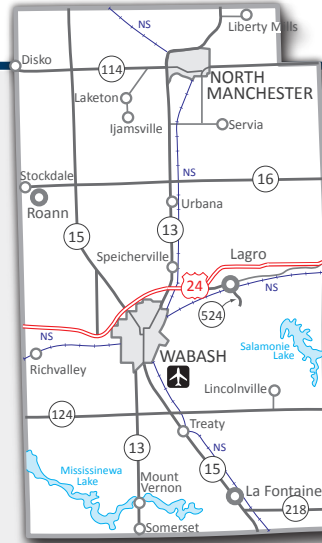




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POPULATION

Total Population, 2010	32,888
Total Households, 2010	12,777
Median Age, 2010	41.2
Projected Population, 2015	33,166

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT, 2008-10

Less than High School	15.0%
High School Graduate	43.8%
Some College	20.6%
Associate's Degree	6.5%
Bachelor's Degree	8.9%
Master's PhD and/or Professional Degree	5.2%
Population 25 and Older	

LABOR FORCE, 2010

Labor Force	16,037
Unemployment Rate	11.1%

COMMUTING, 2009

Commuting INTO Wabash County	1.562
Commuting OUT of Wabash County	2.384

INCOME

Median Household Income, 2010	\$42,990
Per Capita Income, 2009	\$31,309

ANNOUNCED JOBS & INVESTMENTS, 2010

New Companies	1
Expanding Companies	2
Financial Investment	\$29.9 M
Jobs Created	165

ACCESSIBILITY

Nearest MSA Central City: Fort Wayne	50 miles
Nearest Major City	Indianapolis
Distance to Nearest Major City	90 miles
Nearest Commercial Airport	Fort Wayne International Airport
Runway Length	12,000 ft., 8,001 ft., 4,001 ft.
Distance to Airport	42 miles
Distance to Nearest Interstate	24 miles
Nearest Deepwater Port	Port of Indiana-Burns Harbor, Portage, Indiana
Distance to Nearest Deepwater Port	120 miles
Foreign Trade Zone Availability	Yes, in Fort Wayne

MAJOR EMPLOYERS

Company	Major Product	Employment in FTE
Ford Meter Box Co. Inc.	Water Meter Settings & Testing Equipment	486
Living Essentials	Energy Drinks	425
Manchester College	University	354
Peabody Retirement Community	Community Care Facilities	305
Wabash County Hospital	General Medical & Surgical Hospitals	296
Wabash Alloys	Secondary Smelting and Refining	260
Whites Residential & Family Services	Social Services for Children & Youth	259
Paperworks Industries	Composite, Recycled, and Coated Box Board	210
HF Group (Heckman Bindery)	Bookbinding	205
Harvey-Industries	Foundry	200

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TAXES

Corporate Adjusted Gross Income	8.5%
Sales & Use	7%
Individual Income	3.4%
State Sales	7%

HEALTHCARE SERVICES

Number of Physicians	27
Ratio per 1,000 Population	0.83
Number of Dentists	14
Ratio per 1,000 Population	0.43
# of hospitals in county	1

UTILITIES

Water Services	multiple providers
Sewer Services	multiple providers
Electric	Indiana Michigan Power, Northeastern REMC, Duke Energy, Wabash REMC
Natural Gas	NIPSCO

For a complete list of utility providers, please visit our website.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE

New Employers (per \$100)	2.5%
Minimum Tax Rate	0.5%
Maximum Tax Rate	7.4%
Taxable Base	\$9,500

GOVERNMENT

Wabash: Mayor	Robert Vanlandingham
County Commissioners	Brian Hauptert, Scott Givens, Barry Eppley
Indiana State Senate Rep.	Jim Banks, Randy Head
Indiana State House Reps	Rebecca Kubacki

EDUCATION

	Corp.	Schools	Enrollment
Public Schools	3	13	5,349
Private Schools		1	60
Colleges & Universities:	1 in N. Manchester & 1 in Wabash / 18 in NE Indiana		

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HOUSING, 2010

Total Housing Units	14,171
Owner Occupied	9,534 74.6%
Rental	3,243 25.4%
Seasonal or Recreational	107
Median Value for Owner Occupied Housing, 2008-10	\$94,800
Median Gross Rent, 2008-10	\$552

AVERAGE ANNUAL WAGE AND EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY, 2010

Industry	Avg. Annual Wage	Employment	% Employment
Total- All Covered	\$30,109	11,722	
Total-All Private	\$29,494	9,790	
Natural Resources & Mining	\$33,404	392	4.0%
Construction	\$33,917	410	4.2%
Manufacturing	\$41,864	2,646	27.0%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	\$27,137	1,717	17.5%
Information	\$29,929	69	0.7%
Financial Activities	\$38,024	494	5.0%
Professional & Business Services	\$26,534	560	5.7%
Education & Health Services	\$23,656	2,159	22.1%
Leisure & Hospitality	\$11,675	1,112	11.4%
Other Services	\$20,000	231	2.4%

POPULATION BREAKDOWN BY AGE

Total Population of Wabash County, 2010: 32,888

