

INVESTMENTS IN ACTION

With ARC support, **Washington State Community College** is upgrading their classroom facilities with advanced microscopes, blood bank workstations, and additional equipment for the WSCC Health Science Department and a Coviden PB Ventilator for Respiratory Therapy students. This investment, matched by local funds, will **enable 500 students annually to prepare for high-demand health care jobs.**

IMPACT ON DISTRESSED COUNTIES

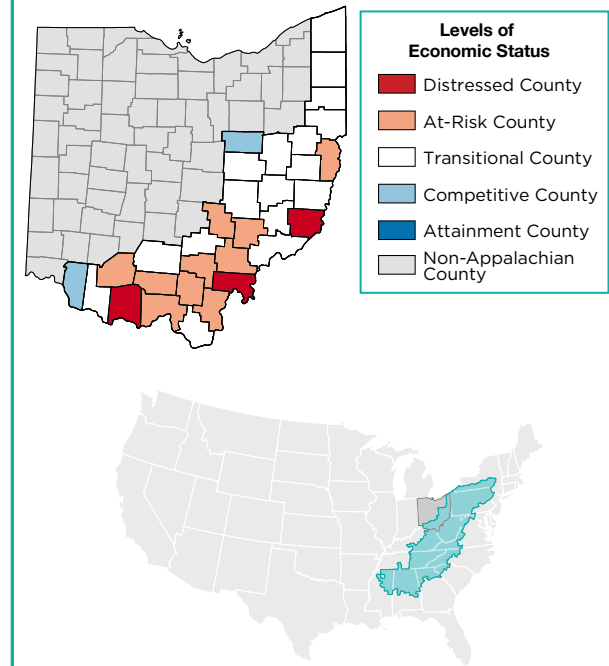
In Appalachian Ohio, **three counties** were considered economically distressed in fiscal year 2019, with pockets of distress in other areas. **20 projects** totaling **76%** of ARC investment dollars are having a direct impact on these distressed counties and areas.

FISCAL YEAR 2019
OCTOBER 1, 2018-SEPTEMBER 30, 2019

OHIO

In partnership with **Ohio Governor's Office of Appalachia**, ARC is supporting **31 projects** in Ohio totaling over **\$12.3 million** in fiscal year 2019. These investments have been matched by over **\$35.3 million** and are attracting an additional **\$9.2 million** in leveraged private investments in Ohio. They are also creating or retaining **620 jobs**, training and educating nearly **2,000 students and workers**, and benefiting the **two million residents** in Ohio's **32 Appalachian counties.**

COUNTY ECONOMIC STATUS IN APPALACHIAN OHIO, FY 2019



ARC INVESTMENT PRIORITY

CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE

\$5.5 M



invested in Ohio's critical infrastructure development, including broadband, transportation, and water/wastewater systems.

ARC INVESTMENT PRIORITY

READY WORKFORCE

\$3.5 M

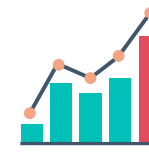


invested to increase the education, knowledge, skills, and health of Ohio's Appalachian residents to work and succeed.

ARC INVESTMENT PRIORITY

ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES

\$2.5 M



invested in entrepreneurial strategies to strengthen the economy in Appalachian Ohio.

ARC INVESTMENT PRIORITY

ADDITIONAL PRIORITIES

\$950 K



invested to cultivate leadership and community capacity and leverage natural and cultural assets in Appalachian Ohio.