

# District 18 – Boyd, Carter, Greenup



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## WORKFORCE

	Labor Force Participation	Total Employment
Boyd	51%	24,176
Carter	51%	5,490
Greenup	52%	7,845
<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>59.3%</b>	<b>1,847,412</b>



## DISTRICT MEDICAID POPULATION

**34.6%**

Percent of the district population on Medicaid

**38,291**

Total Number of people in district on Medicaid

**30%**

Percent of Kentucky population on Medicaid

## JAIL CAPACITY

Boyd - 149%

Carter - 162%

Greenup - 159%

State Total -

24,671 / 20,644 = 120%

INMATES

BEDS



## % OF THE POPULATION WITH BACHELORS DEGREE, AGE 25 +

Boyd	19.1%
Carter	13.1%
Greenup	16.8%
<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>22.7%</b>



## WEEKLY WAGES

Boyd	\$946
Carter	\$615
Greenup	\$738
<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>\$910</b>
<b>National</b>	<b>\$1,152</b>

Pegasus Institute is first and foremost focused on promoting a better future for Kentucky. As we consider how to do that, a few policy areas and key statistics stand out. Kentucky's Labor Force Participation rate remains among the lowest in the nation, below 60 percent. Improving this number and getting more able bodied adults into the workforce should be the highest priority for the General Assembly. This District break down shines a light on the statistics that give us the most concern.

