



# SOUTHWESTERN PENNSYLVANIA COMMISSION

## Profile of General Demographic Characteristics - 2000

County: Beaver

Municipality: Big Beaver Borough

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19. SCHOOL ENROLLMENT			20. EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT		
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Population 3 years+ enrolled in school	381	100.0%	Population 25 years & over	1,620	100.0%
Nursery school, preschool	8	2.1%	Less than 9th grade	162	10.0%
Kindergarten	22	5.8%	9th to 12th grade, no diploma	207	12.8%
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	213	55.9%	High school graduate	715	44.1%
High school (grades 9-12)	89	23.4%	(includes equivalency)		
College or graduate school	49	12.9%	Some college, no degree	253	15.6%
<b>21. MARITAL STATUS</b>			Associate degree	96	5.9%
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>	Bachelor's degree	134	8.3%
Population 15 years & over	1,795	100.0%	Graduate or professional degree	53	3.3%
Never married	299	16.7%	Percent high school graduate or higher	77.2	
Now married, except separated	1,191	66.4%	Percent bachelor's degree or higher	11.5	
Separated	41	2.3%	<b>22. GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS</b>		
Widowed	125	7.0%		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Female	101	5.6%	Grandparent living in household		
Divorced	139	7.7%	with one or more own		
Female	69	3.8%	grandchildren under 18 years	43	100.0%
<b>23. VETERAN STATUS</b>			Grandparent responsible		
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>	for grandchildren	18	41.9%
Civilian population 18 years & over	1,725	100.0%	<b>24. DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN</b>		
Civilian veterans	286	16.6%	<b>NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION</b>		
<b>25. RESIDENCE IN 1995</b>				<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
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Population 5 years & over	2,030	100.0%	With a disability	25	7.1%
Same house in 1995	1,406	69.3%	Population 21 to 64 years	1,258	100.0%
Different house in U.S. in 1995	614	30.2%	With a disability	203	16.1%
Same county	424	20.9%	Percent employed	44.3	
Different county	190	9.4%	No disability	1,055	83.9%
Same state	134	6.6%	Percent employed	73.6	
Different state	56	2.8%	Population 65 years & over	382	100.0%
Elsewhere in 1995	10	0.5%	With a disability	160	41.9%
<b>26. NATIVITY AND PLACE OF BIRTH</b>			<b>27. REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>		
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Total population	2,137	100.0%	Total (excluding born at sea)	11	100.0%
Native	2,126	99.5%	Europe	9	81.8%
Born in United States	2,124	99.4%	Asia	0	0.0%
State of residence	1,856	86.9%	Africa	0	0.0%
Different state	268	12.5%	Oceania	0	0.0%
Born outside United States	2	0.1%	Latin America	2	18.2%
Foreign born	11	0.5%	Northern America	0	0.0%
Entered 1990 to March 200	0	0.0%			
Naturalized citizen	9	0.4%			
Not a citizen	2	0.1%			



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### 28. LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME

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Population 5 years & over	2,030	100.0%			
English only	1,969	97.0%	Language other than English (cont.)		
Language other than English	61	3.0%	Other Indo-European languages	32	1.6%
Speak English less than "very well"	14	0.7%	Speak English less than "very well"	8	0.4%
Spanish	29	1.4%	Asian & Pacific Island languages	0	0.0%
Speak English less than "very well"	6	0.3%	Speak English less than "very well"	0	0.0%

### 29. ANCESTRY (single or multiple)

	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Total population	2,137	100.0%	Norwegian	2	0.1%
Total ancestries reported	2,489	116.5%	Polish	125	5.8%
Arab	0	0.0%	Portuguese	3	0.1%
Czech (including Czechoslovakian)	14	0.7%	Russian	15	0.7%
Danish	5	0.2%	Scotch-Irish	123	5.8%
Dutch	72	3.4%	Scottish	33	1.5%
English	249	11.7%	Slovak	44	2.1%
French (except Basque)			Subsaharan African	0	0.0%
(including Alsatian)	45	2.1%	Swedish	17	0.8%
French Canadian			Swiss	12	0.6%
(including Acadian/Cajun)	2	0.1%	Ukrainian	15	0.7%
German	652	30.5%	United States or American	128	6.0%
Greek	9	0.4%	Welsh	47	2.2%
Hungarian	84	3.9%	West Indian	0	0.0%
Irish (including Celtic)	349	16.3%	(excluding Hispanic groups)		
Italian	256	12.0%	Other ancestries	184	8.6%
Lithuanian	4	0.2%			

### Comparison of selected data items for different areas

<u>Data Item</u>	<u>This Municipality</u>	<u>This County</u>	<u>SPC 10-cnty Region</u>	<u>Pennsylvania</u>	<u>United States</u>
% of population aged 25 & over who are high school graduates or higher	77.2%	83.6%	84.5%	81.9%	80.4%
% of population aged 5 & over who resided in same house in 1995	69.3%	68.5%	66.5%	63.5%	54.1%
% of population aged 5 & over who resided in different house in same county in 1995	20.9%	21.2%	21.9%	21.7%	24.9%
% of civilian noninstitutionalized population aged 5 & over with a disability	19.5%	18.5%	18.6%	18.6%	19.3%



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30. EMPLOYMENT STATUS			31. COMMUTING TO WORK		
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Population 16 years & over	1,780	100.0%	Workers 16 years & over	928	100.0%
In labor force	1,006	56.5%	Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	837	90.2%
Civilian labor force	1,006	56.5%	Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	69	7.4%
Employed	951	53.4%	Public transportation (including taxicab)	2	0.2%
Unemployed	55	3.1%	Walked	5	0.5%
Percent of civilian labor force	5.5		Other means	4	0.4%
Armed Forces	0	0.0%	Worked at home	11	1.2%
Not in labor force	774	43.5%	Average travel time to work	26.4 minutes	
Females 16 years & over	915	100.0%			
In labor force	469	51.3%	32. OCCUPATION		
Civilian labor force	469	51.3%		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Employed	458	50.1%	Employed civilian population	951	100.0%
Own children under 6 years	117	100.0%	16 years & over		
All parents in family in labor force	62	53.0%	Management, professional, & related occupations	248	26.1%
33. INDUSTRY			Service occupations	129	13.6%
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>	Sales & office occupations	199	20.9%
Employed civilian population	951	100.0%	Farming, fishing, & forestry occupations	2	0.2%
16 years & over			Construction, extraction, & maintenance occupations	116	12.2%
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, & mining	6	0.6%	Production, transportation, & material moving occupations	257	27.0%
Construction	69	7.3%	34. CLASS OF WORKER		
Manufacturing	209	22.0%		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Wholesale trade	32	3.4%	Employed civilian population	951	100.0%
Retail trade	85	8.9%	16 years & over		
Transportation and warehousing & utilities	103	10.8%	Private wage & salary workers	812	85.4%
Information	8	0.8%	Government workers	90	9.5%
Finance, insurance, real estate, & rental and leasing	34	3.6%	Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	47	4.9%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, & waste management services	48	5.0%	Unpaid family workers	2	0.2%
Educational, health & social services	214	22.5%	35. HOUSEHOLDS BY 1999 INCOME RANGE		
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accomodation & food services	66	6.9%		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Other services (except public administration)	53	5.6%	Households	872	100.0%
Public administration	24	2.5%	Less than \$10,000	53	6.1%
36. AVERAGE HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999 BY TYPE			\$10,000 to \$14,999	77	8.8%
			\$15,000 to \$24,999	142	16.3%
Average earnings		\$41,917	\$25,000 to \$34,999	130	14.9%
Average Social Security income		\$12,937	\$35,000 to \$49,999	180	20.6%
Average Supplemental Security income		\$7,668	\$50,000 to \$74,999	208	23.9%
Average public assistance income		\$1,929	\$75,000 to \$99,999	54	6.2%
Average retirement income		\$12,434	\$100,000 to \$149,999	21	2.4%
			\$150,000 to \$199,999	7	0.8%
			\$200,000 or more	0	0.0%

Source: Census 2000 Table DP-3 from U.S. Census Bureau, containing sample data



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37. HOUSEHOLDS BY 1999 INCOME TYPE			38. FAMILIES BY 1999 INCOME RANGE		
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Households	872	100.0%	Families	626	100.0%
With earnings	644	73.9%	Less than \$10,000	29	4.6%
With Social Security income	322	36.9%	\$10,000 to \$14,999	26	4.2%
With Supplemental Security income	36	4.1%	\$15,000 to \$24,999	86	13.7%
With public assistance income	14	1.6%	\$25,000 to \$34,999	92	14.7%
With retirement income	240	27.5%	\$35,000 to \$49,999	141	22.5%
<b>39. MISCELLANEOUS 1999 INCOME DATA</b>			\$50,000 to \$74,999	179	28.6%
Median household income		\$37,297	\$75,000 to \$99,999	52	8.3%
Median family income		\$43,523	\$100,000 to \$149,999	17	2.7%
Per capita income		\$17,228	\$150,000 to \$199,999	4	0.6%
Median earnings of full-time, year-round workers by sex:			\$200,000 or more	0	0.0%
Male		\$34,688			
Female		\$23,945			

### 40. POVERTY STATUS IN 1999

	<u>Number &amp; percent below poverty level</u>			<u>Number &amp; percent below poverty level</u>	
Families	44	7.0%	Individuals	203	9.8%
With related children under 18 years	37	14.7%	18 years & over	137	8.1%
With related children under 5 years	15	20.0%	65 years & over	17	4.5%
Families with female householder, no husband present	18	32.7%	Related children under 18 years	63	16.2%
With related children under 18 years	18	48.6%	Related children 5-17 years	41	14.2%
With related children under 5 years	4	50.0%	Unrelated individuals 15 years & over	57	18.0%

### Comparison of selected data items for different areas

<u>Data Item</u>	<u>This Municipality</u>	<u>This County</u>	<u>SPC 10-cnty Region</u>	<u>Pennsylvania</u>	<u>United States</u>
% of civilian labor force that is unemployed	5.5%	5.4%	5.9%	5.7%	5.8%
% of employed civilian population 16 years & over employed in manufacturing	22.0%	15.2%	12.6%	16.0%	14.1%
% of workers 16 years & over whose means of commutation to work was "drove alone"	90.2%	83.6%	77.8%	76.5%	75.7%
Average travel time to work in minutes	26.4	24.5	25.2	25.2	25.5
Median household income in 1999	\$37,297	\$36,995	\$37,148	\$40,106	\$41,994
% of families with related children under 18 years that are below the poverty level	14.7%	12.1%	13.0%	12.1%	13.6%



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41. HOUSING UNITS IN STRUCTURE			42. YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT		
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Total housing units	905	100.0%	Total housing units	905	100.0%
1 unit, detached	745	82.3%	1999 to March 2000	9	1.0%
1 unit, attached	6	0.7%	1995 to 1998	44	4.9%
2 units	10	1.1%	1990 to 1994	25	2.8%
3 or 4 units	4	0.4%	1980 to 1989	49	5.4%
5 to 9 units	0	0.0%	1970 to 1979	168	18.6%
10 to 19 units	0	0.0%	1960 to 1969	123	13.6%
20 or more units	4	0.4%	1940 to 1959	302	33.4%
Mobile home	131	14.5%	1939 or earlier	185	20.4%
Boat, RV, van, etc.	5	0.6%			
43. ROOMS			44. YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT		
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Total housing units	905	100.0%	Occupied housing units	868	100.0%
1 room	0	0.0%	1999 to March 2000	89	10.3%
2 rooms	3	0.3%	1995 to 1998	156	18.0%
3 rooms	19	2.1%	1990 to 1994	147	16.9%
4 rooms	135	14.9%	1980 to 1989	116	13.4%
5 rooms	282	31.2%	1970 to 1979	122	14.1%
6 rooms	205	22.7%	1969 or earlier	238	27.4%
7 rooms	141	15.6%			
8 rooms	89	9.8%	46. VEHICLES AVAILABLE		
9 or more rooms	31	3.4%		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Median (rooms)	5.6		Occupied housing units	868	100.0%
45. HOUSE HEATING FUEL			None	24	2.8%
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>	1	291	33.5%
Occupied housing units	868	100.0%	2	383	44.1%
Utility gas	319	36.8%	3 or more	170	19.6%
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	32	3.7%	47. SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS		
Electricity	90	10.4%		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	407	46.9%	Occupied housing units	868	100.0%
Coal or coke	0	0.0%	Lacking complete plumbing facilities	8	0.9%
Wood	9	1.0%	Lacking complete kitchen facilities	7	0.8%
Solar energy	0	0.0%	No telephone service	11	1.3%
Other fuel	9	1.0%	49. OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
No fuel used	2	0.2%		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
48. VALUE			Occupied housing units	868	100.0%
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>	1.00 or less	853	98.3%
Specified owner-occupied units	583	100.0%	1.01 to 1.50	13	1.5%
Less than \$50,000	119	20.4%	1.51 or more	2	0.2%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	328	56.3%	50. SELECTED MEDIANS (DOLLARS)		
\$100,000 to \$149,999	110	18.9%	Value of specified owner-occupied units	\$81,400	
\$150,000 to \$199,999	22	3.8%	Gross rent of specified renter-occupied units	\$455	
\$200,000 to \$299,999	4	0.7%	Monthly owner cost of mortgaged unit	\$821	
\$300,000 to \$499,999	0	0.0%	Monthly owner cost of not-mortgaged unit	\$331	
\$500,000 to \$999,999	0	0.0%			
\$1,000,000 or more	0	0.0%			

Source: Census 2000 Table DP-4 from U.S. Census Bureau, containing sample data



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51. MORTGAGE STATUS & SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS			52. SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Specified owner-occupied units	583	100.0%	Specified owner-occupied units	583	100.0%
With a mortgage	308	52.8%	Less than 15 percent	238	40.8%
Less than \$300	0	0.0%	15 to 19 percent	128	22.0%
\$300 to \$499	34	5.8%	20 to 24 percent	73	12.5%
\$500 to \$699	58	9.9%	25 to 29 percent	44	7.5%
\$700 to \$999	129	22.1%	30 to 34 percent	31	5.3%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	75	12.9%	35 percent or more	67	11.5%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	6	1.0%	Not computed	2	0.3%
\$2,000 or more	6	1.0%			
Not mortgaged	275	47.2%			

  

53. GROSS RENT			54. GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Specified renter-occupied units	112	100.0%	Specified renter-occupied units	112	100.0%
Less than \$200	2	1.8%	Less than 15 percent	27	24.1%
\$200 to \$299	11	9.8%	15 to 19 percent	9	8.0%
\$300 to \$499	37	33.0%	20 to 24 percent	6	5.4%
\$500 to \$749	30	26.8%	25 to 29 percent	10	8.9%
\$750 to \$999	2	1.8%	30 to 34 percent	4	3.6%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	0	0.0%	35 percent or more	26	23.2%
\$1,500 or more	0	0.0%	Not computed	30	26.8%
No cash rent	30	26.8%			

### Comparison of selected data items for different areas

<u>Data Item</u>	<u>This Municipality</u>	<u>This County</u>	<u>SPC 10-nty Region</u>	<u>Pennsylvania</u>	<u>United States</u>
% of total housing units that are single-family units	98.0%	82.2%	78.5%	78.8%	73.6%
	(single-family units include: 1 unit, detached; 1 unit, attached; mobile home; boat, RV, van, etc.)				
% of total housing units that were built before 1970	67.4%	72.9%	71.3%	65.9%	48.7%
% of occupied housing units with no vehicles available	2.8%	9.4%	12.5%	12.8%	10.3%
Median value of specified owner-occupied units	\$81,400	\$85,000	\$84,566	\$97,000	\$119,600
Median gross rent of specified renter-occupied units	\$455	\$438	\$489	\$531	\$602
% of owner-occupied units where the selected monthly owner costs is 25% or more of household income in 1999	24.4%	28.3%	28.1%	30.2%	31.5%
% of renter-occupied units where the gross rent is 25% or more of household income in 1999	48.8%	45.6%	50.2%	50.0%	51.1%