

Brooklyn Township, Susquehanna County

LAND CHARACTERISTICS

- Land area: 24.43 square miles, .19 square miles water

POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS

- Population: 889
- Population density: 36.7 people per square mile
- Median age: 39.7 year
- Residents 18 years and older: 72.9%
- Residents 65 years and older: 15.3%
- Living alone: 23.5%
- Percent of residents who commute to work: 73.6% drive alone, 11.7% carpool, 5.2% walk
- Average commuting time: 30.2 minutes
- People with disabilities: 145

ECONOMIC AND EDUCATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

- Per capita income: \$14,957
- Education of population age 25 and older: 85% hold at least a high school diploma; 14.3% have at least a Bachelor's degree

HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS

- Total Housing Units: 403
- Rentals: 15.6%
- Seasonal homes: 9.7%

SPECIAL PLACES

- Recreational areas: Brooklyn Ball Field, abandoned rail bed extending from Alford to Montrose through New Milford Township, abandoned Northern Electric rail bed
- Historic or scenic areas: Underground Railroad Cemetery,

SOURCE

- Land Characteristics Source: Penn State School of Forest Resources
- Population, Economic, Educational and Housing Characteristics Source: Profile of General Demographic Characteristics, 2000 U.S. Census
- Special Places Source: places mentioned at Tunkhannock Creek Watershed public meetings