

Pike makes the top 100 fastest growing counties list, again

Washington – Pike County remains the fastest growing county in Pennsylvania, and ranks 92nd in the nation, according to the U.S. Census Bureau.

According to the bureau's annual list of the top counties, Pike grew by 25.7 percent between 2000 and 2006, ranking the county at number 92 on a list based on percentage of growth. The list includes all counties with over populations over 10,000.

Pike's estimated population, as of July 1, 2006, was 58,195. That's a gain of 11,893 from the 2000 estimate of 46,302.

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The fastest growing county in the nation, by percentage, is Flagler, in Florida, growing at a rate of almost 67 percent.

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