## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

### Area: Lawrence County, IN

#### Population

The population in Lawrence County, IN is estimated to change from 45,922 to 45,976, resulting in a growth of 0.1% between the year 2000 and the current year. Over the next five years, the population is projected to decline by 0.1%.

The current year median age for this population is 40.8, and the average age is 40.2. Five years from now, the median age is projected to be 41.6.

Of Lawrence County, IN's current year population:

- 97.7% are White
- 0.7% are Black or African American
- 0.3% are American Indian or Alaska Native
- 0.5% are Asian
- 0.0% are Native Hawaiian
- 0.3% are Some Other Race, and 0.6% are Two or More Races

#### Benchmark: All of US

The population in All of US is estimated to change from 281,421,906 to 306,069,955, resulting in a growth of 8.8% between the year 2000 and the current year. Over the next five years, the population is expected to grow by 3.6%.

The current year median age for All of US is 37.1, while the average age is 37.5. Five years from now, the median age is projected to be 38.0.

#### Household

The number of households in this area is estimated to change from 18,535 to 18,902, resulting in an increase of 2.0% between 2000 and the current year. Over the next five years, the number is expected to increase by 1.3%.

#### Household Income

For the current year, the average household income is estimated to be $51,379 and is projected to increase 6.4% over the next five years, from $51,379 to $54,675. The estimated per capita income for Lawrence County, IN is $21,504.

For the current year, the average household income for All of US is estimated to be $69,346 and is projected to increase 31.1% over the next five years. The estimated per capita income for All of US is $26,485.

#### Educational Attainment

Currently, it is estimated that 4.4% of the population over 25 in Lawrence County, IN had earned a Masters, Professional, or Doctorate Degree and 6.9% had earned a Bachelor's Degree.

In comparison, for All of US, it is estimated that 10.4% of the population over 25 had earned a Masters. Professional, or Doctorate Degree and 17.6% had earned a Bachelor's Degree.

#### Dwellings

Most of the dwellings (70.0%) in Lawrence County, IN are estimated to be Owner-Occupied for the current year.

In All of US, most of the dwellings (58.3%) are estimated to be Owner-Occupied for the current year.

#### Consumer Spending

The total expenditures for Lawrence County, IN is estimated to be $44,512 per household. Over the next five years, total expenditures is projected to increase 4.3%.

For All of US, the total expenditures is estimated to be $46,410 per household. Over the next five years, total expenditures is projected to increase 4.6%.