

Oregon Progress Board		STATE BENCHMARKS: GILLIAM COUNTY								5/1/00
Benchmark*	Most Recent Reporting Year	Earliest Year Raw Score	Latest Year Raw Score	Year 2000 State Target	Distance From Target (-) = Worse	Trends Improving Worsening	County Rank	5 Year ¹ State Ave	5 Year ¹ Rural Ave	
#6 Job growth	1998	42.0	-4.6	n/a	n/a	↓	4	16	8.1	
#14 Per capita income	1997	72%	57%	100%	(-) 43%	↓	33	94%	75%	
#15 Average annual wage	1998	\$19,838	\$23,579	\$26,304	(-) \$2,725	↑	14	\$26,678	\$21,304	
#18 Unemployment	1998	3.3	5.0	5.0	0	↓	4	5.5	8.3	
#21 Ready to learn*	1997	n/a	41%	65%	(-) 24%	n/a	35	58% ¹	n/a ¹	
#22 Dropout rate**	1998	0.8%	1.7%	5.0%	3.3%	↓	3	6.9% ²	6% ²	
#23a 8th grade reading*	1999	41%	28%	63%	(-) 35%	↓	34	55% ²	52% ²	
#23b 8th grade math*	1999	41%	36%	59%	(-) 23%	↓	33	51% ²	46% ²	
#24a 3rd grade reading*	1999	88%	95%	82%	13%	↑	3	79% ²	77% ²	
#24b 3rd grade math*	1999	72%	87%	73%	14%	↑	1	67% ²	63% ²	
#26 Baccalaureate degrees***	1990	17%	19%	33%	(-) 14%	↑	7	23% ³	13% ³	
#27 High School/GED***	1990	79%	85%	94%	(-) 9%	↑	4	81% ³	76% ³	
#33 Participating registered voters	1998	82%	62%	n/a	n/a	↓	4	71% ⁴	71% ⁴	
#43 Teen pregnancy	1998	n/a	n/a	15.0	n/a	n/a	n/a	18.4	17.9	
#44 Prenatal care	1997	50%	79%	90%	(-) 11%	↑	13	79%	75%	
#45 Infant mortality	1997	0.0	0.0	6.0	6.0	↔	1	6.4	7.1	
#47 HIV Early diagnosis	1997	n/a	n/a	85%	n/a	n/a	n/a	75% ²	74% ²	
#49 Premature mortality	1997	70.8	59.9	57.4	(-) 2.5	↑	12	60.2	70.4	
#52 Available childcare slots	1998	n/a	n/a	21	n/a	n/a	n/a	19 ³	18 ³	
#53a 8th grade alcohol use	1998	n/a	27%	26%	(-) 1%	n/a	16	29% ¹	28% ¹	
#53b 8th grade illicit drug use	1998	n/a	17%	15%	(-) 2%	n/a	12	18% ¹	18% ¹	
#53c 8th grade cigarette use	1998	n/a	23%	15%	(-) 8%	n/a	16	22% ¹	24% ¹	
#54 Child Abuse	1998	16.9	9.4	9.0	(-) 0.4	↑	22	10.8	16.2	
#56a Pregnant alcohol use	1997	7%	0%	2%	2%	↑	8	2%	3%	
#56b Pregnant tobacco use	1997	21%	21%	15%	(-) 6%	↔	14	18%	22%	
#57 Poverty	1995	11.9%	8.4%	11.0%	2.6%	↑	3	12.8%	16.0%	
#61 Independent seniors	1997	n/a	n/a	98.0%	n/a	n/a	n/a	97.5%	97.3%	
#64 Overall reported crime	1998	41.2	108.1	133.6	25.5	↓	5	145.4	136.4	
#64a Behavioral crime	1998	17.2	66.2	n/a	n/a	↓	17	48.5	55.7	
#64b Crimes against persons	1998	1.7	8.6	n/a	n/a	↓	3	16.1	14.6	
#64c Property crime	1998	22.3	33.3	n/a	n/a	↓	1	80.8	66.2	
#65 Total juvenile arrests	1998	29.0	39.4	46.5	7.1	↓	8	57.4	69.4	
#65a Behavioral crime arrests	1998	24.2	33.8	n/a	n/a	↓	13	31.4	40.6	
#65b Crimes against persons arrests	1998	0.0	3.8	n/a	n/a	↓	14	5.5	5.8	
#65c Property crime arrests	1998	4.8	1.9	n/a	n/a	↑	2	20.4	23	
#77 Owner occupied housing***	1990	67%	67%	68%	(-) 1%	↔	18	63% ³	67% ³	
#78a Cost burdened renters	1990	n/a	82%	70%	(-) 12%	n/a	34	71% ¹	69% ¹	
#78b Cost burdened owners	1990	n/a	23%	38%	15%	n/a	1	38% ¹	n/a ¹	
#87 Solid Waste	1998	996	1,271	1,506	235	↓	14	1,578	1,488	
		↑ 11 Improving Trends			↓ 15 Worsening Trends			↔ 3 No Change		

*Base year is 1990 unless noted. * = 1997. ** = 1996. *** = 1980.

¹ Averages are based on five years unless noted. ¹ = Single year data point. ² = 3 year average. ³ = 4 year average. ⁴ = 6 year average. ⁵ = 10 year average.