



BUSINESS BAROMETER

OCTOBER 2016

	2016 October	2016 YTD (Jan-Oct)	2015 YTD (Jan-Oct)	2014 YTD (Jan-Oct)
Sales Tax Collections	\$1,186,830.32	\$10,998,524.71	\$14,375,315.52	\$17,164,335.48
Increase or Decrease Over 2015 (%) October 2015 = \$1,032,325.25	14.97%	-23.49%	-16.25%	X
Increase or Decrease Over 2014 (%) October 2014 = \$1,969,216.46	-39.73%	-34.39%	-6.49%	X
Building Permits				
Commercial Building Permits (Avg.)	\$1,203,576.00	\$1,478,691.80	\$1,592,559.37 (1.90)	\$713,247.31 (1.6)
Commercial Building Permits (Total)	\$2,407,152.00	\$14,786,918.00	\$30,258,628 (19)	\$7,132,473.07 (16)
Residential Building Permits (Avg.)	\$140,311.25	\$2,272,321.00	\$2,242,256.20 (7.30)	\$3,348,016.90 (13.40)
Residential Building Permits (Total)	\$561,245.00	\$22,723,210.00	\$22,422,562.00 (73)	\$33,480,169.00 (134)
Relocation Requests (Total)	15	255	1,201	2,670
Air Traffic Boarding (Total Enplanements)	8,036	77,212	87,670	86,434
Air Traffic Disembarking (Total Deplanements)	7,884	78,177	86,368	86,017
Lodging Tax Deposits (Total) 4% lodging tax	\$148,008.58	\$1,253,078.98	\$1,551,683.57	\$1,224,482.46
Real Estate				
Units Listed (Single Family)	95	1228	1,334	1233
Units Sold (Single Family)	83	797	915	972
Average Single Family Home Sale Price	\$252,101.00	\$229,867.20	\$238,908.70	\$242,265.60
Employment				
Total Labor Force	41,425	41,114	43,472	45,508
Unemployment Rate	6.3%	7.16%	4.6%	4.01%