



HOISINGTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
 123 N. MAIN  
 HOISINGTON, KS 67544  
 (620) 653-4311

**COMMUNITY PROFILE**

CLIMATE (average daily temperature)

January 30 April 56  
 July 81 October 59  
 Annual Precipitation (Avg) 25 in.  
 Annual Snowfall (Avg) 20 in.  
 Altitude 1,849 ft

<u>POPULATION</u>	2007	2000	1998	1995
Hoisington	2,889	2,992	3,110	3,246
County	27,703	28,205	28,097	28,897

MUNICIPAL SERVICES

Comprehensive city plan adopted ( )yes (x)no  
 City zoning adopted (x)yes ( )no  
 Local Government: Manager/Mayor-Council  
 Fire Department: Volunteer 16  
 Police Department: Full Time 7  
 Ambulance Service: Full/EMT's 2/14

TAX STRUCTURE

Sales Tax Rate: 6.80% (City, County, State) November 1, 2007

Property Rate:	2009	2008
City	58.934	56.640
County	32.956	33.810
School	38.843	38.315
Jr. College	32.659	32.604
State USD	20.000	20.000
Rec Com	3.502	3.500
State	1.500	1.500
<b>Total</b>	<b>188.379</b>	<b>186.369</b>

UTILITIES

<u>Service</u>	<u>Supplier</u>	<u>Capacity</u>
Electric	City	
	620.653.4125	
Telephone	CenturyLink	
	800.788.3500	
Natural Gas	Kansas Gas Service	
	800.794.4780	
Water	City	1,000,000 gal/daily
Sanitation	City	(Lagoon) 5,300 gal/daily

**HOISINGTON**  
**CROSSROADS OF KANSAS**

**EDUCATION**

	<u>Number</u>		<u>Community College/Vo-Tech</u>	
Elementary	2		Barton County Community College	Gt Bend (9 Mile)
Middle School	1		Salina AVTS	Salina (71 Mile)
Senior High	1		<u>University or College</u>	
			Ft Hays State University	Hays (52 mile)

**COMMUNITY SERVICES**

Financial  
Banks 3

Housing

Avg Rent:		Avg Cost:	
House	\$350	Lots	\$2,500
Apartment	\$275	Const. (New)	\$100 sq ft

Health Care

Clara Barton Hospital  
Country Place Senior Living

Medical Personnel

MD	1	Optometrist	1
Osteopath	6	Chiropractor	2
Dentist	2	Phys. Assist.	3

visiting physicians include:  
 Orthopaedic Surgeon  
 Allergy/Immunology  
 Cardiology  
 Ear, Nose & Throat  
 Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation  
 Radiologist

Religious

Protestant	7
Catholic	1
Others	0

Media

Local Newspaper	1
Radio (County)	4
Local & Cable TV	

Lodging

Maple Street B & B  
 The Hoisington Lodge  
 Lodge Micro-Motel  
 Meadowlark B & B

**BANQUET FACILITIES**

Knights of Columbus  
 V.F.W.  
 American Legion  
 Activity Center

**RECREATION**

Public: Swimming, Tennis Courts,  
Parks, Walking Trail

State or Federal:

Cheyenne Bottoms Wildlife Area & Nature  
Conservancy Reserve - Birdwatching & hunting

Lake Barton Club Golf (4 Mile)

Lake Wilson Reservoir (55 Mile)  
Boating, Skiing, Fishing, Camping, Swimming

Theater (10 Mile)

Hoisington Activity Center (Wellness Center, Walking track, Weight room, gym)

**ATTRACTIONS**

Annual Labor Day Celebration	620-653-4311	www.hoisingtonkansas.com
Cheyenne Bottoms Wildlife Area . . . . .	620-793-7730	
Wetlanders Festival . . . . .	620-653-2208	

## MAJOR MANUFACTURERS/EMPLOYERS

	Total employees	Product	Union
Superior-Essex	269	Communications Cable	None
Kansas Brick & Tile	36	Brick	None
Clara Barton Hospital	154	Health Care	None
City of Hoisington	39	Government Svcs	IBEW
USD 431 - Schools	110	Educational Svcs	None
Roto-Mix	24	Feed Mixers/Accessories	None

## WORK FORCE (Barton County) February 2010

Civilian Work Force 15,889 [Employed 14,901]  
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE 6.2%

## TRANSPORTATION

Rail Service: Central Kansas Railroad

Parcel Service: Federal Express, Beaver Express, Puolator Courier, Pony Express  
United Parcel Service, United States Post Office

Air Freight: Pony Express, UPS, US Air Express

Airline: US Air Express (11 Mile)

## Commodities

### \* Telephone Service Providers

- Cox Communications, 250 N. Washington, Great Bend 866-719-5813
- CenturyLink, 800-788-3500
- Nex-Tech, 3705 10th St, Great Bend 620-792-3908

### \* Cellular Telephone Service Providers

- Alltel Wireless, 3120 10th St, Great Bend 620-793-5757
- Enterprise Communications, 2407 10th St, Great Bend 620-792-5914
- Nex-Tech Wireless, 3703 10th St, Great Bend 620-792-5001
- RadioShack, 3511 10th St, Great Bend 620-792-2596
- Unicel, 1101 Main St, Great Bend 620-792-7022
- Westlink Communications, 1910 Broadway, Great Bend 620-868-5000

### \* Major Internet Service Providers

- CenturyLink 800.788.3500
- KitUSA – 800-290-4599
- Cox Communications, 888-438-6673
- Nex-Tech, 3703 10th St, Great Bend 620-792-3908

### \* Cable & Satellite Television Providers

- Dish Network, 888-581-9794
- Cox Communications, 250 N. Washington, 866-719-5813
- Direct Digital TV, 800-341-4839
- DIRECTV, 800-406-8709
- Satellite Pros, 620-786-1705
- Satellites, Satellites & More, 2100 10th St, 620-792-6565

