The 1990 census data are now becoming available. These data are very useful for planning at both the state and local levels. As discussed at the Local Commissioner's Retreat in June, the department will be doing analyses of these data and will make our results available to you. This packet, developed by the Office of Program Planning, Analysis and Development, provides each District with the data that are presently available from the 1990 census and an analysis of some 1980-1990 changes.

The packet, entitled "Selected 1990 Census Data," provides four tables of information for your county and comparison areas. The attachment also contains a set of state-level highlights from these data, an overview of census terminology, and a release schedule for future census products.

If you have any questions regarding the data, please call George Falco, Acting Director of the Office of Program Planning, Analysis and Development, at (518) 473-7111 or Nancy Dunton at (518) 473-8548.

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