

Table 1: Land Cover (Early 1990's)

Richland County, Ohio		Percentage of Land Cover, Early 1990's					
Township Name	Total Area Sq. Miles	Urban	Forest	Wetlands	Total Farmland*	Pasture	Row Crops
Blooming Grove township	25.4	0.2	20.6	2.7	76.4	25.0	51.4
Butler township	25.5	0.1	17.6	2.0	80.2	30.0	50.3
Cass township	25.0	0.7	16.3	2.8	80.1	25.5	54.6
Franklin township	21.2	0.7	19.3	2.5	77.4	27.0	50.4
Jackson township	23.7	1.9	16.2	1.8	79.9	23.1	56.8
Jefferson township	34.5	0.3	46.0	0.6	52.9	30.1	22.8
Madison township	15.6	20.5	38.0	2.2	38.9	21.1	17.8
Mifflin township	22.1	4.5	41.5	4.9	44.9	25.8	19.2
Monroe township	35.9	0.1	50.6	1.3	46.1	25.1	21.1
Perry township	17.9	0.7	28.3	0.6	70.3	34.8	35.5
Plymouth township	24.5	1.0	13.3	1.5	83.9	17.7	66.2
Sandusky township	14.3	0.9	14.6	1.5	82.9	21.8	61.1
Sharon township	20.2	0.7	5.4	0.9	92.9	18.5	74.5
Springfield township	25.7	2.2	37.3	1.1	59.1	25.6	33.5
Troy township	19.6	1.7	41.6	1.0	49.6	25.1	24.5
Washington township	30.5	3.3	46.7	1.1	48.8	26.3	22.4
Weller township	24.6	0.2	36.9	2.6	59.8	26.3	33.6
Worthington township	34.8	0.0	56.7	0.6	41.7	25.6	16.1

Note: Percentages do not sum to 100 because of omission of barren land and water cover.

**Total Farmland consists of the sum of pasture land and row crop land.*

Table 2: County Land Cover 1982 to 1997, from the National Resource Inventory
 Richland County, Ohio

Total Acres (in 1,000's)						
Year	Total Acres Esimated	Total Urban Land	Total Forest Land	Total Farm Land*	Total Crop Land	Total Pasture
1982	320.2	44.9	73.7	168.7	137.5	31.2
1987	320.2	48.4	72.7	167.6	147.2	20.4
1992	320.2	50.7	72.1	162.6	145.6	17.0
1997	320.2	54.7	70.1	142.3	133.0	9.3

Percentage of Land Cover**						
Year	Total Acres Esimated	Total Urban Land	Total Forest Land	Total Farm Land*	Total Crop Land	Total Pasture
1982	N/A	14.0%	23.0%	52.7%	42.9%	9.7%
1987	N/A	15.1%	22.7%	52.3%	46.0%	6.4%
1992	N/A	15.8%	22.5%	50.8%	45.5%	5.3%
1997	N/A	17.1%	21.9%	44.4%	41.5%	2.9%

**Total Farm Land equals sum of all crop land and all pasture land*

***Percentages do not sum to 100%, due to omission of water and federal land use cover*

Table 3: County Land Cover Change 1982 to 1997, from the National Resource Inventory
 Richland County, Ohio

Land Cover	1982 to 1987		1987 to 1992		1992 to 1997		1982 to 1997	
	Absolute Change*	Percent Change	Absolute Change*	Percent Change	Absolute Change*	Percent Change	Absolute Change*	Percent Change
Urban Land	3.5	7.8%	2.3	4.8%	4	7.9%	9.8	21.8%
Forest Land	-1	-1.4%	-0.6	-0.8%	-2	-2.8%	-3.6	-4.9%
Total Farmland**	-1.1	-0.7%	-5	-3.0%	-20.3	-12.5%	-26.4	-15.6%
Crop Land	9.7	7.1%	-1.6	-1.1%	-12.6	-8.7%	-4.5	-3.3%
Pasture Land	-10.8	-34.6%	-3.4	-16.7%	-7.7	-45.3%	-21.9	-70.2%

**Absolute Change measured in thousands of acres*

***Total Farm Land equals sum of all crop land and all pasture land*

Table 4: 1997 Township Zoning Information

Richland County, Ohio

Township	Rural Zoning Available in 1997
BLOOMING GROVE TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
BUTLER TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
CASS TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
JACKSON TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
MADISON TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
MIFFLIN TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
MONROE TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
PERRY TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
SANDUSKY TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
SHARON TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
TROY TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
WELLER TOWNSHIP	Enacted Township Rural Zoning or Equivalent
WORTHINGTON TOWNSHIP	Rejected Rural Zoning or Equivalent
