

From 2015 to 2018, TNECD has made**10**Investments through
Community and Rural Development
Grants and Consulting Services
valued at:**\$909,219**

Executive Randy Porter

www.Putnamcountyttn.govwww.highlandsoftn.com**LABOR AND WORKFORCE**

Labor Force (2017):	34,084
Employment (2017):	32,807
Unemployment Rate (2017):	3.7%
Labor Force Participation Rate (2017):	56.6%

DEMOGRAPHICS

Population (2012)	73,472
Population (2017):	77,674
Population Percent Change (2012-2017):	5.7%
Median Age:	36

ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND SMALL BUSINESS

Cookeville Small Business Development Center
SBDC is located at: Tennessee Tech University
Guide for entrepreneurs starting a business:
<https://www.tnsmartstart.com/>

ECONOMIC STATUS

County Economic Status (FY 2019):	Transitional
Personal Income Per Capita (2017):	\$38,688
Market Income Per Capita (2017):	\$29,506
Median Household Income (2017):	\$37,802
Poverty Rate (2017):	23.3%

EDUCATION

Average ACT Score (2018):	21.0
High School Graduation Rate (2018):	90.0%
College Going-Rate (2017):	60.3%
Age 25-64 with High School Degree or Higher:	89.4%
Age 25-64 with Associates Degree or Higher:	32.2%
Age 25-64 with Bachelor's Degree or Higher:	26.5%

TAX STRUCTURE AND REVENUES

State Debt Per Capita (2015):	\$913
County Debt Per Capita (FY 2017):	\$1,847
Local Sales Tax Collections (FY 2017):	\$33,013,749
Local Sales Tax Collections (FY 2018):	\$35,019,592
Local Sales Tax Collections Percent Change (FY 2017 to FY 2018):	6.1%

SAFETY

Crime Rate Per 1,000 People (2017):	84.3
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Located in TNECD Upper Cumberland Region

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