#### INTER-OFFICE ROUTING SLIP

FROM:

NANCY HERNREICH

THE FOLLOWING MATERIALS WERE SENT TO YOU, PER THE PRESIDENT'S

RÉQUEST. PLEASE TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION. THANK YOU.

PRESIDENT COMMENTS:

(see attached)

1--28-93

JOLENA VILLINES,

Jasper, AR

C Rosco Concern with recent proposal concerning Buffalo National River. National Park Service wants to close the upper part of the river and make residents change their lifestyle. Attached petition signed by hundreds of residents.

Jolena Villines

TREASURER OF NEWTON COUNTY

P.O. Box 155 Jasper, Arkansas 72641

1-28-93

HONORABLE" President of the United States

ates Bill Clinton

DEAR SIR,

WE ARE WRITING YOU IN REGARDS TO THE RECENT PROPOSAL CONCERNING THE BUFFALO NATIONAL RIVER. ON BEHALF OF THE LOCAL RESIDENTS, WHO ARE VERY CONCERNED ABOUT WHAT THE PARK SERVICE IS WANTING TO DO. THEY ARE WANTING TO CLOSE THE UPPER PART OF THE RIVER, CLOSE ALOT OF OUR HORSE TRAILS, MAKE US BUY A STAMP FOR OUR PRIVATELY OWNED CANOES, AND TELL US WHAT DAYS WE CAN FLOAT THE RIVER. WE FEEL LIKE THE LOCAL PEOPLE HAVE ALREADY MADE MANY SACRIFICES CONCERNING THE PARK, SUCH AS PEOPLE ON THE RIVER HAVING TO SELL THEIR PROPERTY AND MOVE ELSEWHERE, BEING DENIED RIGHTS THE TOURISTS HAVE, DENIED ACCESS TO MANY PLACES WHERE WE LOVED TO FISH AND SWIM.

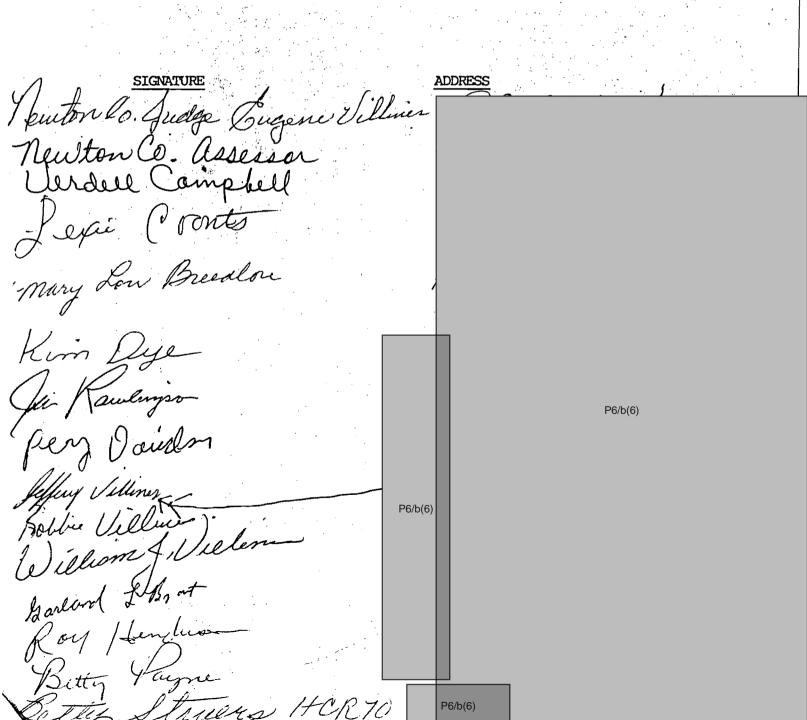
WE ARE VERY PROUD OF NEWTON COUNTY, OUR BEAUTIFUL RIVER AND THE FACT THAT SO MANY PEOPLE WANT TO COME AND SEE OUR MOUNTAINS AND RIVER THAT WE TAKE SO MUCH PRIDE IN. THE BAD PART IS THAT THEY COME AND THEY GO AND WE ARE LEFT WITH THE CLEAN UP AND THEN WE ARE DENIED SO MANY RIGHTS THAT THEY HAVE.

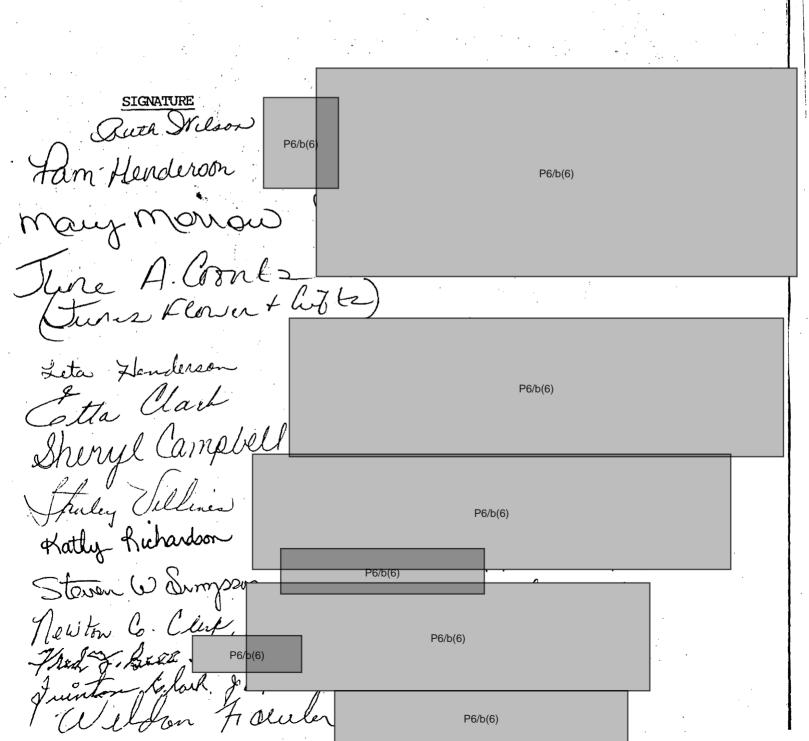
WOULD YOU PLEASE CONSIDER OUR FEELINGS ON THIS SUBJECT. WE WELCOME YOU AND ANYONE ELSE TO COME AND ENJOY ALL THE BEAUTY THAT NEWTON COUNTY HAS TO OFFER AND THAT WE ARE SO PROUD OF. PLEASE DO NOT TAKE ANYMORE OF THE THINGS ON THE RIVER THAT WE ENJOY SO MUCH AWAY FROM US.

WE ARE VERY PROUD OF THE JOB YOU DO IN REPRESENTING US, WOULD YOU PLEASE PROVIDE AND INFORM US OF ANY FUTURE PLANS CONCERNING THE RIVER. THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME.

SINCERELY, Johns Villene

NEWTON COUNTY TREASURER JOLENA VILLINES P.O. BOX 155 JASPER, AR. 72641





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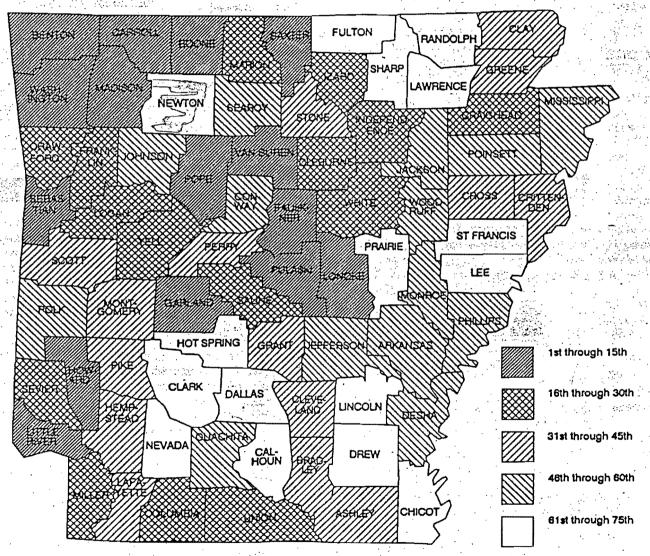
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# Economic Vitality of Area Charted

Rankings of Relative Economic Vitality 1990



Arkansas Business and Economic Review

By Ginger Shiras
Carroll County Bureau

FAYETTEVILLE — A new University of Arkansas study ranks Boone and Carroll Counties among the top 10 Arkansas counties in economic vitality.

The economic vitality comparison is based on population growth shown in the 1990 census and 1990 per capita income growth data from the federal Commerce Department.

Carroll County ranks fifth of the state's 75 counties in economic vitality. Similar University of Arkansas studies ranked Carroll County fourth in economic vitality in 1988 and fifth in 1987.

Boone County ranks 10th in the new study, up from a ranking of 11th in 1988 and 12th in 1987.

Madison County ranks 15th in 1990, up from rankings of 21st in 1988 and 18th in 1987.

Marion County ranks 18th, down from a ranking of 12th in 1988 but still ahead of its 1987 ranking of 30th.

Searcy County is ranked 55th, up from rankings of 61st in 1988 and 63rd in 1987.

Newton County is ranked 67th, down from 64th in 1988-and 51st in 1987.

The figures show that per capita income more than doubled over the decade in Madison County (109.8 percent), Searcy County (107.3 percent) Marion County (103 percent) and Carroll County (101.1 percent.)

Boone County's income increased 89.4 percent and Newton County's income increased 93,5 percent.

But Boone County continues to lead the area's

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#### Weather

(Continued From Page 1) ing was to make travel hazardous today.

Temperatures statewide were to rise above freezing by early this afternoon and remain above freezing tonight.

Freezing drizzle and freezing rain fell across much of central and northern Arkansas on Monday, while rain and a few thundershowers moved across southern parts of the state.

Monday's high temperatures occurred before sunrise in most locations in the state. During the afternoon, cities in central and northern Arkansas reported readings from the middle 20s to the lower 30s. It was a little warmer in the extreme south.

Alternative three.

The plan noted that addresses recreational activities such as hiking, horseback riding, camping, fishing, swimming, boating, ackpacking, hunting and caving.

It notes that "that canoe float trips are the most prevalent use but hiking and horseback riding are increasing as the trail system expands."

It reports that canoe usage on some stretches of the river and during particular seasons of the year already are at maximum levels.

It talks of controlling usage by limiting the number of canoes concessionaires can put on the river and by possibly establishing a permit system for privately-owned canoes.

The plan has drawn particular

comments is reached, Apel said it is difficult to say when the final draft will be recommended, because of the number of comments and additional contacts with interested groups.

He said the final plan probably would be a compromise that takes portions from each of the three plans and "piece together to satisfy as many as possible."

When the final plan is drafted, Apel said Buffalo National River Superintendent Jack Linahan will make a recommendation on the final plan to the regional director, John E. Cook.

"Contrary to what many people belive, no decision has been made ... no preferred alternative," Apel said, adding that the misunderstandings are "basically a problem of trust." mometers Tuesday morning showed readings in the low 20s.

Vickers urged Marion County motorists not to drive if they do not have to. Those who must go out should use extreme caution and allow plenty of time to get to where they are going.

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(Continued From Page 1) ❖ or may not be adopted."

There currently in no definite plan for those areas within the park boundaries. If a plan is adopted, a fixed backcountry use standard will be decided.

Linahan indicated that the Park Service wants public opinion concerning the three prosals and copies are available at Park headquarters in the Federal Building in Harrison.

"We can really do one of three things," Linahan said, "leave the Wilderness areas alone with no further developement, basically leave them as they are but be prepared to make minor alterations as needed or continue on the current path with future development."

The superintendent believes that more than likley, parts of all three proposals will eventually be compiled to make the best management plan.

After questions from the Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, at the request of President Jim Sprott, it referred the issue to the Government Affairs Comittee to formulate a position statement from the Chamber.

Linahan indicated that it may be several months before the Park Service acts on the propsal, allowing for additional imput from the public.

#### Charted

(Continued From Page 1) counties in actual per capita income. The 1990 income

for area counties is:

Boone County \$14,129

Carroll County \$13,757

Madison County \$13,103

Marion County \$12,611

Searcy County \$10,860

Newton County \$2,780

The state's per capita income is well below the rest of the nation. Of area counties, only Boone's per capita income is 75 to 85 percent of the national per capita income. Carroll, Madison and Marion Counties' per capita incomes range from 60 to 75 percent of the national average and Newton and Searcy Counties' per capita incomes are less than 60 percent of the national average.

None of the counties ranks in the state's top 15 for per capita income alone. But the study's formula adds population growth to the economic vitality mix.

Doone County's 28,300 residents represent a 8.6 percent increase over 1980, raising it from 28th largest county to 24th largest.

Carroll County's 18,700 residents represent a 1-2' percent drop in population and Newton County—moved down from third smallest county to second smallest county in Arkansas behind Calhoun County—in South Arkansas?

The study by Donald R. Market, director of the U of A Bureau of Business and Economic Research, was published in the recently-distributed fall 1992 issue of the Arkansas Business and Economic Review.

15.1 percent increase over 1980, raising it from 46th largest county to 37th largest.

Marion County's 12,000 residents represent a 5.9 percent growth rate and it from 59th largest county to 56th largest.

☐ Madison County's 11,600 residents represent a 2.2 percent growth rate over 1980, but it remains the state's 58th largest county.

Searcy County's 7,800 residents represent an 11.4 percent drop in population and lower it from 70th largest county to 71st.

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