

# Town of Liberty Profile

# Vernon County, WI

## POPULATION

	1970	1980	1990	2000	2009 Est.
Town of Liberty	231	171	189	167	241
County of Vernon	24,557	25,642	25,617	28,056	29,910
State of Wisconsin	4,417,821	4,705,642	4,891,599	5,363,675	5,688,040

Source: U.S. Census Bureau; WI Dept. of Admin. Demographic Services Ctr 2008 Estimate

## HOUSING UNITS

	1970	1980	1990	2000
Town of Liberty	68	76	81	123
County of Vernon	8,448	10,141	10,830	12,416
State of Wisconsin	1,472,332	1,863,897	2,055,676	2,321,144

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

## REAL ESTATE EQUALIZED VALUES

Millions of Dollars

	2006	2007	2008	2009
Town of Liberty \$	21	27	29	28
County of Vernon \$	1,480	1,637	1,719	1,767
State of Wisconsin \$	458,541	486,959	502,446	499,856

Source: State of Wisconsin Department of Revenue

## PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

	2005	2006	2007	2008
County of Vernon \$	24,007	25,570	27,107	28,045
State of Wisconsin \$	33,673	35,644	36,990	37,770
United States \$	35,424	37,698	39,392	40,166

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce

## UNEMPLOYMENT TRENDS

	2007	2008	2009
Vernon County Labor Force	14,244	14,608	15,033
Number Employed	13,525	13,907	13,862
Number Unemployed	719	701	1,171
Vernon County Unemployment Rate %	5.0	4.8	7.8
Wisconsin Unemployment Rate %	4.8	4.8	8.5
U.S. Unemployment Rate %	4.6	5.8	9.3

Source: State of Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development

## EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY - 2000

Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing/Hunting, Mining:	12
Construction:	5
Manufacturing:	17
Wholesale Trade:	4
Retail Trade:	12
Transportation and Warehousing and Utilities:	2
Information:	0
Finance, Ins, Real Estate, Rental/leasing:	2
Prof, Scientific, Mgt, Admin and Waste Mgt Serv:	3
Educational, Health Social Serv:	18
Arts, Entertain, Rec, Accom and Food Serv:	5
Other Services (except public admin):	8
Public Admin:	2
Total Employment by Industry	90

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

## 2008 WAGE ESTIMATES

	Average	Experienced
Office clerks, general:	12.82	14.82
Welders, Cutters, Solderers and Brazers:	18.02	19.76
Truck Drivers, heavy and tractor trailer:	18.66	20.33
Computer Support Specialists:	18.62	21.50
Construction Laborers:	19.12	23.16
Managers, all other:	35.01	39.94
Maintenance Workers, Machinery:	17.91	19.28
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and hskkeeping:	12.33	14.40
Licensed Practical and Vocational Nurses:	17.52	18.72
Retail Salespersons:	11.73	13.69

Source: Wis. Dept. of Workforce Development

## EDUCATION

2008-2009	County	State
High School Drop Out Rate %:	0.42	1.63

## 2009 TAXES

### -Local Property Taxes-

2009 Effective Full Value Rate/\$1000:	17.66
2009 Real Pers Property Full Value:	28,278,000

### -LOCAL CONTACT-

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