

# Gibson Township, Susquehanna County

## LAND CHARACTERISTICS

- Land area: 32.02 square miles, .3 square miles water

## POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS

- Population: 1129
- Population density: 35.6 people per square mile
- Median age: 41.1 years
- Residents 18 years and older: 75.6%
- Residents 65 years and older: 17.9%
- Living alone: 21%
- Percent of residents who commute to work: 75.8% drive alone, 10.7% carpool, 7.5% walk
- Average commuting time: 31.3 minutes
- People with disabilities: 225

## ECONOMIC AND EDUCATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

- Per capita income: \$18,493
- Education of population age 25 and older: 85.3% hold at least a high school diploma; 18.4% hold at least a Bachelor's degree

## HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS

- Total housing units: 590
- Rentals: 21.7%
- Seasonal homes: 11.5%

## SPECIAL PLACES

- Recreational areas: unimproved trail road beds near Sterns Lake to 848 and off T 550, Gibson Township Municipal Building
- Historic or scenic areas: South Gibson rock ledges and beaver dam on SR 2067

## 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