



GREENVILLE-PITT COUNTY

BUSINESS CLIMATE

The region's employment base is well diversified among manufacturing, government, health care, social services and retail. Major manufacturing products include chemicals, textiles, fabricated metal products, paper products, clothing and transportation equipment.

MAJOR NON-MANUFACTURING EMPLOYERS IN PITT COUNTY

Company	Product/Service	No. of Employees
Pitt County Memorial Hospital	Health Care	6,297
East Carolina University	Education	4,936
Pitt County Schools	Education	2,940
County of Pitt	County government	865
Pitt Community College	Education	850
City of Greenville	City government	704
Physicians East	Medical care	500
Greenville Utilities Commission	Public Utilities	425
Wal-Mart	Retail store	400
Convergys	Customer service center	350
Wachovia Sales/Finance Center	Financial services	330
Embarq	Communications	300
Overton's Sports Center Inc.	Sporting goods/boats, mail-order sales	300

TRANSPORTATION

Airports

Pitt-Greenville Airport
758-4707

Raleigh-Durham International Airport, (919) 840-2123

Eastern Regional Jetport (also known as North Carolina Global TransPark) in Kinston 522-2922

Ports

Inland Waterway Port Terminal
Three major ports within 120 miles Wilmington Morehead City Norfolk, Va.

Railroads

Norfolk Southern Railway Co. (919) 831-3092

CSX Transportation Inc. (919) 851-5445

WORKFORCE STATISTICS

Pitt County (2006)

Labor force, 76,671

Employed, 72,628

Unemployed, 4,043

Unemployment rate, 5.3%

TAXES

Pitt County

Sales tax, 7%

Occupancy, 6%

Property Tax

per \$100 Valuation

Pitt County, \$.70

Ayden, \$.52

Bethel, \$.59

Falkland, \$.45
Farmville, \$.49
Fountain, \$.60
Greenville, \$.56
Grifton, \$.55
Grimesland, \$.45
Simpson, \$.45
Winterville, \$.45

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Bank of America, 695-2224
Branch Banking and Trust 321-3300
Carter Bank & Trust, 758-3800
The East Carolina Bank 355-8200
First Citizens Bank and Trust 321-6400

First Flight Credit Union 329-7378
First South Bank, 321-2600
Gateway Bank & Trust 321-1237
the little bank, 215-3030
Paragon Commercial Bank 341-5827
RBC Centura Bank, 551-7826
Select Bank & Trust, 353-5730
Southern Bank & Trust 353-8600
State Employees Credit Union 758-7308
Trust Atlantic Bank, 439-0520
Wachovia Bank of North Carolina, 757-7132

TAXABLE SALES ACTIVITY

(June 2006-June 2007)

City \$1,135,000,000

County \$1,478,600,000

MEETING FACILITIES

Brook Valley Country Club
756-1641

City Hotel & Bistro, 355-8300

Greenville Convention Center
1-866-GVL-CONV (321-7671)

Greenville Country Club
756-1237

Greenville-Pitt County Chamber
of Commerce, 752-4101

Hilton Greenville, 355-5000

Ironwood Golf & Country Club
752-4653

The Martinsborough, 355-5600

The Ronald G. Michels Center
752-1600

Rock Springs Center, 830-8900

PROJECTED POPULATION

Pitt County, July 2010, 156,531

This compares to the 2007

Census figure of 149,397.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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