

# TENNESSEE COMMUNITY DATA SHEET

## Atoka

Dept of Economic & Community Development



### LOCATION

**Mkt. Region:** Memphis  
**County:** Tipton      **Sq. Miles:** 458  
**Distance From:(City)** Memphis      **Miles:** 18  
**Miles:**  
**MSA Name:** Memphis, TN-MS-AR

### POPULATION

	City	County
<b>2009 (Estimates).....</b>	3,235	51,271
<b>2010 (Census).....</b>	8,387	61,081
<b>% Population Change for 2000-2010</b>	159.00%	19.13%

### TAX STRUCTURE

	Local	
	City	County
<b>Property Tax</b>		
<b>Rate Per \$100 Value.....</b>	\$0.5550	\$2.3400
<b>Ratio of Assessment</b>		
<b>Residential.....</b>	25%	25%
<b>Industrial.....</b>	40%	40%
<b>Personal (Equipment)</b>	30%	30%
<b>Bonded Debt.....</b>		
<b>Sales Tax.....</b>		
	State	
<b>Sales Tax.....</b>	7% (5.25% for food and food ingredients for human consumption)	
<b>Income Tax</b>		
<b>Personal.....</b>	6% on Interest & Dividends	
<b>Excise.....</b>	6.5% of Net Earnings	
<b>Franchise.....</b>	.25 per \$100 of Capital Properties	
<b>Unemployment Tax</b>		
<b>New Employers.....</b>	2.7% of first \$9,000	

### TRANSPORTATION FOR TIPTON COUNTY

#### Railroads

**Served by:** Canadian National

#### Highways

18 Miles to Access of Interstate - I-40

**U.S. Highways:** 51  
**State Highways:** 206

#### Common Carriers

**Air Freight Companies:** 2  
**Motor Freight Companies:** 20      **Terminal Facilities:** 2  
**Carrier Service:** Yes

#### Navigable Waterway

**River:** Mississippi      **Channel Depth:** 12'  
**Nearest Port:** Tipton County      **Miles:** 14

#### Air Service

**General Aviation/Distance:** Covington Municipal 8 Miles  
 Millington Municipal 10 Miles  
**Location Identifier:** M04  
**Runway Lengths:** 4,000'  
**Nearest Commercial Service:** Memphis International Airport  
**Location Identifier:** MEM  
**Airlines Serving:**  
 American, Delta, Continental, KLM, United, AirTran  
**Daily Flights:** 305

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## EDUCATION

<b>Type of Public School System:</b> County		
	<b># Local Schools</b>	<b>Enrollment</b>
Elementary.....	1	845
Middle/Jr. High	County	
Sr. High School.....	County	
Private &/or Parochial..	0	
Technology Centers.....	County	
Vo-Tech.....		
Colleges (2 & 4 year)..	County	
Libraries:	County	

High School Graduates (2009): 753

## GOVERNMENT

<b>Gov't (type):</b> City: Mayor & Alderman		
<b>County:</b> County Executive & Commission		
<b>Law Enforcement:</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>County</b>
Police Officers:	14	36
<b>Fire Department:</b>		
Fire Stations:	2	2
Firefighters:	8	7
Volunteers:	30	30
Planning Commission:	Yes	Yes
Zoning Regulation:	Yes	Yes
Industrial Development Board:	No	Yes
Insurance Rating:	5	5

## COMMUNITY FACILITIES

### Day Care

**Day Care Centers:** 3                      **Day Care Homes:** County

### Health Care

<b>Hospitals.....</b>		<b>Beds:</b>
<b>Clinics.....</b>	6	
<b>Doctors.....</b>	6	
<b>Dentists.....</b>	1	
<b>Nursing Homes....</b>		<b>Beds:</b>
<b>Retirement Homes..</b>		<b>Beds:</b>
<b>Residential Care/Assisted Living:</b>		<b>Beds:</b>

### Churches

<b>Protestant:</b>	14
<b>Catholic:</b>	1 County
<b>Jewish:</b>	Memphis
<b>Other:</b>	*Covington

### Recreation

<b>Parks.....</b>	2	
<b>Golf Courses.....</b>	1	(Public & Private)
<b>Country Clubs.....</b>	1	

## CLIMATE

**Annual Avg. Temperature:** 59.7°

**Monthly Avg. High Temp:** Jan. 46.0° July 91.2°

**Monthly Avg. Low Temp:** Jan. 27.4° July 69.1°

**Annual Avg. Precipitation:** 51.16

**Annual Avg. Snowfall:** 6.9" (Covington Station)

**Elevation:** 310' above sea level

**Prevailing Winds:** South-Southwest

**Mean Length of Freeze Free Period (Days):**

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## SELECTED ECONOMIC INDICATORS FOR TIPTON COUNTY

### County Available Labor

**Date:** January 2011

**Total:** 3,510      **Male:** 1,890      **Female:** 1,620

**Estimated Total in Surrounding Area:** 58,240

### Labor Force Estimates

Annual Avg. Employment	2009
Civilian Labor Force.....	28,190
Unemployment.....	3,080
%Unemployment Rate.....	10.9
Total Employment.....	25,110

### Per Capita Income

Year	Amount
2007	\$28,995.00

### Retail Sales

Year	Amount
2010	\$407,644,955

### County 10-Year Manufacturing Growth

Years: 2000-2009	New Plants	Expansions
<b>Number Projects:</b>	3	43
<b>Total Investments:</b>	\$80,500,000	\$195,402,357

## UTILITIES

### Electricity

**Electric Power System:** Southwest Tennessee Electric

### Gas

**Gas Supplier:** City of Munford

### Water

**Water Supplier:** City of Munford & Poplar Grove Utilities

**Capacity:** 1.8 MGD

**Current Consumption:** 1 MGD

**Storage Capacity:** 900,000 Gallons

### Sewer

**Sewer Provider:** Town of Atoka & Poplar Gove Utilities

**Type of Treatment:** Lagoon

**Capacity:** 2 MGD

**Current Usage:** 6 MGD

**% City Sewer Coverage:** 100.0

**% Storm Sewer Coverage:** 10.0

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### LARGEST COMPANIES IN TIPTON COUNTY (by Employment Size)

<b>Firm Name</b>	<b>Products/ Services</b>	<b>Total Employees</b>	<b>Union Affiliations</b>
M&W Glass	Metal/Glass	27	None
McLillie Concrete	Ready-Mix Concrete	20	None
Comfort Components	Screen Print Plastic Panels	10	None
Classic Marble & Tile	Marble Tubs	5	None

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