

**PROFILE OF GENERAL ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS**

Source: 2006 and 2005 American Community Survey; 2000 Decennial Census

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	2006 ACS			2005 ACS			2000 Decennial Census		2000-2006			2005-2006		
	2006 Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent Estimate	2005 Estimate	Margin of Error	Percent Estimate	2000 Estimate	2000 Percent	Percent Change Value	Significant Change Value?	Significant Change Percent?	Percent Change Value	Significant Change Value?	Significant Change Percent?
<b>Lake County</b>														
<b>Total population</b>	<b>232,892</b>	<b>*****</b>		<b>229,566</b>			<b>227,511</b>							
<b>that are in group quarters</b>							<b>2,900</b>							
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS</b>														
<b>Population 16 years and over</b>	<b>187,915</b>	<b>+/-805</b>		<b>183,856</b>	<b>+/-655</b>		<b>178,996</b>		<b>5.0</b>	<b>yes</b>		<b>2.2</b>	<b>yes</b>	
In labor force	126,962	+/-2,776	67.6%	122,965	+/-2,859	66.9%	123,182	68.8%	3.1	yes	no	3.3	yes	no
Civilian labor force	126,810	+/-2,790	67.5%	122,965	+/-2,859	66.9%	123,089	68.8%	3.0	yes	no	3.1	yes	no
Employed	121,152	+/-2,966	64.5%	115,253	+/-3,238	62.7%	118,749	66.3%	2.0	no	no	5.1	yes	no
Unemployed	5,658	+/-1,212	3.0%	7,712	+/-1,356	4.2%	4,340	2.4%	30.4	yes	no	-26.6	yes	no
Armed Forces	152	+/-133	0.1%	0	+/-262	0.0%	93	0.1%	63.4	no	no	0	yes	no
Not in labor force	60,953	+/-2,792	32.4%	60,891	+/-2,880	33.1%	55,814	31.2%	9.2	yes	no	0.1	yes	no
Civilian labor force	126,810	+/-2,790		122,965	+/-2,859		123,089		3.0	yes		3.1	yes	
Unemployed (Percent)	4.5	+/-1.0		6.3	+/-1.1		3.5		28.6	yes		-28.6	yes	
yes										yes			yes	
Females 16 years and over	97,439	+/-914		95,299	+/-485		93,136		4.6	yes		2.2	yes	
In labor force	60,117	+/-2,148	61.7%	59,328	+/-1,971	62.3%	58,116	62.4%	3.4	no	no	1.3	no	no
Civilian labor force	60,054	+/-2,171	61.6%	59,328	+/-1,971	62.3%	58,108	62.4%	3.3	no	no	1.2	no	no
Employed	57,206	+/-2,277	58.7%	55,920	+/-1,986	58.7%	56,252	60.4%	1.7	no	no	2.3	no	no
yes										yes			yes	
Own children under 6 years	16,093	+/-943		15,560	+/-1,154		16,170		-0.5	no		3.4	no	
All parents in family in labor force	10,541	+/-1,136	65.5%	9,560	+/-1,446	61.4%	10,180	63.0%	3.5	no	no	10.3	no	no
yes										yes			yes	
Own children 6 to 17 years	34,468	+/-1,115		34,991	+/-974		37,166		-7.3	yes		-1.5	no	
All parents in family in labor force	24,489	+/-1,641	71.0%	24,576	+/-2,061	70.2%	28,215	75.9%	-13.2	yes	no	-0.4	no	no
yes										yes			yes	
<b>COMMUTING TO WORK</b>														
<b>Workers 16 years and over</b>	<b>118,442</b>	<b>+/-3,105</b>		<b>112,552</b>	<b>+/-3,177</b>		<b>116,830</b>		<b>1.4</b>	<b>no</b>		<b>5.2</b>	<b>yes</b>	
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	101,288	+/-3,745	85.5%	96,979	+/-3,263	86.2%	102,111	87.4%	-0.8	no	no	4.4	yes	no
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	10,879	+/-1,710	9.2%	9,214	+/-1,658	8.2%	8,999	7.7%	20.9	yes	no	18.1	no	no
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	1,574	+/-525	1.3%	1,330	+/-666	1.2%	1,060	0.9%	48.5	no	no	18.3	no	no
Walked	1,228	+/-483	1.0%	1,358	+/-475	1.2%	1,517	1.3%	-19.1	no	no	-9.6	no	no
Other means	741	+/-361	0.6%	1,093	+/-537	1.0%	577	0.5%	28.4	no	no	-32.2	no	no
Worked at home	2,732	+/-798	2.3%	2,578	+/-847	2.3%	2,566	2.2%	6.5	no	no	6.0	no	no
yes										yes			yes	
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	22.9	+/-0.9		23.4	+/-1.0		22.9		0.0	no		-2.1	no	
yes										yes			yes	
<b>Civilian Employed population 16 years and over</b>	<b>121,152</b>	<b>+/-2,966</b>		<b>115,253</b>	<b>+/-3,238</b>		<b>118,749</b>		<b>2.0</b>	<b>no</b>		<b>5.1</b>	<b>yes</b>	
<b>OCCUPATION</b>														
Management, professional, and related occupations	38,555	+/-2,551	31.8%	36,887	+/-2,997	32.0%	38,147	32.1%	1.1	no	no	4.5	no	no
Service occupations	17,949	+/-1,914	14.8%	16,795	+/-2,075	14.6%	15,445	13.0%	16.2	yes	no	6.9	no	no
Sales and office occupations	35,025	+/-2,235	28.9%	33,231	+/-2,347	28.8%	33,440	28.2%	4.7	no	no	5.4	no	no
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	497	+/-388	0.4%	416	+/-538	0.4%	386	0.3%	28.8	no	no	19.5	no	no
Construction, extraction, maintenance and repair occupations	8,603	+/-1,338	7.1%	7,434	+/-1,169	6.5%	10,306	8.7%	-16.5	yes	no	15.7	no	no
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	20,523	+/-1,867	16.9%	20,490	+/-2,536	17.8%	21,025	17.7%	-2.4	no	no	0.2	no	no
yes										yes			yes	
<b>INDUSTRY</b>														
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	707	+/-405	0.6%	968	+/-549	0.8%	668	0.6%	5.8	no	no	-27.0	no	no
Construction	5,745	+/-1,170	4.7%	4,523	+/-1,052	3.9%	7,250	6.1%	-20.8	yes	no	27.0	yes	no
Manufacturing	24,509	+/-2,086	20.2%	26,867	+/-2,842	23.3%	28,999	24.4%	-15.5	yes	no	-8.8	yes	no
Wholesale trade	4,691	+/-1,021	3.9%	4,975	+/-1,192	4.3%	4,767	4.0%	-1.6	no	no	-5.7	no	no
Retail trade	14,017	+/-1,524	11.6%	13,089	+/-1,602	11.4%	14,249	12.0%	-1.6	no	no	7.1	no	no
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	5,525	+/-1,061	4.6%	5,131	+/-1,222	4.5%	4,586	3.9%	20.5	no	no	7.7	no	no
Information	2,068	+/-651	1.7%	1,748	+/-554	1.5%	2,106	1.8%	-1.8	no	no	18.3	no	no
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	11,412	+/-1,491	9.4%	10,100	+/-1,675	8.8%	8,488	7.1%	34.4	yes	no	13.0	no	no
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	12,193	+/-1,948	10.1%	7,772	+/-1,090	6.7%	9,467	8.0%	28.8	yes	no	56.9	yes	no
Educational services, health care, and social assistance	21,978	+/-2,463	18.1%	21,550	+/-1,816	18.7%	21,383	18.0%	2.8	no	no	2.0	no	no
Arts, entertainment and recreation, and accommodation, and food services	9,136	+/-1,579	7.5%	11,302	+/-2,366	9.8%	7,986	6.7%	14.4	no	no	-19.2	yes	no
Other services except public administration	6,353	+/-1,255	5.2%	4,134	+/-930	3.6%	5,138	4.3%	23.6	no	no	53.7	yes	no
Public administration	2,818	+/-658	2.3%	3,094	+/-857	2.7%	3,662	3.1%	-23.0	yes	no	-8.9	no	no
yes										yes			yes	
<b>CLASS OF WORKER</b>														
Private wage and salary workers	104,118	+/-3,345	85.9%	98,350	+/-3,490	85.3%	102,284	86.1%	1.8	no	no	5.9	yes	no
Government workers	11,166	+/-1,526	9.2%	11,581	+/-1,764	10.0%	11,489	9.7%	-2.8	no	no	-3.6	no	no
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	5,511	+/-1,274	4.5%	5,270	+/-1,053	4.6%	4,782	4.0%	15.2	no	no	4.6	no	no
Unpaid family workers	357	+/-220	0.3%	52	+/-88	0.0%	194	0.2%	84.0	no	no	586.5	no	no
yes										yes			yes	

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<b>INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2006 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)</b>														
<b>Total households</b>	<b>91,710</b>	<b>+/-1,481</b>		<b>92,617</b>	<b>+/-1,307</b>		<b>89,729</b>		<b>2.2</b>	<b>yes</b>		<b>-1.0</b>	<b>no</b>	
Less than \$10,000	3,796	+/-903	4.1%	4,388	+/-360	4.7%	3,601	4.0%	5.4	no	no	-13.5	no	no
\$10,000 to \$14,999	5,060	+/-1,164	5.5%	5,069	+/-591	5.5%	2,762	3.1%	83.2	yes	no	-0.2	no	no
\$15,000 to \$24,999	10,899	+/-1,359	11.9%	10,168	+/-571	11.0%	7,756	8.6%	40.5	yes	no	7.2	no	no
\$25,000 to \$34,999	9,829	+/-1,413	10.7%	12,037	+/-548	13.0%	8,639	9.6%	13.8	no	no	-18.3	yes	no
\$35,000 to \$49,999	15,008	+/-1,421	16.4%	14,425	+/-940	15.6%	13,700	15.3%	9.5	no	no	4.0	no	no
\$50,000 to \$74,999	18,878	+/-1,874	20.6%	19,505	+/-911	21.1%	19,957	22.2%	-5.4	no	no	-3.2	no	no
\$75,000 to \$99,999	12,905	+/-1,467	14.1%	12,449	+/-893	13.4%	14,891	16.6%	-13.3	yes	no	3.7	no	no
\$100,000 to \$149,999	11,089	+/-1,170	12.1%	9,454	+/-1,107	10.2%	11,736	13.1%	-5.5	no	no	17.3	yes	no
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,916	+/-527	2.1%	3,035	+/-810	3.3%	4,365	4.9%	-56.1	yes	yes	-36.9	yes	no
\$200,000 or more	2,330	+/-852	2.5%	2,084	+/-830	2.3%	2,325	2.6%	0.2	no	no	11.8	no	no
Median household income (dollars)	51,322	+/-1,879		50,488	+/-4,983		59,008		-13.0	yes		1.7	no	no
Mean household income (dollars)	64,243	+/-2,995		61,554	+/-8,073		70,300		-8.6	yes		4.4	no	
With earnings	73,432	+/-1,826	80.1%	73,255	+/-826	79.1%	73,418	81.8%	0.0	no	no	0.2	no	no
Mean earnings (dollars)	65,458	+/-2,976		64,021	+/-8,293		70,260		-6.8	yes		2.2	no	no
With Social Security	27,746	+/-1,268	30.3%	25,622	+/-725	27.7%	24,486	27.3%	13.3	yes	no	8.3	yes	no
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	15,395	+/-565		14,879	+/-1,131		15,025		2.5	no		3.5	no	no
With retirement income	18,711	+/-1,441	20.4%	20,281	+/-885	21.9%	17,664	19.7%	5.9	no	no	-7.7	yes	no
Mean retirement income (dollars)	16,950	+/-2,097		17,663	+/-3,506		17,632		-3.9	no		-4.0	no	no
With Supplemental Security Income	2,459	+/-726	2.7%	1,711	+/-393	1.8%	2,210	2.5%	11.3	no	no	43.7	yes	no
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	8,323	+/-1,754		8,703	+/-1,461		8,491		-2.0	no		-4.4	no	no
With cash public assistance income	1,940	+/-591	2.1%	1,310	+/-234	1.4%	1,586	1.8%	22.3	no	no	48.1	yes	no
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	3,512	+/-972		2,804	+/-4,542		3,502		0.3	no		25.2	no	no
With Food Stamp benefits in the past 12 months	5,039	+/-1,042	5.5%	4,033	+/-301	4.4%	NA		NA	yes	no	24.9	no	no
<b>Families</b>	<b>61,154</b>	<b>+/-2,298</b>		<b>63,125</b>	<b>+/-1,271</b>		<b>62,786</b>		<b>-2.6</b>	<b>no</b>		<b>-3.1</b>	<b>no</b>	
Less than \$10,000	1,700	+/-412	2.8%	2,201	+/-258	3.5%	1,224	1.9%	38.9	no	no	-22.8	no	no
\$10,000 to \$14,999	1,475	+/-565	2.4%	1,944	+/-252	3.1%	918	1.5%	60.7	no	no	-24.1	no	no
\$15,000 to \$24,999	3,543	+/-907	5.8%	3,893	+/-321	6.2%	3,533	5.6%	0.3	no	no	-9.0	no	no
\$25,000 to \$34,999	5,877	+/-1,159	9.6%	6,785	+/-498	10.7%	5,014	8.0%	17.2	no	no	-13.4	no	no
\$35,000 to \$49,999	9,843	+/-1,410	16.1%	9,563	+/-831	15.1%	9,428	15.0%	4.4	no	no	2.9	no	no
\$50,000 to \$74,999	14,126	+/-1,509	23.1%	15,008	+/-911	23.8%	15,658	24.9%	-9.8	yes	no	-5.9	no	no
\$75,000 to \$99,999	11,004	+/-1,278	18.0%	10,575	+/-840	16.8%	11,948	19.0%	-7.9	no	no	4.1	no	no
\$100,000 to \$149,999	9,777	+/-988	16.0%	8,513	+/-1,040	13.5%	9,722	15.5%	0.6	no	no	14.9	yes	no
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,734	+/-506	2.8%	2,764	+/-737	4.4%	3,461	5.5%	-49.9	yes	no	-37.3	yes	no
\$200,000 or more	2,075	+/-841	3.4%	1,879	+/-730	3.0%	1,880	3.0%	10.4	no	no	10.4	no	no
Median family income (dollars)	63,011	+/-3,623		60,240	+/-7,519		69,138		-8.9	yes		4.6	no	no
Mean family income (dollars)	76,043	+/-4,120		71,727	+/-8,840		80,712		-5.8	yes		6.0	yes	
Per capita income (dollars)	25,895	+/-1,014		25,617	+/-2,800		28,026		-7.6	yes		1.1	no	
<b>Nonfamily households</b>	<b>30,556</b>	<b>+/-2,203</b>		<b>29,492</b>	<b>+/-1,129</b>		<b>26,943</b>		<b>13.4</b>	<b>yes</b>		<b>3.6</b>	<b>no</b>	
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	28,865	+/-2,609		28,752	+/-12,573		34,968		-17.5	yes		0.4	no	no
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	38,550	+/-3,084		37,604	+/-10,321		43,652		-11.7	yes		2.5	no	no
<b>Median earnings:</b>	<b>29,167</b>	<b>+/-1,273</b>		<b>30,793</b>	<b>+/-1,850</b>		<b>32,771</b>		<b>-11.0</b>	<b>yes</b>		<b>-5.3</b>	<b>yes</b>	
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	42,225	+/-2,236		45,839	+/-5,088		49,512		-14.7	yes		-7.9	yes	
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	34,152	+/-2,213		33,303	+/-2,710		34,408		-0.7	no		2.5	no	
<b>PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL</b>														
All families	5.4	+/-1.3		6.7	+/-1.7		3.5		54.3	yes		-19.4	yes	
With related children under 18 years	9.1	+/-2.7		12.1	+/-3.2		6.0		51.7	yes		-24.8	yes	
With related children under 5 years only	24.9	+/-9.6		27.0	+/-12.7		9.3		167.7	yes		-7.8	no	
Married-couple families	2.5	+/-1.2		3.2	+/-2.0		1.7		47.1	no		-21.9	no	
With related children under 18 years	3.6	+/-2.5		5.5	+/-4.1		2.4		50.0	no		-34.5	no	
With related children under 5 years only	5	+/-6.1		14.6	+/-19.1		3.7		35.1	no		-65.8	yes	
Families with female householder, no husband present	18.4	+/-6.0		18.1	+/-6.4		13.7		34.3	no		1.7	no	
With related children under 18 years	25.6	+/-9.1		28.8	+/-9.2		21.0		21.9	no		-11.1	no	
With related children under 5 years only	72.6	+/-23.0		35.9	+/-26.5		39.7		82.9	yes		102.2	yes	
All people	6.5	+/-1.1		8.3	+/-1.6		5.1		27.5	yes		-21.7	yes	
Under 18 years	10.1	+/-2.9		13.0	+/-3.5		6.8		48.5	yes		-22.3	yes	
Related children under 18 years	9.6	+/-2.9		12.9	+/-3.5		6.5		47.7	yes		-25.6	yes	
Related children under 5 years	21.4	+/-6.9		23.1	+/-10.6		8.9		140.4	yes		-7.4	no	
Related children 5 to 17 years	5.5	+/-2.4		9.4	+/-2.5		5.7		-3.5	no		-41.5	yes	
18 years and over	5.4	+/-0.9		6.9	+/-1.4		4.5		20.0	yes		-21.7	yes	
18 to 64 years	5.7	+/-1.1		7.6	+/-1.7		4.3		32.6	yes		-25.0	yes	
65 years and over	4.4	+/-1.7		3.4	+/-1.2		5.4		-18.5	no		29.4	no	
People in families	5.3	+/-1.3		7.6	+/-1.8		4.1		29.3	no		-30.3	yes	
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	12.2	+/-2.6		14.3	+/-3.0		12.2		0.0	no		-14.7	no	