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<b>Berkshire</b>	<b>Berkshire County</b>		<b>21,807</b>	<b>134,953</b>					
Berkshire	Adams	Yes	18,572	8,809	No	No	No	Yes	No
Berkshire	Alford	No	40,412	399	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Berkshire	Becket	No	21,861	1,755	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Berkshire	Cheshire	Yes	19,156	3,401	No	No	No	Yes	No
Berkshire	Clarksburg	Yes	19,389	1,686	No	No	No	Yes	No
Berkshire	Dalton	Yes	23,634	6,892	No	No	No	Yes	No
Berkshire	Egremont	No	41,702	1,345	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Berkshire	Florida	No	16,979	676	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Berkshire	Great Barrington	Yes	22,655	7,527	No	No	No	Yes	No
Berkshire	Hancock	No	22,250	721	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Berkshire	Hinsdale	Yes	19,797	1,872	No	No	No	Yes	No
Berkshire	Lanesborough	Yes	21,106	2,990	No	No	No	Yes	No
Berkshire	Lee	Yes	19,799	5,985	No	No	No	Yes	No
Berkshire	Lenox	Yes	23,263	5,077	No	No	No	Yes	No
Berkshire	Monterey	No	30,992	934	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Berkshire	Mount Washington	No	50,149	130	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Berkshire	New Ashford	No	28,323	247	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Berkshire	New Marlborough	No	25,658	1,494	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Berkshire	North Adams	Yes	16,381	14,681	No	No	No	Yes	No
Berkshire	Otis	Yes	25,029	1,365	No	No	No	Yes	No
Berkshire	Peru	No	18,636	821	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Berkshire	Pittsfield	Yes	20,549	45,793	No	No	No	No	No
Berkshire	Richmond	Yes	35,568	1,604	No	No	No	Yes	No
Berkshire	Sandisfield	No	27,628	824	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Berkshire	Savoy	Yes	20,223	705	No	No	No	Yes	No
Berkshire	Sheffield	Yes	25,492	3,335	No	No	No	Yes	No
Berkshire	Stockbridge	Yes	32,499	2,276	No	No	No	Yes	No
Berkshire	Tyringham	No	35,503	350	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Berkshire	Washington	No	23,610	544	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Berkshire	West Stockbridge	Yes	31,425	1,416	No	No	No	Yes	No
Berkshire	Williamstown	Yes	26,039	8,424	No	No	No	Yes	No
Berkshire	Windsor	No	21,794	875	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
<b>Franklin</b>	<b>Franklin County</b>		<b>20,672</b>	<b>71,535</b>					
Franklin	Ashfield	Yes	26,483	1,800	No	No	No	Yes	No
Franklin	Bernardston	Yes	20,959	2,155	No	No	No	Yes	No
Franklin	Buckland	Yes	20,033	1,991	No	No	No	Yes	No
Franklin	Charlemont	Yes	19,577	1,358	No	No	No	Yes	No
Franklin	Colrain	No	18,948	1,813	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Franklin	Conway	Yes	25,605	1,809	No	No	No	Yes	No
Franklin	Deerfield	Yes	24,555	4,750	No	No	No	Yes	No
Franklin	Erving	Yes	19,107	1,467	No	No	No	Yes	No
Franklin	Gill	Yes	23,381	1,363	No	No	No	Yes	No
Franklin	Greenfield	Yes	18,830	18,168	No	No	No	Yes	No
Franklin	Hawley*	No	17,333	336	Yes	Maybe	No	Yes	Yes
Franklin	Heath	No	24,777	805	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Franklin	Leverett	No	31,891	1,663	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Franklin	Leyden	No	26,076	772	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Franklin	Monroe**	No	12,400	93	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Franklin	Montague	Yes	17,794	8,489	No	No	No	Yes	No
Franklin	New Salem	No	23,234	929	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Franklin	Northfield	Yes	21,517	2,951	No	No	No	Yes	No
Franklin	Orange	Yes	17,361	7,518	No	No	No	Yes	No
Franklin	Rowe	No	28,134	351	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Franklin	Shelburne	Yes	20,329	2,058	No	No	No	Yes	No
Franklin	Shutesbury	Yes	26,260	1,810	No	No	No	Yes	No
Franklin	Sunderland	Yes	20,024	3,777	No	No	No	Yes	No
Franklin	Warwick	No	19,989	750	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Franklin	Wendell	No	19,701	986	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Franklin	Whately	Yes	27,826	1,573	No	No	No	Yes	No
<b>Hampden</b>	<b>Hampden County</b>		<b>19,541</b>	<b>456,228</b>					
Hampden	Agawam	Yes	22,562	28,144	No	No	No	No	No

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Hampden	Blandford	No	24,285	1,214	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Hampden	Brimfield	Yes	23,711	3,339	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampden	Chester	Yes	18,098	1,308	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampden	Chicopee	Yes	18,646	54,653	No	No	No	No	No
Hampden	East Longmeadow	Yes	27,659	14,100	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampden	Granville	Yes	22,315	1,521	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampden	Hampden	Yes	26,690	5,171	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampden	Holland	No	21,770	2,407	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Hampden	Holyoke	Yes	15,913	39,838	No	No	No	No	No
Hampden	Longmeadow	Yes	38,949	15,633	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampden	Ludlow	Yes	20,105	21,209	No	No	No	No	No
Hampden	Monson	Yes	22,519	8,359	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampden	Montgomery	No	25,942	654	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Hampden	Palmer	Yes	18,664	12,497	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampden	Russell	Yes	21,318	1,657	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampden	Southwick	Yes	21,756	8,835	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampden	Springfield	Yes	15,232	152,082	No	No	No	No	No
Hampden	Tolland	No	30,126	426	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Hampden	Wales	Yes	21,267	1,737	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampden	Westfield	Yes	20,600	40,072	No	No	No	No	No
Hampden	West Springfield	Yes	20,982	27,899	No	No	No	No	No
Hampden	Wilbraham	Yes	29,854	13,473	No	No	No	Yes	No
<b>Hampshire</b>	<b>Hampshire County</b>		<b>21,685</b>	<b>152,251</b>					
Hampshire	Amherst	Yes	17,427	34,874	No	No	No	No	No
Hampshire	Belchertown	Yes	21,938	12,968	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampshire	Chesterfield	Yes	19,220	1,201	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampshire	Cummington	No	21,553	978	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Hampshire	Easthampton	Yes	21,922	15,994	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampshire	Goshen	Yes	22,221	921	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampshire	Granby	Yes	23,209	6,132	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampshire	Hadley	Yes	24,945	4,793	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampshire	Hatfield	Yes	24,813	3,249	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampshire	Huntington	Yes	19,385	2,174	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampshire	Middlefield	No	24,137	542	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Hampshire	Northampton	Yes	24,022	28,978	No	No	No	No	No
Hampshire	Pelham	Yes	29,821	1,403	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampshire	Plainfield	No	20,785	589	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Hampshire	Southampton	Yes	26,205	5,387	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampshire	South Hadley	Yes	22,732	17,196	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampshire	Ware	Yes	18,908	9,707	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampshire	Westhampton	Yes	25,360	1,468	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampshire	Williamsburg	Yes	25,813	2,427	No	No	No	Yes	No
Hampshire	Worthington	No	24,190	1,270	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
	<b>United States</b>		<b>21,587</b>						
	<b>Massachusetts</b>		<b>25,952</b>						

\* Under the RUS Grant program, Hawley would score 0/30 points for Economic Need, but 40/40 for Rurality.

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**Sources: Franklin Regional Council of Governments:**

Data Set: Census 2000 Summary File 3 (SF3) - Sample Data  
Data Set: 2004 Population Estimates & 2000 Census

**Berkshire Regional Planning Commission:**

Median & Mean Income, Per Capita Income, 1999  
Annual Estimates of Population for Minor Civil Divisions in Massachusetts,  
Listed Alphabetically Within County: April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2004

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