## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

### Area: Posey County, IN

#### Population

The population in Posey County, IN is estimated to change from **27,061** to **25,795**, resulting in a decline of **-4.7%** between the year 2000 and the current year. Over the next five years, the population is projected to decline by **-4.0%**.

The current year median age for this population is **41.5**, and the average age is **39.6**. Five years from now, the median age is projected to be **42.3**.

Of Posey County, IN’s current year population:

- **97.0%** are White
- **1.5%** are Black or African American
- **0.3%** are American Indian or Alaska Native
- **0.3%** are Asian
- **0.0%** are Native Hawaiian
- **0.2%** are Some Other Race, and **0.7%** are Two or More Races

#### Household

The number of households in this area is estimated to change from **10,205** to **10,728**, resulting in an increase of **5.1%** between 2000 and the current year. Over the next five years, the number is expected to increase by **3.9%**.

#### Household Income

For the current year, the average household income is estimated to be **$61,278** and is projected to increase **5.9%** over the next five years, from **$61,278** to **$64,864**. The estimated per capita income for Posey County, IN is **$25,780**.

#### Educational Attainment

Currently, it is estimated that **5.6%** of the population over 25 in Posey County, IN had earned a Masters, Professional, or Doctorate Degree and **9.7%** had earned a Bachelor's Degree.

#### Dwellings

Most of the dwellings (**74.2%**) in Posey County, IN are estimated to be **Owner-Occupied** for the current year.

#### Consumer Spending

The total expenditures for Posey County, IN is estimated to be **$50,188** per household. Over the next five years, total expenditures is projected to increase **4.0%**.

### Benchmark: All of US

#### Population

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**.

Of All of US:

- **73.9%** are White
- **12.4%** are Black or African American
- **0.8%** are American Indian or Alaska Native
- **4.4%** are Asian
- **0.2%** are Native Hawaiian
- **5.4%** are Some Other Race, and **2.9%** are Two or More Races

#### Household

The number of households in All of US is estimated to change from **105,480,101** to **113,900,247**, resulting in an increase of **8.0%** between 2000 and the current year. Over the next five years, the number is projected to increase by **3.3%**.

#### Household Income

For the current year, the average household income for All of US is estimated to be **$69,346** and is projected to increase **31.2%** over the next five years. The estimated per capita income for All of US is **$26,485**.

#### Educational Attainment

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

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

#### Consumer Spending

For All of US, the total expenditures is estimated to be **$52,210** per household. Over the next five years, total expenditures is projected to increase **4.6%**.

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Source: 2009 Applied Geographic Solutions

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