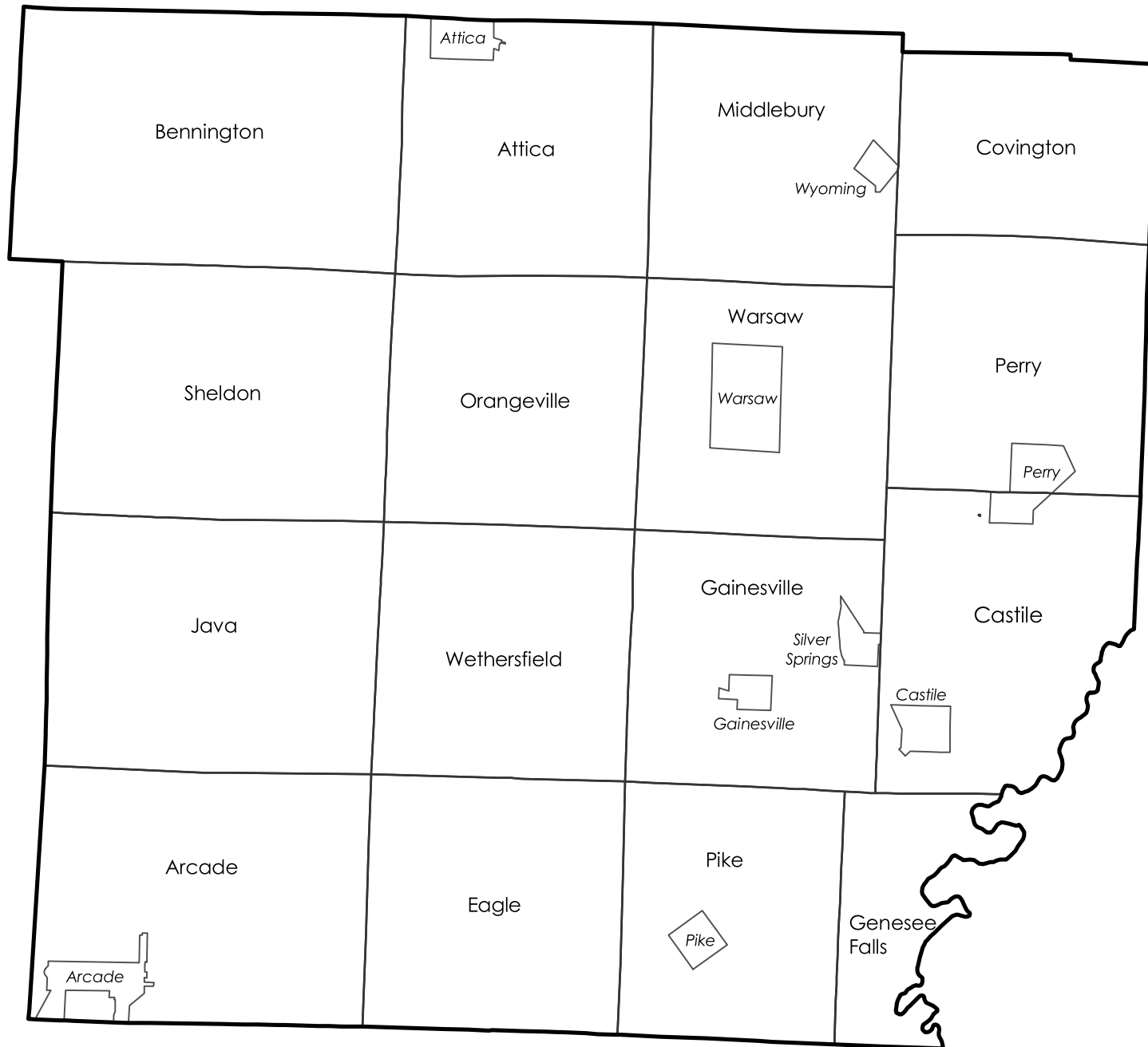


# WYOMING COUNTY



## **XI. Wyoming County Trends**

Wyoming County has increased in population the last 40 years but only by 917 between 1990 and 2000 compared to 2,895 between 1960 and 1970. Migration patterns and lower birth rates have affected Wyoming County's projected population, causing it to stop increasing by 2010, where it will then begin to decline at an increasing rate (total loss of 2.0% between 2010 and 2040). Wyoming County's population trend is fairly consistent with other rural areas in western New York.

The Town of Arcade is likely to experience a population increase because of its inexpensive electric power that has facilitated economic and residential development. The projected total percent increase for the Town of Arcade is 7.7% through 2040 with an average decennial rate of 1.9%. The Town of Bennington is likely to experience some population growth as well because of its close proximity to a metropolitan center (City of Buffalo). It is likely that Bennington will have significant new public water in the coming decades and is projected to increase at an average decennial rate of 1.6% through 2040 with a 5.5% total increase. The Village of Castile also has inexpensive electric power and is actively pursuing a sewer system in the near future that would make it an attractive community in the eastern portion of Wyoming County.

The Town of Perry, after feeling the effects of losing the Champion Textile Factory in the late 1990's (a 9.0% decrease in population), is projected to continue to experience decreasing population through 2040 at a much slower rate. The Village of Perry has historically lost population from year to year and is projected to continue to do so but at a decreasing rate. It is projected that the Village's economic development efforts will lower the number of people leaving the community, eventually neutralizing the decreasing trend.

Historical and Projected Population for Wyoming County  
1960 - 2040

Population & Projections	Historical					Projected			
	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2020	2030	2040
<b>Wyoming County</b>	<b>34,793</b>	<b>37,688</b>	<b>39,895</b>	<b>42,507</b>	<b>43,424</b>	<b>44,165</b>	<b>43,944</b>	<b>43,627</b>	<b>43,289</b>
<i>Perry (V all)</i>	4,629	4,538	4,198	4,219	3,945	3,910	3,900	3,901	3,903
Town of Arcade	931	1,076	1,662	1,857	2,158	2,269	2,300	2,319	2,329
Arcade (V)	1,930	1,972	2,052	2,081	2,026	2,051	2,018	1,985	1,954
Town of Attica	3,023	3,262	3,050	4,761	5,327	5,478	5,461	5,431	5,392
Attica (V part)	2,758	2,909	2,643	2,622	2,479	2,426	2,389	2,365	2,345
Town of Bennington	1,983	2,544	2,889	3,046	3,349	3,491	3,527	3,535	3,539
Town of Castile	839	1,351	1,413	1,570	1,363	1,412	1,416	1,414	1,410
Castile (V)	1,346	1,330	1,135	1,078	1,051	1,039	1,034	1,031	1,032
Perry (V part)	424	475	317	394	459	472	477	482	484
Town of Covington	827	953	1,075	1,266	1,357	1,397	1,394	1,386	1,377
Town of Eagle	896	996	1,216	1,155	1,194	1,223	1,215	1,204	1,193
Town of Gainesville	937	969	998	1,096	1,185	1,216	1,209	1,201	1,190
Gainesville (V)	369	385	334	340	304	303	296	288	281
Silver Springs (V)	726	823	801	852	844	858	848	837	825
Town of Genesee Falls	397	397	553	488	460	450	443	437	436
Town of Java	1,757	1,949	2,273	2,197	2,222	2,242	2,252	2,229	2,205
Town of Middlebury	890	989	1,054	1,054	995	1,009	1,000	987	974
Wyoming (V)	526	514	507	478	513	516	505	494	484
Town of Orangeville	633	820	1,103	1,115	1,301	1,348	1,352	1,351	1,347
Town of Perry	1,167	1,304	1,556	1,528	1,390	1,373	1,338	1,299	1,263
Perry (V part)	4,205	4,063	3,881	3,825	3,486	3,438	3,423	3,419	3,419
Town of Pike	533	543	624	697	704	720	714	708	700
Pike (V)	345	373	367	384	382	387	382	377	371
Town of Sheldon	1,898	2,296	2,644	2,487	2,561	2,625	2,608	2,587	2,563
Town of Warsaw	1,150	1,102	1,455	1,512	1,609	1,649	1,638	1,625	1,610
Warsaw (V)	3,653	3,619	3,619	3,830	3,814	3,854	3,788	3,723	3,659
Town of Wethersfield	650	674	674	794	891	919	917	913	907

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Source: 1960 - 2000 US Census Bureau

### Historical and Projected Net Change for Wyoming County

<b>Decennial Changes</b>	<b>1960-70 Net</b>	<b>1970-80 Net</b>	<b>1980-90 Net</b>	<b>1990-00 Net</b>	<b>2000-10 Net</b>	<b>2010-20 Net</b>	<b>2020-30 Net</b>	<b>2030-40 Net</b>
<b>Wyoming County</b>	<b>2,895</b>	<b>2,207</b>	<b>2,612</b>	<b>917</b>	<b>741</b>	<b>-221</b>	<b>-317</b>	<b>-338</b>
<i>Perry (V all)</i>	-91	-340	21	-274	-35	-10	1	2
Town of Arcade	145	586	195	301	111	31	19	10
Arcade (V)	42	80	29	-55	25	-33	-33	-31
Town of Attica	239	-212	1,711	566	151	-17	-30	-39
Attica (V part)	151	-266	-21	-143	-53	-37	-24	-20
Town of Bennington	561	345	157	303	142	36	8	4
Town of Castile	512	62	157	-207	49	4	-2	-4
Castile (V)	-16	-195	-57	-27	-12	-5	-3	1
Perry (V part)	51	-158	77	65	13	5	5	2
Town of Covington	126	122	191	91	40	-3	-8	-9
Town of Eagle	100	220	-61	39	29	-8	-11	-11
Town of Gainesville	32	29	98	89	31	-7	-8	-11
Gainesville (V)	16	-51	6	-36	-1	-7	-8	-7
Silver Springs (V)	97	-22	51	-8	14	-10	-11	-12
Town of Genesee Falls	0	156	-65	-28	-10	-7	-6	-1
Town of Java	192	324	-76	25	20	10	-23	-24
Town of Middlebury	99	65	0	-59	14	-9	-13	-13
Wyoming (V)	-12	-7	-29	35	3	-11	-11	-10
Town of Orangeville	187	283	12	186	47	4	-1	-4
Town of Perry	137	252	-28	-138	-17	-35	-39	-36
Perry (V part)	-142	-182	-56	-339	-48	-15	-4	0
Town of Pike	10	81	73	7	16	-6	-6	-8
Pike (V)	28	-6	17	-2	5	-5	-5	-6
Town of Sheldon	398	348	-157	74	64	-17	-21	-24
Town of Warsaw	-48	353	57	97	40	-11	-13	-15
Warsaw (V)	-34	0	211	-16	40	-66	-65	-64
Town of Wethersfield	24	0	120	97	28	-2	-4	-6

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## Historical and Projected Percent Change for Wyoming County

<b>Decennial Changes</b>	<b>1960-70 Percent</b>	<b>1970-80 Percent</b>	<b>1980-90 Percent</b>	<b>1990-00 Percent</b>	<b>2000-10 Percent</b>	<b>2010-20 Percent</b>	<b>2020-30 Percent</b>	<b>2030-40 Percent</b>
<b>Wyoming County</b>	<b>8.3%</b>	<b>5.9%</b>	<b>6.5%</b>	<b>2.2%</b>	<b>1.7%</b>	<b>-0.5%</b>	<b>-0.7%</b>	<b>-0.8%</b>
<i>Perry (V all)</i>	-2.0%	-7.5%	0.5%	-6.5%	-0.9%	-0.3%	0.0%	0.1%
Town of Arcade	15.6%	54.5%	11.7%	16.2%	5.1%	1.4%	0.8%	0.4%
Arcade (V)	2.2%	4.1%	1.4%	-2.6%	1.2%	-1.6%	-1.6%	-1.6%
Town of Attica	7.9%	-6.5%	56.1%	11.9%	2.8%	-0.3%	-0.5%	-0.7%
Attica (V part)	5.5%	-9.1%	-0.8%	-5.5%	-2.1%	-1.5%	-1.0%	-0.8%
Town of Bennington	28.3%	13.6%	5.4%	9.9%	4.2%	1.0%	0.2%	0.1%
Town of Castile	61.0%	4.6%	11.1%	-13.2%	3.6%	0.3%	-0.1%	-0.3%
Castile (V)	-1.2%	-14.7%	-5.0%	-2.5%	-1.1%	-0.5%	-0.3%	0.1%
Perry (V part)	12.0%	-33.3%	24.3%	16.5%	2.8%	1.1%	1.0%	0.4%
Town of Covington	15.2%	12.8%	17.8%	7.2%	2.9%	-0.2%	-0.6%	-0.6%
Town of Eagle	11.2%	22.1%	-5.0%	3.4%	2.4%	-0.7%	-0.9%	-0.9%
Town of Gainesville	3.4%	3.0%	9.8%	8.1%	2.6%	-0.6%	-0.7%	-0.9%
Gainesville (V)	4.3%	-13.2%	1.8%	-10.6%	-0.3%	-2.3%	-2.7%	-2.4%
Silver Springs (V)	13.4%	-2.7%	6.4%	-0.9%	1.7%	-1.2%	-1.3%	-1.4%
Town of Genesee Falls	0.0%	39.3%	-11.8%	-5.7%	-2.2%	-1.6%	-1.4%	-0.2%
Town of Java	10.9%	16.6%	-3.3%	1.1%	0.9%	0.4%	-1.0%	-1.1%
Town of Middlebury	11.1%	6.6%	0.0%	-5.6%	1.4%	-0.9%	-1.3%	-1.3%
Wyoming (V)	-2.3%	-1.4%	-5.7%	7.3%	0.6%	-2.1%	-2.2%	-2.0%
Town of Orangeville	29.5%	34.5%	1.1%	16.7%	3.6%	0.3%	-0.1%	-0.3%
Town of Perry	11.7%	19.3%	-1.8%	-9.0%	-1.2%	-2.5%	-2.9%	-2.8%
Perry (V part)	-3.4%	-4.5%	-1.4%	-8.9%	-1.4%	-0.4%	-0.1%	0.0%
Town of Pike	1.9%	14.9%	11.7%	1.0%	2.3%	-0.8%	-0.8%	-1.1%
Pike (V)	8.1%	-1.6%	4.6%	-0.5%	1.3%	-1.3%	-1.3%	-1.6%
Town of Sheldon	21.0%	15.2%	-5.9%	3.0%	2.5%	-0.6%	-0.8%	-0.9%
Town of Warsaw	-4.2%	32.0%	3.9%	6.4%	2.5%	-0.7%	-0.8%	-0.9%
Warsaw (V)	-0.9%	0.0%	5.8%	-0.4%	1.0%	-1.7%	-1.7%	-1.7%
Town of Wethersfield	3.7%	0.0%	17.8%	12.2%	3.1%	-0.2%	-0.4%	-0.7%

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## Towns of Wyoming County Trend from 1960-2040

