

# Harnett County

Reporting Quarter: 4th Quarter 2007

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## Demographics

Certified Population, July 2006	103,717	24
Population, 2000 Census	91,025	27
Population, 1990 Census	67,833	31
Percent population change, 1990-2000	34.2	8
Percent population change, NC, 1990-2000	21.3	

## County Rank



## Workforce & Education

Employment, Nov 2007	46,029	25
Unemployed, Nov 2007	2,268	28
Percent unemployed, Nov 2007	4.7	55
Percent unemployed, 2006	4.9	58
Percent unemployed, NC, Nov 2007	5.1	
Percent unemployed, NC, 2006	4.8	
Percent high school graduates or higher, 2000	75	40
Percent high school graduates or higher, NC, 2000	78.1	
Average SAT score (2400 scale), 2007	1,410	65
Average SAT score (2400 scale), NC, 2007	1,486	
Percent bachelor's degree or higher, 2000	12.8	56
Percent bachelor's degree or higher, NC, 2000	22.5	

## Taxes, Sales & Services

Property taxes/\$100 Value ('07-'08)	\$0.7350
Taxable sales (Mil \$, Sept 07)	\$44.9
Taxable sales (Mil \$, FY 06-07)	\$547.4
Pharmacist/10,000 Pop, 2006	6
Physician/10,000 Pop, 2006	5
RN/10,000 Pop, 2006	34
Dentist/10,000 Pop, 2006	2
Tier designation, 2008	2
Partnership Region	Research Triangle
Licensed Child Care Facilities, Sept 07	129
Child Care Slots, Sept 07	5,195

## Income, Housing & Poverty

Average weekly wage per employee, 2nd Quarter 2007	\$556	47
Median household income, 2005	\$38,272	39
Per capita personal income, 2000	\$21,616	66
Per capita personal income, 2005	\$24,869	68
Per capita personal income, NC, 2006	\$32,234	
Median value of owner-occupied housing units, 2000	\$80,615	53
Median value of owner-occupied housing units, NC, 2000	\$108,300	
Percent in poverty, 2005	16.3	47
Percent in poverty, NC, 2005	14.9	

Notes: Data are the latest available at the date the profile was prepared. Demographics are from U.S. Census. Workforce & Education are from NC Employment Security Commission, U.S. Census, and NC Dept. of Public Instruction respectively; county unemployment rates are seasonally unadjusted. Average wage are from ESC's "Insured Employment and Wages in NC for Private Industry by Sector (2 digit)" which is based on the Current Population Survey." Income, Housing & Poverty are from U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis and the U.S. Census, respectively. Jobs and Investments are from NC Dept. of Commerce. Closings & Layoffs by effective date are from the NC Employment Security Commission. Employment & Wages are from NCESC's "Insured Employment and Wages in NC for Industry by Sector (2 digit)" series; missing data or \* indicates data not available or suppressed for confidentiality reasons. Taxes are from the NC Dept. of Revenue and prior to 7/05 represent gross sales but after are taxable sales. Medical data from the Cecil G. Sheps Center for Health Services Research, UNC-Chapel Hill. \*\*County Ranking 1=highest.

## Announced Jobs & Investments

Jobs announced, 2006	162
Jobs announced, Thru Oct 12, 2007	151
Total investment announced, 2006	\$23,450,000
Total investment announced, Thru Oct 12, 2007	\$12,461,476

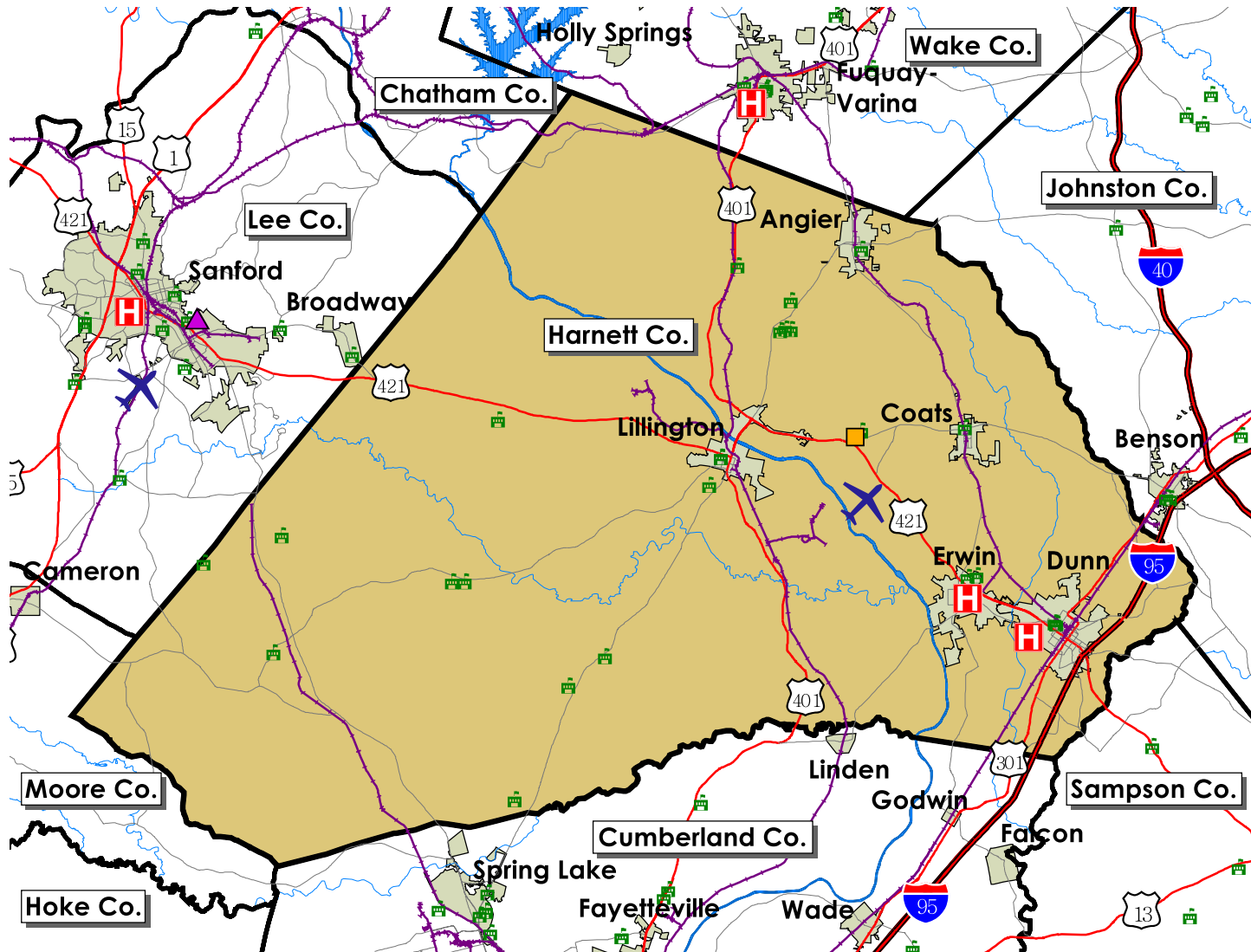
## Announced Closings & Layoffs

Number of affected establishments, 2006	8
Number of affected establishments, Thru Dec 2007	11
Job losses, 2006	211
Job losses, Thru Dec 2007	318









## Employment and Wages, by Sector (2nd Quarter 2007)

	Harnett			North Carolina		
	Avg Emp	% Total	Avg Wkly Wage	Avg Emp	% Total	Avg Wkly Wage
Total All Industries	24,295	100.0	\$556	4,070,849	100.0	\$718
Total Government	5,197	21.4	\$693	678,349	16.7	\$754
Total Private Industry	19,098	78.6	\$519	3,392,501	83.3	\$711
Agriculture Forestry Fishing & Hunting	234	1.0	\$366	30,294	0.7	\$517
Mining	0	0.0	\$0	4,055	0.1	\$1,176
Utilities	0	0.0	\$0	13,939	0.3	\$1,378
Construction	2,332	9.6	\$612	255,709	6.0	\$729
Manufacturing	2,421	10.0	\$681	537,281	13.2	\$876
Wholesale Trade	616	2.5	\$682	182,823	4.5	\$1,021
Retail Trade	3,044	12.5	\$385	462,301	11.4	\$468
Transportation and Warehousing	971	4.0	\$605	115,772	2.8	\$721
Information	436	1.8	\$715	72,926	1.8	\$1,025
Finance and Insurance	532	2.2	\$708	152,965	3.8	\$1,183
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	306	1.3	\$452	54,786	1.3	\$673
Professional and Technical Services	518	2.1	\$694	182,439	4.5	\$1,082
Management of Companies and Enterprises	181	0.7	\$818	69,658	1.7	\$1,374
Administrative and Waste Services	1,057	4.4	\$351	243,995	6.0	\$505
Educational Services	829	3.4	\$754	57,097	1.4	\$711
Health Care and Social Assistance	2,865	11.8	\$491	434,459	10.7	\$688
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	131	0.5	\$220	53,965	1.3	\$551
Accommodation and Food Services	1,992	8.2	\$209	346,693	8.5	\$260
Other Services Ex. Public Admin	363	1.5	\$432	103,559	2.5	\$475
Public Administration				228,584	5.6	\$765
Unclassified	101	0.4	\$436	17,783	0.4	\$651

# Trends Profile Map Harnett County



## Legend

-  Public Schools
-  Airports
-  Hospitals
-  Colleges and Universities
-  Community Colleges
-  Rail Lines
-  Interstate highways
-  US Highways
-  State and County Highways
-  Major Rivers and Streams
-  Major Waterbodies
-  Municipal Boundaries

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Employment Characteristics

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## Top Manufacturers (2nd Quarter 2007)

ENERGY CONVERSION SYSTEMS HOLDINGS  
CHAMPION HOME BUILDERS CO  
SAAB BARRACUDA LLC  
GRAY METAL SOUTH INC  
GRAY FLEX SYSTEMS INC  
GODWIN MANUFACTURING CO INC  
CAROLINA PRECAST CONCRETE INC  
ARMTEC COUNTERMEASURES CO  
TOMSED CORPORATION  
BOULD & GOODRICH LEATHER INC

## Employment Range

250-499  
100-249  
100-249  
100-249  
100-249  
100-249  
100-249  
100-249  
100-249  
50-99



## Top Non-Manufacturing Employers (2nd Quarter 2007)

HARNETT COUNTY SCHOOLS  
FOOD LION LLC  
COUNTY OF HARNETT  
BETSY JOHNSON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL  
CAMPBELL UNIVERSITY INC  
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
WAL-MART ASSOCIATES INC  
CARLIE C'S OPERATION CENTER INC  
EDWARDS BROTHERS INC-CAROLINA  
BRITTHAVEN INC

## Employment Range

1,000+  
1,000+  
500-999  
500-999  
500-999  
250-499  
250-499  
250-499  
250-499  
100-249

## Industry

Education and Health Services  
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities  
Public Administration  
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Trade, Transportation, and Utilities  
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Information  
Education and Health Services