer Incidences (2019):**

All sites: Males 724; Females 725  
Prostate: 132 (males)  
Breast: 211 (females)  
Lung: Males 111; Females 103  
Colon: Males 75; Females 66  
Uteran: 76 (females)  
Urinary Bladder: Males 62; Females 19  
Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma: Males 37; Females 24

### **Six Leading Causes of Death (2019):**

Heart Disease (716 deaths)  
Cancer (491 deaths)  
Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease (149 deaths)  
Accidents (131 deaths)  
Stroke (88 deaths)  
Nephritis Nephrotic Syndrome (69 deaths)

**Hospital Beds per 1000 persons:** 3.1  
**Hospital Inpatient Occupancy Rate:** 54.6%  
**Nursing Home Occupancy Rate:** 80.2%

### **Health Behaviors (2020):**

Adult Smoking: 21%  
Adult Obesity: 35%  
Excessive Drinking: 19%

## Health Insurance Coverage 2020 ACS 5-yr Estimates

**Noninstitutionalized Population with health insurance:** 197,228 (95.6%)

Private coverage: 146,448    Public coverage: 84,453

**No health insurance:** 9,038 (4.4%)

Population under 19 with no health insurance: 1,228 (2.7%)

## Vital Statistics, Marriage/Divorce 2020

**Marriages:** 900

**Divorces:** 386

### **Duration of Marriage:**

Under 5 yrs: 100

5-9 yrs: 80

10-14 yrs: 65

15-19 yrs: 49

20-24 yrs: 35

25-29 yrs: 23

30+ yrs: 33

### **Additional Health/Vital Stats Information:**

Pennsylvania Department of Health  
State Office Building  
100 Lackawanna Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18503  
570-963-4567  
[www.health.pa.gov](http://www.health.pa.gov)

# Public Utilities

## Electric Distribution & Generation

Blakely Borough Electric Company  
Olyphant Borough Electric Company  
PPL Electric Utilities Corporation

## Water Utilities

Pennsylvania American Water Company  
Aqua Pennsylvania

## Community Water Suppliers

Scott Mobile Home Park (MHP)	Greenfield Acres MHP
Benton Springs MHP	Evergreen MHP
Tall Timbers Village MHP	Mt. Laurel MHP
Hillside MHP	Lakeside Village MHP
Sunset MHP	Clark Summit State Hospital
Eagle Lake Community Assoc.	Belle Aire Acres
RBE Water Association	Edgewood MHP
Happy Acres Development	Finch Hill Water System
Hi View Terrace MHP	
St. Mary's Villa Nursing Home	
Pocono MHP	
Madison Estates MHP	

## Natural Gas

UGI Penn Natural Gas

## Sanitary Sewer & Wastewater

Abington Regional Sewer Authority  
Benton-Nicholson Joint Sewer Authority  
Covington Twp Sewer Authority  
Dalton Borough Sewer Authority  
Elmhurst Twp Sewer Authority  
Greenfield Twp Sewer Authority  
Jefferson Twp Sewer Authority  
Lackawanna River Basin Sewer Authority  
Lower Lackawanna Valley Sanitary Authority  
Moscow Borough Sewer Authority  
Pennsylvania American Water Co  
(formerly Scranton Sewer Authority)  
Roaring Brook Twp Sewer Authority  
Scott Twp Sewer Authority  
Spring Brook Twp Sewer Authority  
Waverly Township

## Telecommunications

(Phone, Cellular, Internet, Cable & Satellite TV)

365 Wireless  
Adams Cable Service  
AT&T  
Bandwidth.com  
Blue Ridge Cable Communications  
Centurylink Communications  
Choice One Communications  
Comcast  
Core Communications  
CSC Wireless  
CTSI  
DirecTV  
Dish Network  
Finger Lakes Tech Group  
Frontier Communications  
HD Carrier  
IP Horizaon  
Level 3 Communications  
Maguire Electronics  
MCImetro Access  
Metrocall  
NEP Cellcorp  
Neutral Tandem PA  
New Cingular Wireless  
North-Eastern Telephone  
Omnipoint Communications  
One Communications  
Onvoy  
Peerless Network of PA  
South Canaan Telephone Co.  
Sprint Spectrum  
T-Mobile  
Telecove of PA  
Teleport Communications America  
Telnyx  
Ton80 Communications  
USA Mobility Wireless  
Verizon  
Voxbeam Telecommunications  
XO Communications  
Ymax Communications



# Telephone Exchanges by Area Code

<u>570</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Carrier</u>
203	Scranton	Core Communications
213	Scranton	Choice One Comm.
218	Scranton	Choice One Comm.
222	Clifford	North Eastern PA Tel.
227	Scranton	XO Communications
228	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
229	Scranton	Verizon Wireless
230	Scranton	Coice One Comm.
231	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
233	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
235	Scranton	Comcast Phone of PA
240	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
241	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
245	Scranton	Choice One Comm.
246	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
249	Scranton	Verizon Wireless
254	Dalton	Verizon
257	Scranton	Level 3 Comm.
260	Scranton	AT&T
263	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
267	Scranton	Choice One Comm.
273	Scranton	Level 3 Comm.
274	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
279	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
281	Carbondale	Verizon
282	Carbondale	Verizon
284	Scranton	Verizon
291	Scranton	Choice One Comm.
293	Scranton	Choice One Comm.
299	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
302	Scranton	Level 3 Comm.
309	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
312	Scranton	Comcast Phone of PA
315	Moosic	USA Mobility Wireless
316	Scranton	D&E/Omnipoint
319	Scranton	Level 3 Comm.
328	Scranton	Omnipoint Comm.
330	Scranton	Verizon
332	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
336	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
338	Scranton	XO Communications
340	Scranton	Verizon
341	Scranton	Verizon
342	Scranton	Verizon
343	Scranton	Verizon
344	Scranton	Verizon
346	Scranton	Verizon
347	Scranton	Verizon
348	Scranton	Verizon
354	Scranton	Peerless Network of PA
359	Scranton	Level 3 Comm.
360	Scranton	New Cingular Wireless
371	Scranton	Core Communications
381	Scranton	Core Communications
382	Scranton	Telcove of PA
383	Olyphant	Verizon
388	Harding	Commonwealth Tel. Co.
391	Scranton	Level 3 Comm.
392	Scranton	Choice One Comm.
397	Scranton	Telcove of PA
399	Scranton	Core Communications
405	Scranton	Neutral Tandem PA
431	Scranton	Telcove of PA
442	Scranton	NEP Cellcorp
451	Moosic	Verizon
456	Scranton	XO Communications
457	Moosic	Verizon
464	Scranton	Core Communications
469	Scranton	Level 3 Communications
472	Bear Creek	Verizon

<u>570</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Carrier</u>
480	Moosic	USA Mobility Wireless
483	Scranton	XO Communications
484	Scranton	Verizon
486	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
487	Olyphant	Verizon
489	Olyphant	Verizon
493	Scranton	Verizon Wireless
496	Scranton	Verizon
497	Scranton	Omnipoint Comm
499	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
500	Scranton	Level 3 Comm.
503	Scranton	Choice One Comm.
504	Scranton	XO Communications
518	Scranton	Core Communications
519	Scranton	Comcast Phone of PA
521	Scranton	XO Communications
526	Scranton	Core Communications
527	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
535	Scranton	Omnipoint Comm
540	Scranton	Omnipoint Comm
543	Scranton	XO Communications
545	Scranton	Level 3 Comm.
556	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
562	Taylor	Verizon
563	Dalton	Commonwealth Tel. Co.
569	Scranton	AT&T
571	Scranton	Core Communications
576	Scranton	Choice One Comm.
579	Scranton	Choice One Comm.
585	Clarks Summit	Commonwealth Tel. Co.
586	Clarks Summit	Commonwealth Tel. Co.
587	Clarks Summit	Commonwealth Tel. Co.
589	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
591	Scranton	CTSI
598	Moosic	USA Mobility Wireless
604	Scranton	Omnipoint Comm
606	Scranton	XO Communications
630	Scranton	CTSI
647	Scranton	Choice One Comm
656	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
657	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
661	Scranton	Level 3 Comm
664	Scranton	Bandwidth.com
670	Moosic	USA Mobility Wireless
677	Scranton	Omnipoint Comm
680	Carbondale	Maguire Electronics
687	Scranton	Cellular
689	Hamlin	Verizon
694	Scranton	XO Communications
698	Lake Ariel	Verizon
704	Scranton	Choice One Comm
712	Scranton	Level 3 Comm.
732	Scranton	Choice One Comm.
737	Scranton	Level 3 Comm.
749	Scranton	Core Communications
755	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
757	Scranton	Core Communications
760	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
766	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
774	Scranton	Choice One Comm.
785	Forest City	North Eastern PA Tel. Co.
789	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
792	Scranton	Core Communications
793	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
795	Scranton	Choice One Comm.
796	Scranton	XO Communications
800	Scranton	Voxbeam Telecomm.
801	Scranton	Omnipoint Comm.
804	Moosic	USA Mobility Wireless
805	Scranton	Core Communications

<u>570</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Carrier</u>
806	Scranton	NEP Cellcorp
812	Scranton	Choice One Comm.
815	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
817	Scranton	Omnipoint Comm.
818	Scranton	Level 3 Comm.
838	Scranton	Core Communications
840	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
842	Moscow	Verizon
843	Scranton	XO Communications
844	Scranton	Bandwidth.com
846	Scranton	Teleport Comm. America
848	Moscow	Verizon
851	Scranton	Ymax Communications
852	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
866	Scranton	Finger Lakes Tech Group
871	Scranton	Bandwidth.com
872	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
876	Jermyn	Verizon
880	Scranton	Bandwidth.com
891	Scranton	Choice One Comm.
901	Scranton	Comcast Phone of PA
902	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
906	Scranton	AT&T
907	Scranton	Comcast Phone of PA
908	Scranton	XO Communications
910	Scranton	Comcast Phone of PA
914	Scranton	365 Wireless
919	Scranton	Core Communications
921	Scranton	Centurylink Comm.
926	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
927	Scranton	Centurylink Comm.
935	Scranton	Comcast Phone of PA
936	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
937	South Canaan	South Canaan Tel. Co.
941	Scranton	Verizon
945	Factoryville	Commonwealth Tel. Co.
949	Scranton	Level 3 Comm.
951	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
960	Scranton	NEP Cellcorp
961	Scranton	Verizon
963	Scranton	Verizon
969	Scranton	Verizon
974	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
978	Moosic	USA Mobility Wireless
982	Scranton	Sprint Spectrum
983	Scranton	Choice One Comm.
984	Scranton	Level 3 Comm.
986	Scranton	Choice One Comm.
997	Moosic	USA Mobility Wireless

<u>272</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Carrier</u>
207	Scranton	Telnyx
214	Clarks Summit	MClimetro Access Trans.
228	Scranton	Comcast IP Phone
229	Chapman Lake	Bandwidth.com
232	Dalton	Onvoy
235	Scranton	CSC Wireless
242	Jermyn	Level 3 Comm.
249	Scranton	HD Carrier
250	Scranton	IP Horizon
672	Taylor	Ton80 Communications

# Media & Communications

## Television Stations (Broadcast Coverage in Lackawanna County)

**CTV Adams Ch 16 Comcast Ch12  
Catholic, Diocese of Scranton**  
330 Wyoming Avenue  
Scranton PA 18503  
[www.dioceseofscranton.org](http://www.dioceseofscranton.org)

**WBRE-TV Channel 28  
NBC**  
62 S. Franklin Street  
Wilkes-Barre PA 18701  
[www.pahomepage.com](http://www.pahomepage.com)

**WQMY-TV Channel 53  
My Network TV**  
1181 Route 315  
Wilkes-Barre PA 18702  
[www.mynetworktv.com](http://www.mynetworktv.com)

**ECTV - YouTube**  
[www.youtube.com/user/ElectricCityTV570](http://www.youtube.com/user/ElectricCityTV570)

**WNEP-TV Channel 16  
ABC**  
16 Montage Mountain Road  
Moosic PA 18507  
[www.wnep.com](http://www.wnep.com)

**WSWB-TV Channel 38  
CW**  
1181 Route 315  
Wilkes-Barre PA 18702  
[www.thecw38.com](http://www.thecw38.com)

**WOLF-TV Channel 56  
FOX**  
1181 Route 315  
Wilkes-Barre PA 18702  
[www.fox56.com](http://www.fox56.com)

**WYOU-TV Channel 22  
CBS**  
62 S. Franklin Street  
Wilkes-Barre PA 18701  
[www.pahomepage.com](http://www.pahomepage.com)

**WVIA-TV Channel 44  
PBS**  
70 Old Boston Road  
Pittston PA 18640  
[www.wvia.com](http://www.wvia.com)

**WQPX-TV Channel 64  
ION Media Network**  
409 Lackawanna Avenue, Suite 700  
Scranton PA 18503  
[www.iontelevision.com](http://www.iontelevision.com)

## Radio Stations (Licensed AM/FM & Low-Power FM within 50 miles of Scranton)

**WAAF-AM 910**  
Scranton  
News/Talk (Audacy License)  
[www.audacy.com/wilksnews](http://www.audacy.com/wilksnews)

**WBHT-FM 97.1**  
Mountain Top  
Top-40 (Radio License Holding)  
[www.hot971radio.com](http://www.hot971radio.com)

**WBYX-FM 88.7**  
Stroudsburg  
Christian Contemp (4 Rivers Comm)  
[www.wordfm.org](http://www.wordfm.org)

**WCLH-FM 90.7**  
Wilkes-Barre  
College (Wilkes University)  
[www.beta.wclh.org](http://www.beta.wclh.org)

**WESS-FM 90.3**  
East Stroudsburg  
College (East Stroudsburg Univ)  
[www.quantum.esu.edu/clubs/wess](http://www.quantum.esu.edu/clubs/wess)

**WARM-AM 590**  
Scranton  
Classic Country (Southern Belle)  
[www.mybigfootlegends.com](http://www.mybigfootlegends.com)

**WBSX-FM 97.9**  
Hazleton  
Rock (Radio License Holding)  
[www.979x.com](http://www.979x.com)

**WCDJ-FM 91.3**  
Tunkhannock  
Religious (Family Life Ministries)  
[www.familylife.org](http://www.familylife.org)

**WDNH-FM 95.3**  
Honesdale  
Hot AC (Bold Gold Media Group)  
[www.boldgoldlakeregion.com](http://www.boldgoldlakeregion.com)

**WEZX-FM 106.9**  
Scranton  
Classic Rock (Scranton Times)  
[www.rock107.com](http://www.rock107.com)

**WBHD-FM 95.7**  
Olyphant  
Top-40 (Radio License Holding)  
[www.hot971radio.com](http://www.hot971radio.com)

**WBYN-FM 89.1**  
Hawley  
Christian Contemp (4 Rivers Comm)  
[www.wordfm.org](http://www.wordfm.org)

**WCDL-AM 1440**  
Carbondale  
Oldies (Bold Gold Media Group)  
[www.boldgold/themothership](http://www.boldgold/themothership)

**WEJL-AM 630**  
Scranton  
Sports (Scranton Times)  
[www.nepaespradio.com](http://www.nepaespradio.com)

**WFUZ-AM 1240**  
Wilkes-Barre  
Sports (Scranton Times)  
[www.nepaespradio.com](http://www.nepaespradio.com)



**WGGY-FM 101.3**

Scranton  
Country (Audacy License)  
[www.audacy.com/froggy101](http://www.audacy.com/froggy101)

**WICK-AM 1400**

Scranton  
Oldies (Bold Gold Media Group)  
[www.boldgoldthemothership](http://www.boldgoldthemothership)

**WITK-AM 1550**

Pittston  
Religious (Steel City Radio)  
[www.wilkinsradio.com](http://www.wilkinsradio.com)

**WKCV-FM 103.5**

LaPlume  
College (Keystone College)  
[www.keystone.edu](http://www.keystone.edu)

**WMGS-FM 92.9**

Wilkes-Barre  
Adult Contemp (Radio License Holding)  
[www.magic93fm.com](http://www.magic93fm.com)

**WPEL-AM 800/-FM 96.5**

Montrose  
Religious (Montrose Broadcasting)  
[www.wpel.org](http://www.wpel.org)

**WQFM-FM 92.1**

Nanticoke  
Hot AC (Scranton Times)  
[www.gfmnow.com](http://www.gfmnow.com)

**WRKC-FM 88.5**

Wilkes-Barre  
College (King's College)  
[www.wrkc.kings.edu](http://www.wrkc.kings.edu)

**WSFX-FM 89.1**

Nanticoke  
College (Luzerne Co Comm College)  
No Website

**WTRW-FM 94.3**

Carbondale  
Talk (Bold Gold Media Group)  
[www.bold.gold943thetalker](http://www.bold.gold943thetalker)

**WGMF-AM 730**

Nanticoke  
Classic Hits (Geos Communications)  
[www.gem104.com](http://www.gem104.com)

**WILK-FM 103.1**

Avoca  
News-Talk (Audacy License)  
[www.audacy.com/wilknews](http://www.audacy.com/wilknews)

**WKRF-FM 107.9**

Tobyhanna  
Top-40 (Entercom)  
[www.audacy.com/krz985](http://www.audacy.com/krz985)

**WLGD-FM 107.7**

Dallas  
Classic Country (Southern Belle)  
[www.mybigfootlegends.com](http://www.mybigfootlegends.com)

**WMQX-FM 102.3**

Pittston  
Classic Hits (Audacy License)  
[www.audacy.com/max1023](http://www.audacy.com/max1023)

**WPSN-AM 1590**

Honesdale  
News/Talk (Bold Gold Media Group)  
[www.boldgoldlakeregion.com](http://www.boldgoldlakeregion.com)

**WQFN-FM 100.1**

Forest City  
Hot AC (Scranton Times)  
[www.gfmnow.com](http://www.gfmnow.com)

**WRTY-FM 91.1**

Jackson Twp  
Public Radio (Temple University)  
[www.wrti.org](http://www.wrti.org)

**WSJR-FM 93.7**

Dallas  
Country (Radio License Holding)  
[www.nashfm937.com](http://www.nashfm937.com)

**WUSR-FM 99.5**

Scranton  
College (Univ of Scranton)  
[www.scranton.edu](http://www.scranton.edu)

**WGMM-AM 1460**

Tunkhannock  
Classic Hits (Geos Communications)  
[www.gem104.com](http://www.gem104.com)

**WILK-AM 980**

Wilkes-Barre  
News-Talk (Audacy License)  
[www.audacy.com/wilknews](http://www.audacy.com/wilknews)

**WKRF-FM 98.5**

Freeland  
Top-40 (Audacy License)  
[www.audacy.com/krz985](http://www.audacy.com/krz985)

**WLKA-FM 88.3**

Tafton  
Christian Contemp (Educational Media)  
[www.klove.com](http://www.klove.com)

**WODS-AM 1300**

West Hazleton  
News/Talk (Audacy License)  
[www.audacy.com/wilknews](http://www.audacy.com/wilknews)

**WPZX-FM 105.9**

Pocono Pines  
Classic Rock (Scranton Times)  
[www.rock107.com](http://www.rock107.com)

**WQOR-AM 750**

Olyphant  
Religious (JMJ Radio)  
[www.jmj750.com](http://www.jmj750.com)

**WSJR-FM 93.7**

Dallas  
Country (Radio License Holding)  
[www.nashfm937.com](http://www.nashfm937.com)

**WSBG-FM 93.5**

Stroudsburg  
Adult Comtemp (Southern Belle)  
[www.935sbg.com](http://www.935sbg.com)

**WVIA-FM 89.9**

Scranton  
Public Radio (NE PA Educational TV)  
[www.wvia.org](http://www.wvia.org)



**WVMW-FM 91.7**

Scranton  
College (Marywood Univ)  
[www.vmf917.org](http://www.vmf917.org)

**WYCK-AM 1340**

Plains  
Classic Hits (Bold Gold Media)  
[www.boldgold/theriver](http://www.boldgold/theriver)

**WVPO-AM 840**

Stroudsburg  
Country (Southern Belle)  
[www.bigfootpoconos.com](http://www.bigfootpoconos.com)

**WYCY-FM 105.3**

Hawley  
Classic Hits (Bold Gold Media)  
[www.boldgoldlakeregion.com](http://www.boldgoldlakeregion.com)

**WWRR-FM 104.9**

Scranton  
Classic Hits (Bold Gold Media)  
[www.boldgold/theriver](http://www.boldgold/theriver)

**WZZH-FM 90.9**

Honesdale  
Christian Contemp (Four Rivers Comm Brdcst)  
[www.wordfm.com](http://www.wordfm.com)

**Newspapers/Print & On-Line Publications****Daily:****The Times-Tribune**

Scranton  
[www.thetimes-tribune.com](http://www.thetimes-tribune.com)

**Sunday:****The Sunday Times**

Scranton  
[www.thetimes-tribune.com](http://www.thetimes-tribune.com)

**Weekly/Bi-Weekly/Monthly/Online:****Abington Journal**

Clarks Summit  
[www.theabingtonjournal.com](http://www.theabingtonjournal.com)

**Tri-County Independent**

Carbondale/North Pocono/Wayne Co.  
[www.tricountyindependent.com](http://www.tricountyindependent.com)

**The Dunmorean**

Dunmore  
[www.thedunmorean.com](http://www.thedunmorean.com)

**Go Lackawanna**

Scranton  
[www.golackawanna.com](http://www.golackawanna.com)

**The Valley Advantage**

Mid-valley  
[www.thevalleyadvantage.com](http://www.thevalleyadvantage.com)

**Special Interest:****The Catholic Light**

[www.dioceseofscranton.org](http://www.dioceseofscranton.org)

**Happenings Magazine**

[www.happeningsmagazinepa.com](http://www.happeningsmagazinepa.com)

**La Voz Latina**

[www.lavozlatinanepa.com](http://www.lavozlatinanepa.com)

**Melanian News**

[www.melaniannews.town.news](http://www.melaniannews.town.news)

**Northeast PA Business Journal**

[www.biz570.com](http://www.biz570.com)

**Northeast PA Visitors Guide**

[www.visitnepa.org](http://www.visitnepa.org)

**The Paper Shop**

[www.thepapershop.com](http://www.thepapershop.com)

**Rola Boza/God's Field**

[www.pncc.org](http://www.pncc.org)

**Varsity570**

[www.varsity570.com](http://www.varsity570.com)

**The Weekender**

[www.theweekender.com](http://www.theweekender.com)

**NewsBreak**

[www.newsbreak.com](http://www.newsbreak.com)

**College:**

**The Aquinas**, University of Scranton

**Cub's Roar**, Penn State Scranton Campus

**The Key**, Keystone College

**The Wood Word**, Marywood University





# Attractions, Recreation, Arts & Events

## Attractions

**Anthracite Heritage Museum** “Where Lackawanna’s Legends Abound”—located within McDade Park off Keyser Avenue in Scranton. Exhibits and displays delve into the mines, mills, rivers, and railroads that spanned a seven-county area and helped create an industrial golden age from days past. 22 Bald Mountain Rd, Scranton, PA 18504. Phone 570-963-4804. [www.anthracitemuseum.org](http://www.anthracitemuseum.org)

**Archbald Pothole State Park**—a 150-acre park featuring the Archbald Pothole, a geologic feature that formed during the Wisconsin Glacial Period around 15,000 years ago. Limited hunting allowed, a small loop hiking trail passes rock ledges and winds through forestland. The park is located off Route 6 in Eynon, Archbald Borough. Phone 570-945-3239. [www.dcnr.pa.gov/stateparks/findapark/archbaldpotholestaterpark](http://www.dcnr.pa.gov/stateparks/findapark/archbaldpotholestaterpark).

**Aylesworth Park**—252 acres maintained by Lackawanna County, located near the Archbald/Jermyn border. Created in 1970 as a part of a federal flood-control project along Aylesworth Creek. Amenities include a four-acre lake with beach, pavilion, hiking trails, picnic areas, multipurpose field, volleyball court, and boundless playground. 511 Hudson St, Jermyn, PA 18433. Phone 570-963-6764. [www.lackawannacounty.org](http://www.lackawannacounty.org).

**Briar Patch at Thornhurst Nurseries**—a unique Christmas experience nestled off the beaten path in the quiet village of Thornhurst. A hand-carved Old World Santa greets visitors at the door. Gift shop, tree farm, landscaping services. Open late September through Christmas Eve. 278 Pine Grove Road, Thornhurst. Phone 570-842-8072. [www.briarpatchthornhurst.com](http://www.briarpatchthornhurst.com).

**Carbondale Historical Society & Museum**—in the midst of this community’s vibrant “Main Street” district stands the Carbondale Historical Society’s museum with D&H, genealogy, railroading, and mining collections. Located on the third floor of the historic Carbondale City Hall, a National Register Historic Site. 1 N. Main St, Carbondale, PA 18407. Phone 570-282-0385. [www.carbondalepahistorical.org](http://www.carbondalepahistorical.org).

**Circle of Screams**—behind the big screen lies the dark side of the Circle Drive-In. Haunted hayride attraction that takes you back into the woods to a place Hollywood has forgotten about. September & October weekends. 1191 Scranton-Carbondale Hwy, Dickson City, PA 18519. Phone 570-489-5731. [www.circleofscreams.com](http://www.circleofscreams.com)

**Covington Park**—400 acres maintained by Lackawanna County. Amenities include a nine-acre lake, fishing, hiking trails, pavilion, little league and baseball fields, volleyball and basketball courts, soccer field, and boundless playground. Access via Winship and Sanko roads. 139 Sanko Rd, Covington Twp, PA 18444. Phone 570-963-6764. [www.lackawannacounty.org](http://www.lackawannacounty.org) - Parks & Recreation.

**D&H/O&W Rail-Trail**—The D&H Trail is a 38-mile scenic trail from Simpson north to the New York state line. Eight miles of the O&W Trail parallels the D&H Trail to Stillwater Dam then turns east through Wayne County to Hancock, NY. Headtrail located along Homestead St in Simpson. Phone 570-679-9300. [www.nepa-rail-trails.org](http://www.nepa-rail-trails.org).

**Do 6: Pennsylvania Route 6 Heritage Corridor** “Who Knew the American Dream was just down the road!”—through the 11 northern PA counties in which US Route 6 traverses, the PA Route 6 Alliance promotes tourism, cultural conservation, education, open space, recreation, and economic development. Stops on the Do 6 Trip include the Lackawanna County communities of Carbondale, Scranton, and Clarks Summit. Phone 814-435-7706. [www.paroute6.com](http://www.paroute6.com).

**Electric City Aquarium & Reptile Den**—20,000 square foot facility at the Marketplace at Steamtown, showcasing animals from both land and sea. 300 Lackawanna Avenue, Scranton, PA 18503. Phone 570-909-9631. [www.electriccityaquarium.com](http://www.electriccityaquarium.com)

**Electric City Axe Throwing**—a veteran-owned facility, Scranton’s first and only axe throwing range. Digital game targets (projected game axe throwing), standard targets, Glow-Throw Saturdays (glow-in-the-dark axe throwing), private parties, leagues, tournaments, and more! 1141 Capouse Ave, Scranton, PA 18509. 570-866-3228. [www.ecaxethrowing.com](http://www.ecaxethrowing.com).

**Electric City Trolley Museum**—on the grounds of Steamtown National Historic Site in downtown Scranton. Relive the time of the trolleys in this restored 19th century mill building. Interactive exhibits and displays, including vintage trolleys. Learn the story of electric traction and the impact it had on the Lackawanna Valley. Also on site is the model train set recently donated to WNEP-TV by HBO's "Last Week Tonight with John Oliver." Trolley excursions depart from Steamtown and follow the historic Laurel Line, through the Crown Avenue Tunnel, to PNC Field in Moosic. 300 Cliff St., Scranton, PA 18503. Phone 570-963-6590. [www.trolleymuseumnepa.com](http://www.trolleymuseumnepa.com).

**Everhart Museum of Natural History, Science and Art**—located at Nay Aug Park in Scranton. The largest museum in Northeastern Pennsylvania, it contains many exhibitions and educational programs on American art, Dorflinger glass, Primitive and Oriental arts, birds, minerals, and ecology. 1901 Mulberry St, Scranton, PA 18510. Phone 570-346-7186. [www.everhart-museum.org](http://www.everhart-museum.org).

**GAR Museum**—artifacts, uniforms, antique photographs and paintings of the Civil War era. Operated by the Grand Army of the Republic Memorial Association of Scranton. Located on the lower level of Scranton City Hall, 340 N. Washington Ave. [www.garmuseum.org](http://www.garmuseum.org). Currently closed.

**Greystone Gardens**—a specialized garden center nestled in a beautiful woodland setting. Gift shop, cafe. 829 Old State Road, Clarks Summit. Phone 570-586-5493. [www.greystonegardens.biz](http://www.greystonegardens.biz).

**Holocaust Museum & Research Center**—features a small but growing museum collection of artifacts that survived the Holocaust, including a Czech Torah. Also an active research center featuring community education and offering educational outreach programs. Located at the Jewish Community Center, 601 Jefferson Ave, Scranton. Phone 570-961-2300. [www.scrantonjcc.org](http://www.scrantonjcc.org).

**Houdini Museum**—the museum features antiques, memorabilia, magic, old films, secrets, and artifacts. The Houdini Tour includes a magic show and the tour/show is about 3 hours. 1433 N. Main Ave., Scranton. Phone 570-342-5555. [www.houdini.org](http://www.houdini.org).

**Indraloka Animal Sanctuary**—Indraloka provides "heaven on earth" for farm animals that have nowhere else to turn. The charitable organization informs, inspires, and empowers the community, especially children, on ways in which we can better care for ourselves and the environment while helping animals in need. Several annual events. 333 Oak Drive, Dalton, PA 18414. Phone 570-763-2908. [www.indraloka.org](http://www.indraloka.org).

**Keystone College Astronomy Observatory**—features a lens made in 1882 by Alvan Clark & Sons. The observatory is located at a "dark sky" site 8 miles northeast of the college in Benton Twp. For information regarding public programs: Phone 570-945-8402. [www.keystone.edu](http://www.keystone.edu).

**Lackawanna Coal Mine Tour** "*The Most Amazing Hour You Can Spend in Pennsylvania*"—located at McDade Park in Scranton and maintained by Lackawanna County. This awarding-winning attraction takes you on a journey 300 feet down into the earth and through cool, winding caverns of an authentic deep-slope coal mine. Food and gift shop featuring coal creations on site. 1 Bald Mountain Road, Scranton, PA 18504. Phone 570-963-6463. [www.coalminetournepa.com](http://www.coalminetournepa.com).

**Lackawanna Heritage Valley** "*Where America's Story Lives*"—a state and national Heritage Area, the Lackawanna Heritage Valley tells the story of the integral role the Lackawanna Valley played in America's Industrial Revolution. The Lackawanna Heritage Valley Authority is a partnership of government, businesses, community organizations and individuals seeking to convey the story of the Valley to residents and visitors through education and interpretation. The Authority has developed programmatic and physical linkages among cultural, natural and recreational resources in the Lackawanna Valley. 213 Railroad Avenue, Scranton, PA 18505. Phone 570-963-6730. [www.lhva.org](http://www.lhva.org).

**Lackawanna Historical Society/Catlin House**—houses collections that include a research library, photographic archives, map collections, genealogy files, fashion collections and general county history. 232 Monroe Ave, Scranton, PA 18510. Phone 570-344-3841. [www.lackawannahistory.org](http://www.lackawannahistory.org).

**Lackawanna River Heritage Trail**—40 miles of an all-season trail system along the Lackawanna River for hikers, bikers, runners, crossing country skiing, snowshoeing, and snowmobiling. Portions of the trail are still under development; on-street routes bridge the gaps between the completed sections. Completed segments include Central New Jersey Rail-Trail, Riverwalk, and Levee Trail (Taylor through Scranton); Mid-Valley Trail (Dickson City to Jermy); Upper Valley Trail (Mayfield to Childs and John St, Carbondale to D&H Trailhead, Simpson). Phone 570-963-6730. [www.lhva.org](http://www.lhva.org).

**Lackawanna State Park**—1,445 acres with the centerpiece attraction - 198-acre Lackawanna Lake. Amenities include picnic areas/pavilions, swimming pool, sledding, ice skating, fishing, boating, camping, hiking trails, wildlife viewing, environmental learning center, amphitheater, and food concession. Located off Route 407 in Benton & North Abington townships. 1839 Abington Road, N. Abington Twp, PA 18414. Phone 570-945-3239. [www.dcnr.pa.gov/stateparks/findapark/lackawannastatepark](http://www.dcnr.pa.gov/stateparks/findapark/lackawannastatepark).

**Lackawanna Train Station**—built in 1908, this six-story historic landmark once served as a grand passenger train station. The Radisson Lackawanna Station Hotel maintains the original glory of the station while offering an elegant, timeless appeal. Listed on U.S. National Register of Historic Places. 138 Jefferson Ave, Scranton. Phone 570-342-8300. [www.radisson.com/scrantonpa](http://www.radisson.com/scrantonpa).

**Lahey Family Fun Park**—amusement facility with mini-golf, children's soft play, go-cart track, batting cages, bumper boats and birthday party catering. 500 Morgan Highway, South Abington Twp, PA 18411. Phone 570-586-5699. [www.laheyfunpark.com](http://www.laheyfunpark.com).

**Lake Scranton Loop**—located off Route 307, two miles from downtown Scranton, the lake is maintained by PA American Water Company and offers 3.9 miles of paved walking and jogging trails around its shoreline through quiet, wooded scenery. Handicapped-accessible for fishing [www.alltrails.com/trail/us/pennsylvania/lake-scranton-loop--3](http://www.alltrails.com/trail/us/pennsylvania/lake-scranton-loop--3).

**Lakeland Orchard & Cidery**—Lackawanna County's premier Agritourism farm. The Country Carousel, Berry Blender, Giant Corn Box, Goat Corral, Bubble Barns, Crank Tractor, Lakeland LumberjAXE throwing, scenic wagon rides, souvenir cups, annual festivals and events. The Orchard Café features delicious signature treats and Country Store on site. 1649 Lakeland Drive, Scott Twp. Phone 570-254-6038. [www.lakelandorchard.com](http://www.lakelandorchard.com).

**Lost Trails ATV Adventures**—a premier destination for recreational mountain trail riding. 1000 Dunham Drive, Dunmore, PA 18512. Phone 570-730-8131. [www.ridelosttrails.com](http://www.ridelosttrails.com).

**Marine Corps League Museum**—traces proud Marine Corps history and tradition from the American Revolution to the present. It includes art, maps, documents, equipment, uniforms, weapons and military dioramas. The museum is located at 1340 Alder Street, Scranton, PA 18505. Phone 570-677-6188. [www.mclmuseum.com](http://www.mclmuseum.com).

**McDade Park**—126 acres maintained by Lackawanna County, constructed on reclaimed strip-mine land. Amenities include Olympic-size swimming pool, fishing pond, basketball, tennis and bocce courts, multipurpose field, softball field, picnic areas, cross country and hiking trails, boundless playground, pavilions, Cancer Memorial garden and Arboretum, 9/11 Memorial. Anthracite Heritage Museum and Coal Mine Tour also on site. One Bald Mountain Road, Scranton, PA 18504. Phone 570-963-6764. [www.lackawannacounty.org](http://www.lackawannacounty.org).

**Merli-Sarnoski Park**—840 acres maintained by Lackawanna County. Amenities include 750 acres of preserved natural forest, 35-acre lake for swimming, fishing, and boating, bathhouses, handicapped accessible fishing pier, playgrounds, basketball and volleyball courts, soccer field, mountain bike trail, hiking trails, pavilions, picnic areas, approved overnight camping. 286 Sandy Banks Road, Fell Twp, PA 18407. Phone 570-963-6764. [www.lackawannacounty.org](http://www.lackawannacounty.org).

**Montage Mountain Ski Resort**—the area's "winter challenge" with four black-diamond and three double black diamond ski slopes that dish up a 1,000-ft vertical drop. Snow tubing. Slocum Hollow Bar/Restaurant. I-81, exit 182, 1000 Montage Mountain Road, Scranton, PA 18507. Phone 1-800-468-7669. [www.montagemountainresorts.com](http://www.montagemountainresorts.com).

**Montage Mountain Water Park**—summer activities at Montage Mountain, featuring wave pool, Alpine slides, polar bear pond, tundra tornado, iceberg alley luge, lazy river, ZipRider. I-81, exit 182, 1000 Montage Mountain Road, Scranton, PA 18507. Phone 1-800-468-7669. [www.montagemountainresorts.com](http://www.montagemountainresorts.com).

**Nay Aug Gorge and Waterfall National Natural Landmark**—designated in December 1989, it features breathtaking views of the unique rock formations and waterfalls of the Roaring Brook created during the Ice Age. Located adjacent to Nay Aug Park in the city of Scranton. Access via the Davis Walking Trail and Overlook. Pedestrian bridge and treehouse. 1901 Mulberry Street, Scranton, PA 18510. Phone 570-348-4186. [www.scrantonpa.gov](http://www.scrantonpa.gov).

**Nay Aug Park**—Scranton's largest park, includes walking trails, a swimming complex, pavilions, water slides, picnic areas, the David Wenzel treehouse overlooking the gorge, and Holiday lights display in December. 1901 Mulberry Street, Scranton, PA 18510. Phone 570-348-4186. [www.scrantonpa.gov](http://www.scrantonpa.gov).

**Pinchot State Forest**—more than 44,000 acres of natural forest land in Lackawanna, Luzerne, and Monroe counties. The largest tract of the forest - the Thornhurst Tract - contains 10,000 acres with the forest headquarters, 17 miles of public roads, picnic areas, Pine Hill mountain vista, hiking trails including the 26-mile Pinchot Trail, creek fishing, big-game hunting, camping, horseback riding, mountain biking, winter activities, and the Spruce Swamp Natural Area. The Thornhurst Tract is located off Bear Lake Road in Thornhurst Township. Other tracts of the Pinchot Forest in Lackawanna County are Elmhurst Tract, Montage Tract, and Moosic Mountain Tract. Phone 570-945-7133. [www.dcnr.pa.gov/StateForests/FindAForest/Pinchot](http://www.dcnr.pa.gov/StateForests/FindAForest/Pinchot).

**Reaper's Revenge**—60-acre scream park, the Realm of Reaper's Forest, featuring a haunted hayride, Lost Carnival (outdoor forest walk-through), Tunnel of Love (haunted house), Pitch Black (indoor maze), Zombie paintball, bonfire, and refreshments. Weekend nights, September through November. 460 Green Grove Road, Scott Twp, PA 18447. Phone 570-254-8038. [www.reapersrevenge.net](http://www.reapersrevenge.net).

**Ritter's Cider Mill**—hay barn, corn maze, family farm animals, hay rides, picture cut-outs, pony rides, apple slingshot, observe the making of cider from the hopper to the jug. Saturday after Labor Day through Thanksgiving Eve. 117 Wimmers Road, Jefferson Twp, PA 18436. Phone 570-689-9790. [www.ritterscidermill.com](http://www.ritterscidermill.com).

**Riverfront Sports Complex**—indoor, multi-sports complex featuring 3 full-court basketball courts, PIAA soccer field (3 youth soccer fields), party room, and concessions area. Facilities for football, field hockey, lacrosse, volleyball, softball, and baseball. 5 W. Olive Plaza, Scranton, PA 18508. Phone 570-347-0797. [www.riverfrontsports.com](http://www.riverfrontsports.com).

**Roba Family Farms**—corn mazes, hayrides, petting zoo, kids corral, seasonal activities, campfire sites. Mid-September through Halloween. 200 Cranston Ave, North Abington Twp, PA 18414. Phone 570-563-2904. [www.robafamilyfarms.com](http://www.robafamilyfarms.com).

**Scranton Co-Op Farmers' Market**—the only open-air market of its kind in NE Pennsylvania, featuring 42 local vendors selling fresh fruits, vegetables, meats, eggs, grains, bread, baked goods, jams, jellies, honey, wine, cider, maple syrup, soaps, flowers, plants and herbs. 900 Barring Avenue, Scranton, PA 18508. Phone 570-961-8251. [www.coopfarmersmarket.com](http://www.coopfarmersmarket.com).

**Scranton Cultural Center at the Masonic Temple**—this magnificent historic structure includes an 1800-seat theater that comes to life at night when its stage accommodates Scranton's Broadway Theatre League, regional and international touring groups, youth theater program, and a variety of other entertainers. Open daily for public tours. 420 N. Washington Avenue, Scranton, PA 18503. Phone 570-346-7369. [www.scrantonculturalcenter.org](http://www.scrantonculturalcenter.org).

**Scranton Iron Furnaces, "A Blast From The Past"**—an urban park containing four majestic stone blast furnaces that lighted the city's skies from 1842 to 1902 while forging the iron that helped build the surrounding city. The Scranton Iron Furnaces, situated in a historic setting, are open to visitors year round from dawn to dusk. In the summer months facilities are available for picnics. Accessible by car or a Historic Trolley ride, the Visitor Center, which is open on a seasonal basis April through October, contains exhibits on iron and steel making, a small gift shop and offers an interpretive tour. 159 Cedar Avenue, Scranton, PA 18505. Phone 570-963-4804. [www.anthracitemuseum.org/explore/iron-furnaces](http://www.anthracitemuseum.org/explore/iron-furnaces).

**Scranton Times Newseum**—an outdoor display of artifacts and pictures showcasing the history of the Scranton Times Newspaper. Located adjacent to the Times building, 149 Penn Avenue, Scranton, PA 18503. Phone 570-348-9100. [www.thetimes-tribune.com](http://www.thetimes-tribune.com).



**Steamtown National Historic Site**—a unit of the National Park System, the park contains 40 acres and the largest and most comprehensive collection of steam locomotives and various types of railroad cars. Interpretive tours are conducted by NPS rangers through the historic Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railyards. 350 Cliff Street, Scranton, PA 18503. Phone 570-340-5200. [www.nps.gov/stea](http://www.nps.gov/stea).

**Steamtown Rail Excursions**—steam-powered train excursions from Scranton to the Poconos and through the Lackawanna Valley, reliving the experience of 1800s rail travel. The rides are operated by the National Park Service between May and October, with the boarding area located at the Steamtown National Historic Site. Handicapped accessible. For info phone 570-340-5200. [www.nps.gov/stea](http://www.nps.gov/stea).

**The Office Self-Guided Walking Tour**—a fun self-guided tour through Scranton to the places that were fodder for the writers and actors of the popular TV series that aired on NBC from 2005 to 2013. [www.visitnepa.org/things-to-do/self-guided-tours/the-office/](http://www.visitnepa.org/things-to-do/self-guided-tours/the-office/)

**The Pavilion at Montage Mountain**—outdoor concert facility with seating for 18,800 in a wooded atmosphere atop Montage Mountain. Home to annual music festivals such as Camp Bisco and the Peach Music Festival, along with a full schedule of concerts. 1000 Montage Mountain Road, Scranton, PA 18507. Phone 570-961-9000. [www.montagemountainamp.com](http://www.montagemountainamp.com)

**Top of the World**—4.2-mile loop trail in the Dunmore Pine Barrens. This is a very popular area for birding, hiking, and mountain biking. The best times to visit are April through November. [www.alltrails.com/trail/us/pennsylvania/top-of-the-world](http://www.alltrails.com/trail/us/pennsylvania/top-of-the-world).

**Tripp House**—the oldest structure in Lackawanna County. The Tripp House is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. This federal style home has been preserved as it was in 1812 with victorian embellishments. Tours are conducted by appointment. 1011 Main Avenue, Scranton. Phone 570-961-3317. [www.tripphouse.com](http://www.tripphouse.com).

**Trolley Trail**—owned and maintained by the Countryside Conservancy, this trail follows the old Northern Electric Trolley Corridor. Open segments run between Clarks Summit and Dalton (2.8 mi.), Dalton and LaPlume (0.7 mi), and Keystone College and Factoryville (1.7 mi). [www.countrysideconservancy.org/trolley-trail](http://www.countrysideconservancy.org/trolley-trail).

## Local Recreational Facilities

### Archbald Borough

- 1) Harry Sugerma Memorial Playground, Betty St, Eynon: basketball court, playground.
- 2) James Radzelovage Memorial Playground, W. State St: basketball court, playground.
- 3) Andrew Venosh Memorial Playground, Old Ridge Rd: basketball court, playground.
- 4) David Maslyar Park, Laurel St: baseball field, soccer field, basketball court, playground, picnic area, river access, walking trails.
- 5) Kenneth Propst Memorial Gravity Slope Station Park, Pike and Spruce St: greenspace, railroad station.
- 6) Trooper Joseph Welsch Memorial Playground, Rock St: basketball court, playground.
- 7) Sturges Playground & Baseball Field, Ontario St, Sturges: little league baseball field, playground, basketball court.
- 8) Archbald AC Field, Line St: little league baseball field, pavilion, softball field.
- 9) Lackawanna Ave, Nebraska: playground, basketball court.
- 10) Ed Staback Regional Park, Eynon-Jermyn Rd: soccer field, football field, basketball courts, walking trails, tennis courts, little league baseball, softball field, radio-controlled airpark, picnic pavilions.
- 11) Joseph Daley Memorial High School Plaza Park, Salem and Laurel Sts: greenspace, gazebo.
- 12) Archbald Recreation Playground & Baseball Field, Pike St: tennis & basketball courts, baseball field.
- 13) Veterans Monument Park, Kennedy Dr: memorial monuments, greenspace, pavilion.

### Benton Township

- 1) Benton Civic Center, Rt. 407: recreation center, little league field.
- 2) Christy Mathewson Teener Field, Rt. 407 behind Fleetville Fire Co.

### Blakely Borough

- 1) Swansee Park, Columbus Ave and 7th St: lighted baseball field, basketball court, tennis court.
- 2) Brook Street Park: T-ball field.
- 3) Blakely Borough Park, Keystone Ave & Depot St: lighted baseball fields, lighted basketball courts, lighted tennis courts, pavilion, picnic tables, BBQ grills, comfort station, football field (pressbox), horse shoe pits, ice skating pond, maintenance facility, 0.9-mile walking trail, playground, soccer field, lighted sand volleyball court, river fishing access.
- 4) Pennsylvania Ave: baseball field, softball field.

### **City of Carbondale**

- 1) Russell Park, 11th Ave: baseball field, lighted little league field, soccer fields, playground, basketball courts, dog park.
- 2) Cerra-Leo Memorial Park, Hospital St: basketball court, handball court, playground, lighted softball field.
- 3) East Side Park, E. Garfield Ave: basketball court, playground.
- 4) Belmont St: skate park with pavilion.
- 5) Whitebridge Park, Hemlock St: basketball court, playground.
- 6) Memorial Park, Main St: memorials, green space.
- 7) McCawley Park, S. Main St & 8th Ave: green space, gazebo.
- 8) Gravity Park, Garfield Ave: green space, gazebo.
- 9) Needle Park, Terrace & Brook Sts: green space.

### **Clarks Green Borough**

No recreational facilities within the borough limits, but the borough jointly operates Abington Area Community Park in South Abington Twp.

### **Clarks Summit Borough**

- 1) Carnation Dr: green space basketball court.
- 2) Mayor Donald Eilenberger Memorial Park: Hemlock St: gazebo, playground, basketball court, picnic area.
- 3) Lewis Lane Park: gazebo, exercise equipment, picnic area.
- 4) South State St: picnic area.
- 5) Veteran's Memorial Park, North State St: gazebo, green space.

### **Clifton Township**

Clifton Acres Township Park, Route 435 & Clifton Beach Rd: future park in planning stage.

### **Covington Township**

- 1) Covington Municipal Complex at Moffat Estate, Route 435: enclosed pavilion, walking/hiking trails, fishing pond, playground, picnic area, camping.
- 2) Covington Municipal Complex South, Route 435 south of Route 502: walking trails, basketball court.

### **Dalton Borough**

- 1) Streamside Park, Mill St: baseball field, basketball court, playground, tennis court, ice skating.
- 2) Platt Park, E. Main at N. Turnpike St: green space, walkway, benches.
- 3) Christy Mathewson Dalton Field, W. Main St: little league field.

### **Dickson City Borough**

- 1) Crystal Park, Doloff Ave: lighting, swing sets, Jungle Gym, basketball courts, tennis courts, batting cages, little league field, restrooms.
- 2) Bernard Siminski Park, Elm St: lighting, swing sets, Jungle Gym, baseball fields, basketball court, tennis court, restrooms, field house, picnic pavilions.
- 3) City Line Park, Johnson Ave: swing sets, child activity center.
- 4) VFW Park, Walker & Jermyn St: lighting, swing sets, Jungle Gym, basketball courts, baseball fields, restrooms, field house.
- 5) Dickson City Civic Center, Carmalt St: gymnasium, restrooms.
- 6) Palonia Park, Boulevard Ave: two soccer fields.

### **Dunmore Borough**

- 1) Sherwood Park, Sherwood Ave: playground, baseball fields, swimming pool, indoor practice building, concession stand, basketball court.
- 2) McHale Park, Monroe Ave: little league baseball field, basketball, playground, swings, Jungle Gym.
- 3) Shautz Stadium, Prescott Ave: baseball/softball fields.
- 4) St. Anthony's Playground, Hill St: baseball field, football field, concession stand, swings, restrooms.

### **Elmhurst Township**

- 1) Elmhurst Recreation Area, G.C. Smith St: little league baseball field, basketball court, soccer field, event grounds.

### **Fell Township**

- 1) Fell Township Park, Jefferson St, Simpson: basketball court, playground, tennis court.
- 2) Coalbrook Playground, 43rd. St, Carbondale: basketball court, playground.
- 3) Hillside St, Richmondale: playground.
- 4) Money Run Park, Main St, Simpson: green space.
- 5) Miss-C Field, Dimes from Heaven Foundation, Lord Ave, Simpson: two softball fields, one lighted; playground, concession stand.

### **Glenburn Township**

- 1) Abington Little League Fields, Ackerly Rd: little league five-field complex.
- 2) Fords Pond, Fords Pond Rd: fishing.

### **Greenfield Township**

- 1) Slobodnick Sports Complex, Hickory Ridge Rd: baseball field, little league field, basketball court, playground, walking trails.

### **Jermyn Borough**

- 1) Rippy Callahan Sports Complex, Mellow Court: little league baseball fields, playground, concession stand.
- 2) World War I Memorial Park, Bridge St: benches, green space, war memorial.
- 3) Memorial Park, Jefferson Ave: veterans and coal miners monuments, memorial bricks.

### **Jessup Borough**

- 1) Veterans Memorial Park, Hill St: baseball field, softball field, basketball court, playground, tennis court.
- 2) Sarah Bratty Park, Winton: basketball court, playground.
- 3) Jessup Youth Sports Complex, Moosic Lake Rd: three little league fields, basketball court, playground.

### **Madison Township**

- 1) Dandy Lion Field, Little League Rd: lighted softball field, concession stand.
- 2) Henry Drinker Practice Field, Madison Twp. Municipal Bldg, Route 690: little league field.

### **Mayfield Borough**

- 1) Chestnut St: little league and baseball fields.
- 2) Memorial Park, Lackawanna Ave: green space.
- 3) Anna McCarthy Park, Penn Ave: basketball court, playground, tennis.
- 4) Mayfield Athletic Complex, Willow Way: little league field.

### **Moosic Borough**

- 1) Mercatili-Segilia Park, Birney Ave: playground, toddler park, gazebo, pavilion, picnic tables.
- 2) Ken Smerdon Park, Water St: basketball court, playground.
- 3) Bill Quinlin Sports Complex, Spring St: mini-football field, playground, teener baseball field, concession stand.
- 4) Irene Lesach Park, Ash St: tennis courts, playground, basketball courts.
- 5) Kobeski Field, Lydon Lane: Missy softball field, playground, soccer field, concession stand.
- 6) Moosic Little League Field, Petro Court: little league field, tennis court, basketball court, playground, concession stand.
- 7) Elm Street Park: playground.
- 8) Moosic Youth Center, Main St: senior citizen activities, dance classes, basketball court, youth arts and crafts.

### **Moscow Borough**

- 1) Golden Park, Maple St: playground, little league field, soccer fields, volleyball court, pavilion.

- 2) Centennial Park, VanBrunt St: basketball court, gazebo.
- 3) Harmony Park, Parkview Rd: playground.
- 4) Clover Park, Clover Lane: playground.
- 5) Old Mill Park, Market St: playground.

### **Newton Township**

- 1) Newton Recreation Center, Newton-Ransom Blvd: playground, soccer field, walking trail, gymnasium, fitness room, dance studio, golf room, game room, concessions.

### **Old Forge Borough**

- 1) Miles Street Community Park, First St: little league and softball complex, batting cages, basketball courts, playground, concession stand.
- 2) Pagnotti Park, Villa Dr.: little league baseball fields, men's softball field, batting cage, concession stand, restrooms, walking trails.
- 3) Marion Street Community Park, Marion St: playground, basketball and tennis courts, pavilion, golf cages
- 4) Pero Park, Sibley Ave: soccer field, concession stand.

### **Olyphant Borough**

- 1) Representative Joseph Wargo Park, Fern Hill, East Grant St: walking trails, baseball and softball, playground, picnic area, concession stand, restrooms.
- 2) Phillip Condella Park, Susquehanna Ave: basketball court, playground, football field w/track, little league field, tennis court, walking trails, concession stand, restrooms.
- 3) Frank Borgna Sr. Park, E. Jefferson St: playground.
- 4) Consburg Little League Field, Line St: little league field, concession stand, restrooms.

### **Ransom Township**

- 1) Ransom Lions Club, Ransom Rd: baseball, volleyball court, pavilion, horseshoe pits, restrooms.
- 2) Ransom Village Playground, Main St: pavilion with grill, swings, sliding board, basketball court, walking track.
- 3) Milwaukee Playground, Hickory Lane: pavilion with grill, swings, sliding board, basketball court.
- 4) Mount Dewey Playground, Community Dr: pavilion with grill, swings, sliding board, basketball court.

### **Roaring Brook Township**

- 1) Roaring Brook Twp Municipal Complex, Blue Shutters Rd: basketball court, volleyball court.
- 2) Roaring Brook Twp Park, Simeron Rd: little league field, soccer field, playground.

### **Scott Township**

- 1) Joe Terry Civic Center, Rt. 438, Montdale: soccer field, playground, walking trail, gymnasium.
- 2) Scott Twp Park, Rt. 632: baseball and softball fields, playground, pavilion.
- 3) Lakeland Teener League Field, Fieldstone Dr, baseball field.

### **City of Scranton**

- 1) Allen Park, Price St & Main Ave: green space.
- 2) Billy Barrett Park, Colliery Ave: playground, basketball and tennis court.
- 3) Cayuga Field, Cayuga St: football.
- 4) Central City Little League Complex, Wood St: little league fields.
- 5) Chic Feldman Field, Glen St: baseball field.
- 6) Clover Field, Acker Ave: soccer field.
- 7) Connell Park, Gibbons St: baseball, football, basketball, pool.
- 8) Connell Park Little League Complex, O'Hara St: little league, softball, and baseball fields, concession stand.
- 9) Connors Park, Orchard St: playground, gazebo, picnic area.
- 10) Duffy Park, Harrison Ave: greenspace.
- 11) East Scranton Little League Complex, Richter Ave: little league, softball, and baseball fields, concession.
- 12) Fellows Park, Main Ave: green space.
- 13) Freach & Keen Memorial Complex, Colliery Ave: baseball fields.
- 14) Gov. Robert P. Casey Baseball Complex, N. Washington Ave: baseball field.
- 15) Grace St Playground, Grace St: playground, baseball.
- 16) Harmon Field, Meadow Ave: baseball fields, playground.
- 17) Jackson Terrace Park, Jackson St: playground, skateboard, basketball court.
- 18) Jim Crowley Recreation Site, Washington Ave: playground, walking trail, labyrinth.
- 19) Lackawanna Little League Complex, Price St: little league and senior baseball fields, football field, concession.
- 20) The Lookout, Moosic St: scenic overlook.
- 21) Marvine Dutch Gap Little League Complex, Wello St: little league field.
- 22) Nay Aug Park, Arthur Ave: See "Attractions" section.
- 23) North Scranton Mini-Park, Market St: green space.

- 24) Oakmont Park, Debbie Dr: playground, basketball court.
- 25) Pinebrook Field, Sanderson Ave: softball field, basketball courts, playground.
- 26) Powderly Park, Main Ave: greenspace.
- 27) Robinson Park, East Mountain Ave: basketball court, playground, activity center.
- 28) Rockwell Park, Rockwell Ave: playground, basketball court, softball field.
- 29) Sloan Little League Complex, Parrott Ave: little league and baseball fields.
- 30) Sturgis Park, Washington Ave & Electric St: greenspace.
- 31) Sunset Islands, Sunset St: greenspace.
- 32) Theodore Street Park: playground, basketball court, little league and baseball fields.
- 33) Tripp Park, Dorothy St: playground, tennis, basketball court.
- 34) West Scranton Little League Complex, 8th Ave & Oxford St: little league and senior league baseball fields, concession stands.
- 35) Weston Field, Providence Rd: indoor/outdoor pools, soccer, playground.
- 36) Weston Park, Spring St & Hollister Ave: playground, pool, baseball field, activity center.
- 37) Woodlawn Islands, Woodlawn St: greenspace.

### **South Abington Township**

- 1) South Abington Recreational Complex, Northern Blvd: baseball fields, walking trails, covered bridges, playgrounds, sandbox, volleyball court, horseshoe pit, basketball courts, roller & ice-skating rink, water spray park, BBQ pit.
- 2) Gateway Park, Northern Blvd: green space.
- 3) Road Garden Park, Northern Blvd: green space.
- 4) Comet Park, Noble & Winola Rds: green space.
- 5) Mountain View Village Park, Shady Lane Rd: green space.
- 6) Mountain Meadows Park, Fairview Rd: green space.
- 7) Lakewood Park, Lakewood Dr: green space.
- 8) Habeebs Notch, Highland Ave: green space.
- 9) Abington Area Community Park (operated by four communities), Winola Rd. and West Grove St.: baseball field, picnic area, pond, refreshments stand, soccer field.

### **Spring Brook Township**

- 1) Robert Aston Memorial Sports Complex, O'Hara Rd: little league field, teener league field, playground, pavilion, concession stand.
- 2) Spring Brook Playground, Spring Brook Twp Fire Co, Route 690: playground.

## **Taylor Borough**

- 1) David Noakes Park, Schlager St & Kerstetter Ct: basketball court, playground, softball field, football field, soccer field, little league fields, concession stand.
- 2) Derenick Park, Union St: playground, softball fields, tennis court, basketball court, picnic tables, pavilion, concession stand.
- 3) Taylor Community Center, South Main St: indoor basketball courts, volleyball, weight room, treadmill, steam sauna, playground.

## **Thornhurst Township**

- 1) Riverfront Park, River Rd: access to Lehigh River (future park in planning stage).

## **Throop Borough**

- 1) Sanderson St: little league, softball, teenager league fields, concession stand.
- 2) Washington and Loftus Sts: basketball court, baseball field, pavilion, tennis court, tot lot.
- 3) Throop Civic Center, Sanderson Ave: gymnasium.

## **Vandling Borough**

- 1) Main St.: playground.
- 2) Vandling Recreational Field, Oak St: soccer field, basketball court, picnic tables.

## **Waverly Township**

- 1) Waverly Community House, Routes 407 & 632: gymnasium, playground, tennis courts.
- 2) Waverly Municipal Recreation Area, Lake Henry Dr: baseball field, walking trail, pavilion, disc golf.

## **YMCA's**

Carbondale YMCA—82 N. Main St, 570-282-2210.  
Greater Scranton YMCA—706 N. Blakely St, Dunmore, 570-342-8115.

## **Golf Courses**

Elkview Country Club\*  
Country Club Road, Greenfield Twp. 570-222-4555  
Elmhurst Country Club\*  
Gardner Road, Roaring Brook Twp. 570-842-7691  
Glenmaura National Golf Club\*  
Glenmaura National Blvd, Moosic 570-343-4642  
Glen Oak Country Club\*  
Oakford Road, Waverly Twp. 570-586-0946

## Homestead Golf Course

Route 106, Fell Twp. 570-282-5197

## Lakeland Golf Course

Route 107, Benton Twp. 570-945-9983

## Marjon Golf Course

Griffin Road, Roaring Brook Twp. 570-842-7922

## Pine Hills Golf Club Course & Par 3 Course

S. Keyser Avenue, Taylor Boro 570-562-0138

## Scott Greens Golf Club

Green Grove Road, Scott Twp. 570-254-6979

## Scranton Country Club\*

Morgan Hwy, Clarks Summit, 570-586-2311

## Skyline Golf Course

Petrilak Road, Greenfield Twp. 570-282-5993

## Sleepy Hollow Golf Course

Sandy Bank Road, Greenfield Twp. 570-254-4653

## Summit Hills Golf Course

Country Club Road, Newton Twp. 570-586-4427

## Thornhurst Country Club\*

Country Club Drive, Thornhurst Twp. 570-472-9521

## Wemberly Hills Golf Course

Club House Lane, Scott Twp. 570-563-1902

Golf Courses followed by an asterisk (\*) are private courses not open to the public.

## **Golf Driving Ranges**

Fawnwood, Forest Glen Dr, Scranton 570-961-0747

Duffer's Driving Range, S. Keyser Ave, Taylor 570-562-0138

## **Miniature Golf**

Idle Hour Lanes (indoor), Scranton-Carbondale Hwy, Dickson City 570-489-7526

Lahey Family Fun Park, Rt. 307, S. Abington Twp 570-586-5699

Red Barn Village, Newton/Ransom Blvd, Newton 570-586-8818

## **Picnic Groves**

Hanlon's Grove, Nay Aug Park, Scranton. 570-348-4186

Lake Hideaway, McAndrews Rd, Moscow 570-842-2748

McDonnell's Grove, Petrilak Rd, Greenfield Twp 570-282-7120

Morrison's Grove, Rt. 106, Fell Twp 570-282-6393



Pennbrook Picnic Grove, N. Overbrook Rd, LaPlume Twp 570-945-5529

Takach's Grove, Sandy Bank Rd, Greenfield Twp 570-955-8617

VanFleet's Grove, Winship Rd, Covington Twp 570-842-8866

## Horseback Riding Stables

Aberdeen Stables—715 Aberdeen Rd, Madison Twp, 570-842-0404

Abington Hills Horse Farm—424 E. Main St, Dalton, 570-563-1664

Brookvalley Farm—22 Brookvalley Rd, Fell Twp, 570-499-9089

Easy Street Stables—42 Line Rd, Jefferson Twp, 570-470-6884

FJS Quarter Horses—2012 Laurel Hill Rd, Newton Twp, 570-702-3378

Hidden Hill Stables—1 Barbara Lane, Scott Twp. 570-335-5101

Painted Acres—275 Route 247, Greenfield Twp. 570-282-5577

Woodlands Stables—364 Freytown Rd, Covington Twp. 570-842-3742

## Bowling Lanes

Idle Hour Lanes North—2008 Scranton-Carbondale Hwy, Dickson City 570-489-7526

Idle Hour Lanes South—125 Beech St, Scranton 570-961-5213

Valley Lanes—1 Meredith St, Childs 570-282-3960

## Movies

Cinemark 20 & XD—40 Glenmaura National Blvd, Moosic 570-961-5922

Circle Drive-In—Scranton-Carbondale Hwy, Dickson City 570-489-5731

Regal Dickson City—3909 Commerce Blvd, Dickson City 570-462-7342

## Wineries

Capra Collina Winery—1971 Scranton-Carbondale Hwy, Blakely 570-489-0489 [www.capracollinawinery.com](http://www.capracollinawinery.com)

Case Quattro Winery—1542 Main St, Peckville 570-382-3855 [www.facebook.com](http://www.facebook.com)

Lucchi Family Wine Cellars—134 N. Main Ave, Scranton 570-344-7576 [www.lucchifamilywinecellars.com](http://www.lucchifamilywinecellars.com)

Maiolatesi Wine Cellars—32 Cabernet Dr, Scott Twp 570-254-9977 [www.maiolatesiwines.com](http://www.maiolatesiwines.com)

Mucciolo Family Wines—514 S. Main St, Old Forge 570-766-7071 [www.muccwines.com](http://www.muccwines.com)

RiverView Winery—410 Washington Ave, Jermyn 570-230-6269 [www.riverviewwinery.org](http://www.riverviewwinery.org)

Ritter's Farm Market Winery & Hard Cidery—1459 Mt. Cobb Rd, Jefferson Twp 570-689-5151 [www.rittersfarm-market.com](http://www.rittersfarm-market.com)

Space Time Mead & Cider Works—419 S. Blakely St, Dunmore 570-504-5758 [www.spacetimemeadworks.com](http://www.spacetimemeadworks.com)

Talerico's Tropical Winery—802 S. Main St, Taylor 570-562-6861 [www.talericos-tropical-winery.business.site/?utm\\_source=gmb&utm\\_medium=referral](http://www.talericos-tropical-winery.business.site/?utm_source=gmb&utm_medium=referral)

Wood Winery—3491 Hornbaker Cemetery Rd, Madison Twp. 570-842-6720 [www.woodwines.com](http://www.woodwines.com)

## Farmer's Markets & U-Pick Farms

Abington Farmer's Market—640 Northern Blvd, S. Abington Twp, 570-587-0391

Burke's Maple Farm—1313 Crystal Lake Rd, Fell Twp, 570-222-4075

Carbondale Farmer's Market—185 Fallbrook St, Carbondale 570-346-6203

Co-Op Farmer's Market—900 Barring Ave., Scranton, 570-961-8251

Dunmore Farmer's Market—1414 Monroe Ave, Dunmore 570-207-3969

Flip's Farm Market—3750 Madisonville Rd, Madison Twp 570-842-7330

Great Produce Experience Farm Stand—2130 E. LaPlume Rd, LaPlume 570-575-1420

Hillside Park Farmer's Market—1188 Winola Rd, S. Abington Twp, 570-247-2940

LaCoe's Berry Nice Farm—10038 ValleyView Dr, Newton Twp 570-561-4031

Lakeland Orchard & Cidery—1649 Lakeland Dr, Scott Twp 570-254-6038

Miller's Orchard Farm Market—1421 Fairview Rd, Scott Twp 570-587-3399

Moosic Farmer's Market—200 Montage Mtn. Rd, Moosic 570-343-4700

Mud Pond Farm—830 Amasa Rd, Benton Twp 570-561-4142

Old Forge Farmer's Market—620 S. Main St, Old Forge 570-457-8852

Pallman Farms—1511 Summit Lake Rd, S. Abington Twp  
570-587-3258

Ritter's Farm Markets—1459 Mt. Cobb Rd, Jefferson Twp  
570-689-5151

Roba Family Farms—200 Cranston Ave, N. Abington Twp  
570-563-2904

South Side Farmer's Market—509 Cedar Ave, Scranton  
570-346-6203

Spring Hill Farm—500 Kennedy Creek Rd, N. Abington  
Twp 570-563-1871

## Theaters, Theater Groups & Performing Arts Venues

**Act Out Theatre Group**—an organization focusing on performance and education of the art of musical theatre for ages 4 to 18. 150 E. Grove St, Dunmore. Phone 717-504-0829. [www.actouttheatre.com](http://www.actouttheatre.com)

**Actors Circle at Providence Playhouse**—a quaint playhouse theater dedicated to performing comedies, dramas and original productions. Six shows each season. 1256 Providence Road, Scranton. Phone 570-342-9707. [www.actorscircle.org](http://www.actorscircle.org)

**Ballet Theatre of Scranton**—NEPA's oldest existing performing organization, which includes a Senior, Apprentice, and Children's Company. Productions annually. 310 Penn Ave, Scranton. Phone 570-347-2867. [www.balletscranton.org](http://www.balletscranton.org)

**Broadway Theatre of Northeastern Pennsylvania**—this organization has brought national touring Broadway shows to the Scranton Cultural Center for more than 40 years. 345 N. Washington Ave, Scranton. Phone 570-342-7784. [www.broadwayscranton.com](http://www.broadwayscranton.com)

**Creative & Performing Arts Academy**—provides a quality education in the creative and performing arts for children, teens, and adults. Classes, lessons, shows, and much more. Housed at the former Ritz Theater, 222 Wyoming Ave, Scranton. 570-252-4156. [www.capaa.org](http://www.capaa.org)

**Diva Productions at the Olde Brick Theatre**—nonprofit community theater presenting both original and established works for adults and children. Also hosts musical, literary, and other artistic events. 126 W. Market St, Scranton. Phone 570-209-7766. [www.facebook.com](http://www.facebook.com)

**The Gathering Place**—a new community center that celebrates inclusive partnerships, creativity, education and the arts and a venue for local artists and community groups to learn, create, and share their talents and knowledge in a welcoming, caring community. The new space features an art studio, kitchen that is still under construction, classrooms, and an open area that can accommodate small events, exhibits, and theatrical productions. 304 S. State St, Clarks Summit. Phone 570-563-2403 [www.gathering-place.org](http://www.gathering-place.org)

**Keystone Players**—students and employees of Keystone College, LaPlume, produce one major theater production each semester. [www.keystone.edu](http://www.keystone.edu).

**The Leonard**—Scranton's oldest theater. An historic Vaudeville theater, the facility hosts concerts, performances, parties, and other events. 335-39 Adams Ave, Scranton. Phone 570-906-8228. [www.facebook.com/theleonardtheater/](http://www.facebook.com/theleonardtheater/)

**Marywood University Players**—the theater program of Marywood's Communication Arts department, producing major stage plays each year. [www.marywood.edu](http://www.marywood.edu)

**New Vintage Ensemble**—a collective of actors from Northeastern Pennsylvania dedicated to producing innovative and interactive theater while helping the art community of the Scranton region thrive. [www.newvintageensemble.com](http://www.newvintageensemble.com)

**Our Cabaret Productions**—a professional music and entertainment organization. Anthracite Center, 41 N. Main St, Carbondale. Phone 570-795-9717. [www.facebook.com/OurCabaretLLC/](http://www.facebook.com/OurCabaretLLC/)

**Peoples Security Bank Theater at Lackawanna College**—an elegant 1,000-seat theater in the historic former Scranton Central High School that hosts artistic and cultural events and lectures. 501 Vine St, Scranton. Phone 570-961-7864. [www.lackawanna.edu](http://www.lackawanna.edu)

**Psychic Theater "Haunted!"**—shows year round by reservation at the Houdini Museum. Not for the timid or weak of heart. 1433 N. Main Ave, Scranton. Phone 570-342-5555. [www.pyschictheater.com](http://www.pyschictheater.com)

**Scranton Civic Ballet**—a non-profit organization focused on dance education and performance for children and adults. Annual performances at the Scranton Cultural Center and Theater at North, including the holiday classic, The Nutcracker. 234 Mifflin Ave, Scranton. Phone 570-343-0115. [www.scrantonicvictballet.com](http://www.scrantonicvictballet.com)

**Scranton Public Theatre**—a professional repertory that produces educational, original and important works that stimulate, foster and channel creative performing arts in the region. 570-344-3656 [www.scrantonpublictheatre.com](http://www.scrantonpublictheatre.com)

**Scranton Shakespeare Festival**—a nonprofit organization featuring outdoor productions of Shakespeare performed at Nay Aug Park, bringing free professional theatre to the public. Although the festival's programming has an emphasis on Shakespeare, it also presents a variety of classical and contemporary musicals and plays. Phone 570-230-7277. [www.scrantonshakes.com](http://www.scrantonshakes.com)

**Theater at North**—a fully restored 800-seat venue with cinematic capabilities in the historic former North Scranton Junior High School. Host to a variety of performances, concerts, recitals, lectures, films, and other community and social events. 1539 N. Main Ave, Scranton. Phone 570-800-5020. [www.thetheateratnorth.com](http://www.thetheateratnorth.com)

**University of Scranton Players**—theater creations from students and guest artists. Performing on campus at the Royal Theater. [www.scranton.edu](http://www.scranton.edu).

## Art & Music

**AFA Gallery**—a venue for rotating monthly exhibits of artwork by regional artists. The works of artists from outside this region are also exhibited to broaden the community's exposure to the arts. Other art related events such as workshops, poetry readings, lectures, figure drawing sessions and performance art also take place at the gallery. 514 Lackawanna Ave, Scranton. Phone 570-969-1040. [www.artistsforart.org](http://www.artistsforart.org)

**Arcadia Chorale**—a premier musical organization, serving the region with choral performances of the highest quality for over 30 years. 102 Shady Lane Road, Chinchilla. Phone 570-871-0350. [www.arcadiachorale.org](http://www.arcadiachorale.org)

**ArtWorks Gallery & Studio**—a fully licensed Day Program for individuals with intellectual disabilities and autism, offering waiver eligible services for adults with special needs and immersing people with developmental disabilities into a larger arts community that provide them diverse opportunities for fulfilling lives. 236 Penn Ave, Scranton. Phone 570-207-1815. [www.artworksnepa.com](http://www.artworksnepa.com)

**Arts on Fire Festival**—a celebration of arts, heritage, industry and community in June at the Iron Furnaces in Scranton. 159 Cedar Ave, Scranton. [www.anthracitemuseum.org](http://www.anthracitemuseum.org)

**Catholic Choral Society**—a choral group composed of members from both Luzerne and Lackawanna counties, performing sacred, classical, and secular music at locations in both counties. Phone 570-575-1040. [www.catholicchoralsociety.org](http://www.catholicchoralsociety.org)

**Choral Society of Northeast PA**—the region's largest and most comprehensive community choral organization, bringing performances and education opportunities to singers of all ages. Concerts at various regional venues. 726 N. Irving Ave, Scranton. Phone 570-343-6707. [www.choralsociety.net](http://www.choralsociety.net)

**Classical Guitar Society of NEPA**—founded in 2007, a thriving society, promoting interest in classical guitar through performances, lectures, classes, workshops and networking events. 124 N. Sumner Ave, Scranton.

**Community Concerts at Lackawanna College**—a concert series with a diverse selection of artists from multiple genres at the Peoples Security Bank Theater. 501 Vine St, Scranton. Phone 570-961-7864. [www.lackawanna.edu](http://www.lackawanna.edu)

**First Friday Scranton**—art walks on the first Friday of every month at galleries and businesses in downtown Scranton, featuring paintings, photography, sculptures, music, and performance art. Phone 570-565-9006. [www.firstfridayscranton.com](http://www.firstfridayscranton.com)

**Fringe Festival**—an annual multi-day, multi-venue performing arts festival in downtown Scranton. Theatre, music, dance, film, comedy, puppetry and every other sort of performing-arts production are welcomed on the fringe. Phone 570-591-1282 [www.scrantonfringe.org](http://www.scrantonfringe.org)

**The Lyric Consort**—an eight-voice ensemble that maintains annual concert series at both Wilkes-Barre and Scranton venues. The ensemble's acknowledged mastery of Medieval and Renaissance repertoires has been increasingly balanced by similar success with contemporary vocal works, and the ensemble now regularly premieres new works from the region's finest composers and arrangers. Phone 570-362-0382. [www.lyricconsort.com](http://www.lyricconsort.com)

**Nay Aug Park Concerts**—free public concerts, every Wednesday night during the summer at Scranton's largest park. [www.nayaugpark.org/concerts-directory/](http://www.nayaugpark.org/concerts-directory/)

**Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic**—Scranton/Wilkes-Barre's premier orchestra. Enjoy a variety of brilliant masterworks and pop concerts. Phone 570-270-4444 [www.nepaphil.org/](http://www.nepaphil.org/)

**Scranton Jazz Festival**—festival attracting jazz/blues and world beat artists. First full weekend in August at the Radisson Hotel and numerous downtown venues. Phone 570-575-5282 [www.scrantonjazzfestival.org](http://www.scrantonjazzfestival.org)

## Community & Ethnic Events

**Electric City Craft Brew Fest**— a craft beer festival at Montage Mountain, featuring hand selected craft brews from across the nation, the finest local establishments in the area, and the exclusive VIP Food Pairing Session. Enjoy live entertainment, unique cuisines, shop local vendors. April. [www.montagemountainresorts.com/brewfest](http://www.montagemountainresorts.com/brewfest)

**Felitesse Italian Festival**—an annual ethnic-Italian festival in Old Forge featuring delicious Italian foods and live entertainment. Second weekend in September on 3rd Street. Phone 570-457-3499. [www.felitto.net/en\\_festival.html](http://www.felitto.net/en_festival.html)

**Festival of Ice**—a four-day festival, February in downtown Clarks Summit, sponsored by the Abington Business and Professional Association. Features sparkling ice sculptures and carvings, live music, and special events. Phone 587-9045. [www.theabingtons.org](http://www.theabingtons.org).

**Greek Food Festival**—June. A little taste of Greek with home-made specialties. Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church, 505 N. Washington Ave, Scranton. Phone 342-0566. [www.facebook.com](http://www.facebook.com)

**Lackawanna County Heritage Fair**—early June at Montage Mountain, showcasing the heritage of Lackawanna County. Rides, amusements and plenty of food vendors on site. [www.lackawannacountyheritagefairs.com](http://www.lackawannacountyheritagefairs.com)

**LaFesta Italiana**—a three-day, Labor Day weekend festival on Courthouse Square in Scranton featuring Italian foods, music, arts and crafts. [www.lafestaitaliana.org](http://www.lafestaitaliana.org).

**Moscow Country Street Fair**—early August, downtown Moscow, with arts and crafts, food vendors, businesses participating, musicians, quilt show, car show, and parade. Phone 570-687-8307. [www.northpoconoculturalsociety.org](http://www.northpoconoculturalsociety.org)

**NEPA Spring Wine Fest**—May, at Montage Mountain, featuring several Pennsylvania Wineries to sample from paired along with live entertainment, unique cuisines, and retail vendors. May. [www.montagemountainresorts.com/springwinefest](http://www.montagemountainresorts.com/springwinefest)

**Pioneer Nights Heritage Festival**—August, celebrate Carbondale's heritage with a weekend of food, crafts, and entertainment. Carbondale Pioneer Nights is a downtown street festival with great food, live music, history, art, children's activities and more. Phone 570-282-4044. [www.facebook.com/CarbondalePioneerNights](http://www.facebook.com/CarbondalePioneerNights)

**Rhythm & Brews Festival**—November, at Montage Mountain. Live music by several local groups and craft brews, seltzer and cider sampling from over 40 breweries. [www.montagemountainresorts.com/rhythmandbrews](http://www.montagemountainresorts.com/rhythmandbrews)

**Saint Ann's Solemn Novena**—July. Started in 1905, this week of worship to the mother of Mary has grown to be one of the largest novenas in the world. Daily masses held outside and in the sanctuary. Located at Saint Ann's Basilica, Saint Ann's Street, West Scranton. Phone 570-941-0100.

**Saint Joseph's Festival**—a weekend festival held every July, featuring foods, games, and small rides, it benefits the St. Joseph's Center for mentally- and physically-disabled children. Held on the center's grounds at 2010 Adams Avenue in the Green Ridge Section of Scranton. Phone 342-8379. [www.stjosephscenter.org/events/summerfestival](http://www.stjosephscenter.org/events/summerfestival)

**Saint Ubaldo Day Race of the Saints**—late May in Jessup. Celebrate an Italian heritage with the traditional race through the streets of the town, honoring the patron saint of Gubbio, Italy. Activities follow the race. Phone 561-8670 [www.stubaldosociety.org](http://www.stubaldosociety.org)

**Scranton Ice Festival**—The Scranton Ice Festival transforms Downtown Scranton into the coolest place in Lackawanna County. Stroll through downtown to see numerous ice sculptures, ice sculpting demonstrations, musical acts, and vendors. Enjoy family-friendly activities and support our small businesses! [www.visitnepa.org](http://www.visitnepa.org)

**Villa Capri Cruisers Father's Day Car Show**—June, Nay Aug Park, Scranton. Antique, classic, and special interest cars on display, food and entertainment. Benefits Make a Child Smile foundation. Phone 842-2736 [www.villacapricruisers.com](http://www.villacapricruisers.com).



**Volunteer Fire Company Annual Carnivals/Picnics**—May thru August. Several volunteer fire companies in the county hold annual carnivals/picnics as fundraisers. They are Jessup Hose Co #2 (May); Whites Crossing Hose Co, Jefferson Twp Vol Fire Co, Elmhurst/Roaring Brook Vol Fire Co, Throop Hose Co (June); Covington Ind Fire Co, Dalton Fire Co, William Walker Hose Co (July); Dickson City Eagle Hose Co, Spring Brook Vol Fire Co (August).

**Waverly Community House “At the Comm” Annual Events**—several events scheduled annually at this historic center in Waverly, including the Waverly Antique Show, Artisans Marketplace, House & Garden Show, and Waverly Waddle. Phone 570-586-8191. [www.waverlycomm.orag](http://www.waverlycomm.orag)

### Historical Activities, Events, & Tours

**Destination Freedom: Underground Railroad Walking Tour of Waverly**—This tour sponsored by the Waverly Community House examines the complex history of a small village centered around its role in the Underground Railroad. It is the only program centered around the Underground Railroad and local Civil War-era history of its kind in the area. The tour has been accepted into the National Park Service’s Underground Railroad Network to Freedom. [www.waverlywalkingtours.com](http://www.waverlywalkingtours.com).

**Dunmore Cemetery Tour**—join the Dearly Departed Players on a wonderful walk through history in the borough. October. Phone 570-344-3819. [www.facebook.com/TheDunmoreCemeteryTour](http://www.facebook.com/TheDunmoreCemeteryTour)

**Historic Scranton Walking Tour**—a brochure-guided tour, highlighting the historic and architecturally significant sites within the downtown Scranton area. [www.lhva.org](http://www.lhva.org)

**Piecing Together the Past**—a geo-tour of historic sites in the Lackawanna Valley that takes participants on a geo-caching hunt of 12 historic sites in Scranton. [www.lhva.org](http://www.lhva.org)

**Railfest Scranton**—visiting railroad equipment, excursions and special exhibit programs. June at Steamtown National Historic Site. [www.nps.gov/stea](http://www.nps.gov/stea)

**Scranton Ghost Walk**—ghost walking tours highlighting downtown Scranton’s grisly past. Learn why Scranton has been called one of the most haunted cities in the country. Reservation only. Phone 570-383-1821 <https://www.facebook.com/Scranton-Ghost-Walk-190810224358352>

### Holiday Events

**Bonfire at the Iron Furnaces**—a premier fall festival. Ceremonial lighting of the bonfire, entertainment, food, drinks, and arts and crafts. Iron Furnaces Park, Cedar Ave, Scranton. [www.anthracitemuseum.org](http://www.anthracitemuseum.org)

**Carbondale Lighted Christmas Parade**—lighted holiday parade. First Saturday in December, downtown Carbondale. [www.carbondalechamber.org](http://www.carbondalechamber.org)

**Carbondale Lighted St. Patrick’s Parade**—lighted St. Patrick’s Day parade, Friday night before the Scranton parade, downtown Carbondale. [www.carbondalechamber.org](http://www.carbondalechamber.org)

**Christmas in a Small Town Santa Train**—December, sponsored by the Lackawanna Heritage Valley Authority. The train, carrying Santa and his friends, travels the Lackawanna Valley greeting children with stops in Carbondale, Archbald, Jessup, Olyphant, Dickson City, and Steamtown National Historic Site. Families can enjoy refreshments, live entertainment and special activities at each site. [www.lhva.org](http://www.lhva.org)

**Festival of Trees**—December. The Magic of Christmas comes alive with dozens of festively decorated trees and holiday exhibits. Electric City Trolley Museum. [www.ectma.org](http://www.ectma.org)

**Holiday Light Spectacular**—Nay Aug Park, Thanksgiving to early January. Enjoy the area’s premier holiday lights display as you drive or walk through Scranton’s largest park. [www.scrantonpa.gov](http://www.scrantonpa.gov)

**Lackawanna Winter Market**—first weekend in December, on Courthouse Square, featuring 54 local craft vendors, music by local musicians, and a host of other events. [www.scrantonpa.gov/event/lackawanna-winter-market-weekend](http://www.scrantonpa.gov/event/lackawanna-winter-market-weekend)

**Russian Christmas in Moscow**—January 7. Celebrate an old-fashion Julian Calendar Christmas in the borough that shares its name with the Russian capital. A daylong event featuring local artists, musicians, and artisans displaying and performing events in venues throughout the borough. [www.northpoconoculturalsociety.org](http://www.northpoconoculturalsociety.org)

**Santa Parade**—late November, sponsored by the Greater Scranton Jaycees, featuring marching bands, floats and a visit from old St. Nick. Downtown Scranton. [www.scrantonjaycees.org](http://www.scrantonjaycees.org)



**Scrantastic Spectacular**—Fourth of July celebration, featuring food, games, entertainment, live music, and culminating with a fireworks display choreographed to music at dusk. Courthouse Square, Scranton. [www.scrantonspectacular.com](http://www.scrantonspectacular.com)

**Scranton St. Patrick's Parade**—March, the Saturday before St. Patrick's Day. The second largest St. Pat's Day parade in the US, featuring floats, mummers, high school bands, and local groups. Downtown Scranton. [www.stpatparade.com](http://www.stpatparade.com)

**Snow Forge**—the borough of Old Forge becomes "Snow" Forge in early December to celebrate the holiday season. Events include a tree lighting, pictures with Santa, horse-drawn wagon rides, storytime trolley rides, face painting, ornament making, and live music. Old Forge borough building grounds, Main Street. [www.facebook.com](http://www.facebook.com)

## Outdoor Recreation

**Bike Lackawanna**— Bike Lackawanna is a free bike share program managed by the Lackawanna Heritage Valley. The program is open to anyone age 16 or older with a valid Driver's License or state photo ID. It's easy to participate. Simply present your photo ID to a program administrator at any BikeScranton location, and enjoy your ride! [www.bikescranton.com](http://www.bikescranton.com)

**Electric City Classic**—late August, the event features the Electric City Classic Criterium in downtown Scranton and the Classic Hill Climb. [www.electriccityclassic.org](http://www.electriccityclassic.org)

**Heritage Explorer Bike Tour & Festival**—a fun, family-friendly event on the Lackawanna River Heritage Trail. The bike tour travels through 17 municipalities. Begins at Blakely Borough Park in Peckville. June. [www.heritageexplorer.org](http://www.heritageexplorer.org)

**Lackawanna County Parks & Recreation Events**—the county parks department sponsors several clinics and events annually. These include clinics for golf, basketball, gymnastics, tennis, and soccer. Other events include fishing derby, bocce tournament, golf tournaments, and cross country race. Phone 570-963-6764. [www.lackawannacounty.org](http://www.lackawannacounty.org)

**Northeast PA Heart Walk**— the American Heart Association's premiere event that brings communities together to raise funds and celebrate progress in the fight against this country's No. 1 and No. 5 killers, heart disease and stroke. Late April, PNC Field, Moosic. [www.heart.org](http://www.heart.org)

**Race for the Cure**—the NEPA Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation annual 5K run/walk or 1-mile fun walk. September, downtown Scranton. Phone 570-969-6072.

**Riverfest**—September, three Lackawanna River events under the umbrella of Riverfest, sponsored by the Lackawanna River Conservation Association. Canoe-a-thon race from the Mid-Valley to Sweeney's Beach Recreational Area in Scranton; Duck-a-thon and Regatta. Live music, food, vendors, educational displays. Phone 570-207-7609. [www.lrca.org](http://www.lrca.org)

**Scranton Half-Marathon**—April, beginning and ending at Valor Credit Union Field at Memorial Stadium, this event gives runners of all backgrounds and ability levels the opportunity to experience the City of Scranton from a unique perspective. Proceeds benefit the continued development of the Lackawanna River Heritage Trail. [www.scrantonhalf.com](http://www.scrantonhalf.com)

**ShiverFest**—January, extreme kayak and canoe paddle, sponsored by the Lackawanna River Conservation Association. A day of exercise and fun, ShiverFest draws the community outdoors during the cold winter to celebrate the valley and the river that runs through it. [www.lrca.org](http://www.lrca.org)

**Steamtown Marathon**—an annual marathon held the Sunday before Columbus Day. The point-to-point course starts at Forest City Regional High School in Forest City and passes through 13 Lackawanna Valley communities before finishing at Courthouse Square in downtown Scranton. Benefits the children and residents of St. Joseph's Center. [www.steamtownmarathon.com](http://www.steamtownmarathon.com)

**Tour de Scranton**—September, an annual non-competitive bike ride for riders of all ages and skill levels. Selection of routes and distances. Benefits the Erin Jessica Moreken Drug & Alcohol Treatment Fund. [www.tourdescranton.com](http://www.tourdescranton.com)

## Professional Spectator Sports

**Scranton/Wilkes-Barre RailRiders**—New York Yankees International League Triple-A baseball team, playing at PNC Field in Moosic. Phone 570-969-2255. [www.milb.com/scranton-wb](http://www.milb.com/scranton-wb)

**Wilkes-Barre/Scranton Penguins**—farm team of the Pittsburgh Penguins in the American Hockey League, playing at Mohegan Sun Arena at Casey Plaza, Wilkes-Barre. Phone 570-208-7367. [www.wbspenguins.com](http://www.wbspenguins.com)

## Lackawanna County Library System - [www.lclshome.org](http://www.lclshome.org)

**Scranton Public Library  
Albright Memorial Library**  
500 Vine St.  
Scranton, PA 18509  
570-348-3000

**Scranton Public Library  
Nancy K. Holmes Branch**  
Green Ridge St. & Wyoming Ave.  
Scranton, PA 18509  
570-347-5513

**Scranton Public Library  
Library Express**  
The Marketplace at Steamtown  
Scranton, PA 18503  
570-558-1670

**Abington Community Library**  
1200 W. Grove St.  
Clarks Summit, PA 18411  
570-587-3440

**Carbondale Public Library**  
5 N. Main St.  
Carbondale, PA 18407  
570-282-4281

**Dalton Community Library**  
113 E. Main St.  
Dalton, PA 18414  
570-563-2014

**Lackawanna County Children's Library**  
520 Vine St.  
Scranton, PA 18509  
570-348-3000 ext. 3015

**Lackawanna County Bookmobile**  
570-348-3000 ext. 3041

**North Pocono Public Library**  
1315 Church St.  
Moscow, PA 18444  
570-842-4700

**Taylor Community Library**  
710 S. Main St.  
Taylor, PA 18517  
570-562-3180

**Valley Community Library**  
739 River St.  
Peckville, PA 18452  
570-489-1765

**Library Administrator**  
Mary Garm  
520 Vine Street  
Scranton PA 18509  
570-348-3003

The 11 libraries within the county system provide free access to books and services as well as state-wide access to member libraries in the Access Pennsylvania system. Each library offers special services, a great variety of books, videos, and audios. Library hours and information on special features can be obtained by calling any of the libraries listed above.

**Other Libraries**  
Waverly Memorial Library  
1115 N. Abington Rd.  
Waverly, PA 18471

**Law Libraries**  
Lackawanna County Bar Association Library

**Academic Libraries**  
Murphy Memorial Library (Clarks Summit Univ)  
Johnson College  
Miller Library (Keystone College)  
Seeley Memorial Library (Lackawanna College)  
Marywood University  
Weinberg Memorial Library (Univ of Scranton)  
Penn State - Scranton Campus

# Shopping Centers

**SCRANTON CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT** consists of a 25-square-block area including parts of Spruce, Linden, and Mulberry Streets, and Lackawanna, Adams, Jefferson, North Washington, Wyoming, and Penn Avenues. Concentrated commercial areas are also located in nearly all the City's neighborhoods.

**CARBONDALE CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT** consists of a 9-square-block area including Main, Church, and River Streets, Park Place, and sections of Lincoln, Salem, 6th, 7th, and 8th Avenues.

**CLARKS SUMMIT CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT** consists of an 11-block area along North and South State Streets through the borough.

**DUNMORE CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT** consists of a 7-block area along Blakely Street from Cherry Street to Harper Street, and a 2-block area along East Drinker Street from Blakely Street to Harper Street.

**OLD FORGE CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT** "The Pizza Capital of the World" consists of a 15-block area along North and South Main Streets from the Taylor borough line to Bridge Street.

**OLYPHANT CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT** consists of a 5-block area along W. Lackawanna Avenue from the Lackawanna River east to N. Valley and Garfield Avenues.

There are also concentrated shopping/business areas in the following communities: Archbald/Eynon, Peckville, Covington Twp, Dalton, Dickson City, Jefferson Twp, Jermyrn, Jessup, Moosic, Moscow, Scott Twp, Taylor, and Throop.



## Major Shopping Plazas and Malls

**Abington Shopping Center**—Routes 6 & 11, Clarks Summit (Brown's Gym)

**Bell Mountain Village**—Route 6, Dickson City (Wegman's)

**Bill's Plaza**—Route 502, Covington Township (ShopRite Market, Ace Hardware)

**Carbondale Plaza**—Brooklyn St./Bus. Route 6, Carbondale (Weis Market)

**Dickson City Commons**—Commerce Blvd, Dickson City (Target, Marshall's, Michael's)

**Dickson City Crossings**—Viewmont Dr & Commerce Blvd, Dickson City (Burlington, TJ Maxx, Home Depot)

**Dunmore Shopping Center**—O'Neill Hwy., Dunmore (Big Lots, Advance Auto Parts)

**Green Ridge Plaza**—Green Ridge St., Scranton (Giant, Planet Fitness)

**Keyser Oak Shopping Center**—Keyser Ave., North Scranton (Ollies, Gerrity's)

**Marketplace at Steamtown**—Lackawanna Ave., Scranton (Boscov's, Crunch)

**Shoppes at Montage**—Glenmaura National Blvd, Moosic (65 marquee name shops & restaurants)

**South Side Station**—S. Washington Ave, South Scranton (CTown)

**Summit Square**—Old Lackawanna Trail, Clarks Summit (Gerrity's)

**Sunset Crossings**—Main Ave., Dickson City (Giant)

**Taylor Commons**—N. Main Ave., Taylor (Walmart)

**Walmart Supercenter**—Commerce Blvd, Dickson City (Walmart)

**Viewmont Mall**—Bus Route 6 at I-81, Dickson City/Scranton (Macy's, JCPenney, Dick's Sporting Goods/Field & Stream)

In addition, major strip-commercial areas are located along:

**BUSINESS ROUTE 6 (SCRANTON-CARBONDALE HWY)** between Scranton and Carbondale

**VIEWMONT DRIVE & COMMERCE BOULEVARD** in Dickson City

**ROUTES 6 & 11 (NORTHERN BOULEVARD)** in South Abington Township







# Town Lines

A Directory of Lackawanna County Municipalities



2022-23



# Municipalities Directory

## Information pertaining to the following 40 Pages

**Density/Sq. Mi** = 2020 Census Population ÷ Square Miles.

**Low/High Elevations** are taken from the USGS 7.5 Quadrangle Maps and from TopoUSA Computer Mapping Software. Where actual elevations were not indicated on the maps, high and low elevations were approximated to nearest contour.

**N/A** means that position or body does not exist in the municipality.

**N/I** means that the municipality did not provide the appropriate information.

**Comprehensive Plans** GFC 1994 = Greater Forest City Area Comprehensive Plan; CR = Carbondale Regional Comprehensive Plan; JMS = Jefferson-Madison-Salem Regional Comprehensive Plan; SAPA = Scranton-Abingtons Regional Plan.

**Uniform Construction Code** is the statewide building code (Act 45 of 1999) enacted by the General Assembly, which took effect on April 9, 2004. Municipalities that “opt-in” administer the code through their own certified building construction officer or third-party entity. Municipalities that “opt-out” place administration of the code between building applicants and third-party entities for residential construction and between the Dept. of Labor and Industry, applicants, and third-party entities for industrial and commercial construction.

**Civilian Labor Force** is “employed” and “unemployed” people excluding members of the U.S. Armed Forces.

**Households** are defined by the Census Bureau as “including all the people who occupy a housing unit.”

**Housing Units** are defined by the Census Bureau as “a house, an apartment, a group of rooms, or a single room occupied or intended for occupancy as separate living quarters. Separate living quarters are those in which the occupants live separately from any other individuals in the building and which have direct access from outside the building or through a common hall.

**Mean Family Income** is the total family income divided by the total number of families.

**Median Age/Median Home Value** divides the category into two equal parts. Half are below; half are above.

**Number of Building Permits** was obtained by a survey sent to each municipality. Some figures may include additions and renovations as well as new construction.

**Per Capita Income** is determined by total income divided by total population.

**Tax Millage/Assessment Values** Information on how to calculate real-estate taxes using millage and assessment values is found on Page 31.

**Local Services Tax** formerly known as the Occupational Privilege Tax prior to 2005. \$5.00 of the total tax is allocated to the local school district, if the district approved the tax. If the total tax is \$5.00, the entire amount is allocated to the local school district.

**US Post Offices** followed by an asterisk (\*) provide PO Boxes only and do not deliver to individual homes or businesses.

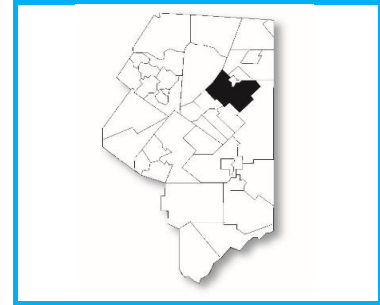
# Archbald Borough

**2020 Pop:** 7,297  
**Square Miles:** 16.9  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 432  
**School District:** Valley View

**Low Elevation:** 850  
**Location:** Lackawanna River  
**High Elevation:** 2,040  
**Location:** Carey Mountain

**Mailing Address:** 400 Church Street  
Archbald, PA 18403

**Phone:** 570-876-1800  
**Fax:** 570-876-5518  
**Email:** rturlip@archbaldboroughpa.gov  
**Website:** www.archbaldboroughpa.gov



**Office Hours:** M-F, 7:30 AM to 4:00 PM

## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Robert Turlip  
**Mayor:** Shirley Barrett  
**Solicitor:** James O'Connor, Esq.  
**Engineer:** KBA Engineering  
**Tax Collector:** Katie Grogan Noldy  
**SEO:** Dave Lamereaux  
**Zoning Officer:** Brian Dulay

**Council:**  
David Moran, President  
Michael Ossont  
Erin Owen  
Tom Mancuso  
Laura Lewis  
Brian Gilgallon  
Francis Burke

**Planning Commission:**  
Edward Hughes, Chair  
Scott Gilliland  
Paul Memo  
Robert Nolan Sr.  
Brian Gilgallon  
Walter Loff Jr.  
John Mazza

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Tom Picchini, Chair  
John Shnipes Sr.  
Donal Muchal Jr.  
Kim Simon  
Tom Aniska  
C.J. Mustacchio, Sol.

**Building Inspector:** Brian Dulay

**Comp Plan:** 2/17/1999  
**Zoning:** 5/21/2003  
**SALDO:** 8/21/2002  
**FEMA#:** 420524

**Municipal Meeting:**  
3rd Wednesday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
1st Wednesday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Census Tract(s):** 1111

**PA Classification:** Urban

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 1,672  
**Pop over 65:** 1,212  
**% HS Grads:** 93  
**% College Grads:** 26.1  
**Households:** 2,873  
**Median Age:** 43.3  
**#1 Ancestry:** Italian  
**Ave. Household:** 2.44  
**% Minority Pop:** 7.2

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$29,085  
**Median Household Income:** \$53,628  
**Median Family Income:** \$68,456  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 3,730  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 12.8  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 25 mills  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$71,368,606  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Archbald 18403  
Jermyn 18433  
Olyphant 18447

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 3,278  
**Vacant Units:** 246  
**Owner Occupied:** 2,010  
**Renter Occupied:** 863  
**Median Home Value:** \$170,700  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,204  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$815  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 24

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Archbald Borough Police  
**Police Chief:** Timothy Trenley  
**Fire:** Archbald Hose Co. #1,  
Black Diamond Hose Co. #2  
Eynon-Sturges Hose Co. # 3, East Side Hose Co. # 4  
**Fire Chief:** Robert Harvey  
**Ambulance:** Archbald Community Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** Mark Trently

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 17.83  
**County Roads:** 2.4  
**Local Roads:** 35.77

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Eynon, Sturges, Nebraska, Number Five Hill, Goers Hill, Dutch Hill, Riverside, Frogtown, Kennedy Estates, Hills of Archbald, Loral Estates, Valley Highlands, Fairview, Bel Air Estates, Rushbrook Acres, Woods Edge, Clover Leaf, Highlands at Archbald

# Benton Township

**2020 Pop:** 1,726  
**Square Miles:** 26  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 66  
**School District:** Lackawanna Trail

**Mailing Address:** PO Box 29  
Fleetville, PA 18420

**Office Hours:** M-F, 9 AM to 1 PM  
or by appointment

**Low Elevation:** 760  
**Location:** Tunkhannock Creek E. Branch  
**High Elevation:** 1,513  
**Location:** Finn Hill

**Phone:** 570-563-2661  
**Fax:** 570-563-2664  
**Email:** pat\_saxton@epix.net  
**Website:** www.bentontwppa.org



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Mary Pat Saxton

**Mayor:** N/A

**Solicitor:** Danielle Mulcahey, Esq.

**Engineer:** N/A

**Tax Collector:** Sarah Debree

**SEO:** Osbert Patton

**Zoning Officer:** Robert Chase

**Building Inspector:** Building Inspection Underwriters

**Board of Supervisors:**

Larry Seymour, Chair

Bonnie Rosiak

David Grunza

**Planning Commission:**

Caroline Seamans, Chair

Courtney Prokopchuk

David Johnson

Robert Sayers

Bonnie Rosiak

Mimi Seymour

**Zoning Hearing Board:**

John Seamans, Chair

Mark Volk

**Comp Plan:** None

**Zoning:** 1/14/2003

**SALDO:** 1/14/2003

**FEMA#:** 421749

**Census Tract(s):** 1102.01

**PA Classification:** Rural

**Municipal Meeting:**

1st Wednesday, 7:00 PM, Community Ctr

**Planning Commission Meeting:**

4th Monday, 7:00 PM, Community Ctr

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 102

**Pop over 65:** 99

**% HS Grads:** 95

**% College Grads:** 27.2

**Households:** 781

**Median Age:** 55.3

**#1 Ancestry:** Irish

**Ave. Household:** 2.28

**% Minority Pop:** 5.9

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$34,117

**Median Household Income:** \$61,964

**Median Family Income:** \$76,625

**Civilian Labor Force:** 841

**% Pop below poverty level:** 7.6

**2022 Tax Millage:** 9 mills

**2022 Assessment Value:** \$17,193,714

**Local Services Tax:** \$0

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Dalton 18414

Nicholson 18446

Factoryville 18419

Fleetville 18420

Jermyn 18433

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 994

**Vacant Units:** 268

**Owner Occupied:** 724

**Renter Occupied:** 57

**Median Home Value:** \$206,000

**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,474

**Median Monthly Rent:** \$673

**#1 Heating Fuel:** Oil

**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier

**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 4

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** PA State Police

**Police Chief:** N/A

**Fire:** Fleetville Vol. Fire Co.

**Fire Chief:** Anthony Saxton

**Ambulance:** Dalton Vol. Ambulance/ Factoryville Vol. Ambulance

**EMA Coordinator:** Gregg Barber

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 30.70 mi

**County Roads:** 0

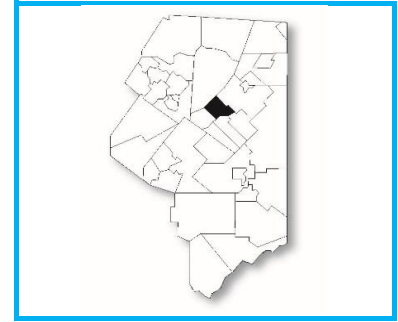
**Twp Roads:** 31.29 mi

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Amasa, Bassett Pond, Baylors Lake, Benton Hills MHP, Deer Lake, East Benton, Fleetville, Kochners Corners, Lake Kewanee, Lake Sheridan, Marshbrook, Skyline Estates, Smith Corners, Wallsville, Worth Church



# Blakely Borough



**2020 Pop:** 6,657  
**Square Miles:** 3.9  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 1,707  
**School District:** Valley View

**Mailing Address:** 1439 Main Street  
PO Box 146  
Peckville, PA 18452

**Office Hours:** M-F, 8 AM to 4 PM

**Low Elevation:** 760  
**Location:** Lackawanna River

**High Elevation:** 2,020  
**Location:** Scott Twp. line

**Phone:** 570-383-3340  
**Fax:** 570-383-3353  
**Email:** blakelyborough@blakelyborough.org  
**Website:** www.blakelyborough.com

## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

<b>Contact:</b> Christopher Paone	<b>Council:</b>	<b>Planning Commission:</b>	<b>Zoning Hearing Board:</b>
<b>Mayor:</b> Jeanette Acciare-Mariani	Louis Parri, President	Chester Merli, Chair	Lloyd Swoyer, Chair
<b>Solicitor:</b> Abrahamsen Conaboy Abrahamsen	Edward Alco, Jr.	Paul Memo	Doug Clark
<b>Engineer:</b> Colwell-Naegele Associates	Patrick Zwanch	Robert Polidori	James Randalunas
<b>Tax Collector:</b> Debbie Rotell	Michael Henzes	Frank Archer	Keith Mercatili, Alt
<b>SEO:</b> Gary Wilding	Jeffrey Cruciani	Joseph Cavagnaro	Joseph Paparelli, Sol
<b>Zoning Officer:</b> Christopher Paone	Kevin Swift	Louis Parri	
	Joseph Munley	David Burak, Sec.	

**Building Inspector:** Northeast Inspection Consultants

**Comp Plan:** 10/2005  
**Zoning:** 2/20/2017  
**SALDO:** 5/20/2002  
**FEMA#:** 420525

**Census Tract(s):** 1112  
**PA Classification:** Urban

**Municipal Meeting:**  
3rd Monday, 6:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
1st Monday, 6:00PM, Municipal Bldg

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 807  
**Pop over 65:** 2,303  
**% HS Grads:** 94.9  
**% College Grads:** 24.1  
**Households:** 3,086  
**Median Age:** 56.9  
**#1 Ancestry:** Polish  
**Ave. Household:** 1.92  
**% Minority Pop:** 9.1

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$29,854  
**Median Household Income:** \$51,170  
**Median Family Income:** \$74,383  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 3,192  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 6.3  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 0 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$40,710,521  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Olyphant 18447  
Peckville 18452

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 3,095  
**Vacant Units:** 233  
**Owner Occupied:** 2,268  
**Renter Occupied:** 818  
**Median Home Value:** \$149,000  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,160  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$864  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 5

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Blakey Borough Police  
**Police Chief:** Guy Salerno  
**Fire:** Wilson Hose Co #1/Blakely Hose Co #2  
**Fire Chief:** Jason Leri/Kevin Kearney  
**Ambulance:** Blakely-Peckville Community Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** Christopher Paone

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 5.49  
**County Roads:** 2.5  
**Local Roads:** 23.86

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Blakely, Blakely Heights, Breaside, Hilltop Acres, Peckville, Prospect Hill, Vista Creek, White Birch Acres, Hill Park, Riverbend, Oakdale Terrace, Timber Falls

# City of Carbondale

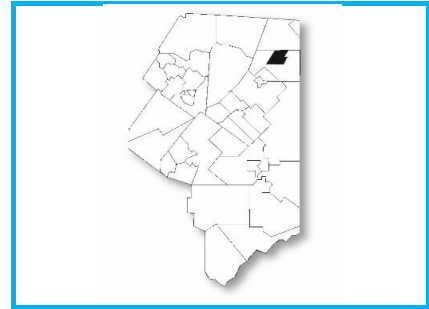
**2020 Pop:** 8,828  
**Square Miles:** 3.2  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 2,759  
**School District:** Carbondale Area

**Mailing Address:** 1 North Main Street  
Carbondale, PA 18407

**Office Hours:** M-F, 9 AM to 4 PM

**Low Elevation:** 1,050  
**Location:** Lackawanna River  
**High Elevation:** 1,515  
**Location:** City line near Casey Highway

**Phone:** 570-282-4633  
**Fax:** 570-282-2131  
**Email:** mbannon@icontech.com  
**Website:** www.carbondalepa.org



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

<b>Contact:</b> Michele Bannon	<b>Council:</b>	<b>Planning Commission:</b>	<b>Zoning Hearing Board:</b>
<b>Mayor:</b> Justin Taylor	Joseph Marzzacco, President	James Kelly, Chair	Joseph Kapalko, Chair
<b>Solicitor:</b> Frank Ruggiero, Esq.	Jerry Arnese	Kathy Saslo	Diane Kurlanski
<b>Engineer:</b> KBA Engineering	Joseph Connor	Thomas Voglino	Patty McHale
<b>Tax Collector:</b> Thomas Rainey	Mary Lagana		Robert Storm
<b>SEO:</b> KBA Engineering	Walter Martzen		Michele Cigna
<b>Zoning Officer:</b> Michele Bannon	John Masco		Joseph McGraw, Sol
	Joseph McDonald		

**Building Inspector:** Building Inspection Underwriters /Northeast Inspection Consultants

**Comp Plan:** 8/18/2003

**Zoning:** 1/19/2004

**SALDO:** 12/20/1999

**FEMA#:** 420526

**Census Tract(s):** 1107-1109

**PA Classification:** Urban

**Municipal Meeting:**

3rd Monday, 6:00 PM, City Hall

**Planning Commission Meeting:**

2nd Tuesday, 6:00 PM, City Hall

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 1,625  
**Pop over 65:** 2,002  
**% HS Grads:** 87.4  
**% College Grads:** 12.5  
**Households:** 3,905  
**Median Age:** 44.2  
**#1 Ancestry:** Irish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.1  
**% Minority Pop:** 12.2

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$26,387  
**Median Household Income:** \$42,618  
**Median Family Income:** \$55,043  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 3,667  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 24.8  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 32 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$46,122,334  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Carbondale 18407

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 4,214  
**Vacant Units:** 479  
**Owner Occupied:** 2,158  
**Renter Occupied:** 1,747  
**Median Home Value:** \$97,500  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$972  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$710  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 2

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Carbondale Police Depart.  
**Police Chief:** Brian Bognatz  
**Fire:** Carbondale Fire Dept.  
Mitchell Hose Co. #1, Cottage Hose Co. #2  
Columbia Hose Co. #5  
**Fire Chief:** Vacant  
**Ambulance:** Cottage Hose Co Ambulance

**EMA Coordinator:** Tim Baron

## ROAD SYSTEM

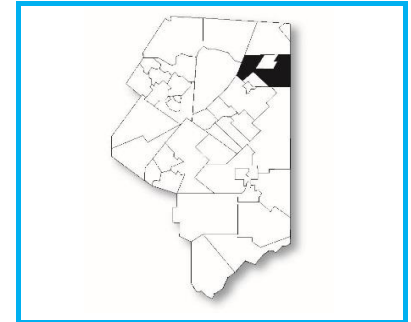
**State Roads:** 10.16  
**County Roads:** 0.6  
**Local Roads:** 28.28

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

West Side, Kelly Heights, North Side, South Side, East Side, Peach Hill, Russell Park, The Bush



# Carbondale Township



**2020 Pop:** 1,125  
**Square Miles:** 14.3  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 79  
**School District:** Lakeland

**Mailing Address:** 103 School Street  
Childs, PA 18407

**Office Hours:** M-F, 9 AM- 5 PM

**Low Elevation:** 1,020  
**Location:** Lackawanna River

**High Elevation:** 2,240  
**Location:** Salem Mountain

**Phone:** 570-282-5112  
**Fax:** None  
**Email:** catanzarol@yahoo.com  
**Website:** None

## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

<b>Contact:</b> Lawrence Catanzaro	<b>Board of Supervisors:</b>	<b>Planning Commission:</b>	<b>Zoning Hearing Board:</b>
<b>Mayor:</b> N/A	Paul Figliomeni, Chair	Louis Norella, III, Chair	Michael Figliomeni, Chair
<b>Solicitor:</b> Michael Krushinski, Esq.	Richard Colosimo	Walter Wormuth	Jennifer Krzan
<b>Engineer:</b> Louis Norella, III	Frank Lapka	Walter Vosefski	Dave Brownell
<b>Tax Collector:</b> Mary Ann Gonsauls		Darren Smith	Frank Ruggiero, Sol.
<b>SEO:</b> Chris Martin		Thomas Prawdzik	
<b>Zoning Officer:</b> Walter Wormuth		John Uram	

**Building Inspector:** Building Inspection Underwriters/Northeast Inspection Consultants

<b>Comp Plan:</b> 6/5/2003	<b>Municipal Meeting:</b>	<b>Planning Commission Meeting:</b>
<b>Zoning:</b> 6/5/2003	1st Thursday, 7:30 PM, Meredith Hose Co.	3rd Tuesday, 7 PM, Whites Crossing Hose Co.
<b>SALDO:</b> 5/1/2003		
<b>FEMA#:</b> 421750		
<b>Census Tract(s):</b> 1106		
<b>PA Classification:</b> Urban		

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 191  
**Pop over 65:** 199  
**% HS Grads:** 96.8  
**% College Grads:** 29.4  
**Households:** 445  
**Median Age:** 47.2  
**#1 Ancestry:** Italian  
**Ave. Household:** 2.36  
**% Minority Pop:** 5.2

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$30,984  
**Median Household Income:** \$59,974  
**Median Family Income:** \$72,917  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 571  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 8.7  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 14 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$8,618,762  
**Local Services Tax:** \$10

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Carbondale 18407  
Jermyn 18433

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 509  
**Vacant Units:** 30  
**Owner Occupied:** 367  
**Renter Occupied:** 78  
**Median Home Value:** \$140,100  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,373  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$851  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas

**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021** N/I

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Carbondale Twp Police  
**Police Chief:** Richard Russian  
**Fire:** Meredith Hose Co.  
White Crossing Hose Co.  
**Fire Chief:** Joseph Wahy, Jr.  
**Ambulance:** Cottage Hose Co Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** John Cummings

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 12.5  
**County Roads:** 1.1  
**Twp Roads:** 4.77

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Applewood Acres, Brookside Estates, Childs, Rushbrook, Salem Mountain, The Bush, Whites Crossing

# Clarks Green Borough

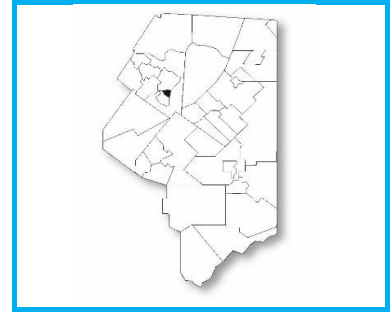
**2020 Pop:** 1,524  
**Square Miles:** 0.6  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 2,540  
**School District:** Abington Heights

**Mailing Address:** 104 North Abington Road  
Clarks Green, PA 18411

**Office Hours:** M- F, 9 AM to 3 PM

**Low Elevation:** 1,255  
**Location:** Crest Drive  
**High Elevation:** 1,525  
**Location:** Harvard Avenue

**Phone:** 570-586-4446  
**Fax:** 570-586-6896  
**Email:** jculbertson@clarksgreen.info  
**Website:** www.clarksgreen.info



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Joanne Culbertson  
**Mayor:** Joseph Barrasse  
**Solicitor:** Al Weinschenk, Esq.  
**Engineer:** Colwell-Naegele  
**Tax Collector:** Mary O'Brien  
**SEO:** N/A  
**Zoning Officer:** George Parker  
**Building Inspector:** BIU

**Comp Plan:** 12/14/2009  
**Zoning:** 4/13/1998  
**SALDO:** 12/11/1972  
**FEMA#:** 422454

**Census Tract(s):** 1104.01 & .03  
**PA Classification:** Urban

**Council:**  
David Rinaldi, President  
Keith Williams  
Courtney Wanchisen  
James Curran  
M.J. Igoe  
William Toms  
William Egan

**Municipal Meeting:**  
3rd Wednesday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission:**  
Ken McGraw, Chair  
Ryan Campbell  
William Toms  
Joe Dougherty  
Rosalie Warner, Sec.

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Ronald Leas, Chair  
Murray Glick  
James Gillotti  
Ed Krowiak, Sol.

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
As needed

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 244  
**Pop over 65:** 322  
**% HS Grads:** 96.6  
**% College Grads:** 55.7  
**Households:** 571  
**Median Age:** 47.6  
**#1 Ancestry:** Irish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.26  
**% Minority Pop:** 8.9

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Clarks Summit Police  
**Police Chief:** Chris Yarns  
**Fire:** Clarks Summit Vol Fire Co.  
**Fire Chief:** Jay Miller  
**Ambulance:** Clarks Summit Vol Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** James Waters

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$46,450  
**Median Household Income:** \$88,750  
**Median Family Income:** \$119,444  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 674  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 1.9  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 15 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$15,271,087  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 2  
**County Roads:** 0  
**Local Roads:** 6.33

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Abington Hills, Birchwood, Clarks Green Terrace, College Park  
Deacons Green, Green Hills, Pine View, Sherwood Acres

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Clarks Summit 18411

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 624  
**Vacant Units:** 28  
**Owner Occupied:** 522  
**Renter Occupied:** 49  
**Median Home Value:** \$228,500  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,670  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$1,102  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 0

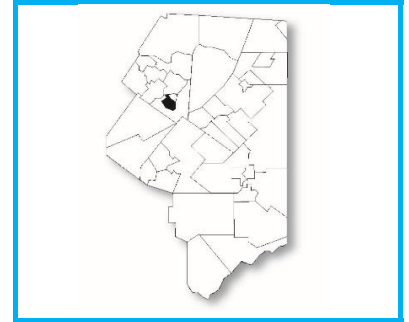
# Clarks Summit Borough

**2020 Pop:** 5,107  
**Square Miles:** 1.6  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 3,192  
**School District:** Abington Heights

**Low Elevation:** 1,140  
**Location:** Routes 6 & 11  
**High Elevation:** 1,510  
**Location:** Oakmont Rd & Sunset St

**Mailing Address:** 304 South State Street  
Clarks Summit, PA 18411

**Phone:** 570-586-9316  
**Fax:** 570-586-3024  
**Email:** [manager@clarkssummitpa.gov](mailto:manager@clarkssummitpa.gov)  
**Website:** [www.clarkssummitboro.org](http://www.clarkssummitboro.org)



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

<b>Contact:</b> Virginia Kehoe	<b>Council:</b>	<b>Planning Commission:</b>	<b>Zoning Hearing Board:</b>
<b>Mayor:</b> Harry Kelley	Germaine Carey, President	John Durdan, Chair	John Jeffrey, Chair
<b>Solicitor:</b> Mariclare Hayes	David Jenkins	Ed Yasinskas	Geoff Brock
<b>Engineer:</b> Colwell-Naegele	Roni Lopez	Bill Burnell	Bruce Arrowood
<b>Tax Collector:</b> Shirley Skinner	Robert Sheils III	John Kazista	Sarah Dawgert, Alt
<b>SEO:</b> Gary Wilding	Kathleen Simrell	Carol Rubel	Bob Shields, Jr, Sol.
<b>Zoning Officer:</b> Jenn Basalyga	Frank Besten	Mike Cawley, Sol.	
	Josh Mitchell		

**Building Inspector:** Building Inspection Underwriters/Northeast Inspection Consultants

**Comp Plan:** 12/2/2009

**Zoning:** 1/30/2002

**SALDO:** 3/7/2012

**FEMA#:** 420527

**Census Tract(s):** 1105

**PA Classification:** Urban

**Municipal Meeting:**

1st Wednesday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**

3rd Wednesday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 961  
**Pop over 65:** 1,191  
**% HS Grads:** 94.6  
**% College Grads:** 46.1  
**Households:** 2,197  
**Median Age:** 46.3  
**#1 Ancestry:** Irish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.22  
**% Minority Pop:** 8.2

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$42,356  
**Median Household Income:** \$80,014  
**Median Family Income:** \$88,558  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 2,736  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 8.5  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 31.75 mills  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$45,363,420  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Clarks Summit 18411

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 2,359  
**Vacant Units:** 140  
**Owner Occupied:** 1,710  
**Renter Occupied:** 487  
**Median Home Value:** \$191,200  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,492  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$795  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1960-69  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 1

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Clarks Summit Police  
**Police Chief:** Chris Yarns  
**Fire:** Clarks Summit Vol. Fire Co.  
**Fire Chief:** Jay Miller  
**Ambulance:** Clarks Summit Vol. Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** Artie Frank

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 4.12  
**County Roads:** 0  
**Local Roads:** 25.16

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Crestwood Acres, Crestwood Park, Fairview Park, Fieldstone Estates, Floral Park, Grandview Park, Haven Heights, Maple Park, Oakmont Terrace, Quackenbush Estates, Summit Park, Sunset Acres, Taroli Estates, Woodlawn Park, Woodridge, Woodside

# Clifton Township

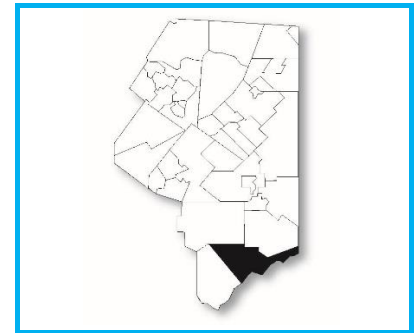
**2020 Pop:** 1,493  
**Square Miles:** 20.5  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 73  
**School District:** North Pocono

**Low Elevation:** 1,560  
**Location:** Lehigh River  
**High Elevation:** 2,160  
**Location:** Pathers Hill

**Mailing Address:** 361 State Route 435  
Clifton Twp, PA 18424

**Phone:** 570-842-4272  
**Fax:** 570-842-2608  
**Email:** clftwp@ptd.net  
**Website:** www.clifftontownship.org

**Office Hours:** M-F, 10 AM to 5 PM  
Closed Wednesday



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Vacant  
**Mayor:** N/A  
**Solicitor:** Robert Sayers, Esq.  
**Engineer:** Lou LaFratte  
**Tax Collector:** Susan Grab  
**SEO:** Gary Enslin  
**Zoning Officer:** Ron Donati

**Board of Supervisors:**  
Ted Stout, Chairman  
Richard Grab  
June Ejk

**Planning Commission:**  
Greg Werner, Chair  
James Henson  
Lou Casagrande

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Wayne Fiene, Chair  
William Stocoski, Jr  
Lynn Lindner  
H. Clark Connor, Sol.

**Building Inspector:** Building Inspection Underwriters

**Comp Plan:** 5/13/2010  
**Zoning:** 11/18/1989  
**SALDO:** 11/10/2011  
**FEMA#:** 421751

**Municipal Meeting:**  
2nd Thursday, 7 PM, Municipal Bldg.

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
As needed, 4th Wednesday, 7 PM  
Municipal Bldg.

**Census Tract(s):** 1129  
**PA Classification:** Rural

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 157  
**Pop over 65:** 304  
**% HS Grads:** 94.4  
**% College Grads:** 18.5  
**Households:** 580  
**Median Age:** 54.5  
**#1 Ancestry:** Irish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.19  
**% Minority Pop:** 10.1

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$30,962  
**Median Household Income:** \$53,056  
**Median Family Income:** \$73,000  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 650  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 8.5  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 6 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$28,715,909  
**Local Services Tax:** \$0

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Gouldsboro 18424

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 1,272  
**Vacant Units:** 642  
**Owner Occupied:** 511  
**Renter Occupied:** 69  
**Median Home Value:** \$159,800  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,305  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$1,107  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Electricity  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1990-99  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** N/I

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** PA State Police  
**Police Chief:**  
**Fire:** Gouldsboro Vol. Fire Co.  
Thornhurst Vol. Fire Co.

**Fire Chief:** Dave Miller (GVFC); David McFadden (TVFC)  
**Ambulance:** Gouldsboro Vol. Ambulance/Thornhurst Vol. Ambulance

**EMA Coordinator:** Joshua Smith

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 11.68  
**County Roads:** 0  
**Twp Roads:** 4.58

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Big Bass Lake, Clifton, Clifton Beach MHP, Skylark MHP



# Covington Township

**2020 Pop:** 2,198

**Square Miles:** 23.8

**Density/Sq. Mi:** 92

**School District:** North Pocono

**Mailing Address:** 20 Moffat Drive

Covington Township, PA 18444

**Office Hours:** M-F 8 AM to 4 PM

**Low Elevation:** 1,500

**Location:** Roaring Brook

**High Elevation:** 2,120

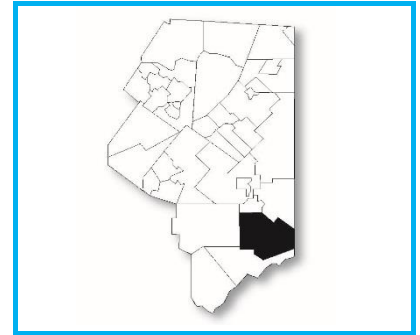
**Location:** Wayne County line

**Phone:** 570-842-8336

**Fax:** 570-842-2144

**Email:** office@covingtontwp.org

**Website:** www.covingtontwp.org



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Melinda Musso

**Mayor:** N/A

**Solicitor:** Joel Wolff, Esq.

**Engineer:** ESC Design

**Tax Collector:** Kate Tierney

**SEO:** Gary Enslin

**Zoning Officer:** Ron Donati

**Building Inspector:** David Lamm

**Comp Plan:** 7/31/2007

**Zoning:** 2/6/2007

**SALDO:** 11/2/2015

**FEMA#:** 422455

**Census Tract(s):** 1129

**PA Classification:** Rural

### Board of Supervisors:

Melissa Kearney, Chairman

Vicki Williams

F. Marshall Pierce

William Willson

Wanda Andreoli

### Planning Commission:

Robert Oltmann, Chair

Paul Schneider

Jason Zielinski

David Hess

Chett Havenstrite, Jr.

Tiffany Moore, Sec.

A. James Hailstone, Esq.

### Zoning Hearing Board:

Glenn Khoury, Chair

Adelaide White

Roslyn Davis

Scott VanFleet, Alt.

Thomas Quinnan, Alt.

Daniel Penetar III, Sol.

### Municipal Meeting:

1st Tuesday, 7:00 PM, Moffat Estate

### Planning Commission Meeting:

3rd Wednesday, 7:00 PM, Moffat Estate

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 495

**Pop over 65:** 483

**% HS Grads:** 94.9

**% College Grads:** 27.1

**Households:** 868

**Median Age:** 42.5

**#1 Ancestry:** German

**Ave. Household:** 2.46

**% Minority Pop:** 8.5

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$34,426

**Median Household Income:** \$64,851

**Median Family Income:** \$80,688

**Civilian Labor Force:** 1053

**% Pop below poverty level:** 7

**2022 Tax Millage:** 10.25 mils

**2022 Assessment Value:** \$63,663,841

**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Gouldsboro 18424

Moscow 18444

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 984

**Vacant Units:** 138

**Owner Occupied:** 740

**Renter Occupied:** 128

**Median Home Value:** \$235,100

**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,699

**Median Monthly Rent:** \$762

**#1 Heating Fuel:** Oil

**Majority of Structures Built:** 1970-1979

**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 7

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Covington Twp Police

**Police Chief:** Robert Bastek

**Fire:** Covington Ind Fire Co

**Fire Chief:** Brad Jones

**Ambulance:** Covington Vol Ambulance

**EMA Coordinator:** William Willson

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 25.18

**County Roads:** 0

**Twp Roads:** 25.2

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Covington Lakes, Daleville, Eagle Lake, Fells Corners, Foleywood, Freytown

Glen Meadows, Golden Oaks, Hollisters, Independence Ridge, Lehigh, Skyline Acres,

Turnersville





# Dalton Borough

**2020 Pop:** 1,284

**Square Miles:** 3.3

**Density/Sq. Mi:** 389

**School District:** Lackawanna Trail

**Mailing Address:** 105 West Main Street  
Dalton, PA 18414

**Office Hours:** M- F, 9 AM to 4 PM

**Low Elevation:** 940

**Location:** Creek at LaPlume Twp line

**High Elevation:** 1,340

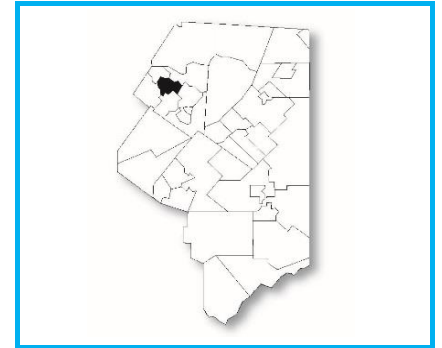
**Location:** Lily Lake Road

**Phone:** 570-563-1800

**Fax:** 570-563-2219

**Email:** office@daltonboro.com

**Website:** www.daltonboro.com



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Laura Kinney

**Mayor:** Aaron Holzman

**Solicitor:** Frank Bolock, Esq.

**Engineer:** John Seamans

**Tax Collector:** Marie Brandt

**SEO:** Gary Wilding

**Zoning Officer:** Richard Sopko

**Council:**

William Brandt, President

Leonard Peters

Elizabeth Bonczar

Albert Propst

Lori Swanchak

Jared Gard

Brian Malamud

**Planning Commission:**

Beverly Flanagan, Chair

Albert Propst

Christopher Russell

Heather Burke

Elizabeth Bonczar

Ned Clarke

Bill Guest, Sec.

**Zoning Hearing Board:**

Thomas O'Malley, Chair

Marianne Dettore

Mary Jane Peters

Mike Cowley, Sol.

**Building Inspector:** Barry Isett & Associates

**Comp Plan:** 12/30/2009

**Zoning:** 11/13/2003

**SALDO:** 6/9/2005

**FEMA#:** 420998

**Census Tract(s):** 1103

**PA Classification:** Urban

**Municipal Meeting:**

2nd Thursday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**

4th Monday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 261

**Pop over 65:** 331

**% HS Grads:** 98.3

**% College Grads:** 49

**Households:** 561

**Median Age:** 48.8

**#1 Ancestry:** Irish

**Ave. Household:** 2.32

**% Minority Pop:** 5.7

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$39,582

**Median Household Income:** \$75,625

**Median Family Income:** \$82,917

**Civilian Labor Force:** 681

**% Pop below poverty level:** 5.4

**2022 Tax Millage:** 37.7 mils

**2022 Assessment Value:** \$10,108,658

**Local Services Tax:** \$0

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Dalton 18414

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 574

**Vacant Units:** 48

**Owner Occupied:** 409

**Renter Occupied:** 152

**Median Home Value:** \$201,100

**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,598

**Median Monthly Rent:** \$1,014

**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas

**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier

**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 4

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Dalton Police

**Police Chief:** Christopher Tolson

**Fire:** Dalton Volunteer Fire Co.

**Fire Chief:** Donald Stacknick, Sr.

**Ambulance:** Dalton Vol Ambulance

**EMA Coordinator:** Mark Sujkowski

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 7.27

**County Roads:** 0

**Local Roads:** 8.2

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Hillside Garden, Huntington Woods



# Dickson City Borough

**2020 Pop:** 6,038  
**Square Miles:** 4.7  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 1,285  
**School District:** Mid Valley

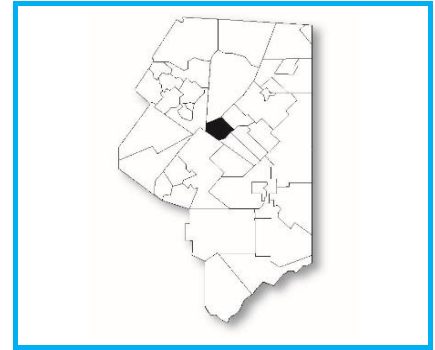
**Mailing Address:** 901 Enterprise Street  
Dickson City, PA 18519

**Office Hours:** M-F, 8 AM to 4 PM

**Low Elevation:** 750  
**Location:** Lackawanna River

**High Elevation:** 1,920  
**Location:** Bell Mountain

**Phone:** 570-489-4758  
**Fax:** 570-383-7302  
**Email:** dicksoncityborough@yahoo.com  
**Website:** www.dicksoncityborough.org



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

<b>Contact:</b> Cesare Forconi	<b>Council:</b>	<b>Planning Commission:</b>	<b>Zoning Hearing Board:</b>
<b>Mayor:</b> Robert MacCallum	Jeff Kovaleski, President	Mike Fedorka, Chair	Fred Kohl, Chair
<b>Solicitor:</b> William Jones, Esq.	Robert Hall	Bob Hall	James Shuta
<b>Engineer:</b> KBA Engineering	Rick Cesari	Juan Mendez	Vince DeAngelo
<b>Tax Collector:</b> Jerri Prushinski	Jack Horvath	Jeanette Goyne	Chris Szweczyk, Sol.
<b>SEO:</b> Gary Wilding	Georgia Adamitis	Jay Dembeski	
<b>Zoning Officer:</b> James Damski	Michael Fedorka	John Gavern	
	Stan Prushinski	Rich Grabowski	
		Chris Szweczyk, Sol.	

**Building Inspector:** BIU and NEIC

**Comp Plan:** 12/9/1997  
**Zoning:** 11/13/2002  
**SALDO:** 10/8/2013  
**FEMA#:** 420528  
**Census Tract(s):** 1115-16  
**PA Classification:** Urban

**Municipal Meeting:**  
2nd Tuesday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
Last Tuesday, 5:30 PM, Municipal Bldg

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 1,293  
**Pop over 65:** 1,174  
**% HS Grads:** 90.2  
**% College Grads:** 22.5  
**Households:** 2,526  
**Median Age:** 43.2  
**#1 Ancestry:** Polish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.27  
**% Minority Pop:** 10.9

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$30,388  
**Median Household Income:** \$57,698  
**Median Family Income:** \$62,672  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 2,951  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 12  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 26 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$73,557,921  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Olyphant 18447  
Scranton 18508  
Dickson City 18519

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 2,993  
**Vacant Units:** 261  
**Owner Occupied:** 1,605  
**Renter Occupied:** 921  
**Median Home Value:** \$144,000  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,342  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$782  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 0

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Dickson City Police  
**Police Chief:** William Bilinski  
**Fire:** Eagle Hose Co. # 1  
**Fire Chief:** Matt Horvath  
**Ambulance:** Private Service  
**EMA Coordinator:** John Wallo

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 4.46  
**County Roads:** 2.1  
**Local Roads:** 22.65

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Bell Mountain, Boulevard, Breaker Creek Park, City Line, Dickson, Fairway Estates, Hufnagle Flats, Laurel Creek Estates, Miles Plot, Priceburg, The Hills, Viewmont Estates, Westwind Manor



# Dunmore Borough

**2020 Pop:** 14,042

**Square Miles:** 8.9

**Density/Sq. Mi:** 1,578

**School District:** Dunmore

**Mailing Address:** 400 South Blakely Street  
Dunmore, PA 18512

**Office Hours:** M-F, 8 AM to 4 PM

**Low Elevation:** 760

**Location:** Poplar Street

**High Elevation:** 1,920

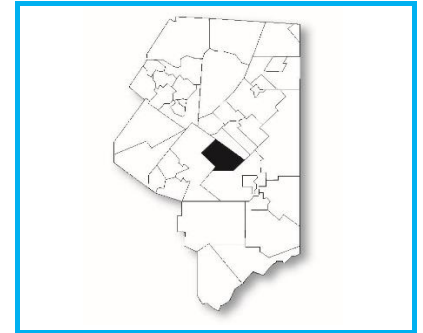
**Location:** Throop/Roaring Brook line

**Phone:** 570-343-7611

**Fax:** 570-343-8107

**Email:** Vito.Ruggiero@DunmorePA.gov

**Website:** www.DunmorePA.gov



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Vito Ruggiero

**Mayor:** Mark "Max" Conway, Jr.

**Solicitor:** Michael Perry, Esq.

**Engineer:** Reuther + Bowen

**Tax Collector:** Michael Ruddy

**SEO:** Joseph Lorince

**Zoning Officer:** Joseph Lorince

**Building Inspector:** NEIC

**Council:**

Vincent Amico, President

Thomas Hallinan

Michael Dempsey, Esq.

William O'Malley

Beth Zangardi

Janet Brier

Katherine Oven

**Planning Commission:**

Al Senofonte, Chair

Gary Duncan

Joe Grochowski

Dino Darbenzio

Thomas Pichiarella

Thomas Pinto

Chris Massaro

Michael Cosgrove, Sol.

**Zoning Hearing Board:**

Gerard Longo, Chair

Robert Cuff

Terry McDonnell

Peter Sabia Jr.

Steve Yanisko

Molly Dempsey Clark, Sol.

**Comp Plan:** 12/28/2009

**Zoning:** 8/23/2000

**SALDO:** 11/29/2000

**FEMA#:** 420529

**Census Tract(s):** 1120-23

**PA Classification:** Urban

**Municipal Meeting:**

2nd and 4th Mondays, 6 PM, Community Center

**Planning Commission Meeting:**

1st Thursday, 7 PM, Community Center

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 2,234

**Pop over 65:** 2,647

**% HS Grads:** 94.3

**% College Grads:** 35.1

**Households:** 5,534

**Median Age:** 41.5

**#1 Ancestry:** Italian

**Ave. Household:** 2.2

**% Minority Pop:** 12.2

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$34,042

**Median Household Income:** \$60,068

**Median Family Income:** \$82,784

**Civilian Labor Force:** 6,751

**% Pop below poverty level:** 9.6

**2022 Tax Millage:** 44 mils

**2022 Assessment Value:** \$109,413,018

**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Moscow 18444

Dunmore 18512

Scranton 18505

Scranton 18509

Scranton 18510

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 6,618

**Vacant Units:** 592

**Owner Occupied:** 3,412

**Renter Occupied:** 2,122

**Median Home Value:** \$162,300

**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,395

**Median Monthly Rent:** \$803

**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas

**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier

**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 5

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Dunmore Borough Police

**Police Chief:** Salvatore Marchese

**Fire:** Dunmore Fire Department

**Fire Chief:** Christopher DeNaples

**Ambulance:** Private Service

**EMA Coordinator:** Gregory Wolff

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 14.04

**County Roads:** 1.27

**Local Roads:** 52.29

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Bunker Hill, Dundell, Dunmore Corners, Hollywood, Mount Margaret, Naphin Hill,

Number Six Hill, Petersburg, Quality Gill, Sport Hill



# Elmhurst Township

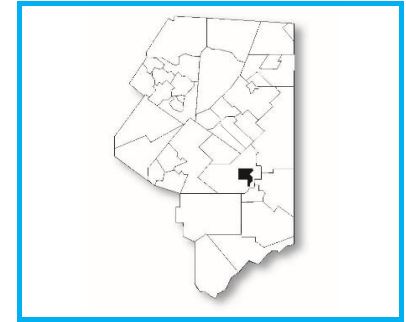
**2020 Pop:** 842  
**Square Miles:** 2  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 562  
**School District:** North Pocono

**Mailing Address:** 112 Municipal Lane  
Elmhurst Twp, PA 18444

**Office Hours:** M- Th, 9 AM to 2 PM (Closed Fri)

**Low Elevation:** 1,330  
**Location:** Roaring Brook  
**High Elevation:** 1,700  
**Location:** South Street

**Phone:** 570-842-9999  
**Fax:** 570-842-9124  
**Email:** elmhursttownship@comcast.net  
**Website:** None



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Doreen Salt  
**Mayor:** N/A  
**Solicitor:** John Mercuri, Esq.  
**Engineer:** Reuther + Bowen  
**Tax Collector:** Patrick McLaine  
**SEO:** Paul Kosik  
**Zoning Officer:** Richard Miller  
**Building Inspector:** Building Inspection Underwriters

**Board of Supervisors:**  
Merle Lyon, Chair  
Robert Parkins  
Warren Kramer

**Planning Commission:**  
Marie Geiser  
William Durdon  
Jeffrey Mead

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Robert Hawk, Chair  
Judy Smith  
  
Joseph O'Brien, Sol.

**Comp Plan:** 3/3/2011  
**Zoning:** 10/6/2011  
**SALDO:** 5/2/2013  
**FEMA#:** 421752

**Municipal Meeting:**  
1st Thursday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
4th Monday, 7:30 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Census Tract(s):** 1118  
**PA Classification:** Rural

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 194  
**Pop over 65:** 411  
**% HS Grads:** 91.1  
**% College Grads:** 35.3  
**Households:** 368  
**Median Age:** 47.4  
**#1 Ancestry:** Italian  
**Ave. Household:** 2.46  
**% Minority Pop:** 6.3

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$31,261  
**Median Household Income:** \$63,125  
**Median Family Income:** \$77,292  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 444  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 5.9  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 15.5 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$6,577,756  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Moscow 18444

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 368  
**Vacant Units:** 53  
**Owner Occupied:** 258  
**Renter Occupied:** 110  
**Median Home Value:** \$208,300  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,417  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$1,150  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Oil  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 1

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Roaring Brook Township Police  
**Police Chief:** Donald Hickey  
**Fire:** Elmhurst-Roaring Brook Vol. Fire Co.  
**Fire Chief:** Rich Motichka  
**Ambulance:** Moscow Vol. Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** Merle Lyon

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 3.54  
**County Roads:** 0.6  
**Twp Roads:** 8.83

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Elmwood Estates, Miller Heights

# Fell Township

**2020 Pop:** 2,338

**Square Miles:** 15.5

**Density/Sq. Mi:** 151

**School District:** Carbondale Area

**Mailing Address:** 1 Veterans Road  
Simpson, PA 18407

**Office Hours:** MWThF, 9 AM to 4 PM; Tu 9-2:30

**Low Elevation:** 1,100

**Location:** Lackawanna River

**High Elevation:** 2,154

**Location:** Blueberry Hill

**Phone:** 570-282-0321

**Fax:** None

**Email:** felltownship1@gmail.com

**Website:** www.felltownship.com



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Jennifer Carachilo

**Mayor:** N/A

**Solicitor:** Walter Casper, Esq.

**Engineer:** KBA

**Tax Collector:** Carol Barrese

**SEO:** N/I

**Zoning Officer:** Joe Unis, Jr.

**Board of Supervisors:**

Andy Gorel, Chair

Dale Ulmer

Mike Kielar

**Planning Commission:**

Bob Tomaine, Chair

Nicolette Gauthier

Sharon Gauthier

Mariann Wiggins

Melvin Borosky

**Zoning Hearing Board:**

Joseph Scotchlas, Chair

Jeremy Fedorchak

Vincent Barrese

Leslie Mazza

Bonnie Burch

Ed Neyhart, Sol.

**Building Inspector:** Northeast Inspection Consultants

**Comp Plan:** 2003

**Zoning:** 11/2/2020

**SALDO:** 4/3/2000

**FEMA#:** 421753

**Census Tract(s):** 1101

**PA Classification:** Urban

**Municipal Meeting:**

1st Monday, 7 PM. Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**

Last Tuesday, 7 PM, Municipal Bldg

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 382

**Pop over 65:** 369

**% HS Grads:** 93.5

**% College Grads:** 22.1

**Households:** 833

**Median Age:** 45.3

**#1 Ancestry:** Irish

**Ave. Household:** 2.26

**% Minority Pop:** 8.3

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$28,258

**Median Household Income:** \$48,688

**Median Family Income:** \$69,063

**Civilian Labor Force:** 946

**% Pop below poverty level:** 16.5

**2022 Tax Millage:** 12.1 mils

**2022 Assessment Value:** \$16,091,494

**Local Services Tax:** \$10

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Carbondale 18407

Forest City 18421

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 1,163

**Vacant Units:** 172

**Owner Occupied:** 660

**Renter Occupied:** 173

**Median Home Value:** \$118,200

**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,226

**Median Monthly Rent:** \$775

**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas

**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier

**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** N/I

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Carbondale Police Dept

**Police Chief:** Brian Bognatz

**Fire:** Grattan-Singer Hose Co.

**Fire Chief:** Peter Saltisak

**Ambulance:** Cottage Hose Ambulance

Forest City Area Ambulance

**EMA Coordinator:** N/I

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 20

**County Roads:** 0

**Twp Roads:** 16.86

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Blueberry Hill, Coalbrook, Crystal Lake, Crystal Lake Forest, Fallbrook, Richmondale, Simpson, Valley View Terrace





# Glenburn Township

**2020 Pop:** 1,434  
**Square Miles:** 5.1  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 281  
**School District:** Abington Heights

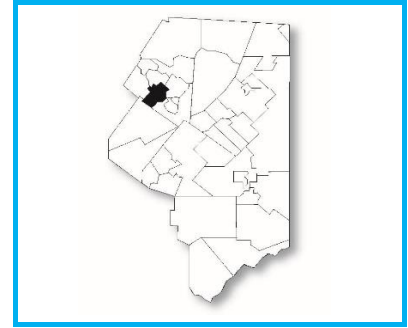
**Mailing Address:** 3110 Waterford Rd, PO Box 694  
Dalton, PA 18414

**Office Hours:** M-Th, 9 AM to 12 PM  
Closed Friday

**Low Elevation:** 980  
**Location:** Glenburn Pond Creek

**High Elevation:** 1,380  
**Location:** Captain White Hill

**Phone:** 570-563-1177  
**Fax:** 570-563-2250  
**Email:** glenburntpw@comcast.net  
**Website:** www.glenburntpw.org



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

<b>Contact:</b> Bernadette Menendez	<b>Board of Supervisors:</b>	<b>Planning Commission:</b>	<b>Zoning Hearing Board:</b>
<b>Mayor:</b> N/A	Jim Davis, Chair	Tom Wicks, Chair	Donald Webster, Chair
<b>Solicitor:</b> Grace Doherty Hillebrand, Esq.	Bill Wicks	Michael Johnson	Tim McCoy
<b>Engineer:</b> BCM-Zachary Smith	Matt Keisling	Peter Smith	Dan Farnham
<b>Tax Collector:</b> Susan D'Amato		Darlene Sholcosky	Jay Miller
<b>SEO:</b> Dave Lamereaux		Michael Williamson	Robert Shields III, Sol
<b>Zoning Officer:</b> Tom Wicks		Beth Scialpi	
<b>Building Inspector:</b> Building Inspection Underwriters Northeast Inspection Consultants		Thad Kenny	

<b>Comp Plan:</b> 12/21/2009	<b>Municipal Meeting:</b>	<b>Planning Commission Meeting:</b>
<b>Zoning:</b> 3/30/2001	3rd Wednesday, 7 PM, Municipal Bldg	1st Wednesday, 7 PM, as needed, Municipal Bldg
<b>SALDO:</b> 11/10/2004		
<b>FEMA#:</b> 421754		
<b>Census Tract(s):</b> 1103		
<b>PA Classification:</b> Urban		

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 294  
**Pop over 65:** 300  
**% HS Grads:** 90.2  
**% College Grads:** 35.1  
**Households:** 541  
**Median Age:** 40  
**#1 Ancestry:** Italian  
**Ave. Household:** 2.41  
**% Minority Pop:** 9.7

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$46,482  
**Median Household Income:** \$65,875  
**Median Family Income:** \$74,659  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 647  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 6.2  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 6.5 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$14,724,554  
**Local Services Tax:** \$10

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Clarks Summit 18411  
Dalton 18414

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 610  
**Vacant Units:** 49  
**Owner Occupied:** 406  
**Renter Occupied:** 135  
**Median Home Value:** \$254,200  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,818  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$981  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1990-99  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 1

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Waverly Township Police  
**Police Chief:** Ken James  
**Fire:** Clarks Summit Vol Fire Co.  
Dalton Vol Fire Co  
**Fire Chief:** Jay Miller/Don Stacknick  
**Ambulance:** Clarks Summit Vol Ambulance  
Dalton Vol Ambulance

**EMA Coordinator:** Ken James

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 9.99  
**County Roads:** 0  
**Twp Roads:** 8.86

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Edgewood MHP, Glenburn Park, Glenburn Terrace, Knollwood, Ledgewood, Meadowside, Oakford Glen, Oakford Woods, South Ackerly, Spicebush Acres, Summerfield Village, Windemere



# Greenfield Township

**2020 Pop:** 2,260  
**Square Miles:** 22.4  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 101  
**School District:** Lakeland

**Mailing Address:** 424 State Route 106  
Greenfield Twp, PA 18407

**Office Hours:** By Appointment Only

**Low Elevation:** 1,100  
**Location:** Tunkhannock Creek S. Branch  
**High Elevation:** 1,780  
**Location:** Crystal Lake Boulevard

**Phone:** 570-282-7000  
**Fax:** 570-282-7013  
**Email:** supervisor@greenfieldtownship.org  
**Website:** greenfieldtownshipsupervisors.org



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Chaz Brewer  
**Mayor:** N/A  
**Solicitor:** Walter Casper, Jr, Esq.  
**Engineer:** KBA Engineering  
**Tax Collector:** Donald Flynn, Sr  
**SEO:** Justin Ford

**Zoning Officer:** NEIC  
**Building Inspector:** NEIC

**Board of Supervisors:**  
Susanne Totsky, Chair  
Mike Mancuso  
Joseph Slebodnik

**Planning Commission:**  
Joseph Slebodnik, Chair  
Stan Wiersbecki  
Ken Kurtz  
Tina Zuk  
Kevin Klum

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Howard Evans, Chair  
Kim Fortuner  
Joe Graziano  
James Corey

**Comp Plan:** 5/5/1981  
**Zoning:** 3/5/1999  
**SALDO:** 10/3/2000  
**FEMA#:** 422456  
**Census Tract(s):** 1102.01  
**PA Classification:** Rural

**Municipal Meeting:**  
1st Tuesday, 8 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
1st Tuesday, 7 PM, Municipal Bldg

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 591  
**Pop over 65:** 421  
**% HS Grads:** 96.5  
**% College Grads:** 42.8  
**Households:** 1,006  
**Median Age:** 42.1  
**#1 Ancestry:** Irish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.55  
**% Minority Pop:** 3.8

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$42,289  
**Median Household Income:** \$69,528  
**Median Family Income:** \$85,136  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 1,340  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 8.2  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 17 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$20,863,666  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Carbondale 18407  
Jermyn 18433

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 1,062  
**Vacant Units:** 158  
**Owner Occupied:** 830  
**Renter Occupied:** 176  
**Median Home Value:** \$184,500  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,507  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$1,015  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Bottled Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1970-1979  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 11

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Greenfield Twp Police  
**Police Chief:** Jeff Martin  
**Fire:** Greenfield Twp Vol. Fire Co.  
**Fire Chief:** Kyle Durko  
**Ambulance:** Greenfield Vol. Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** Charles Lubash

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 25.88  
**County Roads:** 0  
**Twp Roads:** 30.32

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Crystal Lake, Davidson Corners, Finch Hill, Finch Hill MHP, Lake Point Estates, Lake View Estates, Malwood, Newton Lake, Spedding Farms, Spencers Corners, Tompkinsville



# Jefferson Township

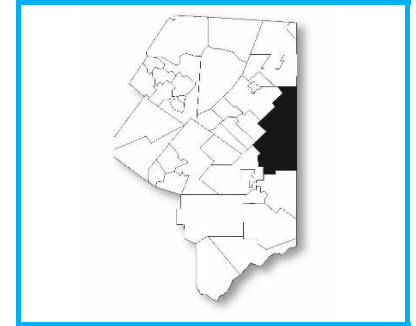
**2020 Pop:** 3,765  
**Square Miles:** 34.7  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 109  
**School District:** North Pocono

**Mailing Address:** 487 Cortez Road  
Jefferson Twp, PA 18436

**Office Hours:** M-F, 8 AM to 4 PM

**Low Elevation:** 1,430  
**Location:** W. Branch Wallenpaupack Creek  
**High Elevation:** 2,323  
**Location:** Moosic Mountain

**Phone:** 570-689-7028  
**Fax:** 570-689-7863  
**Email:** info@jeffersontownship.com  
**Website:** www.jeffersontownship.com



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

<b>Contact:</b> Coleen Watt <b>Mayor:</b> N/A <b>Solicitor:</b> Anthony Magnotta <b>Engineer:</b> Kiley Associates <b>Tax Collector:</b> Geraldine Karshak <b>SEO:</b> Gary Enslin <b>Zoning Officer:</b> Michael Kolvek <b>Building Inspector:</b> BIU/NEIC  <b>Comp Plan:</b> 5/7/2007 <b>Zoning:</b> 12/6/2021 <b>SALDO:</b> 4/2/1990 <b>FEMA#:</b> 422457  <b>Census Tract(s):</b> 1118 <b>PA Classification:</b> Rural	<b>Board of Supervisors:</b> Jason Hollister, Chair John Peters, Sr. Adeline Rocco	<b>Planning Commission:</b> William Nicolais, Chair Joseph Dombrowski Cindy Canterbury Michael Black William McGee	<b>Zoning Hearing Board:</b> Rollin Keisling, Chair Joe Keating, Sr. Richard Spinosi Kenneth Notari Joseph Norvilas Donald Karpowich, Sol
	<b>Municipal Meeting:</b> 2nd Monday, 6:30 PM, Municipal Bldg	<b>Planning Commission Meeting:</b> 1st Monday, 6:00 PM, Municipal Bldg	

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 842  
**Pop over 65:** 546  
**% HS Grads:** 89.7  
**% College Grads:** 28.9  
**Households:** 1,367  
**Median Age:** 42.1  
**#1 Ancestry:** Irish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.68  
**% Minority Pop:** 5.3

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Jefferson Twp Police  
**Police Chief:** James Phillips, Jr.  
**Fire:** Jefferson Twp Vol. Fire Co.  
**Fire Chief:** Donald Wallace  
**Ambulance:** Jefferson Vol Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** Veronica Lichocki

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$35,324  
**Median Household Income:** \$87,904  
**Median Family Income:** \$97,675  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 1,827  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 2.6  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 15 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$34,369,215  
**Local Services Tax:** \$0

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 29.4  
**County Roads:** 0  
**Twp Roads:** 27.99

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Bel-Aire Acres, Cortez, Drinker, Elmdale, Elmdale MHP, Evergreen MHP, Floral Estates, Happy Acres, Hi View MHP, Jefferson Heights, Lake Louis, Lake Spangenburg, Laurel Ridge, Log Road Village, Moosic Lakes, Mount Cobb, Red Oak, Rolling Hills MHP, Saco, Salem Heights, Stonefield Estates, Wimmers, Windfall MHP

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Archbald 18403  
Lake Ariel 18436  
Moscow 18444  
Waymart 18472

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 1,717  
**Vacant Units:** 226  
**Owner Occupied:** 1,216  
**Renter Occupied:** 151  
**Median Home Value:** \$211,300  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,457  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$1,015  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Electricity  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1980-89  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 21

# Jermyn Borough

**2020 Pop:** 2,150

**Square Miles:** 0.8

**Density/Sq. Mi:** 2,688

**School District:** Lakeland

**Mailing Address:** 440 Jefferson Avenue  
Jermyn, PA 18433

**Office Hours:** M-F, 8:30 AM to 4 PM

**Low Elevation:** 915

**Location:** Lackawanna River

**High Elevation:** 1,040

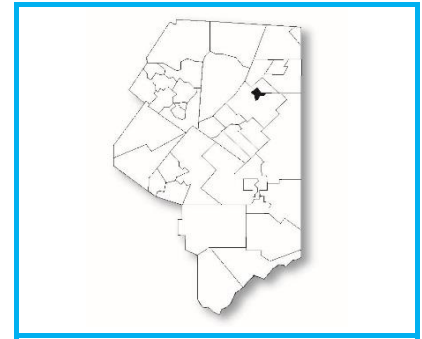
**Location:** West Archbald Line

**Phone:** 570-876-0610

**Fax:** 570-876-0204

**Email:** jermynborough@jermynpa.com

**Website:** www.jermynpa.com



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Shannon Lee

**Mayor:** Anthony Fuga Jr.

**Solicitor:** Larry Moran, Jr., Esq.

**Engineer:** KBA Engineering

**Tax Collector:** Nicole Stephens

**SEO:** None

**Zoning Officer:** Robert Chase

**Council:**

Frank Kulick, President

Kevin Napoli

Jeff Morcom

Tricia Dabney

Carl Tomaine

Robert Hunt

Kyra Davey

**Planning Commission:**

Basil Kleha, Chair

John Frankosky

Charlie Battenberg

William Langman

**Zoning Hearing Board:**

Ted Chrusch, Chair

Michael Klobucar

Andrew Goodwin

Floyd Zabel

John Lawler, Esq.

**Building Inspector:** NEIC

**Comp Plan:** 1965

**Zoning:** 10/8/1998

**SALDO:** 4/11/2002

**FEMA#:** 420530

**Census Tract(s):** 1110

**PA Classification:** Urban

**Municipal Meeting:**

3rd Thursday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**

4th Tuesday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg  
as needed

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 357

**Pop over 65:** 377

**% HS Grads:** 94.8

**% College Grads:** 22.7

**Households:** 1004

**Median Age:** 43

**#1 Ancestry:** Irish

**Ave. Household:** 2.02

**% Minority Pop:** 7

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$32,144

**Median Household Income:** \$51,680

**Median Family Income:** \$59,428

**Civilian Labor Force:** 1,085

**% Pop below poverty level:** 12.4

**2022 Tax Millage:** 30 mils

**2022 Assessment Value:** \$10,796,387

**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Jermyn 18433

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 1037

**Vacant Units:** 54

**Owner Occupied:** 657

**Renter Occupied:** 347

**Median Home Value:** \$144,300

**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,152

**Median Monthly Rent:** \$752

**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas

**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier

**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 1

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Jermyn Police

**Police Chief:** William Arthur

**Fire:** Artisan Hose Co

Crystal Hose Co.

**Fire Chief:** Stanley Hallowich

**Ambulance:** William Walker Vol Ambulance

**EMA Coordinator:** James Perry

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 2.06

**County Roads:** 0.65

**Local Roads:** 10.19

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

East Jermyn, Lackawanna Acres, Parkview Estates, Rushbrook Estates, Woodlands



# Jessup Borough

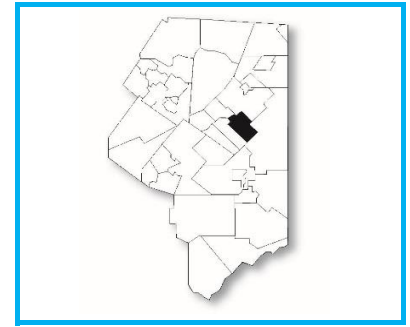
**2020 Pop:** 4,520  
**Square Miles:** 6.8  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 665  
**School District:** Valley View

**Mailing Address:** 395 Lane Street  
Jessup, PA 18434

**Office Hours:** M- F, 8 AM to 4 PM

**Low Elevation:** 790  
**Location:** Lackawanna River  
**High Elevation:** 2,160  
**Location:** Jefferson Twp Line

**Phone:** 570-489-0411  
**Fax:** 570-489-6899  
**Email:** mstine@jessupborough.org  
**Website:** www.jessupborough.com



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Mia Stine  
**Mayor:** Joseph Buckshon, Jr.  
**Solicitor:** Christopher Szewczyk, Esq.  
**Engineer:** Peters Consulting  
**Tax Collector:** Genevieve Lupini  
**SEO:** David Garvey  
**Zoning Officer:** NEIC

**Council:**  
Gerald Crinella, President  
Joseph Mellado  
Gregg Betti  
Roberta Galati  
Rella Scassellati  
Tom Fiorelli  
Craig Shander

**Planning Commission:**  
Paula Nenish, Chair  
Dominic Perini  
Michael Guida  
Ron Kordish  
Robert Wasilchak, Jr.  
Steve Esgro  
James Moran  
Sam Sebastianelli  
Sarah Helcoski

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Angela Muchal  
Barbara Bzdick  
Jeff Smith  
Charles Vagnarelli  
Andrew Tomaskevich, Alt.  
Maura Armezzani-Tunis, Sol.

**Building Inspector:** Northeast Inspection Consultants

**Comp Plan:** 11/23/2020  
**Zoning:** 11/23/2020  
**SALDO:** 5/1/2000  
**FEMA#:** 420531

**Census Tract(s):** 1113

**PA Classification:** Urban

**Municipal Meeting:**  
1st Wednesday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
3rd or 4th Wednesday, 7:00 PM,  
Municipal Bldg, depending on Council  
work session.

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 1,045  
**Pop over 65:** 649  
**% HS Grads:** 93.2  
**% College Grads:** 28  
**Households:** 1,759  
**Median Age:** 42.5  
**#1 Ancestry:** Irish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.51  
**% Minority Pop:** 7.7

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$27,668  
**Median Household Income:** \$64,144  
**Median Family Income:** \$72,823  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 2,207  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 11.6  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 21.7 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$57,518,538  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Archbald 18403  
Jessup 18434

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 2,149  
**Vacant Units:** 146  
**Owner Occupied:** 1,294  
**Renter Occupied:** 465  
**Median Home Value:** \$144,000  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,144  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$940  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** N/I

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Jessup Borough Police  
**Police Chief:** Joseph Walsh  
**Fire:** Jessup Hose Co. #1  
Jessup Hose Co. #2  
**Fire Chief:** Mark Trently (HC#1)/James Andersen (HC#2)  
**Ambulance:** Jessup Hose Co. #2 Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** N/I

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 7.87  
**County Roads:** 2.8  
**Local Roads:** 19.61

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Back Road, Basalyga's Patch, Riverside Park, The Lane, The Main, The Patch, Uptown, Winton, Winton Village





# LaPlume Township

**2020 Pop:** 476  
**Square Miles:** 2.4  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 198  
**School District:** Lackawanna Trail

**Mailing Address:** PO Box 92; 2109 Rts. 6 & 11  
LaPlume, PA 18440

**Office Hours:** Tu 9 AM or By Appointment

**Low Elevation:** 850  
**Location:** Tunkhannock Creek

**High Elevation:** 1,220  
**Location:** Hickory Ridge Road

**Phone:** 570-563-5053  
**Fax:** None  
**Email:** secretary@laplumetownship.com  
**Website:** www.laplumetownship.com



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Melissa Scott  
**Mayor:** N/A  
**Solicitor:** Shane Scanlon, Esq.  
**Engineer:** John Seamans  
**Tax Collector:** Kimberly Henry  
**SEO:** Gary Wilding  
**Zoning Officer:** NEIC  
**Building Inspector:** BIU

**Board of Supervisors:**  
Lisa Huffsmith, Chair  
Jeremy Wohlken  
Gerald Henry

**Planning Commission:**  
Bruce VanFleet, Chair  
Tom Huffsmith  
Bob Smith  
Nelson VanFleet  
Nancy Cerretani  
Jason Burke  
Jo Anne Klingel, Sec

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Susan Gruss, Chair  
Gordan Miller  
Nancy Bird  
Raymond Rinaldi, Sol.

**Comp Plan:** 1968  
**Zoning:** 7/12/1990  
**SALDO:** 4/9/1987  
**FEMA#:** 422458

**Municipal Meeting:**  
2nd Thursday, 6:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
3rd Thursday, as needed, Municipal Bldg

**Census Tract(s):** 1103  
**PA Classification:** Rural

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 74  
**Pop over 65:** 96  
**% HS Grads:** 88.4  
**% College Grads:** 23.5  
**Households:** 186  
**Median Age:** 49.1  
**#1 Ancestry:** Polish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.25  
**% Minority Pop:** 5.7

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$26,356  
**Median Household Income:** \$40,962  
**Median Family Income:** \$42,917  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 183  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 7.2  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 4.45 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$5,280,273  
**Local Services Tax:** \$0

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Dalton 18414  
Factoryville 18419  
La Plume 18440\*

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** PA State Police  
**Police Chief:** N/A  
**Fire:** Dalton Vol. Fire Co.  
Factoryville Vol. Fire Co.  
**Fire Chief:** Don Stacknick/Kevin Howard  
**Ambulance:** Dalton Vol. Ambulance/Factoryville Vol. Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** Barbara Scanlon

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 5.39  
**County Roads:** 0  
**Twp Roads:** 4.01

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 258  
**Vacant Units:** 49  
**Owner Occupied:** 160  
**Renter Occupied:** 26  
**Median Home Value:** \$163,500  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,493  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$731  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Bottled Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** N/I

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

LaPlume, Mallard Pond, Tall Timbers Village MHP

# Madison Township

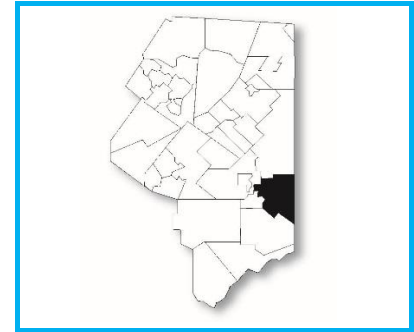
**2020 Pop:** 2,469  
**Square Miles:** 17.3  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 143  
**School District:** North Pocono

**Mailing Address:** 3200 Madisonville Road  
Madison Twp, PA 18444

**Office Hours:** Mon, 8 AM to 10 AM  
Fri, 9 AM to 2 PM

**Low Elevation:** 1,421  
**Location:** Elmhurst Reservoir  
**High Elevation:** 2,023  
**Location:** East of Lake Kahagon

**Phone:** 570-842-3088  
**Fax:** 570-842-9280  
**Email:** doreensaltsec@gmail.com  
**Website:** www.madisontwppa.org



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Doreen Salt  
**Mayor:** N/A  
**Solicitor:** Joel Wolff, Esq.  
**Engineer:** LaFratte Engineering  
**Tax Collector:** Donna Smith  
**SEO:** Gary Enslin  
**Zoning Officer:** Mary Liz Donato  
**Building Inspector:** Building Inspection Underwriters

**Board of Supervisors:**  
Andrew Nazarenko, Chair  
Aaron Sepkowski  
Phillip Setzer

**Planning Commission:**  
Paul Williams, Chair  
Allan McLain  
Myron Schreck  
David Haines  
Mary Liz Donato  
Anthony Torda  
Christina Novajosky  
Dave Garvey, Engineer

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Mike Rosencrance, Chair  
Stephanie Oltmann  
Jeff West  
Mike Collins, Alt.  
David Robertshaw, Alt.  
Tony Waldron, Sol.

**Comp Plan:** 5/7/2007

**Zoning:** 4/6/2009

**SALDO:** 8/7/2006

**FEMA#:** 421755

**Census Tract(s):** 1129

**PA Classification:** Rural

**Municipal Meeting:**  
1st Monday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
2nd Monday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 554  
**Pop over 65:** 359  
**% HS Grads:** 95.3  
**% College Grads:** 26.1  
**Households:** 1,061  
**Median Age:** 46  
**#1 Ancestry:** German/Irish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.49  
**% Minority Pop:** 5.5

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$34,940  
**Median Household Income:** \$71,776  
**Median Family Income:** \$84,195  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 1,430  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 9.8  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 7.5 mills  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$18,322,363  
**Local Services Tax:** \$0

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Moscow 18444

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 1,023  
**Vacant Units:** 62  
**Owner Occupied:** 989  
**Renter Occupied:** 72  
**Median Home Value:** \$222,100  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,554  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$575  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Bottled Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1990-1999  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 5

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** PA State Police  
**Police Chief:** N/A  
**Fire:** Madisonville Ind. Fire Co.  
**Fire Chief:** Brent Frye  
**Ambulance:** Covington Ind. Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** Chris Howe

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 16.39  
**County Roads:** 0  
**Twp Roads:** 20.68

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Aberdeen, Bear Brook Acres, Bloomington, Cherrywood, Dawn Acres, Fara Estates, Fernwood, Gravel Pond Estates, Hillside MHP, Ives MHP, Jubilee, Lake Kahagon Estates, Lakeside MHP, Madison Estates MHP, Madison Farms, Madison Meadows, Madisonville, Meadow Woods, Quicktown, Spring Run Estates, Stony Meadows



# Mayfield Borough

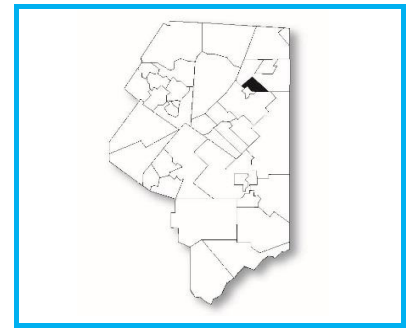
**2020 Pop:** 1,763  
**Square Miles:** 2.4  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 735  
**School District:** Lakeland

**Mailing Address:** 739 Penn Avenue  
Mayfield, PA 18433

**Office Hours:** M-Th, 8 AM to 4 PM  
Fri, 8 AM to 12 PM

**Low Elevation:** 940  
**Location:** Lackawanna River  
**High Elevation:** 1,550  
**Location:** Carbondale Twp Line

**Phone:** 570-876-4391  
**Fax:** 570-876-4391  
**Email:** mayfieldboro@echoes.net  
**Website:** www.mayfieldborough.org



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Phyllis Jaskowiec  
**Mayor:** Alexander Chelik  
**Solicitor:** John Lawler, Esq.  
**Engineer:** KBA Engineering  
**Tax Collector:** Diane Bachak  
**SEO:** Gary Wilding  
**Zoning Officer:** Jason Smith

**Council:**  
Diana Campbell, President  
Wendy Bochnovich  
Mary Rosler  
Ron Ryczak  
Bridget Boettcher  
Jennifer Rossi  
Tiffany Casey

**Planning Commission:**  
Ronald Zeshonski, Chair  
Alexander Chelik  
Jim Perry  
Andrew Baldan  
Lenny Jaskowiec

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Gary Piorkowski, Chair  
Alan Bucklaw  
Ken Liuzzo  
Michael Krushinski, Sol.

**Building Inspector:** NEIC & BIU

**Comp Plan:** None  
**Zoning:** 12/13/2000  
**SALDO:** 1/9/2002  
**FEMA#:** 420532

**Census Tract(s):** 1106

**PA Classification:** Urban

**Municipal Meeting:**  
2nd Wednesday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
1st Wednesday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 324  
**Pop over 65:** 256  
**% HS Grads:** 94.2  
**% College Grads:** 36.2  
**Households:** 765  
**Median Age:** 41.8  
**#1 Ancestry:** Italian  
**Ave. Household:** 2.26  
**% Minority Pop:** 6.2

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$35,119  
**Median Household Income:** \$73,750  
**Median Family Income:** \$77,679  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 1026  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 8.7  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 34 mills  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$11,614,259  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Jermyn 18433

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Mayfield Police  
**Police Chief:** Joseph Perechinsky  
**Fire:** Mayfield Hose Co. # 1  
Whitmore Hose Co.  
William Walker Hose Co  
**Fire Chief:** Joseph Tomcavage  
**Ambulance:** William Walker Vol Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** James Perry

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 5  
**County Roads:** 1.4  
**Local Roads:** 7.21

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 821  
**Vacant Units:** 63  
**Owner Occupied:** 661  
**Renter Occupied:** 104  
**Median Home Value:** \$124,600  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$994  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$746  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 1

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

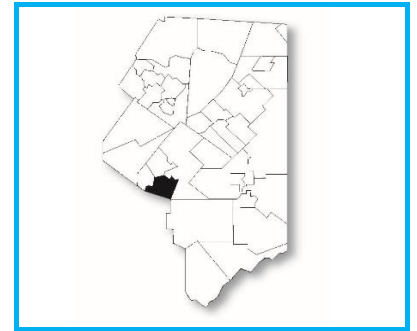
Chestnut Hill, Mayfield Heights



# Moosic Borough

**2020 Pop:** 5,959  
**Square Miles:** 6.7  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 889  
**School District:** Riverside

**Low Elevation:** 620  
**Location:** Lackawanna River  
**High Elevation:** 1,280  
**Location:** near Stark Reservoir



**Mailing Address:** 715 Main Street  
Moosic, PA 18507

**Phone:** 570-457-5480  
**Fax:** 570-457-0762  
**Email:** [manager@moosicborough.org](mailto:manager@moosicborough.org)  
**Website:** [www.moosicborough.com](http://www.moosicborough.com)

**Office Hours:** M-F, 8:30 AM to 4 PM

## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Jane Sterling  
**Mayor:** Robert Bennie  
**Solicitor:** John Brazil, Esq.  
**Engineer:** Penn Eastern, Inc.  
**Tax Collector:** Bryan Fauver  
**SEO:** Tim Holden  
**Zoning Officer:** James Snyder

**Council:**  
Stanley Kania, President  
Charles Maurer  
Scott Flanagan  
George Bieber  
John Tilberry  
Robert Besecker  
Tim Healey

**Planning Commission:**  
Bryan Fauver, Chair  
Robert Bennie  
Harry Lindsay  
Michael Duda  
Jane Sterling  
Frank Esposito  
John Joyce  
Gerry Reilly  
John Segilia III

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Vince Navich, Chair  
Peter Kanton  
Holly Rover Carron  
John Bamford  
Henry Donati  
Donald Frederickson, Sol.

**Building Inspector:** BIU

**Comp Plan:** 2003  
**Zoning:** 3/19/2003  
**SALDO:** 4/10/2001  
**FEMA#:** 420533

**Municipal Meeting:**  
2nd Tuesday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
4th Wednesday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Census Tract(s):** 1128  
**PA Classification:** Urban

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 1,115  
**Pop over 65:** 1,014  
**% HS Grads:** 95.1  
**% College Grads:** 26.4  
**Households:** 2,355  
**Median Age:** 40.1  
**#1 Ancestry:** Italian  
**Ave. Household:** 2.44  
**% Minority Pop:** 11.8

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$35,164  
**Median Household Income:** \$59,594  
**Median Family Income:** \$100,227  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 2,963  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 7  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 18.37 mills  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$84,484,331  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Scranton 18505  
Moosic 18507  
Avoca 18641

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 2,895  
**Vacant Units:** 259  
**Owner Occupied:** 1,656  
**Renter Occupied:** 699  
**Median Home Value:** \$179,500  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,592  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$804  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 4

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Moosic Police  
**Police Chief:** Richard Janesko  
**Fire:** Greenwood Hose Co  
**Fire Chief:** Chuck Molinaro  
**Ambulance:** Private Service  
**EMA Coordinator:** Chuck Molinaro

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 11.24  
**County Roads:** 5.75  
**Local Roads:** 28.71

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Belin Village, Glenmaura, Greenwood, Hidden Village, Honor MHP, Moosic, Moosic Heights MHP, Oak Hill, Rocky Glen, Spike Island, Starks

# Moscow Borough

**2020 Pop:** 2,039

**Square Miles:** 2.8

**Density/Sq. Mi:** 728

**School District:** North Pocono

**Mailing Address:** 123 VanBrunt Street  
Moscow, PA 18444

**Office Hours:** M-Tu, 8:30 AM to 4 PM  
W-F, 8:30 AM to 2:30 PM

**Low Elevation:** 1,430

**Location:** Elmhurst Reservoir

**High Elevation:** 1,840

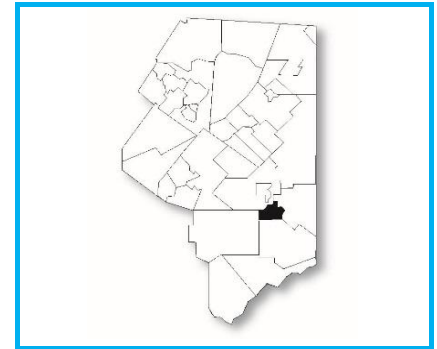
**Location:** Stephens Heights

**Phone:** 570-842-1699

**Fax:** 570-842-0499

**Email:** office@moscowboro.com

**Website:** www.moscowboro.com



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Amy Carlson

**Mayor:** Rosemarie Warner

**Solicitor:** Bruce Zero, Esq.

**Engineer:** Greenman-Pedersen, Inc.

**Tax Collector:** Constance Sanko

**SEO:** Jerome Loftus

**Zoning Officer:** George Parker

**Building Inspector:** BIU

**Comp Plan:** None

**Zoning:** 12/6/2021

**SALDO:** 1/19/2010

**FEMA#:** 420534

**Census Tract(s):** 1118

**PA Classification:** Rural

### Council:

Arthur Pencek, President

William Heim

Marc Gaughan

Dennis Cawley

Paula Bechaver

Joseph Castrogiovanni

Edward Gaughan

### Planning Commission:

Joseph Fesolovich, Chair

Marc Gaughan

Barry Gabello

Judy Castrogiovanni

David Martin

Arthur Pencek, Alt.

### Zoning Hearing Board:

Daniel Kocpca, Chair

Aaron Pickarski

Lisa Notarianni

Don Julian, Alt.

Brain Yeager, Esq., Sol.

### Municipal Meeting:

1st Monday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

### Planning Commission Meeting:

Last Monday, 7:00 PM, municipal Bldg

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 281

**Pop over 65:** 342

**% HS Grads:** 97.9

**% College Grads:** 41.9

**Households:** 717

**Median Age:** 48.6

**#1 Ancestry:** Irish

**Ave. Household:** 2.29

**% Minority Pop:** 8.2

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$39,488

**Median Household Income:** \$74,306

**Median Family Income:** \$100,227

**Civilian Labor Force:** 895

**% Pop below poverty level:** 8.3

**2022 Tax Millage:** 39 mills

**2022 Assessment Value:** \$17,290,640

**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Moscow 18444

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 906

**Vacant Units:** 70

**Owner Occupied:** 547

**Renter Occupied:** 170

**Median Home Value:** \$221,000

**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,652

**Median Monthly Rent:** \$818

**#1 Heating Fuel:** Oil

**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier

**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 2

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Moscow Boraough Police

**Police Chief:** Ivy Brenzel

**Fire:** Moscow Vol Fire Co.

**Fire Chief:** Shawn Young

**Ambulance:** Moscow Vol Ambulance

**EMA Coordinator:** Kimberly Mecca

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 5.99

**County Roads:** 0

**Local Roads:** 10.16

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Harmony Hills, Stephens Heights





# Newton Township

**2020 Pop:** 2,816

**Square Miles:** 23.1

**Density/Sq. Mi:** 122

**School District:** Abington Heights

**Mailing Address:** 1528 Newton- Ransom Boulevard  
Clarks Summit, PA 18411

**Office Hours:** M-F, 8 AM to 4 PM

**Low Elevation:** 545

**Location:** Susquehanna River

**High Elevation:** 2,280

**Location:** Bald Mountain

**Phone:** 570-587-1520

**Fax:** 570-587-1674

**Email:** newtonwp@epix.net

**Website:** www.newton-township.com



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Francine Fawcett

**Mayor:** N/A

**Solicitor:** Robert Sheils, Esq.

**Engineer:** Milnes Engineering

**Tax Collector:** Jennifer Kwiatkowski

**SEO:** Osbert Patton

**Zoning Officer:** D. Scot Haan

**Building Inspector:** BIU & NEIC

**Board of Supervisors:**

Douglas Pallman, Chair

Kevin Carr

Robert Naegle

**Planning Commission:**

D. Scot Haan, Chair

Karen Lilik

Gary Martenson

Gregg Raino

Steve Sartori

James Norton

Robert McMinn

**Zoning Hearing Board:**

Keith Eckel, Chair

Michael Fenick

Charles Miller

John Clary, Esq., Sol.

**Comp Plan:** 12/14/2009

**Zoning:** 10/14/1991

**SALDO:** 4/12/1993

**FEMA#:** 421756

**Census Tract(s):** 1124

**PA Classification:** Rural

**Municipal Meeting:**

2nd Monday, 6:30 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**

Last Wednesday, 7:30 PM, Municipal Bldg

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 606

**Pop over 65:** 634

**% HS Grads:** 90.9

**% College Grads:** 28.5

**Households:** 947

**Median Age:** 47.1

**#1 Ancestry:** Polish

**Ave. Household:** 2.77

**% Minority Pop:** 5.1

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$41,587

**Median Household Income:** \$68,125

**Median Family Income:** \$87,500

**Civilian Labor Force:** 1,376

**% Pop below poverty level:** 11.2

**2022 Tax Millage:** 10 mils

**2022 Assessment Value:** \$27,898,849

**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Clarks Summit 18411

Dalton 18414

Falls 18614

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 1,073

**Vacant Units:** 49

**Owner Occupied:** 863

**Renter Occupied:** 84

**Median Home Value:** \$275,300

**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,812

**Median Monthly Rent:** \$775

**#1 Heating Fuel:** Oil

**Majority of Structures Built:** 1990-99

**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 9

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** South Abington Police Depart.

**Police Chief:** Robert Gerrity

**Fire:** Newton-Ransom Vol Fire Co.

**Fire Chief:** M. Jeffrey LaCoe

**Ambulance:** Chinchilla Vol Amb/Dalton Vol Amb

**EMA Coordinator:** M. Jeffrey LaCoe

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 27.68

**County Roads:** 0

**Twp Roads:** 28.18

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Cherry Ridge, Countryside Estates, Eagleway, Lakeside Manor, Newton Centre,

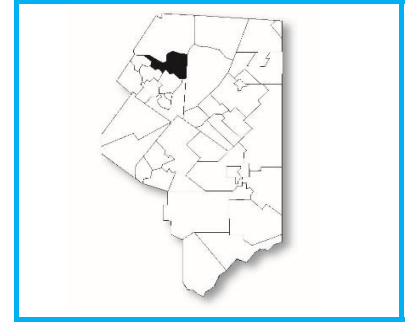
Newton View, Schultzville, Square Top, Summit Lake Acres, Terra Manor, Woodhaven Crest

# North Abington Township

**2020 Pop:** 706  
**Square Miles:** 9.5  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 74  
**School District:** Abington Heights

**Mailing Address:** PO Box 462  
138 Sullivan Road  
North Abington Twp, PA 18444  
**Office Hours:** By Appointment Only

**Low Elevation:** 890  
**Location:** S. Branch Tunkhannock Creek  
**High Elevation:** 1,680  
**Location:** Grouse Hill  
**Phone:** 570-881-0166/570-563-0880  
**Fax:** None  
**Email:** info@northabingtontownship.org  
**Website:** www.northabingtontownship.org



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Mary Redel  
**Mayor:** N/A  
**Solicitor:** Jennifer Walsh, Esq.  
**Engineer:** John Seamans  
**Tax Collector:** Betty Opsasnick  
**SEO:** Gary Wilding, Dave Lamereaux  
**Zoning Officer:** David Mennig

**Board of Supervisors:**  
Gary Wilding, Chair  
Tom Mundrake  
David Mennig

**Planning Commission:**  
Brian Manning  
Rob Robinson  
Jeff Roba  
Jim Keipper  
Lee Rancier  
Romas Dovydaitis  
Neil Sutton

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Jack Muller  
Sharon Harris  
Mike McLane  
Malcolm MacGregor, Sol

### Building Inspector:

**Comp Plan:** 5/7/1974  
**Zoning:** 9/4/2001  
**SALDO:** 12/3/1991  
**FEMA#:** 422460

**Census Tract(s):** 1103  
**PA Classification:** Rural

**Municipal Meeting:**  
1st Tuesday, 7:30 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
Last Monday, 7:30 PM, as needed  
Municipal Bldg.

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 187  
**Pop over 65:** 163  
**% HS Grads:** 96.7  
**% College Grads:** 44  
**Households:** 298  
**Median Age:** 45  
**#1 Ancestry:** Irish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.88  
**% Minority Pop:** 7.4

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$43,836  
**Median Household Income:** \$89,286  
**Median Family Income:** \$93,125  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 366  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 3.4  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 9.5 mills  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$9,440,554  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Dalton 18414

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 277  
**Vacant Units:** 27  
**Owner Occupied:** 256  
**Renter Occupied:** 42  
**Median Home Value:** \$277,800  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,875  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$1,160  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Bottled Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1970-79  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** N/I

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Waverly Twp Police  
**Police Chief:** Ken James  
**Fire:** Justus Vol. Fire Co.

**Fire Chief:** James Sanko

**Ambulance:** Justus Vol. Ambulance

**EMA Coordinator:** Henry Lempicky

## ROAD SYSTEM

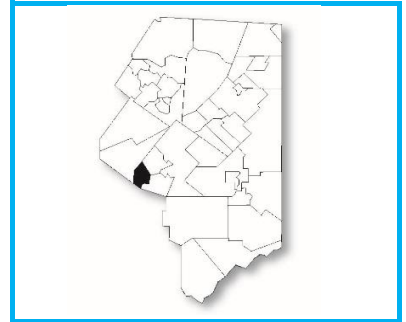
**State Roads:** 10.75  
**County Roads:** 0  
**Twp Roads:** 10.43

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Craig, Grouse Hill, LaPlume Station, Park View Estates, Sunset Hills



# Old Forge Borough



**2020 Pop:** 8,497  
**Square Miles:** 3.4  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 2,499  
**School District:** Old Forge

**Mailing Address:** 310 South Main Street  
Old Forge, PA 18518

**Office Hours:** M-F, 8:30 AM to 4 PM

**Low Elevation:** 585  
**Location:** Lackawanna River

**High Elevation:** 1,040  
**Location:** Ransom Twp Line

**Phone:** 570-457-8852  
**Fax:** 570-451-7089  
**Email:** ofboromanager@comcast.net  
**Website:** www.oldforgeborough.com

## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Mary Lynn Bartoletti  
**Mayor:** Robert Legg  
**Solicitor:** Bill Rinaldi, Esq.  
**Engineer:** Reuther+Bown  
**Tax Collector:** Gary Propersi  
**SEO:** N/A  
**Zoning Officer:** Christopher Hart

**Council:**  
Russell Rinaldi, President  
Michael Lettieri  
Andy Butler  
Jim Hoover  
Louis Febbo  
Michele Avvisato  
Rick Notari

**Planning Commission:**  
Robert Potosky  
Louis Stassi  
Vincent Piccolini  
Louis Mancuso  
Mark Voyack  
Salvatore Luzio Jr.  
Bob Giglio

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
James Paddock, Chair  
Joe Pilosi  
Joseph Brogna  
John Belko  
Chris Goetz  
Joseph Campolieto, Sol.

**Building Inspector:** Building Inspection Underwriters

**Comp Plan:** 1965  
**Zoning:** 11/17/1992  
**SALDO:** 12/18/1990  
**FEMA#:** 420535  
**Census Tract(s):** 1126-27  
**PA Classification:** Urban

**Municipal Meeting:**  
3rd Tuesday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
1st Thursday, 7:30 PM, Municipal Bldg

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 1,449  
**Pop over 65:** 1,625  
**% HS Grads:** 94.4  
**% College Grads:** 27.5  
**Households:** 3,636  
**Median Age:** 45.7  
**#1 Ancestry:** Italian  
**Ave. Household:** 2.17  
**% Minority Pop:** 9.8

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$31,786  
**Median Household Income:** \$57,014  
**Median Family Income:** \$80,521  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 4,232  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 8.8  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 20.25 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$58,225,836  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Taylor-Old Forge 18518  
Duryea 18642

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Old Forge Borough Police  
**Police Chief:** Jason Dubernas  
**Fire:** Eagle-McClure Hose Co.  
Lawrence Hose Co #1/Old Forge Hose Co #2  
**Fire Chief:** Mark Tagliaterra  
**Ambulance:** Private Service  
**EMA Coordinator:** Mike Komensky

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 8.47  
**County Roads:** 0  
**Local Roads:** 37.38

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Austin Heights, Connell's Patch, Forge Estates, Lawrenceville, Pine Crest Estates, Rendham Heights, Shawnee Hills, Snyder's Patch

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 4,125  
**Vacant Units:** 342  
**Owner Occupied:** 2,381  
**Renter Occupied:** 1,255  
**Median Home Value:** \$145,600  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,215  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$809  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** N/I

# Olyphant Borough

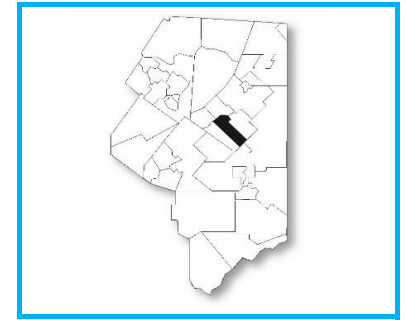
**2020 Pop:** 5,383  
**Square Miles:** 5.6  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 961  
**School District:** Mid Valley

**Mailing Address:** 113 Willow Avenue  
Olyphant, PA 18447

**Office Hours:** M-F, 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM

**Low Elevation:** 770  
**Location:** Lackawanna River  
**High Elevation:** 1,960  
**Location:** Jefferson Township Line

**Phone:** 570-489-2135  
**Fax:** 570-383-7818  
**Email:** [olyphant1@comcast.net](mailto:olyphant1@comcast.net)  
**Website:** [www.olyphantborough.com](http://www.olyphantborough.com)



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** CJ Mustacchio  
**Mayor:** Jonathan Sedlak  
**Solicitor:** CJ Mustacchio, Esq.  
**Engineer:** LaFratte Engineering  
**Tax Collector:** Christopher Patrick  
**SEO:** N/I  
**Zoning Officer:** William Shigo

**Council:**  
James Baldan, Chair  
Gerard Tully  
David Krukovitz  
Robert Hudak  
Dina Harrington  
Elizabeth Frushon  
Michael Abda

**Planning Commission:**  
Jerry Luchansky, Chair  
Stephen Klem, Jr.  
Greg Moskel  
Dave Tully  
Robert Jezerski  
Christine Powell  
John Tomcho  
Anthony Delfino

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
David Uhrin  
John Onda  
Leonard Mitchko  
Robert Doughton  
Joseph Kranick  
Tom Cummings, Esq., Sol.

**Building Inspector:** BIU

**Comp Plan:** 1995  
**Zoning:** 11/6/2019  
**SALDO:** 11/24/2020  
**FEMA#:** 420536

**Municipal Meeting:**  
1st Tuesday, 6:30 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
Last Monday, 6:30 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Census Tract(s):** 1114  
**PA Classification:** Urban

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 1,148  
**Pop over 65:** 920  
**% HS Grads:** 91.6  
**% College Grads:** 20.3  
**Households:** 2,205  
**Median Age:** 43.5  
**#1 Ancestry:** Polish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.28  
**% Minority Pop:** 11.8

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$24,521  
**Median Household Income:** \$48,997  
**Median Family Income:** \$55,317  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 2,559  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 8.9  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 10.6 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$43,682,769  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Jessup 18434  
Olyphant 18447

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Olyphant Police  
**Police Chief:** James DeVoe  
**Fire:** Excelsior Hose Co. # 1 / Olyphant Hose Co. # 2  
Eureka Hose Co. # 4 / Liberty Hose Co. # 6  
Queen City Hose Co. # 8  
**Fire Chief:** Robert Powell  
**Ambulance:** Olyphant Community Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** N/I

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 5.82  
**County Roads:** 0.75  
**Local Roads:** 19.13

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Acorn Hill Estates, Aspen Estates, Consburg, Fern Hill, Grassy Island  
Marshwood, Northpoint, Olyphant Flats, Valley Brook Estates

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 2,633  
**Vacant Units:** 223  
**Owner Occupied:** 1,261  
**Renter Occupied:** 944  
**Median Home Value:** \$137,300  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,396  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$854  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** N/I



# Ransom Township

**2020 Pop:** 1,397  
**Square Miles:** 18.4  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 76  
**School District:** Abington Heights

**Mailing Address:** 2435 Hickory Lane  
Ransom Twp, PA 18411

**Office Hours:** M-W, 7 AM to 3 PM

**Low Elevation:** 514  
**Location:** Susquehanna River

**High Elevation:** 2,240  
**Location:** Bald Mountain

**Phone:** 570-586-7250  
**Fax:** 570-587-7021  
**Email:** ransom2435@epix.net  
**Website:** www.ransomtownship.com



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

<b>Contact:</b> Pat Myers	<b>Board of Supervisors:</b>	<b>Planning Commission:</b>	<b>Zoning Hearing Board:</b>
<b>Mayor:</b> N/A	David Bird, Chairman	James Murphy, Chair	JoAnn Carr, Chair
<b>Solicitor:</b> Edmund Scacchitti, Esq.	Robert E. Wells	Bill Auriemma	Mark Bird
<b>Engineer:</b> John Seamans	Jerry Scott	Louis Borgia	Mike Wince
<b>Tax Collector:</b> Lenay Blackwell		Sean Tompkins	Donna DeVita, Esq., Sol.
<b>SEO:</b> Osbert Patton		Jay Butler	
<b>Zoning Officer:</b> Donald Wells		John Buranich, Jr.	
<b>Building Inspector:</b> Dennis Macheska		Jerry Blackwell	
		Skip Schneider, Alt	
		Donna DeVita, Esq., Sol.	

<b>Comp Plan:</b> Aug-89	<b>Municipal Meeting:</b>	<b>Planning Commission Meeting:</b>
<b>Zoning:</b> 1/2/2018	1st Monday, 6:00 PM, Municipal Bldg	3rd Monday, 6:30 PM, Municipal Bldg
<b>SALDO:</b> 7/2/2018		
<b>FEMA#:</b> 420537		
<b>Census Tract(s):</b> 1124		
<b>PA Classification:</b> Rural		

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 268  
**Pop over 65:** 318  
**% HS Grads:** 93.9  
**% College Grads:** 21.7  
**Households:** 569  
**Median Age:** 49.1  
**#1 Ancestry:** German  
**Ave. Household:** 2.41  
**% Minority Pop:** 6.2

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$32,098  
**Median Household Income:** \$57,875  
**Median Family Income:** \$74,205  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 726  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 1.8  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 7 mills  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$11,556,810  
**Local Services Tax:** \$10

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Clarks Summit 18411  
Scranton 18504  
Old Forge 18518  
Ransom 18653\*

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 627  
**Vacant Units:** 46  
**Owner Occupied:** 461  
**Renter Occupied:** 108  
**Median Home Value:** \$220,600  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,559  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$804  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Oil  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 7

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** PA State Police  
South Abington Twp Police  
**Police Chief:** Robert Gerrity  
**Fire:** Newton-Ransom Vol. Fire Co.  
**Fire Chief:** Jeffrey LaCoe  
**Ambulance:** Chinchilla Vol Amb/Dalton Vol Amb  
**EMA Coordinator:** John Stempfloski

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 13.65  
**County Roads:** 0  
**Twp Roads:** 17.78

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Milwaukee, Mount Dewey, Ransom Village, Sunset MHP

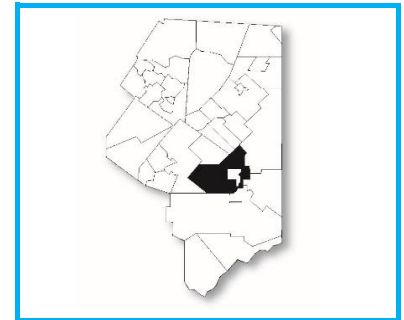




# Roaring Brook Township

**2020 Pop:** 2,273  
**Square Miles:** 23.1  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 98  
**School District:** North Pocono  
  
**Mailing Address:** 430 Blue Shutters Road  
Roaring Brook Township, PA 18444  
  
**Office Hours:** M-F, 9 AM to 3 PM

**Low Elevation:** 1,175  
**Location:** Roaring Brook  
**High Elevation:** 2,140  
**Location:** Near Dunmore Reservoir # 3  
  
**Phone:** 570-842-6080  
**Fax:** 570-842-7680  
**Email:** roaringbrooktwp@comcast.net  
**Website:** www.roaringbrooktownship.org



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

<b>Contact:</b> Dale Baird <b>Mayor:</b> N/A <b>Solicitor:</b> Joseph O'Brien <b>Engineer:</b> LaBella Associates <b>Tax Collector:</b> Ann Marie Strempek <b>SEO:</b> Paul Kozik <b>Zoning Officer:</b> Paul Kozik <b>Building Inspector:</b> BIU  <b>Comp Plan:</b> None <b>Zoning:</b> 6/7/2018 <b>SALDO:</b> 1/18/1993 <b>FEMA#:</b> 420999 <b>Census Tract(s):</b> 1118 <b>PA Classification:</b> Rural	<b>Board of Supervisors:</b> Anthony Jordan, Chair Eric Schield Robert Farischon  <b>Municipal Meeting:</b> 1st Thursday, 8:00 PM, Municipal Bldg	<b>Planning Commission:</b> J. Michael Shirra, Chair Kimberly Sanderson Michael Sames David Mead Robert Farischon  <b>Planning Commission Meeting:</b> 4th Monday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg (Nov/Dec, 3rd Monday)	<b>Zoning Hearing Board:</b> Ronald Donati, Chair Linda Christianson Richard Motichka James Kinane Robert Bochicchio Bruce Zero, Sol.
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## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 522  
**Pop over 65:** 409  
**% HS Grads:** 94.8  
**% College Grads:** 43.1  
**Households:** 721  
**Median Age:** 45.7  
**#1 Ancestry:** Irish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.79  
**% Minority Pop:** 5

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$43,129  
**Median Household Income:** \$99,313  
**Median Family Income:** \$107,813  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 1001  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 3  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 15.5 mills  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$23,409,242  
**Local Services Tax:** \$0

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Lake Ariel 18436  
Moscow 18444

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Roaring Brook Township Police  
**Police Chief:** Donald Hickey  
**Fire:** Elmhurst-Roaring Brook Vol. Fire Co.  
**Fire Chief:** Richard Motichka  
**Ambulance:** Moscow Volunteer Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** Joseph Antosh

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 20.98  
**County Roads:** 2.4  
**Twp Roads:** 25.91

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 826  
**Vacant Units:** 18  
**Owner Occupied:** 691  
**Renter Occupied:** 30  
**Median Home Value:** \$267,200  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,954  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$1,594  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Oil  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1970-1979  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 10

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Birchwood Estates, Brookhurst Estates, Crestwood, Elmbrook Terrace, Hazard Pond, Olwen Heights, Roaring Brook Estates, Summit Woods, White Oak Acres, Windsor Hill



# Scott Township

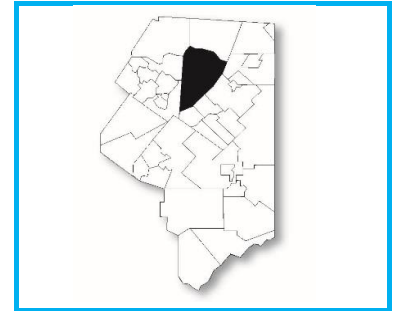
**2020 Pop:** 4,629  
**Square Miles:** 28.2  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 164  
**School District:** Lakeland

**Mailing Address:** 1038 Montdale Road  
Scott Township, PA 18447

**Office Hours:** M-F, 9 AM to 4 PM

**Low Elevation:** 1,060  
**Location:** Tunkhannock Creek  
**High Elevation:** 2,040  
**Location:** Carey & Meyers Mountains

**Phone:** 570-319-1296  
**Fax:** 570-319-1321  
**Email:** secretary@scotttownship.org  
**Website:** www.scotttownship.org



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Carl Ferraro  
**Mayor:** N/A  
**Solicitor:** Richard Fanucci  
**Engineer:** KBA Engineering  
**Tax Collector:** Michael Ciuccoli  
**SEO:** KBA Engineering  
**Zoning Officer:** Carl Ferraro

**Board of Supervisors:**  
Steven Russell, Chair  
Michael Giannetta  
Brian Brenzel

**Planning Commission:**  
William Kieser, Chair  
Robert Vail, Jr  
Pat Kasper  
Walter Peregrin  
Brian Grippi  
Scott Suda  
Sal Maiolatesi

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Naomi Johnson  
Robert Vail, Sr, Chair  
Stanley Stracham, Sr  
Joseph Sullivan  
James Romano, Alt.  
Armand Olivetti, Sol.

**Building Inspector:** BIU/NEIC

**Comp Plan:** 10/0/2005  
**Zoning:** 7/25/2003  
**SALDO:** 1/23/2003  
**FEMA#:** 421757

**Census Tract(s):** 1102.02

**PA Classification:** Rural

**Municipal Meeting:**  
3rd Tuesday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
1st Tuesday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 782  
**Pop over 65:** 1,563  
**% HS Grads:** 94.7  
**% College Grads:** 24.3  
**Households:** 2,075  
**Median Age:** 54.2  
**#1 Ancestry:** Polish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.32  
**% Minority Pop:** 5.2

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$35,567  
**Median Household Income:** \$71,161  
**Median Family Income:** \$93,949  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 2,614  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 4.1  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 15 mills  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$44,275,240  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Clarks Summit 18411  
Dalton 18414  
Jermyn 18433  
Olyphant 18447

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Scott Twp Police  
**Police Chief:** Jared Ganz  
**Fire:** Justus Vol. Fire Co.  
Scott Vol. Fire Co.  
**Fire Chief:** Matt Pritchky  
**Ambulance:** Justus Vol. Ambulance/ Scott Vol. Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** N/I

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 51.78  
**County Roads:** 0.3  
**Twp Roads:** 34.92

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 2,260  
**Vacant Units:** 346  
**Owner Occupied:** 1,884  
**Renter Occupied:** 191  
**Median Home Value:** \$209,800  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,373  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$751  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1970-79  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** N/I

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Brookfield Acres, Chapman Lake, Green Grove, Heart Lake, Jordan Hollow, Justus, Lakeland Estates, Lakeland Heights, Montdale, Scott, The Woods, Tompkinsville, Waverly Heights

# City of Scranton

**2020 Pop:** 76,328  
**Square Miles:** 25.8  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 2,958  
**School District:** Scranton

**Mailing Address:** 340 North Washington Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18503

**Office Hours:** M-F, 8 AM to 4:30 PM

**Low Elevation:** 650  
**Location:** Lackawanna River  
**High Elevation:** 2,000  
**Location:** Montage Mountain

**Phone:** 570-348-4113  
**Fax:** 570-348-4207  
**Email:** fvoldenberg@scrantonpa.gov  
**Website:** www.scrantonpa.gov



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Frank Voldenberg  
**Mayor:** Paige Gebhardt Cognetti  
**Solicitor:** Jessica Eskra, Esq.  
**Engineer:** Reilly Associates  
**Tax Collector:** Cathy Nealon Wechsler  
**SEO:** N/A  
**Zoning Officer:** Thomas Leach

**Council:**  
Kyle Donahue, President  
Thomas Schuster  
Dr. Jessica Rothchild  
Mark McAndrew  
William King  
Sean Gallagher, Esq., Sol.

**Planning Commission:**  
Joseph Murphy, Chair  
Jennifer Davis  
Sureshbhai Patel  
Todd Pousley  
Jane Risse  
John Finnerty  
Don King, City Planner

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Shawn Walsh, Chair  
Robert Gattens  
James McDermott  
Robert Morris  
Robert Gowin-Collins  
Tucker Hottes, Alt.  
Albert Young, Alt.  
Daniel Penetar, Esq., Sol.

**Building Inspector:** Thomas Oleski, BCO/ NEIC

**Comp Plan:** Dec-14  
**Zoning:** 12/21/1993  
**SALDO:** 4/1/1996  
**FEMA#:** 420538

**Census Tract(s):** 1002-1031  
**PA Classification:** Urban

**Municipal Meeting:**  
Every Tuesday, 6:30 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
4th Wednesday, 6:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 16,169  
**Pop over 65:** 13,309  
**% HS Grads:** 87.8  
**% College Grads:** 20.8  
**Households:** 31,363  
**Median Age:** 37.3  
**#1 Ancestry:** Irish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.28  
**% Minority Pop:** 30.5

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$23,951  
**Median Household Income:** \$41,687  
**Median Family Income:** \$56,042  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 35,706  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 21.8  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 50.564 mills (improved properties)  
446.428 mills (vacant land)  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$601,968,134  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Scranton 18501\*, 18502\*, 18503, 18504, 18505, 18508, 18509, 18510, 18514\*, 18515\*, 18519, 18522\*, 18540\*, 18577\*

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 34,723  
**Vacant Units:** 4,549  
**Owner Occupied:** 15,110  
**Renter Occupied:** 16,253  
**Median Home Value:** \$106,700  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,209  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$795  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 2

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Scranton Police Department  
**Police Chief:** Thomas Carroll  
**Fire:** Scranton Fire Department  
**Fire Chief:** John Judge  
**Ambulance:** Private Service  
**EMA Coordinator:** Al Lucas

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 42.5  
**County Roads:** 0  
**Local Roads:** 263.38

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Bellevue, Bulls Head, Central City, Dutch Hollow, East Mountain, Green Ridge, High Works, Hill Section, Hyde Park, Keyser Valley, Marvine Dutch Gap, Minooka, North Scranton, Petersburg, Pinebrook, Providence, South Side, The Plot, Tripp Park, West Mountain, West Side



# South Abington Township

**2020 Pop:** 9,532  
**Square Miles:** 9.3  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 1,025  
**School District:** Abington Heights

**Mailing Address:** PO Box 259  
104 Shady Lane Road  
Chinchilla, PA 18410  
**Office Hours:** M-F, 8 AM to 4 PM

**Low Elevation:** 1,000  
**Location:** Leggetts Creek  
**High Elevation:** 1,950  
**Location:** Bell Mountain

**Phone:** 570-586-2111  
**Fax:** 570-586-5448  
**Email:** doneill@southabingtonpa.gov  
**Website:** www.southabingtonpa.gov



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** David O'Neill  
**Mayor:** N/A  
**Solicitor:** Jones Terreri Law  
**Engineer:** Atlas Engineering  
**Tax Collector:** Scott Thorpe  
**SEO:** Gary Wilding  
**Zoning Officer:** David O'Neill  
**Building Inspector:** BIU

**Board of Supervisors:**  
Giles Stanton, Chair  
Donald Snyder  
Mark Dougherty

**Planning Commission:**  
Sean Connolly, Chair  
Richard Lenehan  
Leonard Gorney  
Donald Jensen  
Mark Boettcher  
David Cochrane  
Russell Caspe

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Paul Hudak, Chair  
Joseph Grad  
Carl Babushko  
Howard Terreri, Sol.

**Comp Plan:** 12/14/2009  
**Zoning:** 9/30/1985  
**SALDO:** 8/27/1990  
**FEMA#:** 421758  
**Census Tract(s):** 1104.01-1104.03  
**PA Classification:** Urban

**Municipal Meeting:**  
2nd Monday, Oct-Mar 6:30 PM; Apr-Sep 12:00 PM  
Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
4th Thursday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 2,207  
**Pop over 65:** 1,726  
**% HS Grads:** 96.4  
**% College Grads:** 55.9  
**Households:** 3,095  
**Median Age:** 39.1  
**#1 Ancestry:** Irish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.66  
**% Minority Pop:** 15.1

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$45,111  
**Median Household Income:** \$98,942  
**Median Family Income:** \$119,301  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 4,125  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 4.8  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 17.5 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$104,233,591  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Chinchilla 18410\*  
Clarks Summit 18411

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 3,909  
**Vacant Units:** 253  
**Owner Occupied:** 2,533  
**Renter Occupied:** 562  
**Median Home Value:** \$245,900  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,694  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$1,021  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1970-79  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 25

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** South Abington Township Police  
**Police Chief:** Robert Gerrity  
**Fire:** Chinchilla Hose Co.  
**Fire Chief:** Sean Connolly  
**Ambulance:** Chinchilla Vol Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** Sean Connolly

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 23.77  
**County Roads:** 0  
**Twp Roads:** 9.74

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Abbey Ridge, Abington Meadows, Apple Valley, Briar Cliff, Chinchilla, Circle Green, Colvin Estates, Deerfield Village, Eagle Way, Echo Valley, Edella, Fairfield, Fawn Hills, Harmony Ridge, Laconia Summit, Laurel Highlands, Monterey Woods, Mountain View Estates, Mountain Woods, Pondview, Preserve at Gravel Pond, Royal Oaks, Scenic Acres, Short Hills, South Abington Woods, Sunnyside Meadows, Terrace Hills, Wellington Estates, Woodcrest

# Spring Brook Township

**2020 Pop:** 2,748  
**Square Miles:** 35.6  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 77  
**School District:** North Pocono

**Mailing Address:** 966 State Route 307  
Spring Brook Township, PA 18444

**Office Hours:** M-F, 8 AM to 2 PM

**Low Elevation:** 910  
**Location:** Spring Brook Creek  
**High Elevation:** 2,190  
**Location:** Aston Mountain

**Phone:** 570-842-7028  
**Fax:** 570-842-0633  
**Email:** springbrooktp@comcast.net  
**Website:** www.springbrooktownship.org



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Tami Gillette  
**Mayor:** N/A  
**Solicitor:** Curt Parkins, Esq.  
**Engineer:** Lou LaFratte  
**Tax Collector:** Cheryl Bosley  
**SEO:** Gary Enslin  
**Zoning Officer:** Armand Fiorani  
**Building Inspector:** BIU/NEIC

**Board of Supervisors:**  
Jeffrey Jones, Chair  
Steve Slesh  
William Herne  
Jason McLain  
Mary Nicosia

**Planning Commission:**  
Bonnie Iannarone, Chair  
Lucille Gudz  
George Lucke  
Gerald Timinski  
Laurie Slesh  
Jim Winkler  
Steve Slesh  
Christine Hembury, Alt.  
Nancy Murray, Sec.

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Joseph Zurcher, Sr.  
James White  
Charles McLain  
Robert Jones  
Don Minkoff  
Jason Shrive, Sol.

**Comp Plan:** 9/8/2015  
**Zoning:** 2/9/2012  
**SALDO:** 7/21/1995  
**FEMA#:** 421759

**Census Tract(s):** 1129  
**PA Classification:** Rural

**Municipal Meeting:**  
2nd Tuesday, 6:30 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
1st Wednesday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 543  
**Pop over 65:** 441  
**% HS Grads:** 95.6  
**% College Grads:** 25.4  
**Households:** 1,052  
**Median Age:** 42.2  
**#1 Ancestry:** Irish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.55  
**% Minority Pop:** 8

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** PA State Police  
**Police Chief:** N/A  
**Fire:** Spring Brook Vol Fire Co.  
**Fire Chief:** Adam Shaffer  
**Ambulance:** Moscow Vol Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** Richard Lewis

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$35,083  
**Median Household Income:** \$81,875  
**Median Family Income:** \$93,438  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 1546  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 4.8  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 14 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$20,851,081  
**Local Services Tax:** \$0

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 16.19  
**County Roads:** 0  
**Twp Roads:** 28.13

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Aston Mountain, Deerfield Acres, Evergreen Acres, Maple Lake, Mount Laurel MHP, Quinlan Corners, Rockdale, Rolling Hills Estates, Spring Brook, Swartz Valley Acres, Wilderrest, Yostville

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Moscow 18444  
Avoca 18641

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 1,143  
**Vacant Units:** 69  
**Owner Occupied:** 847  
**Renter Occupied:** 205  
**Median Home Value:** \$214,300  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,616  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$981  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Oil  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1970-79  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 9





# Taylor Borough

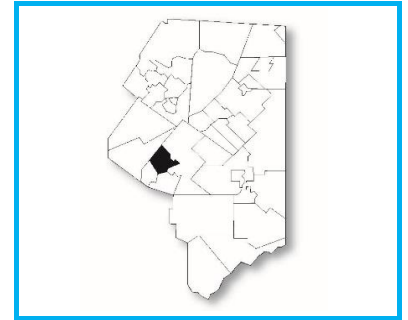
**2020 Pop:** 6,294  
**Square Miles:** 5.2  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 1,210  
**School District:** Riverside

**Mailing Address:** 122 Union Street  
Taylor, PA 18517

**Office Hours:** M-F, 8 AM to 4:30 PM

**Low Elevation:** 640  
**Location:** Lackawanna River  
**High Elevation:** 1,320  
**Location:** Above McDade Park

**Phone:** 570-562-1400  
**Fax:** 570-562-1415  
**Email:** dzeleniak@taylorborough.com  
**Website:** www.taylorborough.com



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Dan Zeleniak  
**Mayor:** Loni Kavulich Loiselle  
**Solicitor:** William Jones, Esq.  
**Engineer:** Penn Eastern Engineers, Inc.  
**Tax Collector:** LuAnn Krenitsky  
**SEO:** Tim Holden  
**Zoning Officer:** Anthony Mengoni  
**Building Inspector:** BIU/NEIC

**Council:**  
Kenneth Mickavicz, President  
Dick Nezlo  
John Tigue  
Robert Naro  
James Digwood  
Brian Fallon  
Fran DeAngelo

**Planning Commission:**  
Brian Fallon, Chair  
Stephen Derenick  
Frank DeAngelo, Jr.  
Louis Stefanelli, Jr.  
Robert Connor  
Steve Armillay  
Troy Weisenfluh  
Kristi Evans, Sec.

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Al Vanchieri, Chair  
George Aulisio, Jr.  
Cindy Bellucci  
Bill Czachor  
Dave Wilce  
Dan Penetar, Esq., Sol.

**Comp Plan:** May-91  
**Zoning:** 3/22/2005  
**SALDO:** 7/9/2003  
**FEMA#:** 420539

**Census Tract(s):** 1125  
**PA Classification:** Urban

**Municipal Meeting:**  
2nd Wednesday, 7 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
1st Wednesday, 6:30 PM, Municipal Bldg

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 1,109  
**Pop over 65:** 1,467  
**% HS Grads:** 86.4  
**% College Grads:** 22.1  
**Households:** 2,637  
**Median Age:** 44.8  
**#1 Ancestry:** Irish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.19  
**% Minority Pop:** 16.5

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$29,999  
**Median Household Income:** \$48,024  
**Median Family Income:** \$52,361  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 2619  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 13.9  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 22.3 mills  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$52,661,650  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Scranton 18504  
Taylor 18517

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 2,986  
**Vacant Units:** 295  
**Owner Occupied:** 1,649  
**Renter Occupied:** 988  
**Median Home Value:** \$133,500  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,256  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$782  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 8

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Taylor Police  
**Police Chief:** Brian Holland  
**Fire:** Taylor Hose Co. # 1  
Taylor Hose Co. # 2  
Taylor Hose Co. # 3  
**Fire Chief:** Wes Jones  
**Ambulance:** Private Service  
**EMA Coordinator:** John Cudo

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 9.81  
**County Roads:** 2.4  
**Local Roads:** 15.77

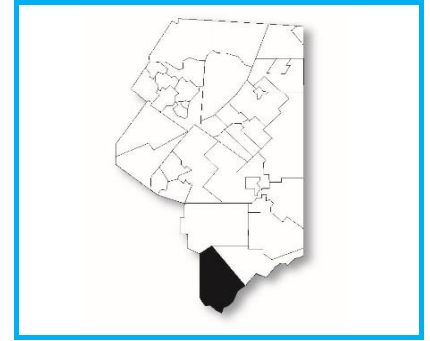
## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Green View West, Lincoln Heights, Rendham, Rockledge MHP, Taylor, Taylor Village MHP

# Thornhurst Township

**2020 Pop:** 1,008  
**Square Miles:** 23.6  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 43  
**School District:** North Pocono  
  
**Mailing Address:** 356 Old River Road  
Thornhurst, PA 18424  
  
**Office Hours:** M-F, 9 AM to 5 PM

**Low Elevation:** 1,500  
**Location:** Lehigh River  
**High Elevation:** 2,260  
**Location:** Big Pine Hill  
  
**Phone:** 570-842-4273  
**Fax:** 570-842-6757  
**Email:** thornhurst4@gmail.com  
**Website:** www.thornhursttp.com



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

<b>Contact:</b> Kim Grab <b>Mayor:</b> N/A <b>Solicitor:</b> Joel Wolff, Esq. <b>Engineer:</b> Barry Islet & Associates <b>Tax Collector:</b> Tamara Berry <b>SEO:</b> William Evans <b>Zoning Officer:</b> George Stefanski <b>Building Inspector:</b> BIU	<b>Board of Supervisors:</b> Elaine Evans, Chair Charles Stout Jr. Walter Jordan	<b>Planning Commission:</b> William Evans, Chair Barbara Smith Frank Repholz, Jr. Patricia Wincek David Berry, Sec.	<b>Zoning Hearing Board:</b> Joseph Kasulaitis, Chair Bob Hayward Donald Wombacker Sean McDonough, Esq., Sol.
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**Comp Plan:** None  
**Zoning:** 7/17/1995  
**SALDO:** 11/10/2011  
**FEMA#:** 422459  
**Census Tract(s):** 1129  
**PA Classification:** Rural

**Municipal Meeting:**  
2nd Thursday, 7:30 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
1st Tuesday, 7:00 PM,  
March, May, Sept., Nov. only

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 184  
**Pop over 65:** 223  
**% HS Grads:** 91  
**% College Grads:** 21.2  
**Households:** 418  
**Median Age:** 50.3  
**#1 Ancestry:** German  
**Ave. Household:** 2.41  
**% Minority Pop:** 11.6

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$35,678  
**Median Household Income:** \$62,857  
**Median Family Income:** \$74,375  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 507  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 3.9  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 2.3 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$15,354,058  
**Local Services Tax:** \$0

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Gouldsboro 18424

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 606  
**Vacant Units:** 190  
**Owner Occupied:** 397  
**Renter Occupied:** 21  
**Median Home Value:** \$139,300  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,241  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$1,271  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Electricity  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1990-99  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 1

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** PA State Police  
**Police Chief:** N/A  
**Fire:** Thornhurst Vol Fire Co.  
**Fire Chief:** David McFadden  
**Ambulance:** Thornhurst Vol Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** Walter Jordan

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 9.92  
**County Roads:** 0  
**Twp Roads:** 1.59

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Pine Grove Acres, Thornhurst, Thornhurst Country Club Estates



# Throop Borough

**2020 Pop:** 4,065  
**Square Miles:** 5  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 813  
**School District:** Mid Valley

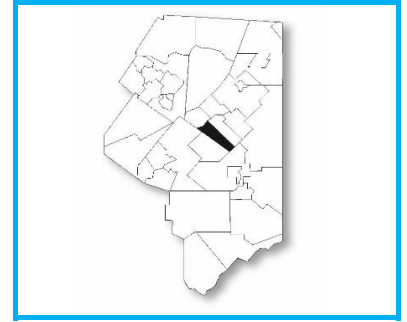
**Mailing Address:** 436 Sanderson Street  
Throop, PA 18512

**Office Hours:** M-F, 8 AM- 4 PM

**Low Elevation:** 730  
**Location:** Lackawanna River

**High Elevation:** 1,910  
**Location:** Olyphant/Roaring Brook Line

**Phone:** 570-489-8311  
**Fax:** 570-383-7122  
**Email:** throopboro@comcast.net  
**Website:** www.throopboro.com



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Renee O'Malley  
**Mayor:** Joe Tropiak  
**Solicitor:** Louis Cimini, Esq.  
**Engineer:** Reilly Associates  
**Tax Collector:** Adam Nosak  
**SEO:** David Garvey  
**Zoning Officer:** Andy Hegedus  
**Building Inspector:** BIU

**Council:**  
Richard Kucharski, Pres.  
Bob Magliocchi  
Charlene Tomasovitch  
Wayne Williams  
Vince Tanana  
Mike Chorba  
Anthony Gangemi

**Planning Commission:**  
Anthony Amico, Chair  
Dennis Pabis  
Rose Kaminski  
Bob Lokuta  
Thomas Carr

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Robert Kokinda, Chair  
Dominick Rocco  
William Shevchik  
Edward Krowiak, Esq.

**Comp Plan:** 03/00/1966  
**Zoning:** 1/28/2021  
**SALDO:** 5/26/1990  
**FEMA#:** 420540

**Census Tract(s):** 1117  
**PA Classification:** Urban

**Municipal Meeting:**  
2nd & Last Tuesday, 6:30 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
1st Tuesday, 6:30 PM, municipal Bldg

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 792  
**Pop over 65:** 678  
**% HS Grads:** 89.1  
**% College Grads:** 22.9  
**Households:** 1,759  
**Median Age:** 40.3  
**#1 Ancestry:** Italian  
**Ave. Household:** 2.22  
**% Minority Pop:** 9.2

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$26,825  
**Median Household Income:** \$41,659  
**Median Family Income:** \$58,750  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 2,011  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 12.1  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 5 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$29,296,918  
**Local Services Tax:** \$52

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Olyphant 18447  
Dunmore 18512  
Dickson City 18519

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 1,942  
**Vacant Units:** 155  
**Owner Occupied:** 1,260  
**Renter Occupied:** 499  
**Median Home Value:** \$128,100  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,108  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$786  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 7

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Throop Police  
**Police Chief:** Andy Kerecman  
**Fire:** Throop Hose Co. # 1  
Volunteer Hose Co. of Throop

**Fire Chief:** Andy Hegedus  
**Ambulance:** Private Service  
**EMA Coordinator:** Andy Hegedus

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 6.8  
**County Roads:** 1.33  
**Local Roads:** 15.9

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Lower Throop, Murray Hill, Schoolside Estates, Tiffany Estates, Warsaw

# Vandling Borough



**2020 Pop:** 730  
**Square Miles:** 1.3  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 562  
**School District:** Forest City Regional

**Mailing Address:** 449 Hillside Street  
Vandling, PA 18421

**Office Hours:** By Appointment Only

**Low Elevation:** 1,320  
**Location:** Lackawanna River  
**High Elevation:** 1,700  
**Location:** Hillside Street

**Phone:** 570-785-5070  
**Fax:** None  
**Email:** vandling449@yahoo.com  
**Website:** www.vandlingpa.us

## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Nancy Perri  
**Mayor:** Tom Prince  
**Solicitor:** Jeffrey Levine  
**Engineer:** KBA Engineering  
**Tax Collector:** Mary Ann Risboskin  
**SEO:** Jay Lynch  
**Zoning Officer:** Joseph Lavin  
**Building Inspector:** NEIC

**Council:**  
John Carachilo, President  
William Boyle  
Joseph Brady  
Francis Pantzar  
William Matos III

**Planning Commission:**  
None

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Rick Utegg  
Steve Mikloiche  
Michael Seana  
Jeff Pavlovich

**Comp Plan:** 1994  
**Zoning:** 12/14/1993  
**SALDO:** 9/14/1993  
**FEMA#:** 421748  
**Census Tract(s):** 1101  
**PA Classification:** Urban

**Municipal Meeting:**  
3rd Monday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Bldg

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
N/A

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 128  
**Pop over 65:** 114  
**% HS Grads:** 98  
**% College Grads:** 28.7  
**Households:** 304  
**Median Age:** 51  
**#1 Ancestry:** Irish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.23  
**% Minority Pop:** 9

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$44,081  
**Median Household Income:** \$81,000  
**Median Family Income:** \$95,694  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 377  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 10  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 18 mils  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$4,696,088  
**Local Services Tax:** \$10

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Forest City 18421

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Carbondale City Police  
**Police Chief:** Brian Bognatz  
**Fire:** Browndale Fire Co. #1  
**Fire Chief:** Jason Obelenus  
**Ambulance:** Forest City Area Comm Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** Ron Richards

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 2.59  
**County Roads:** 0  
**Local Roads:** 2.02

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Vandling, Van Forest Estates

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 342  
**Vacant Units:** 36  
**Owner Occupied:** 222  
**Renter Occupied:** 82  
**Median Home Value:** \$158,800  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,163  
**Median Monthly Rent:** \$703  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Oil  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 0



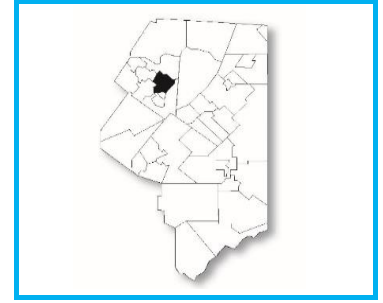
# Waverly Township

**2020 Pop:** 1,856  
**Square Miles:** 4.6  
**Density/Sq. Mi:** 403  
**School District:** Abington Heights

**Mailing Address:** PO Box 8  
1 Lake Henry Drive  
Waverly, PA 18471  
**Office Hours:** M-F, 9 AM to 4 PM

**Low Elevation:** 1,095  
**Location:** Creek at Dalton Line  
**High Elevation:** 1,560  
**Location:** Carpenter Hill

**Phone:** 570-586-0111  
**Fax:** 570-586-0701  
**Email:** waverlytownship@comcast.net  
**Website:** www.waverlytp.com



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Christine Capozzi  
**Mayor:** N/A  
**Solicitor:** Malcolm MacGregor, Esq.  
**Engineer:** Ned Slocum  
**Tax Collector:** Ilona Thurston  
**SEO:** Gary Wilding  
**Zoning Officer:** Christine Capozzi  
**Building Inspector:** BIU/NEIC

**Board of Supervisors:**  
Eric Parry, Chair  
Drew Christian  
Bill Byron

**Planning Commission:**  
Michael Hoban, Chair  
Alec Senofonte  
Steven De Riancho  
Peter Cagnetti  
David Hemmler  
John Walker  
Cheryl Murnin  
William Jones, Sol.

**Zoning Hearing Board:**  
Harold Baille  
Joseph Fitzsimmons  
Marcy Curra  
Matthew Boyd, Sol.

**Comp Plan:** 11/30/2009  
**Zoning:** 4/28/2008  
**SALDO:** 12/11/2006  
**FEMA#:** 422453  
**Census Tract(s):** 1104.02  
**PA Classification:** Urban

**Municipal Meeting:**  
2nd & Last Mondays, 6:00 PM, Municipal Building  
Variations in Jan., May, & Dec.

**Planning Commission Meeting:**  
2nd Thursday, 7:00 PM, Municipal Building

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 450  
**Pop over 65:** 368  
**% HS Grads:** 98.6  
**% College Grads:** 68.4  
**Households:** 641  
**Median Age:** 42.7  
**#1 Ancestry:** Irish  
**Ave. Household:** 2.74  
**% Minority Pop:** 10.7

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$63,391  
**Median Household Income:** \$132,917  
**Median Family Income:** \$151,875  
**Civilian Labor Force:** 902  
**% Pop below poverty level:** 3.7  
**2022 Tax Millage:** 12.35  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$26,075,510  
**Local Services Tax:** \$10

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Clarks Summit 18411  
Dalton 18414  
Waverly 18471

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Waverly Township Police  
**Police Chief:** Kenneth James  
**Fire:** Dalton Vol. Fire Co. /Clarks Summit Vol. Fire Co.  
**Fire Chief:** Donald Stacknick/Jay Miller  
**Ambulance:** Clarks Summit Vol. Ambulance/Dalton Vol. Ambulance  
**EMA Coordinator:** Kenneth James

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 9.49  
**County Roads:** 0  
**Twp Roads:** 9.92

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 718  
**Vacant Units:** 39  
**Owner Occupied:** 611  
**Renter Occupied:** 30  
**Median Home Value:** \$355,300  
**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$2,315  
**Median Monthly Rent:** N/I  
**#1 Heating Fuel:** Utility Gas  
**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier  
**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 0

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Commons at Waverly, Ledgewood, Oakford Glen, Oakford Woods, Old Orchard Park, Parker Hill, Sterling Estates, Waverly, Waverly Acres, Waverly Estates



# West Abington Township

**2020 Pop:** 300

**Square Miles:** 5.5

**Density/Sq. Mi:** 55

**School District:** Lackawanna Trail

**Mailing Address:** 2545 Bald Mountain Road  
Ransom Twp, PA 18411

**Office Hours:** By appointment only

**Low Elevation:** 920

**Location:** Sweeney Pond Creek

**High Elevation:** 1,656

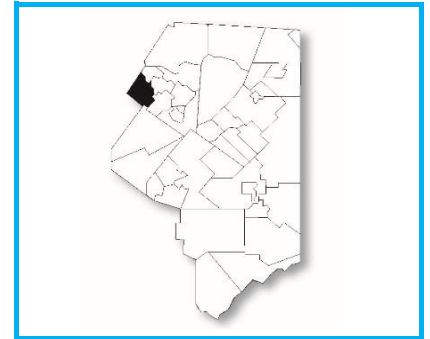
**Location:** Wilbur Hill

**Phone:** 570-586-6489

**Fax:** None

**Email:** watsec@frontier.com

**Website:** None



## 2022 OFFICIALS/MEETINGS/ORDINANCES

**Contact:** Francine Fawcett

**Mayor:** N/A

**Solicitor:** Teal Gilbert, Esq.

**Engineer:** John Schever

**Tax Collector:** Diane Ditchey

**SEO:** Osbert Patton

**Zoning Officer:** Yvonne Smith

**Building Inspector:** BIU

**Board of Supervisors:**

David Button, Chair

Riley Pierce

Kenneth Klinkel

**Planning Commission:**

James Schirg, Chair

Richard Schirg

Tom Lowrie

Christian Anglin

Roy Battaglia

Joe Curra

Francine Fawcett, Sec.

**Zoning Hearing Board:**

James Cours, Chair

Jason Schirg

Carmen Passeneti

Brent Tripp

**Comp Plan:** 12/1/2009

**Zoning:** 7/2/1996

**SALDO:** 2/4/1997

**FEMA#:** 421760

**Census Tract(s):** 1103

**PA Classification:** Rural

**Municipal Meeting:**

1st Tuesday, 7:00 PM, Dalton Fire Co.

**Planning Commission Meeting:**

As needed, Dalton Fire Co.

## POPULATION

**Pop under 18:** 50

**Pop over 65:** 80

**% HS Grads:** 93.8

**% College Grads:** 45.4

**Households:** 128

**Median Age:** 48.9

**#1 Ancestry:** German

**Ave. Household:** 2.16

**% Minority Pop:** 7

## ECONOMICS & TAXES

**Per Capita Income:** \$47,019

**Median Household Income:** \$65,000

**Median Family Income:** \$81,250

**Civilian Labor Force:** 149

**% Pop below poverty level:** 3.6

**2022 Tax Millage:** 8 mils

**2022 Assessment Value:** \$2,807,501

**Local Services Tax:** \$0

## POST OFFICES w/ ZIP CODES

Dalton 18414

Factoryville 18419

## HOUSING

**Total Units:** 134

**Vacant Units:** 2

**Owner Occupied:** 120

**Renter Occupied:** 8

**Median Home Value:** \$229,700

**Median Owner Cost w/ mortgage:** \$1,556

**Median Monthly Rent:** \$850

**#1 Heating Fuel:** Oil

**Majority of Structures Built:** 1939 or earlier

**Res. New Const. Permits, 2021:** 1

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

**Police:** Dalton Borough Police

**Police Chief:** Christopher Tolson

**Fire:** Dalton Vol. Fire Co.

**Fire Chief:** Donald Stacknick

**Ambulance:** Dalton Vol Ambulance

**EMA Coordinator:** Mike Harding

## ROAD SYSTEM

**State Roads:** 7.76

**County Roads:** 0

**Twp Roads:** 5.51

## VILLAGES/NEIGHBORHOODS

Walls Corners



# Rank by Population & Square Miles

## Population (2020 Census):

Scranton City.....	76,328
Dunmore Boro.....	14,042
South Abington Twp.....	9,532
Carbondale City.....	8,828
Old Forge Boro.....	8,497
Archbald Boro.....	7,297
Blakely Boro.....	6,657
Taylor Boro.....	6,294
Dickson City Boro.....	6,038
Moosic Boro.....	5,959
Olyphant Boro.....	5,383
Clarks Summit Boro.....	5,107
Scott Twp.....	4,629
Jessup Boro.....	4,520
Throop Boro.....	4,065
Jefferson Twp.....	3,765
Newton Twp.....	2,816
Spring Brook Twp.....	2,748
Madison Twp.....	2,469
Fell Twp.....	2,338
Roaring Brook Twp.....	2,273
Greenfield Twp.....	2,260
Covington Twp.....	2,198
Jermyn Boro.....	2,150
Moscow Boro.....	2,039
Waverly Twp.....	1,856
Mayfield Boro.....	1,763
Benton Twp.....	1,726
Clarks Green Boro.....	1,524
Clifton Twp.....	1,493
Glenburn Twp.....	1,434
Ransom Twp.....	1,397
Dalton Boro.....	1,284
Carbondale Twp.....	1,125
Thornhurst Twp.....	1,008
Emhurst Twp.....	842
Vandling Boro.....	730
North Abington Twp.....	706
LaPlume Twp.....	476
West Abington Twp.....	300

## Square Miles:

Spring Brook Twp.....	35.6
Jefferson Twp.....	34.7
Scott Twp.....	28.2
Benton Twp.....	26.0
Scranton City.....	25.8
Covington Twp.....	23.8
Thornhurst Twp.....	23.6
Newton Twp.....	23.1
Roaring Brook Twp.....	23.1
Greenfield Twp.....	22.4
Clifton Twp.....	20.5
Ransom Twp.....	18.4
Madison Twp.....	17.3
Archbald Boro.....	16.9
Fell Twp.....	15.5
Carbondale Twp.....	14.3
North Abington Twp.....	9.5
South Abington Twp.....	9.3
Dunmore Boro.....	8.9
Jessup Boro.....	6.8
Moosic Boro.....	6.7
Olyphant Boro.....	5.6
West Abington Twp.....	5.5
Taylor Boro.....	5.2
Glenburn Twp.....	5.1
Throop Boro.....	5.0
Dickson City Boro.....	4.7
Waverly Twp.....	4.6
Blakely Boro.....	3.9
Old Forge Boro.....	3.4
Dalton Boro.....	3.3
Carbondale City.....	3.2
Moscow Boro.....	2.8
LaPlume Twp.....	2.4
Mayfield Boro.....	2.4
Elmhurst Twp.....	2.0
Clarks Summit Boro.....	1.6
Vandling Boro.....	1.3
Jermyn Boro.....	0.8
Clarks Green Boro.....	0.6

# Population Change 1970-2020

Municipality	1970 Pop	1980 Pop	1990 Pop	2000 Pop	2010 Pop	2020 Pop
Archbald Boro	6,118	6,295	6,291	6,220	6,984	7,297
Benton Twp	1,141	1,670	1,837	1,881	1,908	1,726
Blakely Boro	6,391	7,438	7,222	7,027	6,564	6,657
Carbondale City	12,478	11,255	10,664	9,804	8,891	8,828
Carbondale Twp	974	1,032	925	1,008	1,115	1,125
Clarks Green Boro	1,674	1,862	1,603	1,630	1,476	1,524
Clarks Summit Boro	5,376	5,272	5,433	5,126	5,116	5,107
Clifton Twp	526	855	1,040	1,139	1,480	1,493
Covington Twp	1,460	1,858	2,055	1,994	2,284	2,198
Dalton Boro	1,282	1,383	1,369	1,294	1,234	1,284
Dickson City Boro	7,698	6,699	6,276	6,205	6,070	6,038
Dunmore Boro	18,168	16,781	15,403	14,081	14,057	14,042
Elmhurst Twp	799	953	850	838	894	842
Fell Twp	2,953	2,817	2,432	2,331	2,178	2,338
Glenburn Twp	1,113	1,257	1,242	1,212	1,246	1,434
Greenfield Twp	1,140	1,524	1,749	1,990	2,105	2,260
Jefferson Twp	1,809	3,132	3,419	3,592	3,731	3,765
Jermyn Boro	2,435	2,411	2,263	2,287	2,169	2,150
Jessup Boro	4,948	4,974	4,605	4,718	4,676	4,520
LaPlume Twp	971	1,001	644	603	602	476
Madison Twp	993	1,659	2,210	2,542	2,750	2,469
Mayfield Boro	2,176	1,812	1,890	1,756	1,807	1,763
Moosic Boro	4,646	6,068	5,339	5,575	5,719	5,959
Moscow Boro	1,430	1,536	1,527	1,883	2,026	2,039
Newton Twp	2,326	2,521	2,844	2,699	2,849	2,816
North Abington Twp	553	619	692	782	703	706
Old Forge Boro	9,522	9,304	8,834	8,798	8,313	8,497
Olyphant Boro	5,422	5,204	5,222	4,978	5,151	5,383
Ransom Twp	1,196	1,506	1,607	1,429	1,420	1,397
Roaring Brook Twp	1,385	1,895	1,966	1,637	1,907	2,273
Scott Twp	3,803	4,624	5,344	4,931	4,905	4,629
Scranton City	102,696	88,117	81,805	76,415	76,089	76,328
South Abington Twp	3,616	6,353	6,377	8,638	9,073	9,532
Spring Brook Twp	1,577	2,144	2,097	2,367	2,768	2,748
Taylor Boro	6,977	7,246	6,941	6,475	6,263	6,294
Thornhurst Twp.*	167	326	487	798	1,085	1,008
Throop Boro	4,307	4,166	4,070	4,010	4,088	4,065
Vandling Boro	633	557	654	738	751	730
Waverly Twp**	1,316	1,487	1,515	1,616	1,743	1,856
West Abington Twp	309	295	296	311	250	300
<b>Lackawanna County</b>	<b>234,504</b>	<b>227,908</b>	<b>219,039</b>	<b>213,295</b>	<b>214,437</b>	<b>215,896</b>

\*Township was named Lehigh for '60 through '90 Censuses.

\*\*Township name changed on January 1, 2011 (formerly Abington Twp)





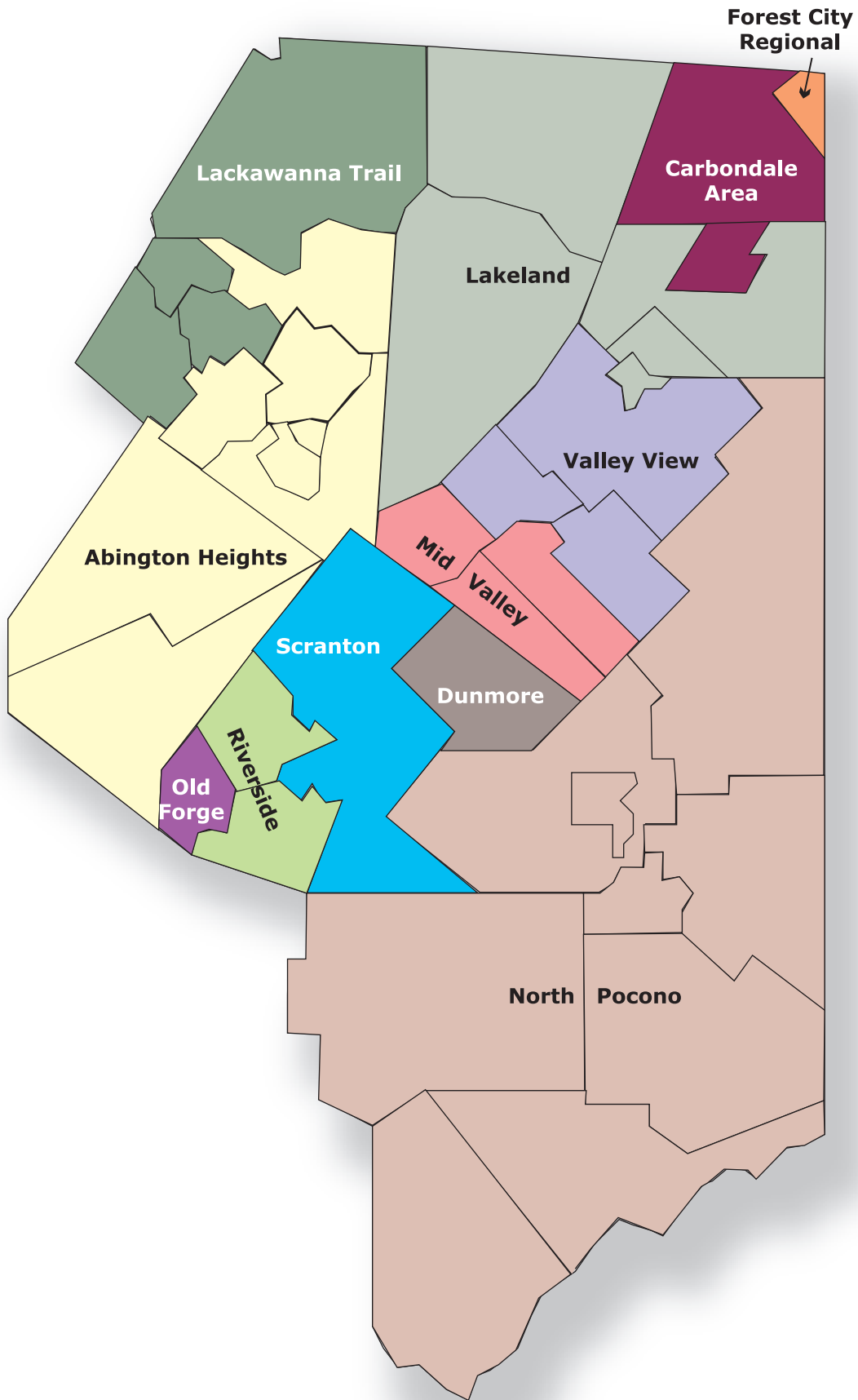
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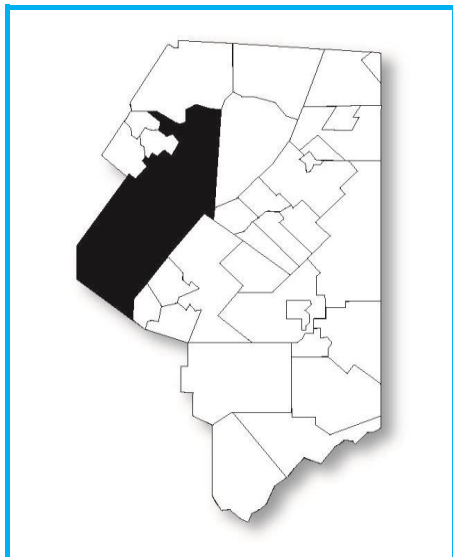
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# School Districts Map





# Abington Heights School District



## CONTACT INFORMATION

200 E. Grove Street  
Clarks Summit, PA 18411  
**Phone:** 570-586-2511  
**Fax:** 570-586-1756

**Website:** ahsd.org  
**School Board Meeting:**  
1st & 3rd Wed, 6:30 PM, Admin Bldg

## MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE DISTRICT

Clarks Green Borough	North Abington Township
Clarks Summit Borough	Ransom Township
Glenburn Township	South Abington Township
Newton Township	Waverly Township

## NUMBER OF SCHOOLS

High School - 1	Elementary Schools - 4
Middle School - 1	

## 2021-22 DISTRICT OFFICIALS

**Superintendent:** Dr. Christopher Shaffer

**Solicitor:** John Audi, Esq.

### Transportation

**Coordinator:** Susan Wallace

### Board of Education:

Warren Acker, Pres

Rod Azar

Michele Tierney

Gregory Madensky

Anthony Abdalla

Emily Karam

Michael Fleming

Gretchen Henderson

Philip Robson

## DEMOGRAPHICS & TAXES (2020)

**Population:** 24,372

**Square Miles:** 72.2

**Pop w/ HS degree:** 95.60%

**Median Household Income:** \$84,594

**Median Home Value:** \$242,800

**2021-22 Tax Millage:** 122.91

**2022 Assessment Value:** \$254,564,375

## EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE

**Graduation Rate (2021-22):** 96.60%

**Dropouts (2019-20):** 7

**Dropout Rate (2019-20):** 0.43%

**Graduates Post-Secondary Bound (2019-20):** 86%

**Average SAT Score (2018-19):** 1134

**AP Courses Offered (2016-17):** 14

**Average Reading Proficiency:** 79%

**Average Math Proficiency:** 61%

**Per-Pupil Spending (2021-22):** \$14,316

## STAFFING

**Professional Staff (2021-22):** 262

**Support Staff (2021-22):** 137

**Average Teacher's Salary (2021-22):** \$70,970

**Avg Yrs of Teacher's Service (2021-22):** 16

**Student/Teacher Ratio (2021-22):** 14 to 1

## ENROLLMENT (2021-22)

**Total Enrollment:** 3,417

**Elementary Enrollment (K-6):** 1,754

**Secondary Enrollment (7-12):** 1,663

**Kindergarten Enrollment:** 215

**12th Grade Enrollment:** 250

**Average # Students per Grade:** 263

**Minority Enrollment:** 14.19%

**Low Income Enrollment:** 14.00%

**Special Education Enrollment:** 14.10%

**English Learners:** 35

## SAFE SCHOOLS REPORT (2020-21)

**Misconduct Incidents:** 44

**Incidents involving Law Enforcement:** 4

**Fire Drills Held:** 47

**Weapons Detection:** 1

**Expulsions:** 0

**Security Staff:** 0

**Physical Injuries:** 1

**\*Truants:** 675

**\*Truancy Rate:** 20.14%

\*numbers may have been affected by the COVID-19 pandemic

## STUDENT ATHLETICS

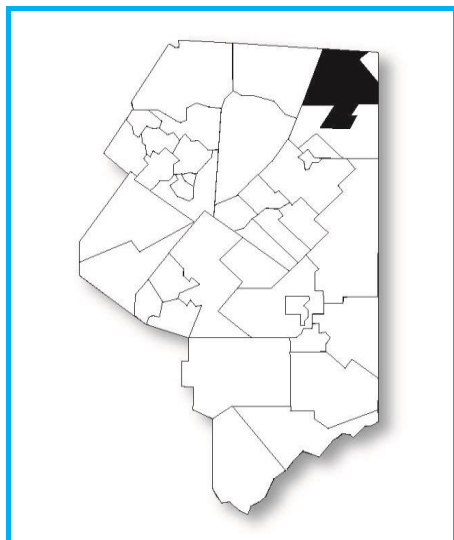
**Varsity Sports Offered:** 33

**Nicknames:** Comets/Lady Comets

**School Colors:** Blue/White



# Carbondale Area School District



## CONTACT INFORMATION

101 Brooklyn Street  
Carbondale, PA 18407  
Phone: 570-282-2507  
Fax: 570-282-6988

Website: [carbondalearea.org](http://carbondalearea.org)

School Board Meeting:  
3rd Monday, 7:30 PM, HS auditorium

## MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE DISTRICT

Carbondale City  
Fell Township

## NUMBER OF SCHOOLS

Jr/Sr High School - 1  
Elementary School - 1

## 2021-22 DISTRICT OFFICIALS

Superintendent: Holly Sayre

Solicitor: John Lawler, Esq.

Transportation

Coordinator: Kim Michalek

Board of Education:

Gary Smedley, Pres.

Nathan Masco

Sarah Sweet

Paul Kaczmarcik

Joseph Caviston

Brandy Champagne-Collins

John Jordan

James Dovin

David Osborne

## DEMOGRAPHICS & TAXES (2020)

Population: 11,166

Square Miles 18.7

Pop w/ HS degree: 88.30%

Median Household Income: \$44,721

Median Home Value: \$102,000

2021-22 Tax Millage: 132.5

2022 Assessment Value: \$62,213,828

## EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE

Graduation Rate (2021-22): 80.20%

Dropouts (2019-20): 7

Dropout Rate (2019-20): 0.96%

Graduates Post-Secondary Bound (2019-20): 70%

Average SAT Score (2018-19): 1080

AP Courses Offered (2016-17): 4

Average Reading Proficiency: 56%

Average Math Proficiency: 29%

Per-Pupil Spending (2021-22): \$15,229

## STAFFING

Professional Staff (2021-22): 112

Support Staff (2021-22): 65

Average Teacher's Salary (2021-22): \$58,338

Avg Yrs of Teacher's Service (2021-22): 14.1

Student/Teacher Ratio (2021-22): 14 to 1

## ENROLLMENT (2021-22)

Total Enrollment: 1,531

Elementary Enrollment (K-6): 688

Secondary Enrollment (7-12): 783

Kindergarten Enrollment: 85

12th Grade Enrollment: 138

Average # Students per Grade: 112

Minority Enrollment: 23.00%

Low Income Enrollment: 61.90%

Special Education Enrollment: 26.80%

English Learners: 12

## SAFE SCHOOLS REPORT (2020-21)

Misconduct Incidents: 0

Incidents involving Law Enforcement: 0

Fire Drills Held: 6

Weapons Detection: 0

Expulsions: 0

Security Staff: 0

Physical Injuries: 0

\*Truants: 83

\*Truancy Rate: 5.68%

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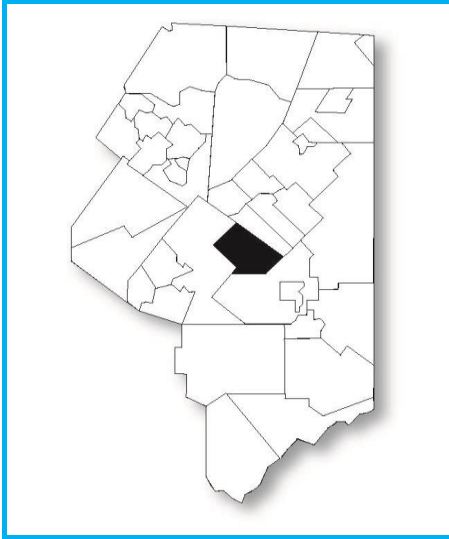
## STUDENT ATHLETICS

Varsity Sports Offered: 13

Nicknames: Chargers/Chargerettes

School Colors: Red/Blue

# Dunmore School District



## CONTACT INFORMATION

300 W. Warren Street  
Dunmore, PA 18512  
**Phone:** 570-343-2110  
**Fax:** 570-343-1458

**Website:** [dunmoreshooldistrict.net](http://dunmoreshooldistrict.net)  
**School Board Meeting:**  
3rd Wednesday, 6 PM, HS Cafeteria

## MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE DISTRICT

Dunmore Borough

## NUMBER OF SCHOOLS

Jr/Sr High School - 1  
Elementary School - 1

## 2021-22 DISTRICT OFFICIALS

**Superintendent:** John Marichak

**Solicitor:** Matthew Dempsey, Esq.

### Transportation

**Coordinator:** Michelle Kokoindo

### Board of Education:

Joe Muracco, Pres.

Heidi McDonough

Michael Coleman

Michael Hallinan

James McHale

Francis Kranick

Michael Butler

Jessica Libassi

Greg Hunt

## DEMOGRAPHICS & TAXES (2020)

**Population:** 14,042

**Square Miles:** 8.9

**Pop w/ HS degree:** 94.00%

**Median Household Income:** \$60,058

**Median Home Value:** \$162,300

**2021-22 Tax Millage:** 131.4361

**2022 Assessment Value:** \$109,413,018

## EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE

**Graduation Rate (2021-22):** 92.90%

**Dropouts (2019-20):** 3

**Dropout Rate (2019-20):** 0.43%

**Graduates Post-Secondary Bound (2019-20):** 84%

**Average SAT Score (2018-19):** 1150

**AP Courses Offered (2016-17):** 6

**Average Reading Proficiency:** 67%

**Average Math Proficiency:** 46%

**Per-Pupil Spending (2021-22):** \$15,144

## STAFFING

**Professional Staff (2021-22):** 119

**Support Staff (2021-22):** 31

**Average Teacher's Salary (2021-22):** \$59,314

**Avrg Yrs of Teacher's Service (2021-22):** 12.6

**Student/Teacher Ratio (2021-22):** 13 to 1

## ENROLLMENT (2021-22)

**Total Enrollment:** 1,396

**Elementary Enrollment (K-6):** 598

**Secondary Enrollment (7-12):** 696

**Kindergarten Enrollment:** 102

**12th Grade Enrollment:** 112

**Average # Students per Grade:** 107

**Minority Enrollment:** 22.68%

**Low Income Enrollment:** 41.30%

**Special Education Enrollment:** 18.30%

**English Learners:** 49

## SAFE SCHOOLS REPORT (2020-21)

**Misconduct Incidents:** 11

**Incidents involving Law Enforcement:** 0

**Fire Drills Held:** 9

**Weapons Detection:** 0

**Expulsions:** 3

**Security Staff:** 1

**Physical Injuries:** 0

**\*Truants:** 0

**\*Truancy Rate:** 0.00%

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## STUDENT ATHLETICS

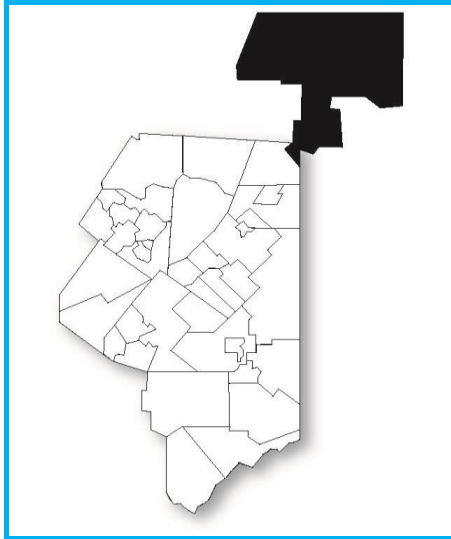
**Varsity Sports Offered:** 17

**Nicknames:** Bucks/Lady Bucks

**School Colors:** Red/Blue



# Forest City Regional School District



## CONTACT INFORMATION

100 Susquehanna Street  
Forest City, PA 18421  
**Phone:** 570-785-2403  
**Fax:** 570-785-9557

**Website:** fcrsd.org  
**School Board Meeting:**  
Dates vary, 7:30 PM, HS Auditorium

## MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE DISTRICT

Vandling Borough  
Forest City Borough (Susq. Co.)  
Herrick Twp (Susq. Co.)  
Union Dale Borough (Susq. Co.)  
Clinton Twp Dist. 2 (Wayne Co.)  
Mount Pleasant Twp (Wayne Co.)

## NUMBER OF SCHOOLS

Jr/Sr High School - 1  
Elementary School - 1

## 2021-22 DISTRICT OFFICIALS

**Superintendent:** Louis Zefran, Acting

**Solicitor:** Sweet, Stevens, Katz & Williams LLP

### Transportation

**Coordinator:** Patricia Chesnick

### Board of Education:

Mary Emmett, Pres

Dr. Henry Nebzydowski

Christina Albright

Melissa Erdmann

Christina Priebe

Marissa McAndrew

Brian Piatak

Stephen Ursich

Bernice Lukus

## DEMOGRAPHICS & TAXES (2020)

**Population:** 5,288

**Square Miles:** 87.82

**Pop w/ HS degree:** 95.40%

**Median Household Income:** \$56,512

**Median Home Value:** \$159,400

**2021-22 Tax Millage:** 99.03 (Vandling only)

**2022 Assessment Value:** \$4,696,088 (Vandling only)

## EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE

**Graduation Rate (2021-22):** 92.60%

**Dropouts (2019-20):** 0

**Dropout Rate (2019-20):** 0.00%

**Graduates Post-Secondary Bound (2019-20):** 53%

**Average SAT Score (2018-19):** 1130

**AP Courses Offered (2016-17):** 7

**Average Reading Proficiency:** 62%

**Average Math Proficiency:** 51%

**Per-Pupil Spending (2021-22):** \$20,875

## STAFFING

**Professional Staff (2021-22):** 65

**Support Staff (2021-22):** 11

**Average Teacher's Salary (2021-22):** \$67,864

**Avg Yrs of Teacher's Service (2021-22):** 15.2

**Student/Teacher Ratio (2021-22):** 11 to 1

## ENROLLMENT (2021-22)

**Total Enrollment:** 768

**Elementary Enrollment (K-6):** 393

**Secondary Enrollment (7-12):** 345

**Kindergarten Enrollment:** 62

**12th Grade Enrollment:** 53

**Average # Students per Grade:** 57

**Minority Enrollment:** 8.26%

**Low Income Enrollment:** 57.40%

**Special Education Enrollment:** 22.30%

**English Learners:**

## SAFE SCHOOLS REPORT (2020-21)

**Misconduct Incidents:** 29

**Incidents involving Law Enforcement:** 0

**Fire Drills Held:** 12

**Weapons Detection:** 0

**Expulsions:** 0

**Security Staff:** 0

**Physical Injuries:** 0

**\*Truants:** 0

**\*Truancy Rate:** 0.00%

\*numbers may have been affected by the COVID-19 pandemic

## STUDENT ATHLETICS

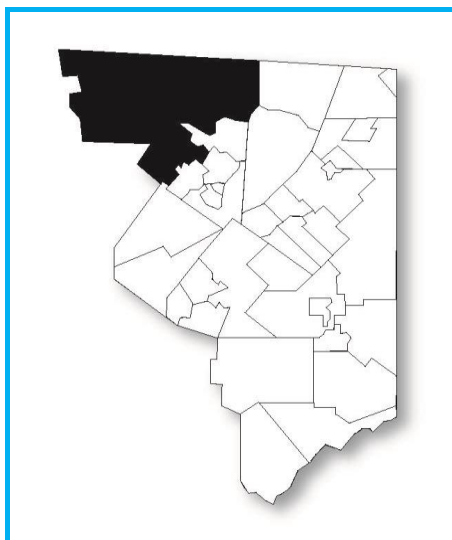
**Varsity Sports Offered:** 8

**Nicknames:** Foresters/Lady Foresters

**School Colors:** Purple/Gold



# Lackawanna Trail School District



## CONTACT INFORMATION

PO Box 85/179 College Ave.  
Factoryville, PA 18419  
Phone: 570-945-5184  
Fax: 570-945-3832

Website: [ltsd.org](http://ltsd.org)

School Board Meeting:  
2nd Monday, 7:30 PM, Board Room

## MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE DISTRICT

Benton Township	Clinton Township (Wyo. Co.)
Dalton Borough	Factoryville Borough (Wyo. Co.)
LaPlume Township	Nicholson Borough (Wyo. Co.)
West Abington Township	Nicholson Township (Wyo. Co.)

## NUMBER OF SCHOOLS

Jr/Sr High School - 1  
Elementary School - 1

## 2021-22 DISTRICT OFFICIALS

**Superintendent:** Matthew Rakauskas

**Solicitor:** John Audi, Esq.

### Transportation

**Coordinator:** Thomas Schofield

### Board of Education:

Kevin Mulhern, Pres.

Adrian Bianchi

Nolan Schmidt

Joseph Ross

Dr. Michael Mould

Mark Carpenter

Tracy Wescott

Brian Petula

Robert Minick

## DEMOGRAPHICS & TAXES (2020)

**Population:** 8,151

**Square Miles:** 74.1

**Pop w/ HS degree:** 94.80%

**Median Household Income:** \$59,099

**Median Home Value:** \$182,700

**2021-22 Tax Millage:** 174.76 (Lacka. Co. only)

**2022 Assessment Value:** \$35,390,146 (Lacka. Co. only)

## EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE

**Graduation Rate (2021-22):** 89.30%

**Dropouts (2019-20):** 2

**Dropout Rate (2019-20):** 0.42%

**Graduates Post-Secondary Bound (2019-20):** 65%

**Average SAT Score (2018-19):** 1150

**AP Courses Offered (2016-17):** 3

**Average Reading Proficiency:** 66%

**Average Math Proficiency:** 46%

**Per-Pupil Spending (2021-22):** \$20,525

## STAFFING

**Professional Staff (2021-22):** 95

**Support Staff (2021-22):** 48

**Average Teacher's Salary (2021-22):** \$77,250

**Avrg Yrs of Teacher's Service (2021-22):** 16.8

**Student/Teacher Ratio (2021-22):** 11 to 1

## ENROLLMENT (2021-22)

**Total Enrollment:** 980

**Elementary Enrollment (K-6):** 494

**Secondary Enrollment (7-12):** 475

**Kindergarten Enrollment:** 64

**12th Grade Enrollment:** 81

**Average # Students per Grade:** 75

**Minority Enrollment:** 4.97%

**Low Income Enrollment:** 43.70%

**Special Education Enrollment:** 22.20%

**English Learners:** 3

## SAFE SCHOOLS REPORT (2020-21)

**Misconduct Incidents:** 14

**Incidents involving Law Enforcement:** 5

**Fire Drills Held:** 19

**Weapons Detection:** 0

**Expulsions:** 0

**Security Staff:** 2

**Physical Injuries:** 0

**\*Truants:** 230

**\*Truancy Rate:** 23.84%

\*numbers may have been affected by the COVID-19 pandemic

## STUDENT ATHLETICS

**Varsity Sports Offered:** 13

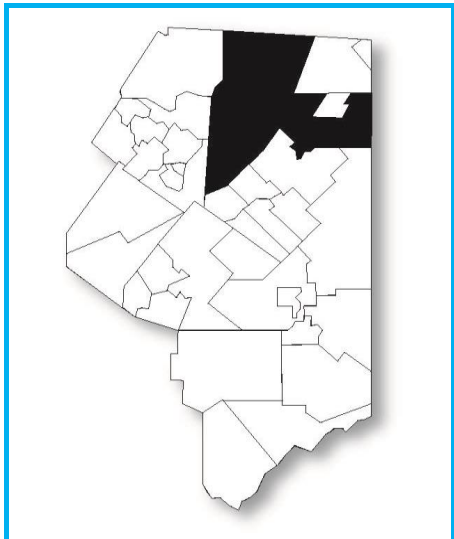
**Nicknames:** Lions/Lady Lions

**School Colors:** Red/Black





# Lakeland School District



## CONTACT INFORMATION

1355 Lakeland Drive  
Scott Twp, PA 18433  
**Phone:** 570-254-9485  
**Fax:** 570-254-6730

**Website:** lakelandsd.org  
**School Board Meeting:**  
3rd Wednesday, 7 PM, HS Auditorium  
(December, 1st Tues.)

## MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE DISTRICT

Carbondale Township                      Scott Township  
Greenfield Township  
Jermyn Borough  
Mayfield Borough

## NUMBER OF SCHOOLS

Jr/Sr High School - 1  
Elementary School - 2

## 2021-22 DISTRICT OFFICIALS

**Superintendent:** Marc Wyandt

**Solicitor:** Richard Fanucci, Esq.

**Transportation**

**Coordinator:** Michael Motsay

**Board of Education:**

Mark Solomon, Pres.

Joseph Sullivan

Patrick Gallagher

Bobby Boyarsky

Angela Giglia-Morrison

John Yanochik

Casey Patuk

Thomas Walsh

Bradley Beneski

## DEMOGRAPHICS & TAXES (2020)

**Population:** 11,927

**Square Miles:** 68.1

**Pop w/ HS degree:** 95.20%

**Median Household Income:** \$65,430

**Median Home Value:** \$168,400

**2021-22 Tax Millage:** 118.05

**2022 Assessment Value:** \$96,168,314

## EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE

**Graduation Rate (2021-22):** 89.40%

**Dropouts (2019-20):** 7

**Dropout Rate (2019-20):** 1.00%

**Graduates Post-Secondary Bound (2019-20):** 98%

**Average SAT Score (2018-19):** 1100

**AP Courses Offered (2016-17):** 7

**Average Reading Proficiency:** 63%

**Average Math Proficiency:** 43%

**Per-Pupil Spending (2021-22):** \$16,577

## STAFFING

**Professional Staff (2021-22):** 123

**Support Staff (2021-22):** 37

**Average Teacher's Salary (2021-22):** \$63,007

**Avg Yrs of Teacher's Service (2021-22):** 14.3

**Student/Teacher Ratio (2021-22):** 13 to 1

## ENROLLMENT (2021-22)

**Total Enrollment:** 1,403

**Elementary Enrollment (K-6):** 707

**Secondary Enrollment (7-12):** 696

**Kindergarten Enrollment:** 113

**12th Grade Enrollment:** 94

**Average # Students per Grade:** 108

**Minority Enrollment:** 7.13%

**Low Income Enrollment:** 37.50%

**Special Education Enrollment:** 16.50%

**English Learners:** 2

## SAFE SCHOOLS REPORT (2020-21)

**Misconduct Incidents:** 16

**Incidents involving Law Enforcement:** 2

**Fire Drills Held:** 24

**Weapons Detection:** 0

**Expulsions:** 0

**Security Staff:** 0

**Physical Injuries:** 0

**\*Truants:** 27

**\*Truancy Rate:** 1.98%

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## STUDENT ATHLETICS

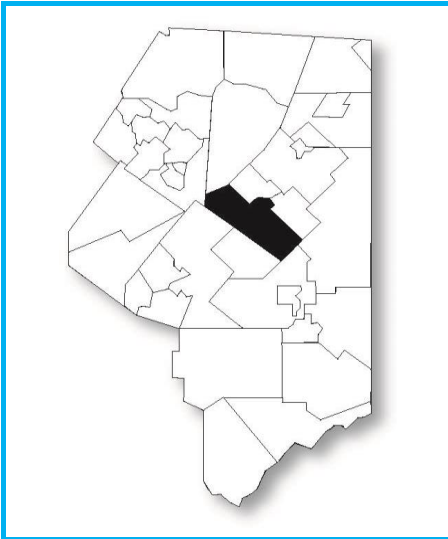
**Varsity Sports Offered:** 13

**Nicknames:** Chiefs/Lady Chiefs

**School Colors:** Red/Blue



# Mid Valley School District



## CONTACT INFORMATION

52 Underwood Road  
Throop, PA 18512  
**Phone:** 570-307-1150  
**Fax:** 570-307-1219

**Website:** mvsd.us  
**School Board Meeting:**  
3rd Wednesday, 7 PM

## MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE DISTRICT

Dickson City Borough  
Olyphant Borough  
Throop Borough

## NUMBER OF SCHOOLS

Jr/Sr High School - 1  
Elementary School - 1

## 2021-22 DISTRICT OFFICIALS

**Superintendent:** Patrick Sheehan

**Solicitor:** Donald Dolan, Esq.

**Transportation**

**Coordinator:** Thomas Nowakowski

**Board of Education:**

Steve Vituszynski, Pres.

Anthony Barrett

Gerald Luchansky

Glen Cashuric

Ronald Bukowski

Mary Ruth Tanner

Donna Dixon

Joanne Pesota

Dan Lane

## DEMOGRAPHICS & TAXES (2020)

**Population:** 15,486

**Square Miles:** 15.3

**Pop w/ HS degree:** 91.20%

**Median Household Income:** \$48,803

**Median Home Value:** \$138,000

**2021-22 Tax Millage:** 123.2798

**2022 Assessment Value:** \$146,537,608

## EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE

**Graduation Rate (2021-22):** 91.70%

**Dropouts (2019-20):** 3

**Dropout Rate (2019-20):** 0.37%

**Graduates Post-Secondary Bound (2019-20):** 62%

**Average SAT Score (2018-19):** 1120

**AP Courses Offered (2016-17):** 3

**Average Reading Proficiency:** 57%

**Average Math Proficiency:** 36%

**Per-Pupil Spending (2021-22):** \$15,896

## STAFFING

**Professional Staff (2021-22):** 145

**Support Staff (2021-22):** 42

**Average Teacher's Salary (2021-22):** \$63,026

**Avg Yrs of Teacher's Service (2021-22):** 15.4

**Student/Teacher Ratio (2021-22):** 14 to 1

## ENROLLMENT (2021-22)

**Total Enrollment:** 1,887

**Elementary Enrollment (K-6):** 1,024

**Secondary Enrollment (7-12):** 863

**Kindergarten Enrollment:** 138

**12th Grade Enrollment:** 111

**Average # Students per Grade:** 145

**Minority Enrollment:** 23.24%

**Low Income Enrollment:** 52.40%

**Special Education Enrollment:** 18.30%

**English Learners:** 41

## SAFE SCHOOLS REPORT (2020-21)

**Misconduct Incidents:** 30

**Incidents involving Law Enforcement:** 8

**Fire Drills Held:** 18

**Weapons Detection:** 0

**Expulsions:** 5

**Security Staff:** 2

**Physical Injuries:** 1

**\*Truants:** 283

**\*Truancy Rate:** 15.46%

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## STUDENT ATHLETICS

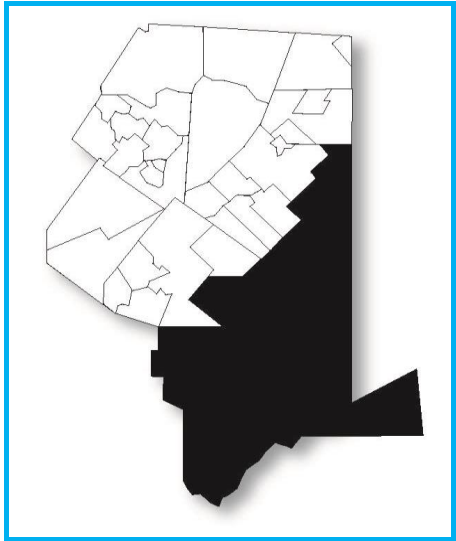
**Varsity Sports Offered:** 15

**Nicknames:** Spartans/Spartanettes

**School Colors:** Blue/White



# North Pocono School District



## CONTACT INFORMATION

701 Church Street  
Moscow, PA 18444  
Phone: 570-842-7659  
Fax: 570-842-0886

Website: [npsd.org](http://npsd.org)  
School Board Meeting:  
2nd Thursday, 7 PM, HS Auditorium

## MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE DISTRICT

Clifton Township	Moscow Borough
Covington Township	Roaring Brook Township
Elmhurst Township	Spring Brook Township
Jefferson Township	Thornhurst Township
Madison Township	Lehigh Township - Wayne Co.

## NUMBER OF SCHOOLS

High School - 1	Intermediate School - 1
Middle School - 1	Elementary Schools - 2

## 2021-22 DISTRICT OFFICIALS

**Superintendent:** Dr. Daniel J. Powell  
**Solicitor:** Joseph O'Brien, Esq.  
**Transportation**  
**Coordinator:** Ian Farr

**Board of Education:**

Anthony Cantafio, Pres.	Diane Croom	R. Mark Powell
Howard McIntosh	John Martinelli	Michael May
William Burke	Pia McLaine	Ralph Colo

## DEMOGRAPHICS & TAXES (2020)

**Population:** 20,135  
**Square Miles:** 195.2  
**Pop w/ HS degree:** 93.80%  
**Median Household Income:** \$76,982  
**Median Home Value:** \$203,300

**2021-22 Tax Millage:** 145.53  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$229,702,501 (Lacka Co. only)

## EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE

**Graduation Rate (2021-22):** 95.50%  
**Dropouts (2019-20):** 4  
**Dropout Rate (2019-20):** 0.28%  
**Graduates Post-Secondary Bound (2019-20):** 73%  
**Average SAT Score (2018-19):** 1170  
**AP Courses Offered (2016-17):** 20  
**Average Reading Proficiency:** 73%  
**Average Math Proficiency:** 54%  
**Per-Pupil Spending (2021-22):** \$19,230

## STAFFING

**Professional Staff (2021-22):** 258  
**Support Staff (2021-22):** 133  
**Average Teacher's Salary (2021-22):** \$69,471  
**Avrg Yrs of Teacher's Service (2021-22):** 13.9  
**Student/Teacher Ratio (2021-22):** 12 to 1

## ENROLLMENT (2021-22)

**Total Enrollment:** 2,881  
**Elementary Enrollment (K-6):** 1,498  
**Secondary Enrollment (7-12):** 1,383  
**Kindergarten Enrollment:** 208  
**12th Grade Enrollment:** 236  
**Average # Students per Grade:** 222  
**Minority Enrollment:** 9.50%  
**Low Income Enrollment:** 33.30%  
**Special Education Enrollment:** 18.00%  
**English Learners:** 13

## SAFE SCHOOLS REPORT (2020-21)

**Misconduct Incidents:** 12  
**Incidents involving Law Enforcement:** 5  
**Fire Drills Held:** 41  
**Weapons Detection:** 0  
**Expulsions:** 0  
**Security Staff:** 10  
**Physical Injuries:** 1  
**\*Truants:** 383  
**\*Truancy Rate:** 13.18%

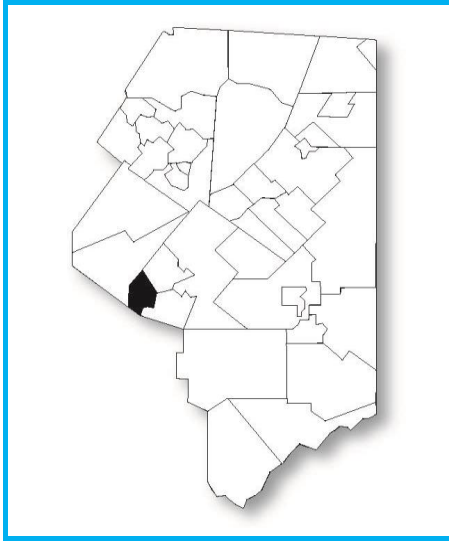
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## STUDENT ATHLETICS

**Varsity Sports Offered:** 20  
**Nicknames:** Trojans/Lady Trojans  
**School Colors:** Red/White



# Old Forge School District



## CONTACT INFORMATION

300 Marion Street  
Old Forge, PA 18518  
Phone: 570-457-6721  
Fax: 570-414-0997

Website: ofsd.cc  
School Board Meeting:  
4th Wednesday, 7 PM, HS LGI room

## MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE DISTRICT

Old Forge Borough

## NUMBER OF SCHOOLS

High School - 1  
Elementary School - 1

## 2021-22 DISTRICT OFFICIALS

**Superintendent:** Dr. Erin Keating

**Solicitor:** Noah Katz, Esq.

### Transportation

**Coordinator:** Brian Rinaldi

### Board of Education:

Marie Ciufferi

Christopher Thomas

Jenna Derenick

Vanessa Nee

Alisha Hudak

Shannon Exeter

Marie Ciufferi

Dr. Brian Guida

John Petrini

## DEMOGRAPHICS & TAXES (2020)

Population: 8,497

Square Miles 3.4

Pop w/ HS degree: 94.50%

Median Household Income: \$57,014

Median Home Value: \$145,600

2021-22 Tax Millage: 139.3519

2022 Assessment Value: \$58,225,836

## EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE

Graduation Rate (2021-22): 94.00%

Dropouts (2019-20): 1

Dropout Rate (2019-20): 0.24%

Graduates Post-Secondary Bound (2019-20): 78%

Average SAT Score (2018-19): 1130

AP Courses Offered (2016-17): 0

Average Reading Proficiency: 66%

Average Math Proficiency: 41%

Per-Pupil Spending (2021-22): \$15,297

## STAFFING

Professional Staff (2021-22): 69

Support Staff (2021-22): 9

Average Teacher's Salary (2021-22): \$60,814

Avg Yrs of Teacher's Service (2021-22): 14.1

Student/Teacher Ratio (2021-22): 14 to 1

## ENROLLMENT (2021-22)

Total Enrollment: 994

Elementary Enrollment (K-6): 417

Secondary Enrollment (7-12): 527

Kindergarten Enrollment: 73

12th Grade Enrollment: 67

Average # Students per Grade: 76

Minority Enrollment: 21.53%

Low Income Enrollment: 44.20%

Special Education Enrollment: 21.20%

English Learners: 20

## SAFE SCHOOLS REPORT (2020-21)

Misconduct Incidents: 0

Incidents involving Law Enforcement: 0

Fire Drills Held: 0

Weapons Detection: 0

Expulsions: 0

Security Staff: 0

Physical Injuries: 0

\*Truants: 0

\*Truancy Rate: 0.00%

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## STUDENT ATHLETICS

Varsity Sports Offered: 8

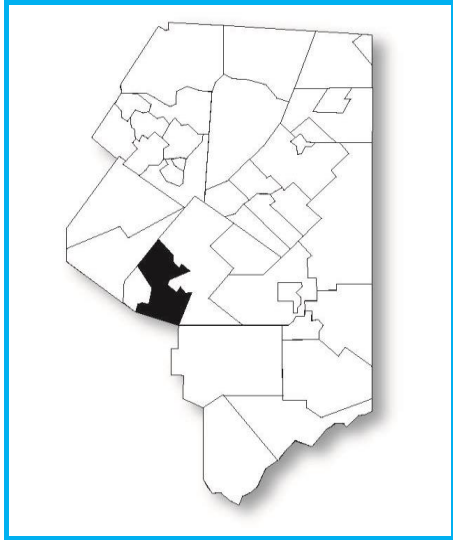
Nicknames: Blue Devils/

Lady Blue Devils

School Colors: Blue/Gold



# Riverside School District



## CONTACT INFORMATION

601 S. Main Street

Taylor, PA 18517

Phone: 570-562-2121

Fax: 570-562-3205

Website: [riversidesd.com](http://riversidesd.com)

School Board Meeting:

2nd Monday, 7 PM, Admin. Bldg.

## MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE DISTRICT

Moosic Borough

Taylor Borough

## NUMBER OF SCHOOLS

High School - 1

Elementary Schools - 2

## 2021-22 DISTRICT OFFICIALS

**Superintendent:** Paul Brennan

**Solicitor:** Raymond Rinaldi II, Esq.

**Transportation**

**Coordinator:** Scott Pentasuglio

**Board of Education:**

Carol Armstrong, Pres.

Leigh Ann Gasper

Caryn Emiliani

Linda Joyce

Kevin Harchar

Tara Meredick

Barbara Fedor

Mary McHugh

Dan Nenish

## DEMOGRAPHICS & TAXES (2020)

Population: 12,253

Square Miles 11.9

Pop w/ HS degree: 91.90%

Median Household Income: \$52,009

Median Home Value: \$150,700

2021-22 Tax Millage: 128.73

2022 Assessment Value: \$137,145,981

## EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE

Graduation Rate (2021-22): 84.20%

Dropouts (2019-20): 7

Dropout Rate (2019-20): 0.98%

Graduates Post-Secondary Bound (2019-20): 71%

Average SAT Score (2018-19): 1130

AP Courses Offered (2016-17): 6

Average Reading Proficiency: 60%

Average Math Proficiency: 37%

Per-Pupil Spending (2021-22): \$15,072

## STAFFING

Professional Staff (2021-22): 131

Support Staff (2021-22): 41

Average Teacher's Salary (2021-22): \$63,850

Avg Yrs of Teacher's Service (2021-22): 14.5

Student/Teacher Ratio (2021-22): 13 to 1

## ENROLLMENT (2021-22)

Total Enrollment: 1,531

Elementary Enrollment (K-6): 811

Secondary Enrollment (7-12): 720

Kindergarten Enrollment: 131

12th Grade Enrollment: 110

Average # Students per Grade: 118

Minority Enrollment: 26.86%

Low Income Enrollment: 47.40%

Special Education Enrollment: 20.50%

English Learners: 78

## SAFE SCHOOLS REPORT (2020-21)

Misconduct Incidents: 0

Incidents involving Law Enforcement: 0

Fire Drills Held: 23

Weapons Detection: 0

Expulsions: 0

Security Staff: 1

Physical Injuries: 0

\*Truants: 0

\*Truancy Rate: 0.00%

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## STUDENT ATHLETICS

Varsity Sports Offered: 14

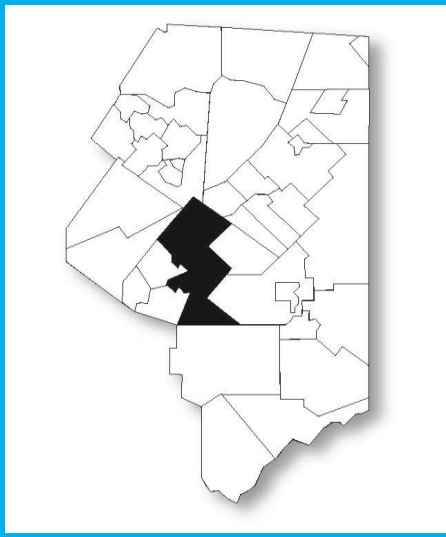
Nicknames: Vikings/Lady Vikings

School Colors: Red/Blue





# Scranton School District



## CONTACT INFORMATION

425 N. Washington Ave.  
Scranton, PA 18503  
**Phone:** 570-348-3465  
**Fax:** 570-348-3563

**Website:** [scrsd.org](http://scrsd.org)  
**School Board Meeting:**  
1st Monday, 7 PM, Scranton HS

## MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE DISTRICT

Scranton City

## NUMBER OF SCHOOLS

High Schools - 2  
Elementary Schools - 10  
Intermediate Schools - 3  
Alternative Ed School - 1

## 2021-22 DISTRICT OFFICIALS

**Superintendent:** Melissa McTiernan

**Solicitor:** John Audi, Esq.

### Transportation

**Coordinator:** Julie Maloney

### Board of Education:

Tara Yanni, Pres.

Sarah Cruz

Danielle Chesek

Catherine Fox

Ro Hume

Katie Gilmartin

Ty Holmes

Carol Cleary

Sean McAndrew

## DEMOGRAPHICS & TAXES (2020)

**Population:** 76,328

**Square Miles:** 25.8

**Pop w/ HS degree:** 87.50%

**Median Household Income:** \$41,687

**Median Home Value:** \$106,700

**2021-22 Tax Millage:** 142.987

**2022 Assessment Value:** \$601,968,134

## EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE

**Graduation Rate (2021-22):** 86.90%

**Dropouts (2019-20):** 97

**Dropout Rate (2019-20):** 2.23%

**Graduates Post-Secondary Bound (2019-20):** 63%

**Average SAT Score (2018-19):** 1080

**AP Courses Offered (2016-17):** 19

**Average Reading Proficiency:** 48%

**Average Math Proficiency:** 27%

**Per-Pupil Spending (2021-22):** \$15,651

## STAFFING

**Professional Staff (2021-22):** 766

**Support Staff (2021-22):** 366

**Average Teacher's Salary (2021-22):** \$59,508

**Avg Yrs of Teacher's Service (2021-22):** 15.6

**Student/Teacher Ratio (2021-22):** 13 to 1

## ENROLLMENT (2021-22)

**Total Enrollment:** 9,208

**Elementary Enrollment (K-6):** 4,203

**Secondary Enrollment (7-12):** 4,478

**Kindergarten Enrollment:** 527

**12th Grade Enrollment:** 756

**Average # Students per Grade:** 708

**Minority Enrollment:** 63.19%

**Low Income Enrollment:** 76.30%

**Special Education Enrollment:** 22.00%

**English Learners:** 832

## SAFE SCHOOLS REPORT (2020-21)

**Misconduct Incidents:** 6

**Incidents involving Law Enforcement:** 3

**Fire Drills Held:** 157

**Weapons Detection:** 1

**Expulsions:** 0

**Security Staff:** 0

**Physical Injuries:** 0

**\*Truants:** 0

**\*Truancy Rate:** 0.00%

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## STUDENT ATHLETICS

**Varsity Sports Offered:** SHS: 18 WSHS: 18

**Nicknames (SHS):** Knights/Lady Knights

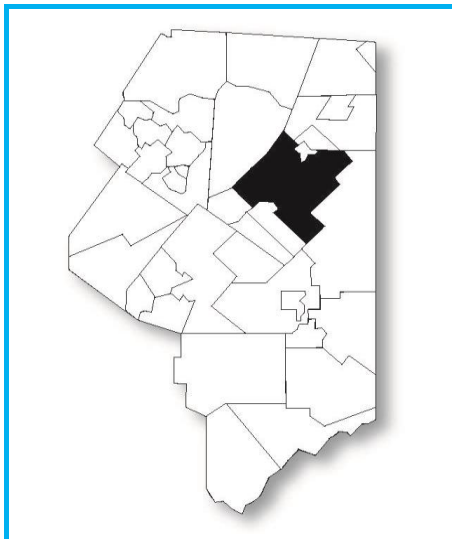
**School Colors (SHS):** Maroon/Gold

**Nicknames (WSHS):** Invaders/Lady Invaders

**School Colors (WSHS):** Blue/White



# Valley View School District



## CONTACT INFORMATION

1 Columbus Drive  
Archbald, PA 18403  
**Phone:** 570-876-5080  
**Fax:** 570-876-6365

**Website:** valleyviewsd.org  
**School Board Meeting:**  
2nd last Monday, 7 PM, HS Library  
(Jan, Feb, Apr, 2nd last Tuesday)

## MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE DISTRICT

Archbald Borough  
Blakely Borough  
Jessup Borough

## NUMBER OF SCHOOLS

High School - 1  
Elementary School - 1  
Intermediate School - 1  
Middle School - 1

## 2020 DISTRICT OFFICIALS

**Superintendent:** Dr. Michael Boccella  
**Solicitor:** Richard Fanucci, Esq.  
**Transportation Coordinator:** Christopher Killiany

**Board of Education:**  
Joseph Mondak, Pres.      James Addley      Kenny Gale  
John Evans, Sr.      Curt Camoni      Thomas Owen  
Joseph Farrell      Joseph Koniszewski      Laurie Marino

## DEMOGRAPHICS & TAXES (2020)

**Population:** 18,474  
**Square Miles:** 27.6  
**Pop w/ HS degree:** 93.80%  
**Median Household Income:** \$53,969  
**Median Home Value:** \$152,500  
  
**2021-22 Tax Millage:** 125.89  
**2022 Assessment Value:** \$169,616,139

## EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE

**Graduation Rate (2021-22):** 93.40%  
**Dropouts (2019-20):** 0  
**Dropout Rate (2019-20):** 0%  
**Graduates Post-Secondary Bound (2019-20):** 78%  
**Average SAT Score (2018-19):** 1120  
**AP Courses Offered (2016-17):** 7  
**Average Reading Proficiency:** 69%  
**Average Math Proficiency:** 44%  
**Per-Pupil Spending (2021-22):** \$14,603

## STAFFING

**Professional Staff (2021-22):** 194  
**Support Staff (2021-22):** 70  
**Average Teacher's Salary (2021-22):** \$63,068  
**Avrg Yrs of Teacher's Service (2021-22):** 16.1  
**Student/Teacher Ratio (2021-22):** 13 to 1

## ENROLLMENT (2021-22)

**Total Enrollment:** 2,411  
**Elementary Enrollment (K-6):** 1,243  
**Secondary Enrollment (7-12):** 1,007  
**Kindergarten Enrollment:** 178  
**12th Grade Enrollment:** 161  
**Average # Students per Grade:** 185  
**Minority Enrollment:** 14.55%  
**Low Income Enrollment:** 43.60%  
**Special Education Enrollment:** 16.30%  
**English Learners:** 19

## SAFE SCHOOLS REPORT (2020-21)

**Misconduct Incidents:** 8  
**Incidents involving Law Enforcement:** 1  
**Fire Drills Held:** 10  
**Weapons Detection:** 0  
**Expulsions:** 0  
**Security Staff:** 0  
**Physical Injuries:** 0  
**\*Truants:** 0  
**\*Truancy Rate:** 0.00%

\*numbers may have been affected by the COVID-19 pandemic

## STUDENT ATHLETICS

**Varsity Sports Offered:** 15  
**Nicknames:** Cougars/Lady Cougars  
**School Colors:** Blue/Gold

# Northeastern Educational IU 19

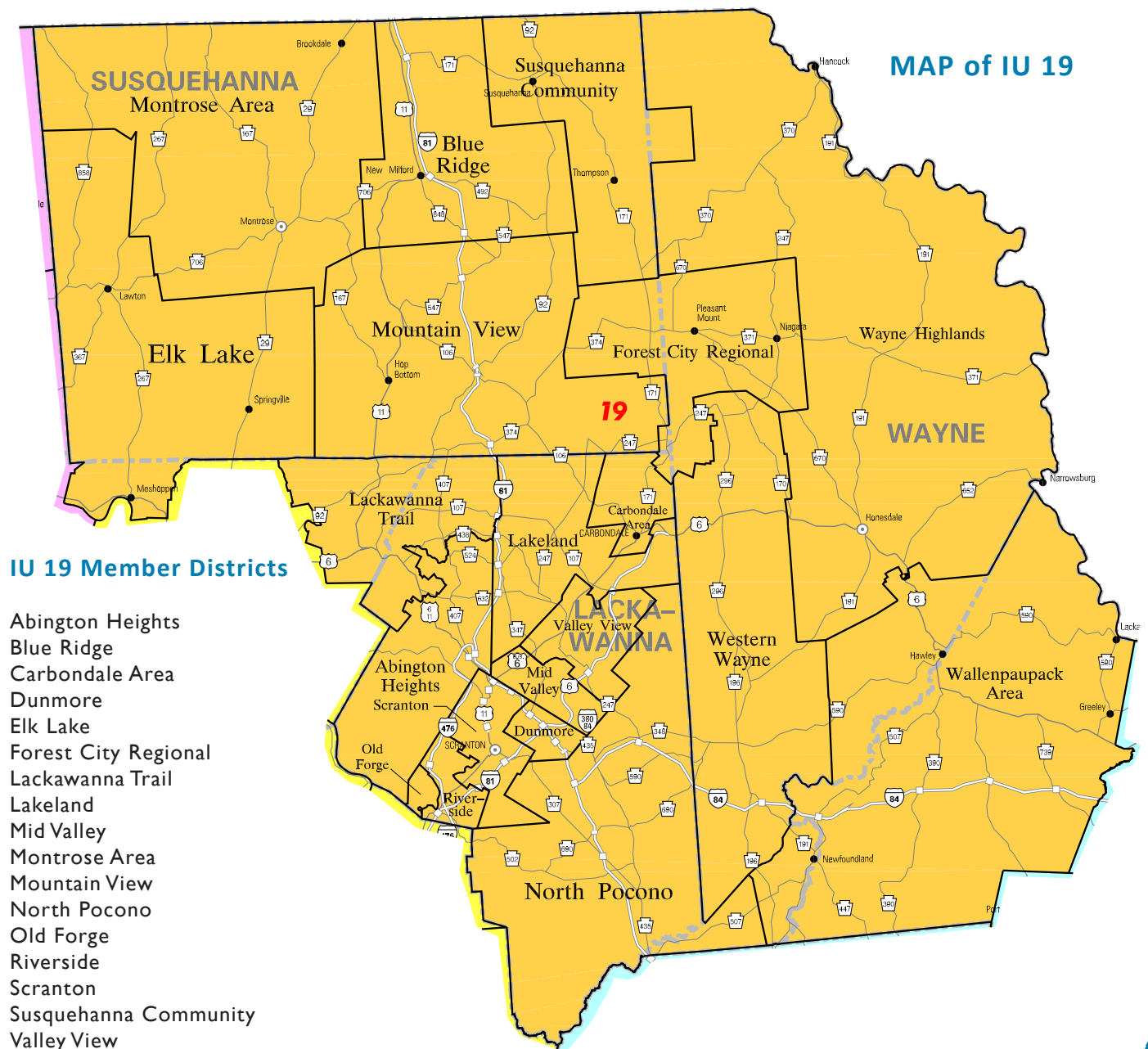
The Northeastern Educational Intermediate Unit 19 serves Lackawanna County schools. Pennsylvania's 29 Intermediate Units are regional education service agencies charged with providing programs and services to public and private schools. All IUs provide curriculum and instructional support, professional development, technology services and operate educational programs such as special and alternative education on a regional basis.

IUs are governed by boards of directors composed of school board members from member school districts. IUs are supported by member school districts, state funds, and Federal grants.

**Bob McTiernan**  
**Executive Director**

1200 Line Street, Archbald PA 18403  
570-876-9200  
Website: [www.iu19.org](http://www.iu19.org)

MAP of IU 19



## IU 19 Member Districts

- Abington Heights
- Blue Ridge
- Carbondale Area
- Dunmore
- Elk Lake
- Forest City Regional
- Lackawanna Trail
- Lakeland
- Mid Valley
- Montrose Area
- Mountain View
- North Pocono
- Old Forge
- Riverside
- Scranton
- Susquehanna Community
- Valley View
- Wallenpaupack Area
- Wayne Highlands
- Western Wayne

# Enrollment Trends & Projections

## Enrollment Trends for the past 5 school years:

	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	Change +/-
Abington Heights	3388	3366	3425	3351	3417	+ 29
Carbondale Area**	1588	1508	1474	1462	1531	- 57
Dunmore	1515	1470	1492	1455	1396	- 119
Forest City Regional**	789	790	780	750	768	- 21
Lackawanna Trail	999	970	977	966	980	- 19
Lakeland	1488	1449	1414	1362	1403	- 85
Mid Valley	1814	1804	1850	1830	1887	+ 73
North Pocono	3007	3027	2980	2907	2881	- 126
Old Forge	936	951	958	939	994	+ 58
Riverside	1516	1533	1537	1520	1531	+ 15
Scranton**	10,153	10,107	9992	9216	9208	- 945
Valley View	2409	2433	2485	2333	2411	+ 2
<b>*Lackawanna Co.</b>	<b>27,814</b>	<b>27,648</b>	<b>27,607</b>	<b>26,375</b>	<b>26,659</b>	<b>- 1,155</b>

## Enrollment Trends & Projections 2000-2030 (ten-year intervals):

	2000	2010	2020	2030 Proj.	Change +/-
Abington Heights	3580	3474	3351	3120	- 460
Carbondale Area	1688	1549	**1462	1227	- 461
Dunmore	1694	1623	1455	1131	- 563
Forest City Regional	915	896	**750	536	- 379
Lackawanna Trail	1462	1160	966	680	- 408
Lakeland	1716	1598	1362	1211	- 782
Mid Valley	1698	1851	1830	1417	- 281
North Pocono	3341	3274	2907	2341	- 1000
Old Forge	1026	909	939	725	- 301
Riverside	1559	1508	1520	1761	+ 202
Scranton	8920	9548	**9216	7868	- 1052
Valley View	2558	2613	2333	1886	- 672
<b>*Lackawanna Co.</b>	<b>27,780</b>	<b>27,947</b>	<b>26,375</b>	<b>22,867</b>	<b>- 4913</b>

\*Total county figures do NOT include enrollments for the Forest City Regional and Lackawanna Trail School Districts. These districts are only partially located in Lackawanna County, and their school buildings are located in Susquehanna and Wyoming Counties, respectively.

\*\*Includes PreK enrollment; no Pre-K in Scranton for 21-22 School Year.

## Abington Heights School District

**Clarks Summit Elementary School**  
401 West Grove Street  
Clarks Summit, PA 18411  
570-585-7300  
Enrollment: 385, K-4

**Newton/Ransom Elementary School**  
1549 Newton/Ransom Blvd.  
Clarks Summit, PA 18411  
570-585-8300  
Enrollment: 212, K-4

**South Abington Elementary School**  
640 Northern Boulevard  
Chinchilla, PA 18410  
570-585-2100  
Enrollment: 284, K-4

**Waverly Elementary School**  
103 Waverly Road  
Waverly, PA 18471  
570-585-6300  
Enrollment: 308, K-4

**Abington Heights Middle School**  
1555 Newton/Ransom Blvd.  
Clarks Summit, PA 18411  
570-585-4300  
Enrollment: 1116, 5-8

**Abington Heights High School**  
222 Noble Road  
Clarks Summit, PA 18411  
570-585-5300  
Enrollment: 1082, 9-12

## Carbondale Area School District

**Carbondale Area Elementary School**  
103 Brooklyn Street  
Carbondale, PA 18407  
570-282-5656  
Enrollment: 748, PreK-6

**Carbondale Area Jr./Sr. High School**  
101 Brooklyn Street  
Carbondale, PA 18407  
570-282-4500  
Enrollment: 783, 7-12

## Commonwealth Charter Academy

**On-line Public School  
Scranton Family Service Center**  
529 Scranton-Carbondale Hwy  
Dickson City, PA 18508  
570-383-8711  
Enrollment: 18,090; K-12 Statewide

## CTC of Lackawanna County (Eight-School District Consortium)

**Henry J. Dende Campus**  
3201 Rockwell Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18508  
570-346-8471  
Enrollment: 720, 10-12

## Dunmore School District

**Dunmore Elementary Center**  
300 West Warren Street  
Dunmore, PA 18512  
570-347-6794  
Enrollment: 598, K-6

**Dunmore Middle/High School**  
300 West Warren Street  
Dunmore, PA 18512  
570-346-2043  
Enrollment: 696, 7-12

## Fell Charter School (Independent Public School)

777 Main Street  
Simpson, PA 18407  
570-282-5199  
Enrollment: 138, K-8



## Forest City Regional School District

### Forest City Regional Elementary School

100 Susquehanna Street  
Forest City, PA 18421  
570-785-2410  
Enrollment: 423, K-6

### Forest City Regional Jr./Sr. High School

100 Susquehanna Street  
Forest City, PA 18421  
570-785-2400  
Enrollment: 345, 7-12

## Howard Gardner MI Charter School (Independent Public School)

1615 E. Elm Street  
Scranton, PA 18505  
570-941-4100  
Enrollment: 304, K-8

## Lackawanna Trail School District

### Lackawanna Trail Elementary School

179 College Avenue  
Factoryville, PA 18419  
570-945-5153  
Enrollment: 494, K-6

### Lackawanna Trail Jr./Sr. High School

28 Tunnel Hill Road  
Factoryville, PA 18419  
570-945-5181  
Enrollment: 475, 7-12

## Lakeland School District

### Lakeland Elem. School - Mayfield

501 Linden Street  
Mayfield, PA 18433  
570-254-9485 x 4000  
Enrollment: 260, K-6

### Lakeland Elem. School - Scott

1333 Lakeland Drive  
Scott Twp, PA 18433  
570-254-9485 x 3000  
Enrollment: 427, K-6

### Lakeland Jr./Sr. High School

1355 Lakeland Drive  
Scott Twp, PA 18433  
570-254-9485  
Enrollment: 659, 7-12

## Mid Valley School District

### Mid Valley Elementary Center

50 Underwood Road  
Throop, PA 18512  
570-307-3241  
Enrollment: 1024, K-6

### Mid Valley Secondary Center

52 Underwood Road  
Throop, PA 18512  
570-307-2180  
Enrollment: 863, 7-12

## North Pocono School District

### Jefferson Elementary Center

825 Lions Road  
Jefferson Twp, PA 18436  
570-689-2656  
Enrollment: 251, K-3

### Moscow Elementary Center

851 Church Street  
Moscow, PA 18444  
570-842-8464  
Enrollment: 549, K-3

### North Pocono Intermediate School

701 Church Street  
Moscow, PA 18444  
570-842-7676  
Enrollment: 444, 4-5

### North Pocono Middle School

701 Church Street  
Moscow, PA 18444  
570-842-4588  
Enrollment: 690, 6-8

### North Pocono High School

97 Bochicchio Blvd  
Covington Twp, PA 18444  
570-842-7606  
Enrollment: 926, 9-12



## Northeastern Educational Intermediate Unit #19

### Administration Office

1200 Line Street  
Archbald, PA 18403  
570-876-9200  
Out-of-District Special Education  
Enrollment: 96, K-12

### Dunmore Learning Campus

185 East Pine Street  
Dunmore, PA 18512  
570-343-6200

## Old Forge School District

### Old Forge Elementary School

401 Melmore Street  
Old Forge, PA 18518  
570-457-8391  
Enrollment: 497, K-6

### Old Forge Jr./Sr. High School

300 Marion Street  
Old Forge, PA 18518  
570-457-6721  
Enrollment: 441, 7-12

## Riverside School District

### Riverside Elementary School West

308 Davis Street  
Taylor, PA 18517  
570-562-2121  
Enrollment: 357, K-5

### Riverside Elementary School East

Kreig Street  
Moosic, PA 18507  
570-562-2121  
Enrollment: 450, K-6

### Riverside Jr./Sr. High School

310 Davis Street  
Taylor, PA 18517  
570-562-2121  
Enrollment: 706, 7-12

## Scranton School District

### John G. Whittier Elementary

700 Orchard Street  
Scranton, PA 18505  
570-348-3690  
Enrollment: 448, K-4

### John Adams Elementary

927 Capouse Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18509  
570-348-3655  
Enrollment: 188, K-4

### John F. Kennedy Elementary

2200 Prospect Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18505  
570-558-8970  
Enrollment: 331, K-4

### Issac Tripp Elementary

1000 N. Everett Street  
Scranton, PA 18504  
570-558-2700  
Enrollment: 809, K-5

### Charles Sumner Elementary

372 N. Sumner Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18504  
570-348-3688  
Enrollment: 287, K-5

### Robert Morris Elementary

1842 Boulevard Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18509  
570-348-3681  
Enrollment: 201, K-4

### Frances Willard Elementary

1100 Eynon Street  
Scranton, PA 18504  
570-348-3692  
Enrollment: 399, K-5

### William Prescott Elementary

840 Prescott Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18510  
570-348-3683  
Enrollment: 231, K-4

### Neil Armstrong Elementary

1500 N. Lincoln Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18508  
570-348-3661  
Enrollment: 445, K-4

### McNichols Plaza Elementary

1111 S. Irving Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18505  
570-348-3685  
Enrollment: 349, K-4

### Electric City Academy

1739 Dickson Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18509  
570-207-1270  
Enrollment: K-12

### South Scranton Intermediate

355 Maple Street  
Scranton, PA 18505  
570-348-3631  
Enrollment: 872, 5-8

### Northeast Scranton Intermediate

721 Adams Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18510  
570-348-3651  
Enrollment: 1034, 5-8

### West Scranton Intermediate

1401 Fellows Street  
Scranton, PA 18504  
570-348-3476  
Enrollment: 724, 6-8



**Scranton High School**

63 Mike Munchak Way  
Scranton, PA 18503  
570-348-3481  
Enrollment: 1602, 9-12

**West Scranton High School**

1201 Luzerne Street  
Scranton, PA 18504  
570-348-3616  
Enrollment: 1343, 9-12

**Valley View School District**

**Valley View Elementary Center**

901 Main Street  
Peckville, PA 18452  
570-489-7579  
Enrollment: 519, K-2

**Valley View Intermediate School**

3 Columbus Drive  
Archbald, PA 18403  
570-876-2263  
Enrollment: 513, 3-5

**Valley View Middle School**

1 Columbus Drive  
Archbald, PA 18403  
570-876-6461  
Enrollment: 513, 6-8

**Valley View High School**

1 Columbus Drive  
Archbald, PA 18403  
570-876-4110  
Enrollment: 793, 9-12

## Elementary Schools (Pre-school & Kindergarten-only schools excluded)

### Abington Christian Academy

413 Layton Road  
South Abington Twp PA 18411  
570-586-5270  
Enrollment: 29, K-6

### LaSalle Academy

309 First Ave.  
Jessup PA 18434  
570-489-2010  
Enrollment: 171, K-8

### Our Lady of Peace School

410 N. Abington Rd.  
Clarks Green PA 18411  
570-587-4152  
Enrollment: 282, K-8

### St. Clare St. Paul School St. Clare Campus

2215 N. Washington Ave.  
Scranton PA 18509  
570-343-2790  
Enrollment: 167, K-3

### St. Mary of Mount Carmel School

325 Chestnut St.  
Dunmore, PA 18512  
570-346-4429  
Enrollment: 296 K-8

### All Saints Academy

1425 Jackson St.  
Scranton PA 18504  
570-343-8114  
Enrollment: 187, K-8

### Lutheran Academy

1546 Monsey Avenue  
Scranton PA 18505  
570-507-9108  
Enrollment: 16, 1-6

### Scranton Hebrew Day School

520 Monroe Ave.  
Scranton PA 18510  
570-346-1576  
Enrollment: 152 K-8

### St. Clare St. Paul School St. Paul Campus

1527 Penn Ave  
Scranton PA 18509  
570-343-7880  
Enrollment: 200, 4-8

### NativityMiguel School of Scranton

2300 Adams Ave.  
Scranton, PA 18509  
570-955-5176  
Enrollment: 65, 5-8

## Elementary/Secondary Schools

### Summit Christian Academy

660 Griffin Pond Rd.  
South Abington Twp, PA 18411  
570-587-1545  
Enrollment: 110, PreK-10

### Scranton School for Deaf & Hard of Hearing Children

537 Venard Rd.  
South Abington Twp, PA 18411  
570-585-1000  
Enrollment: 55, PreK-12

### Triboro Christian Academy

100 S. Main St.  
Old Forge PA 18518  
570-457-5054  
Enrollment: 73, K-12

## Secondary Schools

### Bais Yaakov of Scranton

1025 Vine St.  
Scranton PA 18510  
570-347-5003  
Enrollment: 5, 9-12

### Holy Cross High School

501 E. Drinker St.  
Dunmore, PA 18512  
570-346-7541  
Enrollment: 341, 9-12

**Milton Eisner Yeshva High School**

930 Hickory St.  
Scranton PA 18505  
570-346-1747  
Enrollment: 72, 9-12

**Penn Foster High School (Distance Education)**

925 Oak St.  
Scranton, PA 18515  
1-888-427-6200  
Enrollment: 12,998; 9-12 (Nationwide)

**Scranton Preparatory School**

1000 Wyoming Ave.  
Scranton PA 18509  
570-941-7737  
Enrollment: 662, 9-12

**Gregory the Great Academy (Boarding)**

135 St. Gregory's Place  
Elmhurst Twp, PA 18444  
571-295-6244  
Enrollment: 63 9-12 Males Only



# Higher Education, Colleges & Career Tech

## Fall 2021 Enrollment

<b>Clarks Summit University</b> Founded: 1932, Private 4-year Degrees: AD, Bachelor, Masters, PhD Undergraduate Tuition, 2021-22: \$27,200	538 Venard Rd. Clarks Summit PA 18411 570-586-2400 www.clarkssummitu.edu	768
<b>Fortis Institute</b> Founded: 1988, Career/Tech School Degrees: Certificate, AD Tuition, 2021-22: \$28,190	517 Ash St. Scranton, PA 18509 570-558-1818 www.fortis.edu	279
<b>Geisinger Commonwealth School of Medicine</b> Founded: 2009, Private 4-year Degrees: MD, MBS Graduate Tuition, 2021-22: \$67,147	525 Pine St. Scranton, PA 18509 570-504-7000 www.geisinger.edu/education	607
<b>Johnson College</b> Founded: 1918, Private 2-year Degrees: Certificate, AD Undergraduate Tuition, 2021-22: \$20,025	3427 N. Main Ave. Scranton PA 18508 570-342-6404 www.johnson.edu	497
<b>Keystone College</b> Founded: 1868, Private 4-year Degrees: AD, Bachelor, Masters Undergraduate Tuition, 2021-22: \$17,300	1 College Green LaPlume PA 18440 570-945-5141 www.keystone.edu	1,523
<b>Lackawanna College</b> Founded: 1894, Private 2-year Degrees: AD, Certificate Undergraduate Tuition, 2021-22: \$16,130	501 Vine St. Scranton PA 18509 570-961-7810 www.lackawanna.edu	2,043
<b>Luzerne County Community College</b> Founded: 1967, Public 2-year Degrees: AD, Certificate Undergraduate Tuition, 2021-22: \$10,020 (In-state)	Marketplace at Steamtown Scranton, PA 18503 1-800-377-5222 www.luzerne.edu	4,454 All Campuses
<b>Marywood University</b> Founded: 1915, Private 4-year Degrees: Bachelor, Masters, PhD Undergraduate Tuition, 2021-22: \$37,284	2300 Adams Ave. Scranton PA 18509 570-348-6211 www.marywood.edu	2,613
<b>Penn Foster Career School</b> Founded: 1890, Career/Tech School Degrees: Career Diploma/Certificate Tuition: Varies by program	925 Oak St. Scranton PA 18515 1-800-275-4410 www.pennfoster.edu	200,000 Nationwide
<b>Penn Foster College</b> Founded: 1890, Private Online Degrees: Certificate, AD, Bachelors Tuition: Varies by program	925 Oak St. Scranton, PA 18515 1-800-471-3232 www.pennfoster.edu	50,000 Nationwide
<b>Penn State, Scranton</b> Founded: 1855, Public 4-year Degrees: AD, Bachelor Undergraduate Tuition, 2021-22: \$14,838 (PA)	120 Ridgeview Dr. Dunmore PA 18512 570-963-2500 www.worthingtonscranton.psu.edu	1,400
<b>University of Scranton</b> Founded: 1888, Private 4-year Degrees: AD, Bachelor, Masters, PhD Undergraduate Tuition, 2021-22: \$48,462	800 Linden St. Scranton PA 18510 570-941-7400 www.scranton.edu	4,957

# Education Demographics

## 2020 American Community Survey 5-yr Estimates

### School Enrollment

Population 3 years & over enrolled in school .....	47,215
Nursery, preschool .....	3,086
Kindergarten .....	2,178
Elementary school (gr. 1-8) .....	19,144
High school (gr. 9-12) .....	9,981
College or graduate school .....	12,826

### Educational Attainment

Population 25 years & over .....	148,750
Less than 9th grade .....	4,315
9th to 12th grade, no diploma .....	8,337
High school graduate .....	54,655
Some college, no degree .....	24,695
Associate degree .....	14,073
Bachelor's degree .....	42,675
Graduate or professional degree .....	16,135
Percent high school graduate .....	91.5%
Percent bachelor's degree or higher .....	28.7%
Median earnings, HS diploma .....	\$31,090
Median earnings, bachelor's degree .....	\$50,601
Median earnings, graduate degree .....	\$66,101

## 2020-21 Statistical Reports: PA Dept. of Education

Total County Public High-School Graduates: .....	1,858*
% County Public School Graduates Post-Secondary Bound: .....	69%* (State: 69%)
County Public High-School Dropouts: .....	116*
County Public High-School Dropout Rate: .....	0.5%* (State: 1.7%)
County Average Public School Total Operating Expenditures Per Pupil: .....	\$14,743* (State: \$17,700)

\*Does not include Forest City Regional or Lackawanna Trail school districts.

## 2020-21 Northeastern Pennsylvania Public School Comparisons by County

County	Graduates	%PostSec-Bound	Dropout Rate	Av. PPTOE
Lackawanna .....	1,858	69%	0.4%	\$14,743
Luzerne .....	2,928	56%	1.0%	\$15,132
Monroe .....	2,067	59%	0.5%	\$22,062
Pike .....	621	63%	0.3%	\$21,782
Susquehanna .....	405	55%	0.8%	\$20,113
Wayne .....	319	65%	0.4%	\$22,736
Wyoming .....	235	60%	0.3%	\$20,314

## Did you know that.....

.....the largest vein of anthracite coal in the world is under the Lackawanna Valley. Most of the coal is still there.

.....the first underground coal mine in the nation was opened in Carbondale.

.....Scranton was once called the “Anthracite Capital of the World.”

.....at the height of the coal-mining era, it was possible to walk 50 miles from Carbondale to Hazleton—underground!

.....Carbondale is the oldest city in the anthracite mining area, having been chartered before both Scranton and Wilkes-Barre.

.....the first commercially operated locomotive in the nation, the Stourbridge Lion, made its inaugural run between Honesdale and Carbondale.

.....the Archbald Pothole is the largest glacial pothole in the world.

.....the first commercially successful electric street-car system was put into service in Scranton in 1886.

.....Jermyn was the birthplace of First Aid in the nation.

.....the original name of Scranton was Slocum Hollow.

.....an “Irish War” between rival factions of Irish rail workers was fought near Clarks Summit in 1850.

.....Dalton was first known as Bailey Hollow.

.....the first iron forge was built in Old Forge.

.....the first mass-produced iron T-rails were built at the Lackawanna Furnace in Scranton.

.....the Scranton Lace Company was the largest producer of Nottingham Lace in the nation.

.....the first county census was taken in 1880, indicating a population of 89,269.

.....Archbald was originally called “White Oak Run.”

.....Mayfield was originally called Glendale.

.....Jessup has had several name changes. It was originally known as Saymour, then Mount Vernon, and then Winton before being named after Judge William Jessup.

.....Dunmore was first called Bucktown.

.....the Carbondale Public Library, founded in 1874, is the oldest library in the county.

.....there was once a municipality called Lackawanna Township. Old Forge, Moosic, Taylor, and the 22nd and 26th wards of Scranton were created from it. The township disappeared from the map in 1950.

.....during World War I, Minooka (now part of Scranton) sent the largest number of volunteers to service of any community its size in the nation.

.....the first institution of higher education in northeastern Pennsylvania, the Madison Academy, was established in Waverly in 1844.

.....the first bridge over the Lackawanna River was built in 1772.

.....the first newspaper in Lackawanna County, the *Northern Pennsylvanian*, was printed in 1833.

.....the first fire company in Lackawanna County was formed in 1843 in Carbondale. It was called the Rescue Hook and Ladder Company.

.....legend states that Parley Hughes, George Washington’s bodyguard, is buried in Taylor.

.....the family of former first lady, US Senator, Secretary of State, and 2016 presidential candidate, Hillary Rodham Clinton, hailed from Scranton.

.....the Ransom Post Office is the oldest post office in Lackawanna County, opening in 1849.

.....Waverly was a stop on the Underground Railroad, the network that aided runaway slaves.

.....the University of Scranton was originally named St. Thomas College.

.....Thornhurst Township was known as Lehigh Township until 1996.

.....Elmhurst is one of only two townships in Pennsylvania totally within another township.

.....Benton Township has more lakes than any other community in the county.

.....Jefferson Township contains the highest elevation in the county (2,323 ft. above sea level).

.....the Susquehanna River in Ransom Township is the lowest elevation in the county (514 ft. above sea level).

.....Roaring Brook Township borders nine municipalities, giving it more neighbors than any other municipality.

.....Dalton Borough residents pay the highest combined county, local, and school real-estate taxes in the county, while residents of Vandling Borough pay the lowest.

.....with only six-tenths of one square mile of land area, Clarks Green Borough is the smallest municipality in the county.

.....the Borough of Gouldsboro with a population of 76, was annexed to Lehigh Township (now Thornhurst) in 1939.

.....on March 21, 1917, sixteen days before the US entered World War I, Loretta Walsh of Olyphant became the first woman to enlist in the US Navy.

.....the classic song "When You Wish Upon A Star" was written by Ned Washington of Scanton.

.....Waverly Township has the highest percentage of residents with a bachelor's degree or higher (68%).

.....Elmhurst Township has the highest percentage of residents over 65 years of age (49%).

.....the Lackawanna River flows through or borders every municipality in the Lackawanna Valley, except one—Dunmore.

.....Abington Township changed its name to Waverly Township on January 1, 2011.

.....Sukanya Roy from Abington Heights Middle School won the 2011 National Spelling Bee in Washington, DC, beating out 275 spellers from around the world.

.....Michael Metrinko of Olyphant spent 444 days as one of the 52 hostages held in Iran during the Iranian Hostage Crisis from 1979-81.

.....Scranton playwright, Jason Miller, won a Pulitzer Prize for the film "That Championship Season."

.....the national drugstore chain, Rite Aid, opened its first store in Scranton in 1962, on the corner of North Washington Ave and Spruce St, where it still stands today.

.....the Knox Mine Disaster of 1959 was the final nail in the coffin for underground coal mining in Lackawanna County.

.....the building housing Scranton Prep originally housed the Women's Institute of Domestic Arts & Sciences.

.....the boroughs of Providence, Hyde Park, and Scranton merged in 1866 to become the City of Scranton.

.....author of the 1961 book "The Death and Life of Great American Cities" and activist against urban renewal, Jane Jacobs, was born in Scranton.

.....army nurse and Dunmore native, Carol Ann Drazba, was the first woman killed in the Vietnam War.

.....Harry Chapin's famous song, "30,000 Pounds of Bananas" is about an actual event that occurred in Scranton in 1965.

.....Gino J. Merli, a Peckville native, received the Medal of Honor for single handedly defeating a superior force of Germans on September 4-5, 1944 near Sars La Bruyere, Belgium.

.....Joseph R. Sarnoski, a Simpson native, gave his life on June 16, 1943 earning the Medal of Honor on an air mission over the Solomon Islands, fighting off 20 enemy fighters in order to complete the mission.

.....the Penn Paper & Supply Co. building in Scranton represented the fictional headquarters of Dunder Mifflin on the NBC hit sitcom, "The Office."

.....Joseph R. Biden, Jr., the 46th President of the United States, was born in Scranton in 1942.

# County Office Directory 2022

## **Adult Probation**

Gene Eiden  
Chief of Probation  
130 N. Washington Ave.  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6876

## **Agency for Community Empowerment**

Jim Wansacz  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 3  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6836

## **Area Agency on Aging**

Jason Kavulich  
Executive Director  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 4  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6740

## **Arts & Culture**

Maureen McGuigan  
Deputy Director  
300 Cliff Street  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6590

## **Assessment**

Patrick Tobin  
Director  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 2  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6728

## **Buildings & Grounds**

Mark Dougher  
Director  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 1  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6763

## **Central Court Criminal Justice Ctr.**

1360 Wyoming Ave.  
Scranton, PA 18509  
(570) 963-6436

## **Chief of Staff**

Brian Jeffers  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 6  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6800

## **Child Care Information Services**

409 Lackawanna Ave.  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 468-8144

## **Clerk of Judicial Records**

Mauri Kelly  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 1  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6723

## **Collector of Taxes/ Single Tax Office**

Cathy Nealon Wechsler  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 2  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6756

## **COLTS**

Timothy McGrath  
Director  
800 North South Road  
Scranton, PA 18504  
(570) 346-2061

## **Communications**

Joseph D'Arienzo  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 6  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6800

## **Community Corrections House Arrest**

Norm Maconeghy  
Director  
614 Biden Street  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6329

## **Community Traffic Safety**

Eric Dottle  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 5  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 347-2358

## **Conservation District**

Jerry Stiles  
District Manager  
1038 Montdale Road  
Scott Twp, PA 18447  
(570) 382-3086

## **Controller**

Gary DiBileo  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 2  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6726

## **Coroner**

Timothy Rowland  
1302 Madison Avenue  
Dunmore, PA 18509  
(570) 963-6100

## **Commissioners Office**

123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 6  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6800

## **Doreen Gilbride**

Assist. to Comm. Notarianni  
(570) 963-6800 x 1807

## **Shannon Taylor**

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## **Anna Lena Koruszko**

Assist. to Comm. Chermak  
(570) 963-6800 x 1811

## **Court Administrator**

Frank Castellano  
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Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6773

## **Court Collections**

Juliann DeFazio  
130 N. Washington Ave.  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6359

## **Court Reporters**

200 N. Washington Ave.  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6442

## **District Attorney**

Mark Powell, Esq.  
135 Jefferson Ave.  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6717

## **Domestic Relations**

Cathy Ann Hardaway  
Director  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 3  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6721

## **Drug & Alcohol**

### **Lackawanna/Susquehanna**

Barbara Durkin  
Director  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 4  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6820

## **Economic Development**

Brenda Sacco  
Director  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 5  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6830

## **Elections**

Elizabeth Hopkins  
Director  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 2  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6737

## **Emergency Management Agency Emergency Services**

Thomas Taylor  
Director  
30 Valley View Drive  
Jessup, PA 18434  
(570) 307-7300

## **Engineer**

Frank Summa  
Greenman-Pedersen  
52 Glenmaura National Blvd, Ste. 302  
Moosic, PA 18507  
(570) 342-3700

## **Environmental Sustainability**

Nicole Shapiro  
Director  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 5  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-2017

## **Family Court**

123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 1  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-5692



**Hotel/Personal Property Tax**

123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 2  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6734

**Housing Authority**

Patrick Padula  
Executive Director  
2019 West Pine Street  
Dunmore, PA 18512  
(570) 342-7629

**Human Resources**

Joann Granza-Decker  
Deputy Director  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 5  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6771

**Human Services**

William Browning  
Director  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 4  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6790

**Industrial Development**

J.J. Perrone  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 5  
Scranton, PA 18503  
(570) 963-6862

**Information Technology**

Michael Brown  
Chief Information Officer  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 5  
Scranton, PA 18503  
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**Juvenile Probation**

Cynthia Cummings  
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123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 1  
Scranton, PA 18503  
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**Lackawanna Coal Mine Tour**

1 Bald Mountain Road  
Scranton, PA 18504  
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**Lackawanna Heritage  
Valley Authority**

Joe Corcoran  
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213 Railroad Ave.  
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**Lackawanna-Susquehanna  
Behavioral Health Program**

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Administrator  
123 Wyoming Ave., Flr. 4  
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**Law Library**

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Law Librarian  
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**Library Administrator**

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Frances Kovaleski  
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**Orphans' Court**

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