

Kosciusko County, IN Highlights

Commuting

In Indiana, most workers commute to a job, either within their home county or beyond. Patterns of commuting are significant in showing the labor supply. The county *labor force* represents workers who reside in the county no matter where they work. Two types of commuting patterns are provided here - the Census 2000 *benchmark* and the annual data tabulated from state income tax returns that can help provide a more current view.

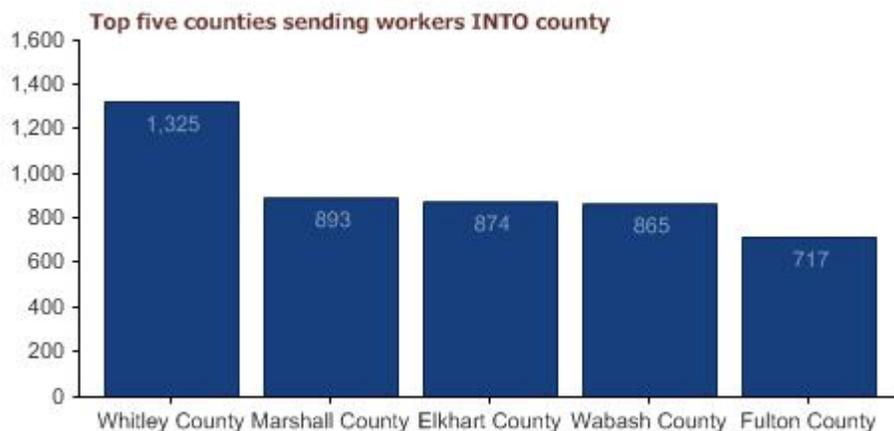
Commuting Data, 2012

	Number
Number of tax filers who live in county and work	52,820
Number of tax filers who work in the county	53,612
Number of tax filers who live in county and work in county	46,455
Number of tax filers who live out of the county and work in county	7,157

Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

Commuting Patterns: Top five counties sending workers INTO county, 2012

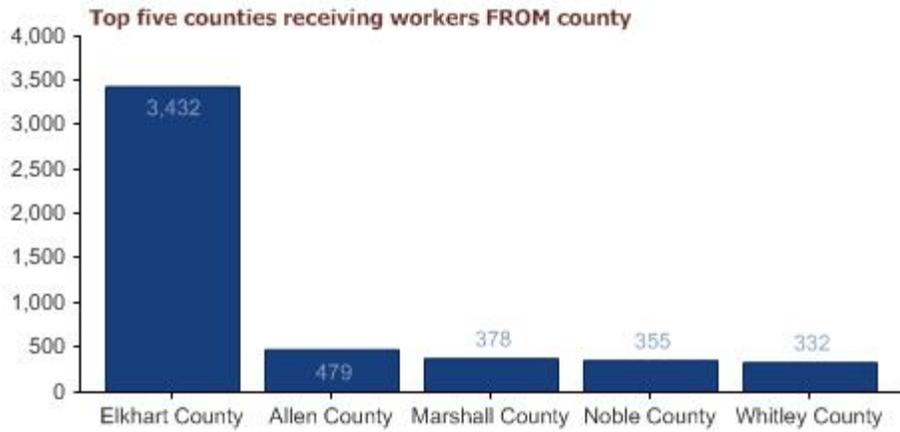
County	Number	Pct. Five County Total
Whitley County	1,325	28.3%
Marshall County	893	19.1%
Elkhart County	874	18.7%
Wabash County	865	18.5%
Fulton County	717	15.3%



Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

Commuting Patterns: Top five counties receiving workers FROM county, 2012

County	Number	Pct. Five County Total
Elkhart County	3,432	69.0%
Allen County	479	9.6%
Marshall County	378	7.6%
Noble County	355	7.1%
Whitley County	332	6.7%



Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

Travel To Work in 2012

	Number	Pct. Dist
Total Workers Age 16 and Over	36,139	100.0%
Travel To Work	34,597	95.7%
Car, Truck, or Van	33,031	91.4%
Traveled Alone	29,000	80.2%
Carpooled	4,031	11.2%
Used Public Transportation	115	0.3%
Motorcycle, Bicycle, Walked, Other	1,451	4.0%
Worked At Home	1,542	4.3%
Average Travel Time (Minutes)	20.5	
Average Travel Time using Public Transportation (Minutes)		

Source: U.S. Census Bureau & American Community Survey 5 Year Estimates