

**County Profile**

**Alleghany County (NC)**

**February 2018**

**Demographics**

**Population & Growth**

2016 Est Population  
2010 Census Total Population  
July 2016 Certified Population Estimate (NC only)

**Population**

10,868  
11,155  
11,202

**% Annual Growth**

( 0.4%)  
0.0%

**Urban/Rural Representation**

2010 Census Total Population: Urban  
2010 Census Total Population: Rural

0  
11,155

**Urban/Rural Percent**

0.0%  
100.0%

**Estimated Population by Age**

2016 Est Median Age  
2016 Est Total Pop 0-19  
2016 Est Total Pop 20-24  
2016 Est Total Pop 25-34  
2016 Est Total Pop 35-44  
2016 Est Total Pop 45-54  
2016 Est Total Pop 55-64  
2016 Est Total Pop 65+

49  
2,253  
593  
821  
1,321  
1,520  
1,782  
2,578

**% Pop by Age**

20.7%  
5.5%  
7.6%  
12.2%  
14.0%  
16.4%  
23.7%

**Commuters, Workers Age 16 and Over, 2016 Est**

**Percent of Workers, By Travel Time**

Avg Travel Time, Minutes 26.1  
Workers Not Working at Home 4,107  
Travel Time to Work: < 10 minutes 22.9%  
Travel Time to Work: 10-14 minutes 12.3%  
Travel Time to Work: 15-19 minutes 17.6%  
Travel Time to Work: 20-24 minutes 12.2%  
Travel Time to Work: 25-29 minutes 3.9%  
Travel Time to Work: 30-34 minutes 6.6%  
Travel Time to Work: 35-44 minutes 3.6%  
Travel Time to Work: 45-59 minutes 10.0%  
Travel Time to Work: 60+ minutes 10.9%

**Workers, By Transportation**

Worker Transp, Base 4,334  
Work at Home 5.2%  
Drove Car/Truck/Van Alone 80.0%  
Carpooled Car/Truck/Van 11.6%  
Public Transportation 0.1%  
Walked 2.5%  
Bicycle 0.0%  
Taxi, Motorcycle, Other 0.5%

**Place of Work**

Worked in State/County of Residence  
Worked in State/Outside County of Residence  
Worked Outside State of Residence

**Commuters**

3,220  
750  
364

**Residents**

74.3%  
17.3%  
8.4%

**Education**

2016-17 Kindergarten-12th Enrollment 1,342  
2017 Average SAT score (1600 new scale) 1,051  
2017 Percent of Graduates taking SAT 33.0%  
2014-15 Higher Education Completions .  
2014-15 Higher Education Total Enrollment .  
2016 Est Education Attainment - At Least High School Graduate 6,501  
2016 Est Education Attainment - At Least Bachelor's Degree 1,493

**Pop Age 25+**

81.0%  
18.6%

## Housing

|   |           | <b>% Ann Growth or % Total</b> |
|---|-----------|--------------------------------|
| 2016 Est Total Housing Units                    | 8,108     | ( 0.2%)                        |
| 2010 Census Total Housing                       | 4,778     |                                |
| 2010 Census Total Households                    | 8,094     |                                |
| 2010 Census Occupied Housing                    | 1,462     | 30.6%                          |
| 2010 Census Vacant Housing                      | 3,316     | 69.4%                          |
| 2016 Est Median Value of Owner Occupied Housing | \$140,700 |                                |
| 2016 Est Median Gross Rent                      | \$617     |                                |
| 2016 Est Owner Occupied Housing                 | 3,629     | 75.6%                          |
| 2016 Est Renter Occupied Housing                | 1,169     | 24.4%                          |
| 2016 Est Owner Occupied Housing Vacancy         | 3.3%      |                                |
| 2016 Est Renter Occupied Housing Vacancy        | 10.4%     |                                |

## Income

|  |          | <b>% Ann Growth or % Pov</b> |
|--|----------|------------------------------|
| 2016 Est Median Family Income            | \$45,244 |                              |
| 2016 Median Household Income (SAIPE)     | \$35,965 | ( 0.4%)                      |
| 2015 Est Median Worker Earnings          | \$21,179 |                              |
| 2016 Per Capita Income (BEA)             | \$34,655 |                              |
| 2015 Est Pop, Income Below Poverty Level | 2,203    | 20.6%                        |

## Employment / Unemployment

|  | <b>Currently</b> | <b>2016 Annual</b> |
|--|------------------|--------------------|
| Nov 2017 Prelim., 2016 Employment                    | 4,114            | 4,213              |
| Nov 2017 Prelim., 2016 Unemployment                  | 202              | 248                |
| Nov 2017 Prelim., 2016 Unemployment Rate             | 4.7%             | 5.6%               |
| 2017Q3 YTD, 2016 Announced Job Creation              | 35               | 35                 |
| 2017Q3 YTD, 2016 Total Announced Investments (\$mil) | \$1.5            | \$1.5              |

## Employment / Wages by Industry

|  | <b>2017Q2 Employment</b> | <b>2016 Annual Employment</b> | <b>2017Q2 Avg Weekly Wage</b> | <b>2016 Avg Weekly Wage</b> |
|--|--------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Total All Industries                   | 3,129                    | 3,285                         | \$575                         | \$556                       |
| Total Government                       | 606                      | 614                           | \$607                         | \$624                       |
| Total Private Industry                 | 2,523                    | 2,670                         | \$567                         | \$540                       |
| Agriculture Forestry Fishing & Hunting | 0                        | 0                             | .                             | .                           |
| Mining                                 | 0                        | 0                             | .                             | .                           |
| Utilities                              | 0                        | 0                             | .                             | .                           |
| Construction                           | 134                      | 138                           | \$533                         | \$545                       |
| Manufacturing                          | 553                      | 549                           | \$765                         | \$661                       |
| Wholesale Trade                        | 15                       | 12                            | \$284                         | \$278                       |
| Retail Trade                           | 292                      | 318                           | \$445                         | \$411                       |
| Transportation and Warehousing         | 30                       | 29                            | \$848                         | \$782                       |
| Information                            | 19                       | 15                            | \$564                         | \$628                       |
| Finance and Insurance                  | 65                       | 62                            | \$765                         | \$812                       |
| Real Estate and Rental and Leasing     | 37                       | 38                            | \$719                         | \$653                       |
| Professional and Technical Services    | 48                       | 45                            | \$643                         | \$603                       |
| Mgt of Companies, Enterprises          | 0                        | 0                             | .                             | .                           |
| Administrative and Waste Services      | 0                        | 0                             | .                             | .                           |
| Educational Services                   | 0                        | 0                             | .                             | .                           |
| Health Care and Social Assistance      | 0                        | 0                             | .                             | .                           |
| Arts, Entertainment and Recreation     | 223                      | 257                           | \$441                         | \$441                       |
| Accommodation and Food Services        | 253                      | 222                           | \$234                         | \$211                       |
| Other Services Ex. Public Admin        | 48                       | 44                            | \$449                         | \$428                       |
| Public Administration                  | 50                       | 51                            | \$827                         | \$825                       |
| Unclassified                           | 0                        | 0                             | \$0                           | \$0                         |

## Commercial/Retail/Industrial

### Local Business

|   |     |
|---|-----|
| 2017Q3 Available Industrial Buildings         | 1   |
| 2017Q2 Establishments: Total Private Industry | 267 |
| 2017Q2 Establishments: Manufacturing          | 16  |
| 2016 Est Self Employed                        | 602 |

### Local Retail Business

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| 2017 Total Retail Sales (With Food/Drink) (\$mil)   | \$116.9   |
| 2017 Total Retail Businesses (With Food/Drink)      | 123       |
| 2017 Avg Sales/Business Total (with Food/Drink)     | \$950,029 |
| 2017Q3 Available Commercial Buildings (if reported) | .         |

## Quality of Life

### Taxes

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| FY2017-18 Property Tax Rate per \$100 Value   | \$0.5125 |
| FY2016-17 Annual Taxable Retail Sales (\$mil) | \$72.8   |
| 2018 Tier designation                         | 1        |

### Childcare

|                                       |     |
|---------------------------------------|-----|
| 2017Q4 Licensed Child Care Facilities | 7   |
| 2017Q4 Licensed Child Care Enrollment | 223 |

### Weather

|                                    |    |
|------------------------------------|----|
| Annual Rainfall, inches            | 48 |
| Annual Snowfall, inches            | 15 |
| Average Annual Temperature, F      | 53 |
| Average Annual High Temperature, F | 64 |
| Average Annual Low Temperature, F  | 41 |

### Healthcare Providers

|  |      |
|--|------|
| 2016 Number of Physicians              | 10   |
| 2016 Physicians per 10,000 population  | 8.9  |
| 2016 RNs per 10,000 population         | 42.8 |
| 2016 Dentists per 10,000 population    | 2.7  |
| 2016 Pharmacists per 10,000 population | 5.3  |

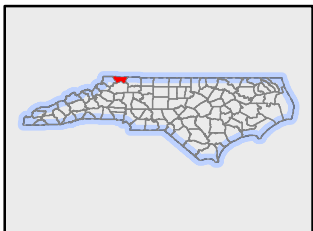
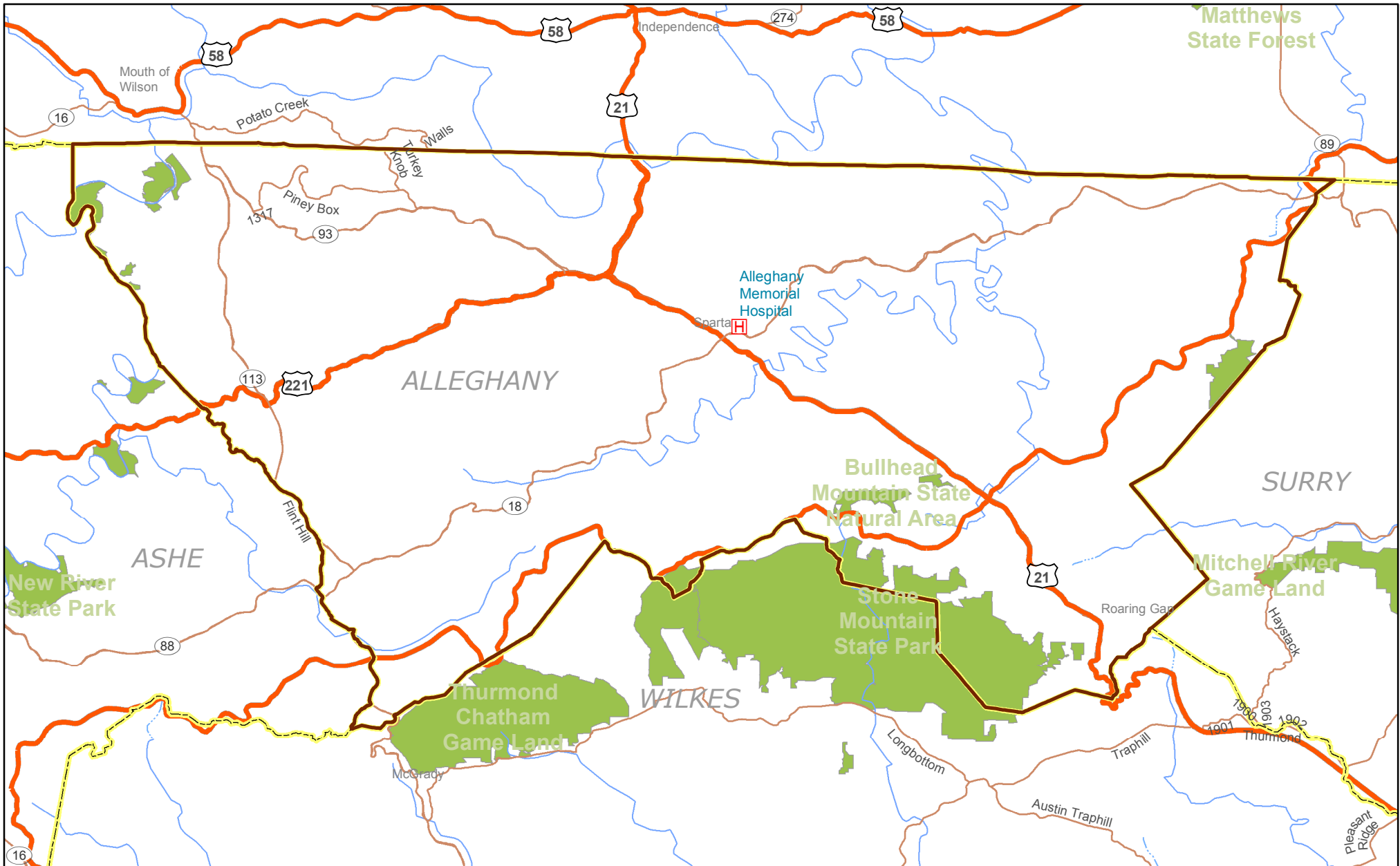
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### Notes:

Data are the latest available at the date this profile was prepared. SAT scores use the new scoring system (2400 max) and represent NC county systems. Unemployment data are now showing preliminary month and subject to change. Census American Community Survey (ACS) data are estimates (Est) from the 2012-16, 5 year survey. ACS data is as of the end year with \$ inflated to the end year. Full datasets and topic dashboards are available at <http://AccessNC.NCCommerce.com>.

# Alleghany County, North Carolina



**Legend**

|                                       |                       |                      |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| <b>Airports by Total Enplanements</b> | Public University     | Interstate           |
| 14,000,001 - 43,130,585               | Private University    | US Route             |
| 3,000,001 - 14,000,000                | NC Community Colleges | NC Route             |
| 0 - 3,000,000                         | Hospital              | Major Railroad Lines |
|                                       |                       | County Boundary      |

