

## Municipal Profile of the Township of Union, New Jersey

This information was compiled by The Township of Union Department of Economic Development.

Form of Government	Twp. Committees
Municipal Budget	\$56,061,825
Equalization Rate	26.08%
Tax Rate	\$10.77
Police Officers	135
Firemen	98 Full Time & 9 Volunteers

### Population

2000	54,405
1990	50,024
1980	50,184
1970	53,077

### Population by Sex

Female	28,959
Male	25,446

*Source 2000 Census*

### Population by Age

Under 5 years	2,994
5 to 9 years	3,568
10 to 14 years	3,538
15 to 19 years	3,600
20 to 24 years	3,242
25 to 34 years	6,964
35 to 44 years	8,960
45 to 54 years	7,349
55 to 59 years	2,597
60 to 64 years	2,166
65 to 74 years	4,185
75 to 84 years	3,851
85 years and over	1,391

### Population by Race

Asian	4,214
Black	10,752
Hispanic (any race)	4,861
Multi Racial	1,221
Native American	80
Other	1,329
White	36,809

*Source 2000 Census*

### Median Age

Years	38.7
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*Source 2000 Census*

## Municipal Profile of the Township of Union, New Jersey

### Registered Voters

Republican	4,634	16.3%
Democrat	8,503	30.0%
Independent	105	
Unaffiliated	15,087	53%
Total	28,329	100%

*UC Board of Elections*

### Housing Profile

Total Housing Units	20,001	100%
Owner Occupied	14,942	74.7%
Renter Occupied	4,592	23.0%
Vacant	467	2.3%

*Source 2000 Census*

### Land Use in Acres

Residential	2,840
Commercial	629
Industrial	953
Recreational	241
Barren	9
Wetlands	257

### Population by Density

Persons per square mile	6,018
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*Source 2000 Census*

### Housing Value

Median Housing Value	\$175,600
Average Sale Price	\$160,000

### Public Education

High School	1
Middle School	2
Elementary School	7
Private Schools	5

*NJ Dept. of Education 01-02 School Year*

### Enrollment Statistics

Average Daily Enrollment K-12	8,020
Average Expense per Pupil	\$7,233

*NJ Dept. of Education 01-02 School Year*

### Employment by Occupation

Management & Professional	9,906
Service	3,150
Sales & Office	8,130
Farming, Fishing & Forestry	0
Construction, Extraction & Main.	2,071
Production, Transportation & Material Moving	2,878

*Source: Census 2000*

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### Employment by Industry

Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, Hunting, & Mining	21
Construction	1,319
Manufacturing	3,534
Wholesale Trade	972
Retail Trade	2,781
Transportation & Warehousing, & Utilities	1,946
Information	1,062
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	2,352
Professional, Scientific, Management, Administrative & Waste Management Services	2,633
Educational Health and Social Services	6,157
Arts, Entertainment, Recreation, Accommodation, & Food Services	1,195
Other Services (except public administration)	1,195
Public Administration	968

*Source: Census 2000*

### Labor Force

Insured Employees	26,628
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*NJ Dept. of Labor*

### Employers

Total Businesses	2,061
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*NJ Dept. of Labor*

### Income

Per Capita Income	\$24,768
Median Family Income	\$68,707
% of Families above \$50,000	69.4%

*Source: Census 2000*

### Poverty Status

% of Families below Poverty	3.0%
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*Source: Census 2000*