

Oklahoma Enterprise Zones

2007-2008

The following pages list Oklahoma's Enterprise Zones by breaking the information down into 4 sections (the first section is updated annually, the second, third, and fourth sections are updated as appropriate). It is possible that an area may be listed under more than one section or just under a single section. As long as an area is listed under at least one of these sections, it is considered to qualify as an Enterprise Zone.

The legal definition of an Enterprise Zone can be found in [Oklahoma Statutes Title 62, Section 690.2 Definitions](#), but generally an Enterprise Zone is defined as:

- Unincorporated areas of a County where:
 - The County as a whole has experienced a decrease in population over the last 10 years, OR
 - The County as a whole ranks among Oklahoma's lowest twenty-five for per-capita personal income
- Census Tract(s) within or adjacent to the corporate limits of an Oklahoma city or town where:
 - The local governing body has voted to make a formal application to the Oklahoma Department of Commerce for recognition as an Enterprise Zone, AND
 - Where 30% of the population lives in households at or below poverty, OR
 - Where the Per Capita Income is 15% or more below the Oklahoma Per Capita Income
- Any area designated by the Federal Government to be a Federal Enterprise Community
- Any area designated as an Enterprise Zone by the Oklahoma Department of Commerce prior to July 1, 2000.

If you have questions about the benefits of locating within an Enterprise Zone, you can obtain a copy of the latest Business Incentives and Tax Information Guide by going to www.okcommerce.gov or by contacting the Oklahoma Department of Commerce at 1-800-879-6552.

If you have questions about which areas in Oklahoma qualify as Enterprise Zones, or if you would like to apply for Enterprise Zone recognition, contact Steve Barker with the Oklahoma Department of Commerce at (405) 815-5182 or by e-mail at steven_barker@okcommerce.gov.

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1. ANNUALLY UPDATED LIST OF QUALIFYING AREAS

The areas designated as Enterprise Zones under this section are reviewed annually and may change from year to year.

Unincorporated Areas In The Following Counties Qualify Because Their Populations Declined Between July 1, 1996 and July 1, 2006		
Alfalfa	Dewey	Kiowa
Beaver	Ellis	Major
Beckham	Grant	McCurtain
Caddo	Greer	Noble
Cimarron	Harmon	Roger Mills
Coal	Harper	Seminole
Comanche	Jackson	Tillman
Cotton	Jefferson	Washita
Custer	Kay	Woods

Unincorporated Areas In The Following Counties Qualify Because They Are Among The Lowest 25 Counties Based On 2005 Per Capita Personal Income		
Adair	Hughes	Okfuskee
Alfalfa	Jefferson	Okmulgee
Atoka	Johnston	Pushmataha
Blaine	Le Flore	Seminole
Caddo	Lincoln	Sequoyah
Cherokee	Marshall	Tillman
Choctaw	Mayes	Washita
Cimarron	McIntosh	
Coal	Nowata	

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2. CITY/COUNTY LISTING

The communities listed under this section qualify either because they had been recognized as an Enterprise Zone prior to July 1, 2000 and remain qualified under a grandfather clause, or because they have made application for and qualify to be recognized as Enterprise Zones following the guidelines that went into effect after July 1, 2000.

Entire County Included	
Beaver	Jefferson
Blaine	Kiowa
Choctaw	Nowata
Ellis	Roger Mills
Grant	Tillman
Harmon	Washita
Harper	Woods
Jackson	Woodward

Only Unincorporated Areas of County Included		
Adair	Latimer	Okmulgee
Carter	Le Flore	Ottawa
Coal	Marshall	Pawnee
Garvin	McCurtain	Pittsburg
Haskell	McIntosh	Pushmataha
Hughes	Murray	Seminole
Johnston	Muskogee	Sequoyah
Kay	Okfuskee	Stephens

Only a Portion of These Cities Included (see section 3 for included Census Tracts)	
Altus (<i>Jackson Co.</i>)	McAlester (<i>Pittsburgh Co.</i>)
Ardmore (<i>Carter Co.</i>)	Midwest City (<i>Oklahoma Co.</i>)
Bartlesville (<i>Washington Co.</i>)	Muskogee (<i>Muskogee Co.</i>)
Billings (<i>Noble Co.</i>)	Newkirk (<i>Kay Co.</i>)
Blackwell (<i>Kay Co.</i>)	Norman (<i>Cleveland Co.</i>)
Catoosa (<i>Rogers Co.</i>)	Oklahoma City (<i>Oklahoma Co.</i>)
Clinton (<i>Custer Co.</i>)	Owasso (<i>Tulsa Co.</i>)
Duncan (<i>Stephens Co.</i>)	Pryor Creek (<i>MAIP</i>) (<i>Mayes Co.</i>)
Elk City (<i>Beckham Co.</i>)	Sand Springs (<i>Tulsa Co.</i>)
Enid (<i>Garfield Co.</i>)	Sapulpa and Creek Co. (<i>Creek Co.</i>)
Fairview (<i>Major Co.</i>)	Shawnee (<i>Pottawatomie Co.</i>)
Guthrie (<i>Logan Co.</i>)	Sulphur (<i>Murray Co.</i>)
Guymon (<i>Texas Co.</i>)	Tonkawa (<i>Kay Co.</i>)
Lawton (<i>Comanche Co.</i>)	Tulsa (<i>Tulsa Co.</i>)
Madill (<i>Marshall Co.</i>)	Wagoner (<i>Wagoner Co.</i>)

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2. CITY/COUNTY LISTING (continued)

Entire City Included			
Ada (<i>Pontotoc Co.</i>)	Delaware (<i>Nowata Co.</i>)	Jefferson (<i>Grant Co.</i>)	Rush Springs (<i>Grady Co.</i>)
Addington (<i>Jefferson Co.</i>)	Depew (<i>Creek Co.</i>)	Knowles (<i>Beaver Co.</i>)	Ryan (<i>Jefferson Co.</i>)
Alva (<i>Woods Co.</i>)	Dill City (<i>Washita Co.</i>)	Lamont (<i>Grant Co.</i>)	Sallisaw (<i>Sequoyah Co.</i>)
Anadarko (<i>Caddo Co.</i>)	Drumright (<i>Creek Co.</i>)	Laverne (<i>Harper Co.</i>)	Sayre (<i>Beckham Co.</i>)
Antlers (<i>Pushmataha Co.</i>)	Durant (<i>Bryan Co.</i>)	Lenapah (<i>Nowata Co.</i>)	Seminole (<i>Seminole Co.</i>)
Arnett (<i>Ellis Co.</i>)	Erick (<i>Beckham Co.</i>)	Lone Wolf (<i>Kiowa Co.</i>)	Sentinel (<i>Washita Co.</i>)
Atoka (<i>Atoka Co.</i>)	Eufaula (<i>McIntosh Co.</i>)	Longdale (<i>Blaine Co.</i>)	Sharon (<i>Woodward Co.</i>)
Avard (<i>Woods Co.</i>)	Fairland (<i>Ottawa Co.</i>)	Loveland (<i>Tillman Co.</i>)	Shattuck (<i>Ellis Co.</i>)
Beaver (<i>Beaver Co.</i>)	Fargo (<i>Ellis Co.</i>)	Manchester (<i>Grant Co.</i>)	Snyder (<i>Kiowa Co.</i>)
Bessie (<i>Washita Co.</i>)	Forgan (<i>Beaver Co.</i>)	Mangum (<i>Greer Co.</i>)	Soper (<i>Choctaw Co.</i>)
Boswell (<i>Choctaw Co.</i>)	Fort Supply (<i>Woodward Co.</i>)	Manitou (<i>Tillman Co.</i>)	South Coffeyville (<i>Nowata Co.</i>)
Bristow (<i>Creek Co.</i>)	Fort Towson (<i>Choctaw Co.</i>)	Mannsville (<i>Johnston Co.</i>)	Stigler (<i>Haskell Co.</i>)
Buffalo (<i>Harper Co.</i>)	Foss (<i>Washita Co.</i>)	Marietta (<i>Love Co.</i>)	Stillwater (<i>Payne Co.</i>)
Burns Flat (<i>Washita Co.</i>)	Frederick (<i>Tillman Co.</i>)	May (<i>Harper Co.</i>)	Stilwell (<i>Adair Co.</i>)
Canton (<i>Blaine Co.</i>)	Freedom (<i>Woods Co.</i>)	Medford (<i>Grant Co.</i>)	Strong City (<i>Roger Mills Co.</i>)
Canute (<i>Washita Co.</i>)	Gage (<i>Ellis Co.</i>)	Miami (<i>Ottawa Co.</i>)	Stroud (<i>Lincoln Co.</i>)
Capron (<i>Woods Co.</i>)	Gate (<i>Beaver Co.</i>)	Mooreland (<i>Woodward Co.</i>)	Sugden (<i>Jefferson Co.</i>)
Carmen (<i>Alfalfa Co.</i>)	Geary (<i>portion of city located in Blaine Co.</i>)	Mountain Park (<i>Kiowa Co.</i>)	Tahlequah (<i>Cherokee Co.</i>)
Chattanooga (<i>portion of city located in Tillman Co.</i>)	Gotebo (<i>Kiowa Co.</i>)	Mountain View (<i>Kiowa Co.</i>)	Tecumseh (<i>Pottawatomie Co.</i>)
Checotah (<i>McIntosh Co.</i>)	Gould (<i>Harmon Co.</i>)	Mutual (<i>Woodward Co.</i>)	Temple (<i>Cotton Co.</i>)
Chelsea (<i>Rogers Co.</i>)	Grandfield (<i>Tillman Co.</i>)	Nash (<i>Grant Co.</i>)	Terlton (<i>Pawnee Co.</i>)
Cherokee (<i>Alfalfa Co.</i>)	Greenfield (<i>Blaine Co.</i>)	New Alluwe (<i>Nowata Co.</i>)	Terral (<i>Jefferson Co.</i>)
Cheyenne (<i>Roger Mills Co.</i>)	Hallett (<i>Pawnee Co.</i>)	Nowata (<i>Nowata Co.</i>)	Tipton (<i>Tillman Co.</i>)
Chickasha (<i>Grady Co.</i>)	Hammon (<i>portion of city located in Roger Mills Co.</i>)	Okeene (<i>Blaine Co.</i>)	Tishomingo (<i>Johnston Co.</i>)
Cleveland (<i>Pawnee Co.</i>)	Hartshorne (<i>Pittsburg Co.</i>)	Okemah (<i>Okfuskee Co.</i>)	Wakita (<i>Grant Co.</i>)
Clinton (<i>portion of city located in Washita Co.</i>)	Haskell (<i>Muskogee Co.</i>)	Okmulgee (<i>Okmulgee Co.</i>)	Wann (<i>Nowata Co.</i>)
Coalgate (<i>Coal Co.</i>)	Hastings (<i>Jefferson Co.</i>)	Pauls Valley (<i>Garvin Co.</i>)	Watonga (<i>Blaine Co.</i>)
Colony (<i>Washita Co.</i>)	Healdton (<i>Carter Co.</i>)	Pawhuska (<i>Osage Co.</i>)	Waurika (<i>Jefferson Co.</i>)
Cooperton (<i>Kiowa Co.</i>)	Heavener (<i>LeFlore Co.</i>)	Ponca City (<i>Kay Co.</i>)	Waynoka (<i>Woods Co.</i>)
Cordell (<i>Washita Co.</i>)	Henryetta (<i>Okmulgee Co.</i>)	Pond Creek (<i>Grant Co.</i>)	Welch (<i>Craig Co.</i>)
Corn (<i>Washita Co.</i>)	Hitchcock (<i>Blaine Co.</i>)	Poteau (<i>LeFlore Co.</i>)	Westville (<i>Adair Co.</i>)
Cornish (<i>Jefferson Co.</i>)	Hobart (<i>Kiowa Co.</i>)	Quinlan (<i>Woodward Co.</i>)	Wewoka (<i>Seminole Co.</i>)
Cushing (<i>Payne Co.</i>)	Holdenville (<i>Hughes Co.</i>)	Renfrow (<i>Grant Co.</i>)	Wilburton (<i>Latimer Co.</i>)
Cyril (<i>Caddo Co.</i>)	Hollis (<i>Harmon Co.</i>)	Reydon (<i>Roger Mills Co.</i>)	Woodward (<i>Woodward Co.</i>)
Dacoma (<i>Woods Co.</i>)	Hollister (<i>Tillman Co.</i>)	Ringling (<i>Jefferson Co.</i>)	Wynnewood (<i>Garvin Co.</i>)
Davidson (<i>Tillman Co.</i>)	Hugo (<i>Choctaw Co.</i>)	Rocky (<i>Washita Co.</i>)	Yale (<i>Payne Co.</i>)
Davis (<i>Murray Co.</i>)	Hydro (<i>portion of city located in Blaine Co.</i>)	Roosevelt (<i>Kiowa Co.</i>)	
Deer Creek (<i>Grant Co.</i>)	Idabel (<i>McCurtain Co.</i>)	Rosston (<i>Harper Co.</i>)	

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3. CENSUS TRACT LISTING

The following Census Tracts are recognized as Enterprise Zones either because they were so recognized prior to July 1, 2000 and remain qualified under a grandfather clause, or because the local governing entity applied for Enterprise Zone recognition and the area met the necessary criteria. Census Tract maps are available from multiple sources, including the Census Bureau and the Oklahoma Department of Commerce. To determine which Census Tract applies in a given situation, you can use these steps:

Address based search

- a) Go to http://factfinder.census.gov/home/saff/main.html?_lang=en
- b) In the lower left corner of the screen you should find a box labeled “Address Search...”
- c) Click on “street address”
- d) The page will refresh, defaulting to a tab labeled “address search” (other options include “list”, “name search”, and “map”).
- e) Enter the address information in the yellow boxes and press the “Go” button.
- f) The page will refresh with detailed geographic information.
- g) Note the County and the Census Tract
- h) Look in the following table first for that County, then for that Census Tract.
- i) If you still cannot determine which Census Tract is appropriate, contact Steve Barker with the Oklahoma Department of Commerce at (405) 815-5182 or by e-mail at steven_barker@okcommerce.gov

Qualifying Census Tracts by County (Note: leading zeros might be dropped from some sources)

As of December 14, the list of Qualifying Census Tracts by County is under review. Until further notice, please contact Steve Barker with the Oklahoma Department of Commerce by e-mail at steven_barker@okcommerce.gov or at (405) 815-5182 for any questions relating to specific Census Tracts and whether or not they are recognized as Enterprise Zones. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

4. FEDERALLY DESIGNATED ENTERPRISE COMMUNITY/EMPOWERMENT ZONES

Federally designated Enterprise Community/Empowerment Zone are as follows: Central Oklahoma City area, Ada area, and the Southeast Oklahoma area.

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