

County Profile

Lincoln County (NC)

April 2017

Demographics

Population & Growth

2019 Proj Total Population	82,170	0.6%
2014 Proj Total Population	79,684	
2010 Census Total Population	78,265	2.3%
July 2015 Certified Population Estimate (NC only)	81,397	

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Annual Growth

0.6%
2.3%

Urban/Rural Representation

2010 Census Total Population: Urban	35,569	45.5%
2010 Census Total Population: Rural	42,696	54.6%

Urban/Rural Percent

45.5%
54.6%

Estimated Population by Age

2019 Proj Median Age	43	
2014 Proj Median Age	42	
2014 Proj Total Pop 0-19	19,434	24.4%
2014 Proj Total Pop 20-29	8,850	11.1%
2014 Proj Total Pop 30-39	9,283	11.6%
2014 Proj Total Pop 40-49	12,350	15.5%
2014 Proj Total Pop 50-59	12,427	15.6%
2014 Proj Total Pop 60+	17,340	21.8%

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Pop by Age

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Commuters, Workers Age 16 and Over, 2015 Est

Percent of Workers, By Travel Time

Avg Travel Time, Minutes	29.6
Workers Not Working at Home	36,110
Travel Time to Work: < 10 minutes	10.9%
Travel Time to Work: 10-14 minutes	10.5%
Travel Time to Work: 15-19 minutes	12.1%
Travel Time to Work: 20-24 minutes	11.6%
Travel Time to Work: 25-29 minutes	6.0%
Travel Time to Work: 30-34 minutes	16.4%
Travel Time to Work: 35-44 minutes	10.2%
Travel Time to Work: 45-59 minutes	14.4%
Travel Time to Work: 60+ minutes	7.9%

Workers, By Transportation

Worker Transp, Base	36,110
Work at Home	4.5%
Drove Car/Truck/Van Alone	83.8%
Carpooled Car/Truck/Van	9.8%
Public Transportation	0.2%
Walked	0.8%
Other Transportation	0.8%

Place of Work

Worked in State/County of Residence	15,869	43.9%
Worked in State/Outside County of Residence	19,508	54.0%
Worked Outside State of Residence	733	2.0%

Commuters

15,869
19,508
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Residents

43.9%
54.0%
2.0%

Education

2015-16 Kindergarten-12th Enrollment	13,317	
2016 Average SAT score (2400 scale)	1,489	
2016 Percent of Graduates taking SAT	42.1%	
2014-15 Higher Education Completions	.	
2014-15 Higher Education Total Enrollment	.	
2015 Est Education Attainment - At Least High School Graduate	45,993	82.9%
2015 Est Education Attainment - At Least Bachelor's Degree	11,198	20.2%

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Pop Age 25+

82.9%
20.2%

Housing

		% Growth or % of Total
2019 Proj Total Housing	36,000	4.2%
2014 Proj Total Housing	34,538	
2010 Census Total Housing	30,343	
2010 Census Occupied Housing	27,045	89.1%
2010 Census Vacant Housing	3,298	10.9%
2015 Est Median Value of Owner Occupied Housing	\$252	
2015 Est Median Gross Rent	\$671	
2015 Est Owner Occupied Housing	23,191	77.1%
2015 Est Renter Occupied Housing	6,897	22.9%
2015 Est Owner Occupied Housing Vacancy	1.4%	
2015 Est Renter Occupied Housing Vacancy	5.3%	
2010 Census Total Households	33,641	

Income

		% Growth or % of Total
2015 Est Median Family Income	\$60,810	28.3%
2019 Proj Median Household Income	\$56,253	10.9%
2014 Proj Median Household Income	\$50,728	21.8%
2015 Est Median Worker Earnings	\$31,093	
2019 Proj Per Capita Income	\$27,976	1.9%
2014 Proj Per Capita Income	\$25,416	34.6%
2015 Est Total Pop with Income Below Poverty Level, Last 12 months	12,243	15.50%

Employment / Unemployment

	Currently	2015 Annual
Jan 2017 Prelim., 2015 Employment	40,391	38,430
Jan 2017 Prelim., 2015 Unemployment	2,143	2,207
Jan 2017 Prelim., 2015 Unemployment Rate	5.0%	5.4%
2016Q4 YTD, 2016 Announced Job Creation	295	295
2016Q4 YTD, 2016 Total Announced Investments (\$mil)	\$36.3	\$36.3

Employment / Wages by Industry

	2016Q3 Employment	2015 Annual Employment	2016Q3 Avg Weekly Wage	2015 Avg Weekly Wage
Total All Industries	22,155	21,633	\$734	\$692
Total Government	3,348	3,630	\$837	\$759
Total Private Industry	18,807	18,003	\$716	\$678
Agriculture Forestry Fishing & Hunting	0	0	.	.
Mining	0	0	.	.
Utilities	141	138	\$1,368	\$1,266
Construction	1,831	1,770	\$921	\$829
Manufacturing	4,409	4,395	\$978	\$923
Wholesale Trade	746	517	\$1,111	\$1,014
Retail Trade	3,003	2,908	\$483	\$471
Transportation and Warehousing	669	663	\$808	\$832
Information	111	119	\$1,071	\$1,041
Finance and Insurance	366	371	\$998	\$975
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	142	118	\$628	\$603
Professional and Technical Services	701	638	\$1,001	\$1,010
Mgt of Companies, Enterprises	44	39	\$1,126	\$1,105
Administrative and Waste Services	1,924	1,845	\$541	\$484
Educational Services	1,436	1,813	\$745	\$696
Health Care and Social Assistance	2,103	2,016	\$866	\$748
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	428	372	\$292	\$395
Accommodation and Food Services	2,126	1,991	\$277	\$266
Other Services Ex. Public Admin	545	525	\$577	\$534
Public Administration	191	188	\$821	\$791
Unclassified	0	0	\$0	\$0

Commercial/Retail/Industrial

Local Businesses

Sept 2016 Available Industrial Buildings	13
2016Q3 Establishments: Total Private Industry	1,687
2016Q3 Establishments: Manufacturing	117
2015 Est Self Employed	2,108

Local Retail Business

2016 Total Retail Sales (With Food/Drink) (\$mil)	\$843.2
2016 Total Retail Businesses (With Food/Drink)	603
2016 Avg Sales/Business Total (with Food/Drink)	\$1,398,283
Sept 2016 Available Commercial Buildings (if reported)	5

Quality of Life

Taxes

FY2016-17 Property Tax Rate per \$100 Value	\$0.6110
FY2015-16 Annual Taxable Retail Sales (\$mil)	\$634.6
2017 Tier designation	3

Childcare

2016Q4 Licensed Child Care Facilities	36
2016Q4 Licensed Child Care Enrollment	1,387

Weather

Annual Rainfall, inches	45
Annual Snowfall, inches	4
Average Annual Temperature, F	59
Average Annual High Temperature, F	71
Average Annual Low Temperature, F	48

Healthcare Providers

2013 Number of Physicians	89
2013 Physicians per 10,000 population	11.2
2013 RNs per 10,000 population	50.9
2013 Dentists per 10,000 population	2.9
2013 Pharmacists per 10,000 population	7.2

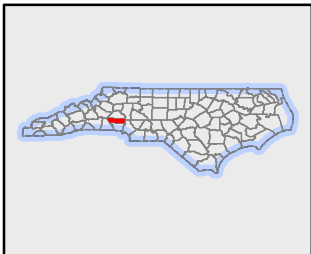
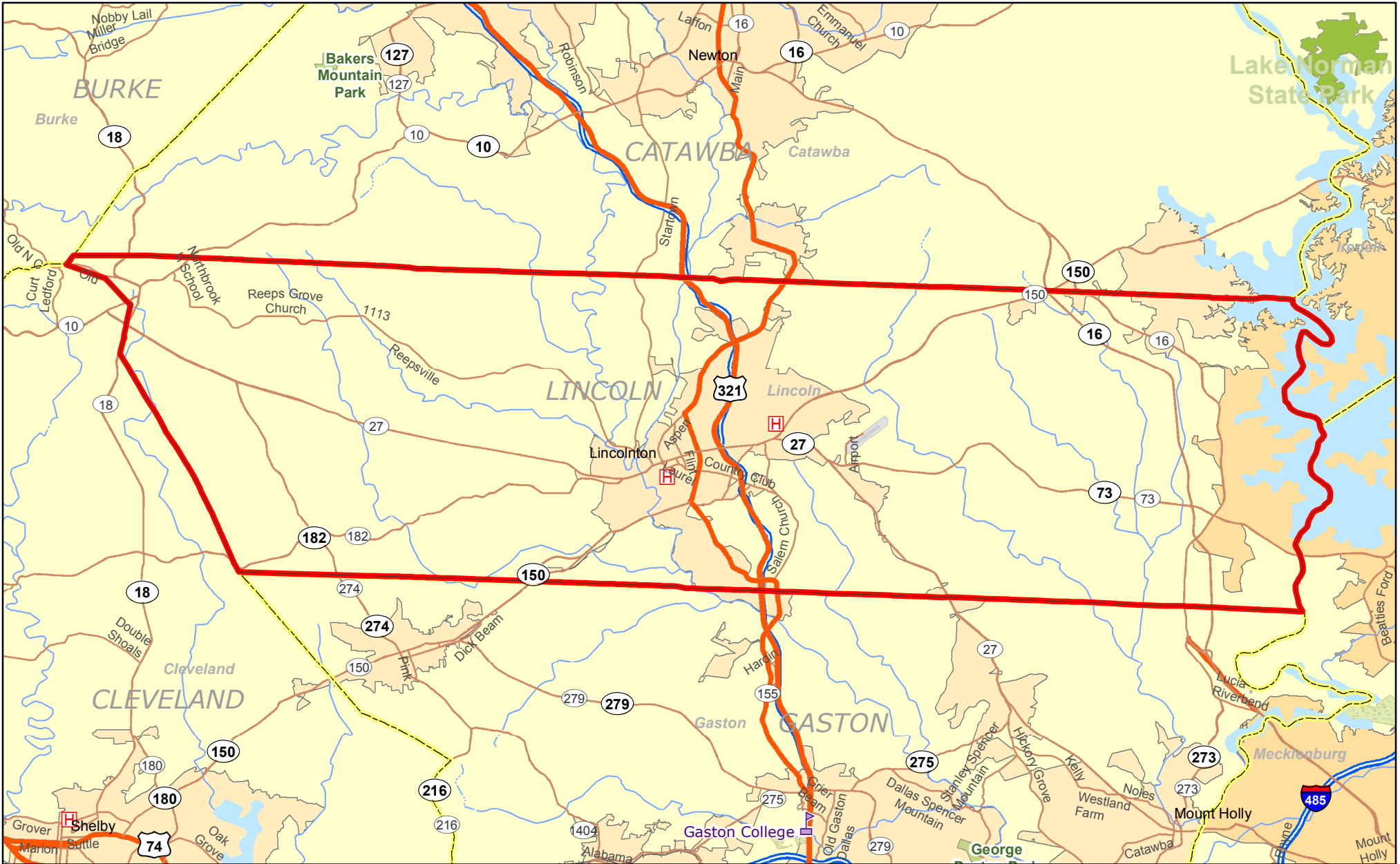
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Notes:

Data are the latest available at the date the profile was prepared. SAT scores use the new scoring system including a writing test for a perfect score of 2400 and represent county systems. Unemployment data are now showing preliminary month and subject to change. ESRI 2014/2019 data are projections and noted as proj. Some data may be available only for North Carolina. 2010 Census data is noted as such. American Community Survey (ACS) data are estimates and noted as est and is from the 2011-15, 5 year survey and data is as of the end year with dollars inflated to the end year. For further details or questions, please check the Data Sources Guide at https://edis.commerce.state.nc.us/docs/bibliography/Data_Sources_Guide.pdf or click on it under Resources. Additional data and reports are available at: <http://www.nccommerce.com/lead>.

Lincoln County, North Carolina



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| Airports by Enplanements | Interstate |
| >14 | Interstate |
| 3-14 | US Highway |
| < 3 (Million) | Major Road |
| Pub/Pri Univ./Comm Col. | Railroads |
| Hospital | County Boundary |

