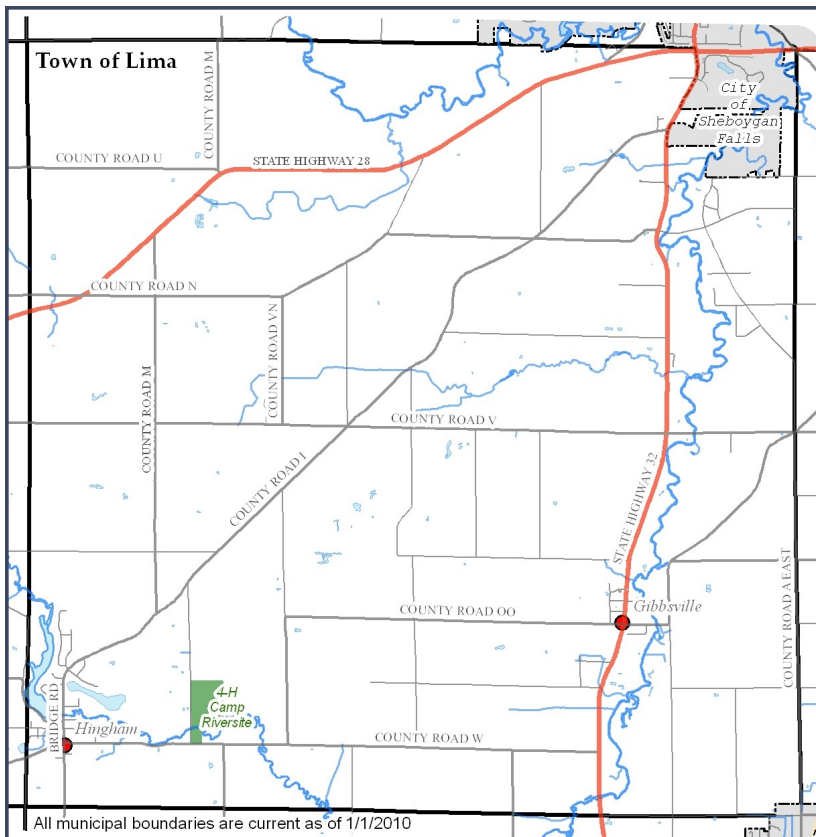




Town of Lima, WI ECONOMIC PROFILE

The Town of Lima is located in central Sheboygan County. The Town of Lima is an area dominated by an agriculture base. Situated between the two communities of Sheboygan Falls and Oostburg, the town provides a safe, quiet country atmosphere with friendly people. There are scattered residences throughout the Town, and the hamlets of Gibbsville and Hingham have more concentrated development. These hamlets provide opportunity for small scale commercial or industrial growth. The Town looks to preserve and maintain its uniqueness, by having slow managed growth.



POPULATION

The Town of Lima has had and is projected to have a nearly flat growth rate.

2000.....	2,948
2009.....	2,987
2015 (Projected).....	3,001
2009-2015 (% Growth).....	0.5%

Wisconsin Department of Administration

MAJOR EMPLOYERS

- A-OK Farms LLC.
- Arch Electric LLC.
- Gibbsville Cheese Co Inc.
- Ongna Wood Products
- Quonset Farms
- Right Start Kennel Inc.
- Sharon Richardson Community Hospice
- Van Wyks Inc.

*Corporate headquarters

Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development, February 2010

LABOR FORCE

In 2000, the Town had 1,650 residents in the labor force. In March of 2010, Sheboygan County has a total of 63,379 people in the labor force and an unemployment rate of 10.0%.

Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development & U.S. Census Bureau

COMMUTE TIME

In 2000, the mean travel time to work was 17.2 minutes, less than the United States average of 25.5 minutes.

U.S. Census Bureau, 2000

TOWN CONTACT INFORMATION

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Sheboygan Falls, WI 53085
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A Farm in Lima



UTILITIES

WATER & SEWER

The Town of Lima does not have a public water system. Residents have individual wells. Approximately 500 acres of the Town of Lima are within the Gibbsville or Hingham Sanitary Districts. Hingham utilizes the Onion River Wastewater Treatment facility in Adell. The Gibbsville Wastewater Treatment Facility treats Gibbsville area wastewater. Property owners in the remainder of the Town are responsible for installing and maintaining their own individual septic systems.

ELECTRICITY

Provided by We Energies

NATURAL GAS

Provided by We Energies or Wisconsin Public Service (WPS)

TELECOMMUNICATIONS

Landline phone service is provided by AT&T and Verizon North. Broadband internet is offered by Time Warner or Charter Communications in parts of the town.

TRANSPORTATION

The Town is intersected by State Highway 28 and 32. Rail service is not available. Sheboygan County Memorial Airport (SMB) is 10 miles away.

HOUSING

Using 2000 Census data, the median housing value in the Village was \$118,500 and is lower than the median housing value of the entire County.

U.S. Census Bureau, 2000

BUSINESS PARKS

Currently there are no Business Parks in the Town of Lima. As the Town has a limited supply of municipal utilities and services. The Town of Lima will seek to steer most commercial activities toward Hingham and Gibbsville. The Town does not see itself as attracting industrial uses; these uses would be better located in communities such as the City of Sheboygan Falls and the Village of Oostburg where infrastructure is more supportive.

INCOME

The Town's median household income in 1999 was \$53,023, which was higher than the State and Federal median household income.

U.S. Census Bureau, 2000

HOUSEHOLD INCOME	SHEBOYGAN COUNTY
Less than \$24,999.....	19.2%
\$25,000-\$34,999.....	12.2%
\$35,000-\$49,999.....	16.9%
\$50,000-\$74,999.....	21.9%
\$75,000-\$99,999.....	15.0%
\$100,000+.....	14.8%

U.S. Census Bureau, 2006-2008 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates