

# Immigrants Make KY-5 Stronger

*An estimated **7,000** immigrants live in KY-5, making up **1%** of the total population.*

*Immigrants live in **2%** of households in KY-5.*

**Immigrants contribute to every sector of KY-5's economy.** Some 1% of KY-5's labor force are immigrants, including 2% of the construction industry, 3% of agriculture, 1% of manufacturing, 3% of business services, and 1% of leisure and hospitality.

**Immigrants of all backgrounds boost KY-5's communities.** Some 3,000 immigrants, or about 41% of all immigrants in KY-5, are U.S. citizens. About 2,000 are lawful permanent residents, and 1,000 are temporary immigrants (including nonimmigrant visa holders and international students).

**Some 3,000, are either undocumented immigrants or live with an undocumented immigrant.** Some 1,000 U.S. citizen children in KY-5 live with an undocumented parent, while some 1,000 undocumented individuals in KY-5 have lived in the U.S. for more than 10 years.

**\$213 million**

Annual spending power

**\$60 million**

Annual combined taxes paid

**1,000**

Self-employed

**32%**

With college or advanced degrees

**95%**

Speak English

**73%**

Earn above the minimum needed to live