

Hill County



City of Hillsboro, County of Hill, State of Texas, located 35 miles North of Waco, 65 miles South of Dallas, 55 miles South of Fort Worth

POPULATION

Year	2007 (est.)	2000 Census	1990
City	8,899	5,232	7,072
County	34,417	32,321	27,146

CITY GOVERNMENT

Type	Home Rule
Number on Council	7
Municipal Police	31
Paid Firefighters	18
Volunteer Firefighters	12
City Zoning Body	Yes
Master Plan	Yes

TRANSPORTATION

Air Service	
Dallas/Fort Worth International	
Runway Length	29,000'
Runway Surface	Concrete
Lighted	Yes
Fuel	Yes
Instrument Landing System	Yes
Hillsboro Municipal	
Runway Length	4,000'
Runway Surface	Asphalt
Lighted	Yes
Fuel	Yes
Instrument Landing System	Yes
Waco Regional/Madison Cooper	
Runway Length	6,600'
Runway Surface	Asphalt
Lighted	Yes
Fuel	Yes
Instrument Landing System	Yes
Airports Within 1 Hr.	
International	Dallas/Fort Worth International
Regional	Waco Regional/Madison Cooper
Municipal	Hillsboro Municipal

Rail Service Providers
Union Pacific Railroad

Freight Carriers
AAA Cooper; ABF Freight System, Central Freight; Central Transport International; Christian Transportation Inc; Con-Way Southwest Express; Double B Transport; JW Carriers; L&K Services; Lone Star Transportation; Murray Freight Brokers; Old Dominion Freight Line; Overnight Transportation; Pegasus Transport Group; Yellow Freight

WAGE DATA

Occupation Title	Entry-Level Wage (\$/hr)	
	Low	High
Production Classifications		
Electrician	11.56	18.74
Forklift Operator	7.20	8.73
Janitor, any industry	5.90	8.94
Laborer, General	6.03	7.11
Machinist/Related Occup.	11.34	16.41
Maintenance, General	8.65	14.80
Mechanic (Maintenance)	10.24	15.59
Sewing Machine (Garment)	6.78	8.69
Truck Driver, Lt., any ind.	7.90	13.94
Warehouse Worker	7.20	9.98
Welder, Production	10.69	15.10
Office, Clerical, and Technical Classifications		
Accountant/Auditor	0.00	15.23
Computer Operator	0.00	10.40
Computer Programmer	0.00	19.55
Customer Service Rep.	0.00	11.87
Electronic Technician	0.00	16.81
General Office Clerk	0.00	8.15
Key Data Entry Oper.	0.00	8.38
Secretarial	0.00	9.85
Shipping & Rec. Clerk	0.00	11.23

TAXATION

Tax Rate (per \$100 Assessed Value) - 2006	
Hill County	\$0.493700
Hillsboro City	\$0.804872
Hillsboro ISD	\$1.662100
Hill Jr. College	\$0.066472
Total	\$3.027144

Municipal Sales Tax	City	1.000%
State Sales Tax Rate		6.250%
Economic Development Tax	4A Corporation	0.125%
Other Sales Taxes	Property Tax Relief	0.375%
	County	0.500%
Total		8.250%

INCENTIVES

Tax Abatement	Yes	Tax rebate
Enterprise Zone	Yes	
Industrial Foundation	Yes	
Foreign Trade Zone	No	
Reinvestment Zone	Yes	
Freeport Exemption	Yes	Triple Freeport
Other Incentives	Yes	
Econ. Dev. Sales Tax Aid		

UTILITIES

Electric Energy Delivery	Oncor
Reliability	99.973948
Transmission Voltage	69 KV, 138 KV, 345 KV
Service Voltage	120/208, 120/240, 240/480, 277/480

Natural Gas	Atmos Energy
BTU Content Per Cubic Foot	1,050

Water Supplier	Aquilla Water Supply District
Source	Aquilla Lake
Max. Daily Sys. Capacity	6,000,000 gallons
Max. Daily Use to Date	3,350,000 gallons
Pressure on Mains	76-130 psi
Storage Capacity	5,250,000 gallons
Size of Mains	2-16"
System Looped	Yes
Projects Under Construction	

Sewer System	
Treatment Plan Types	Activated Sludge w/Race Track
Maximum Capacity	1,360,000 gallons
Max. Daily Use to Date	2,100,000 gallons
Projects Under Construction	

Telephone Service	
AT&T/Waco Sys.	
Digital Available	Yes
Analog Available	Yes
Electromechanical	Yes
Make and Model	Ericsson AX E-10
Software Level	4.10
Fiber Optics	Yes
Switched 56 Kbps	Yes
High Capacity Digital (T-1)	Yes
Digital Data Service	Yes
911 Available	Yes
Other Network Services	
Custom Calling Features, internet, DSL, T-1, video conferencing	

COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Climate

Annual Average Temperature	66.3 F
Annual Average High Temperature	77.5 F
Annual Average Low Temperature	55.1 F
Annual Average Precipitation	37.2"
Annual Average Snowfall	1.9"
Elevation	550.0'

Health

Total Hospital Beds in City	92
Total Doctors (Medical) in City	11

Media

Daily Papers	0
Weekly Papers	1
Local TV	Yes
Cable TV Available	Yes

Recreation

Parks	4
Area Lakes	2
Country Clubs	1
Health Centers	2
Public Golf Courses	0
Theaters	0
Tennis Courts	2
Bed & Breakfast Facilities	2
Hotel & Motel Rooms	406
Libraries	1
Other	

Houses of Worship

Apostolic; Assembly of God; Baptist; Catholic; Christian Disciples of Christ; Church of Christ; Church of Latter Day Saints; Church of The Nazarene; Episcopal; Four Square Gospel; Gospel Center; Jehovah's Witness; Lutheran; Methodist; Pentecostal; Presbyterian; Seventh Day Adventist

Finance

Bank of America; Citizens National Bank; First Convenience Bank; First National Bank of Central Texas; Wells Fargo Bank, Texas N.A.

Attractions

Harold B. Simpson History Center at Hill College Hill; County Cell Block Museum; Historic Downtown; Lake Whitney; MKT Depot; Prime Outlet at Hillsboro; Restored Hill County Courthouse; Texas Heritage Museum; White Bluff Resort

EDUCATION

Hillsboro (2006)

Budget	\$14,655,120.00	
	Number of Schools	Total Enrollment
Pre K - Kindergarten	1	353
Elementary	1	408
Middle School	1	595
High School	1	477

Private Schools

Number of Schools	4
Enrollment	243

Area Colleges and Universities

Hill College, Hillsboro; Baylor University, Waco; McLennan County Community College, Waco; Texas State Technical College, Waco

Vocational Program Available	Yes
State Industrial Job Training Available	Yes

MAJOR AREA EMPLOYERS

Employer	Industry	Number of Employees	Union Affiliation
Outlets at Hillsboro	Retail	550	
Hillsboro ISD	Education	311	
WalMart Super Center	Retail	300	
Brandom Cabinets	Cabinet manufacturing	250	
Flowers Construction	Electric Contractor	243	
Hill College	Education	200	
Hill Regional Hospital	Healthcare	196	
Hill County Employees	Government	166	
Town Hall Estates	Healthcare	125	
City of Hillsboro	Municipal Government	100	
Canterbury Villa	Healthcare	96	
Universal Forest Products	Wood Products	80	
Mike Craig Hillsboro	Automobile Retail	60	
L. B. Foster	Cement Fabrication	60	
Cole Ford & Mercury	Automobile sales & service	50	
McGill Airflow Corporation	Air Conditioning Ducts	41	Metal Workers
MPG Services	Plastic Granulators	30	
Arkansas Precast	Architectural concrete facades	30	
Therma Foam	Polystyrene panels	25	
Ameritube	Copper tubing finishing	20	
LeeRoy Jordan Lumber	Specialty Lumber Products	20	
Tucker Lumber and Concrete	Lumber and Hardware	13	
Transit Mix	Concrete	13	
Allen's Precast Concrete	Storm shelters & septic systems	10	
ASCOT Enterprises	Draperies	10	
Tejas Logistics System	3rd party logistics provider	5	
Mid-Continent Nail	Industrial Fasteners	5	
Titanium Industries	Titanium wholesaler	4	