



## COMMUNICATIONS

**Post Office Class:**

**Newspapers** **Frequency**

U.C. Daily Messenger Daily

Tri-City Reporter Weekly

Memphis/Jackson Daily

**Radio Stations:** 7

**TV Networks:** All

**Cable Companies:** NewWave Communications  
**Channels:** 53

**Phone Companies:** AT&T

## INDUSTRIAL SUPPORT SERVICES

Service	Town	Distance(Miles)
Tool & Die.....	Union City	17
Heat Treating....	Union City	17
Foundry.....	Union City	17
Heavy Hardware..	Jackson	43
Sheet Metal.....	Union City	17
Lubricants.....	Union City	17
Welding Supplies	Union City	17

**Other:**

## FINANCE

**Banks:** 1

**No. of Branches:**

**Combined Deposits:** \$38,336,000

**Date of Deposit:** June 30, 2008

## GOVERNMENT

**Gov't (type):** City: Mayor & Board of Aldermen

**County:** County Mayor & Commissioners

**Law Enforcement:**

	City	County
Police Officers:	7	32
Patrol Cars:	4	34

**Fire Department:**

Fire Stations:	1	8
Fire Trucks:	4	24
Firefighters:	0	1
Volunteers:	20	150

**Planning Commission:** Yes Yes

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**Planning Commission:** Yes Yes

**Zoning Regualtions:** Yes Yes

**Industrial Development Corp:** Yes Yes

**Insurance Rating:** 7 9

## COMMUNITY FACILITIES

**Day Care**

**Day Care Centers:** 33 (County) **Day Care Homes:** 43 (County)

**Education**

**State Industrial Training Service Available:** Yes

**Type of Public School System:** County

	# Local Schools	Enrollment
Elementary.....	1	
Middle/Jr. High.....		
Sr. High School.....	1 - Dyer	
Private &/or Parochial..	2*	
Technology Centers.....	2*	
Vo-Tech.....	2*	
Colleges (2 & 4 year)..	7*	
Other.....		

**Notes.....**

**Libraries:** 0

**Health Care**

**Hospitals.....** 3\* **Beds:** 181

**Clinics.....** 1

**Doctors.....** 1

**Dentists.....** 1

**Nursing Homes....** **Beds:**

**Retirement Homes..** 1 **Beds:**

**Residential** **Beds:**

**Care/Assisted Living:**

**Churches**

**Protestant:** 7

**Catholic:** 1\*

**Jewish:** 1\*

**Other:** \*Union City, 17 miles

**Recreation**

**Parks.....** 1

**Golf Courses.....** 4\* **(Public & Private)**

**Swimming** 4\* **(Public & Private)**

**Pools.....**

**Country Clubs.....** 3\*

**Theaters.....** 2\*

**Bowling Alleys.....** 0

**Hotels &** 7\* **Rooms:** 57

**Motels.....**

**Largest Meeting Room** 400

**Capacity**

**Restaurants.....** 3

**Other:** \*In County

# Kenton

## NATURAL RESOURCES

**Minerals:** Clay  
**Timber :** Oak, Gum & Cypress

## CLIMATE

**Annual Avg. Temperature:** 58.9°  
**Monthly Avg. High Temp:** Jan. 46.8° July 90.2°  
**Monthly Avg. Low Temp:** Jan. 27.2° July 67.7°  
**Annual Avg. Precipitation:** 51.96"  
**Elevation:** 335' above sea level  
**Prevailing Winds:** South-Southwest  
**Mean Length of Freeze Free Period (Days):** 210

## SELECTED ECONOMIC INDICATORS FOR GIBSON COUNTY

### Estimated County Available Labor

**Date:** January 2010  
**Total:** 3,840      **Male:** 1,740      **Female:** 2,100

**Estimated Total in Surrounding Area:** 20,740

**High School Graduates (2009):** 563

### Labor Force Estimates

Annual Avg. Employment	2009
Civilian Labor Force.....	21,380
Unemployment.....	3,160
%Unemployment Rate.....	14.8
Total Employment.....	18,220

### Per Capita Income

Year	Amount
2007	\$26,428.00

### Retail Sales

Year	Amount
2009	\$421,420,047

### County 10-Year Manufacturing Growth

Years: 2000-2009	New Plants	Expansions
Number Projects:	7	107
Total Investments:	\$31,746,729	\$180,851,505

## AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

**Crops:** Cotton, Corn, Strawberries & Soybeans  
**Livestock:**

## ENERGY

### Electricity

**Electric Power System:** Gibson Electric Membership Corp.  
**Additional Power System:**

**Source Company:** TVA

### Gas

**Gas Supplier:** Gibson County Utility District  
**Source Company:** Williams Pipeline  
**Fuel Oil Suppliers:** 1  
**Suppliers of LP Gas:** 3

## UTILITIES

### Water

**Water Supplier:** Town of Kenton  
**Source:** 3 Wells  
**Capacity:** 860,000 GPD

**Current Consumption:** 200,000 GPD  
**Storage Capacity:** 650,000 Gallons

### Sewer

**Sewer Provider:** Town of Kenton  
**Type of Treatment:** Lagoon

**Capacity:**

**Current Usage:** 55%

**% City Sewer Coverage:** 100.0

**% Storm Sewer Coverage:**

**Solid Waste Disposal Type:** Private contractor

**For Informations on Available Buildings and Industrial Sites, visit the website:**

<http://www.tennesseeprospector.com/>

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## LARGEST COMPANIES (by Employment Size)

<b>Firm Name</b>	<b>Products/ Services</b>	<b>Total Employees</b>	<b>Union Affiliations</b>
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