

County Profile

Brunswick County (NC)

May 2022

Demographics

Population & Growth

	Population	% Annual Growth
2019 Est Population	131,815	3.9%
2020 Census Total Population	136,693	2.7%
Jul2020 NC Certified Population Estimate	137,530	(3.9%)

Urban/Rural Representation

		Urban/Rural Percent
2010 Census Total Population: Urban	61,278	57.0%
2010 Census Total Population: Rural	46,153	43.0%

Estimated Population by Age

		% Pop by Age
2019 Est Median Age	54	
2019 Est Total Pop 0-19	22,652	17.3%
2019 Est Total Pop 20-24	5,182	3.9%
2019 Est Total Pop 25-34	12,146	9.2%
2019 Est Total Pop 35-44	12,814	9.7%
2019 Est Total Pop 45-54	15,102	11.5%
2019 Est Total Pop 55-64	23,696	18.0%
2019 Est Total Pop 65+	40,223	30.5%

Commuters, Workers Age 16 and Over, 2019 Census ACS Est

Percent of Workers, By Travel Time

Avg Travel Time, Minutes	24.3
Workers Not Working at Home	47,874
Travel Time to Work: < 10 minutes	13.0%
Travel Time to Work: 10-14 minutes	14.4%
Travel Time to Work: 15-19 minutes	17.4%
Travel Time to Work: 20-24 minutes	15.2%
Travel Time to Work: 25-29 minutes	7.9%
Travel Time to Work: 30-34 minutes	13.9%
Travel Time to Work: 35-44 minutes	5.7%
Travel Time to Work: 45-59 minutes	7.1%
Travel Time to Work: 60+ minutes	5.4%

Workers, By Transportation

Worker Transp, Base	51,753
Work at Home	7.5%
Drove Car/Truck/Van Alone	79.7%
Carpooled Car/Truck/Van	9.9%
Public Transportation	0.4%
Walked	0.9%
Bicycle	0.1%
Taxi, Motorcycle, Other	1.4%

Place of Work

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

Commuters

34,105
14,698
3,002

Residents

65.9%
28.4%
5.8%

Education

		Pop Age 25+
2020-21 Kindergarten-12th Enrollment	13,429	
2020 Average SAT score (1600 scale)	1,077	
2020 Percent of Graduates taking SAT	24.0%	
2019-20 (Provisional) Higher Education Completions	421	
2019-20 (Provisional) Higher Education Enrollment	2,174	
2019 Est Education Attainment age 25+, At Least High School Graduate	94,899	91.3%
2019 Est Education Attainment age 25+, At Least Bachelor's Degree	31,048	29.9%

Housing

		% Ann Growth or % Total
2020 Census Total Housing Units, % annual growth	88,330	1.4%
2020 Census Occupied Housing, % of total	61,496	69.6%
2020 Census Vacant Housing, % of total	26,834	30.4%
2019 Est Median Value of Owner Occupied Housing	\$212,200	
2019 Est Median Gross Rent	\$960	
2019 Est Owner Occupied Housing, % of total	45,223	80.7%
2019 Est Renter Occupied Housing, % of total	10,833	19.3%
2019 Est % Owner Occupied Vacancy Rate	2.5%	
2019 Est % Renter Occupied Vacancy Rate	13.8%	

Income

		% Ann Growth or % Pov
2019 Est Median Family Income	\$71,857	
2020 Median Household Income (SAIPE)	\$64,371	1.0%
2019 Est Median Worker Earnings	\$29,037	
2020 Per Capita Income (BEA)	\$46,829	
2020 Est Pop, Income Below Poverty (SAIPE)	16,628	11.2%

Employment / Unemployment

	Currently	2021 Annual
Mar2022 Prelim., 2021 Employment	52,436	47,641
Mar2022 Prelim., 2021 Unemployment	2,654	4,605
Mar2022 Prelim., 2021 Unemployment Rate	4.8%	8.8%
2021Q4YTD, 2021 Announced Job Creation	135	135
2021Q4YTD, 2021 Total Announced Investments (\$mil)	\$9.4	\$9.4

Employment / Wages by Industry

	2021Q4 Employment	2021 Employment	2021Q4 Avg Weekly Wage	2021 Avg Weekly Wage
Total All Industries	35,508	32,692	\$976	\$824
Total Government	5,567	5,180	\$1,095	\$924
Total Private Industry	29,941	27,512	\$954	\$805
Agriculture Forestry Fishing & Hunting	.	175	.	\$657
Mining
Utilities	1,105	1,120	\$2,190	\$2,341
Construction	2,590	2,386	\$1,171	\$971
Manufacturing	1,527	1,422	\$1,286	\$1,167
Wholesale Trade	671	570	\$1,330	\$1,105
Retail Trade	6,054	5,728	\$619	\$537
Transportation and Warehousing	973	900	\$1,104	\$859
Information	421	321	\$1,296	\$1,268
Finance and Insurance	605	544	\$2,288	\$1,389
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	874	842	\$1,093	\$763
Professional and Technical Services	1,343	1,061	\$1,476	\$1,266
Mgt of Companies, Enterprises	15	.	\$12,411	.
Administrative and Waste Services	1,897	1,727	\$778	\$667
Educational Services	2,763	2,403	\$995	\$806
Health Care and Social Assistance	4,599	4,440	\$1,197	\$969
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	1,530	1,369	\$538	\$445
Accommodation and Food Services	4,947	4,350	\$445	\$361
Other Services Ex. Public Admin	896	802	\$804	\$727
Public Administration	2,541	2,510	\$1,126	\$959
Unclassified	0	0	\$0	\$0



Commercial/Retail/Industrial

Local Business

2021Q4 Available Industrial Buildings	.
2021Q4 Establishments: Total Private Industry	3,433
2021Q4 Establishments: Manufacturing	79
2019 Est Self Employed	4,023

Local Retail Business

2021 Total Retail Sales (With Food/Drink) (\$mil)	\$1,182.0
2021 Total Retail Businesses (With Food/Drink)	981
2021 Avg Sales/Business Total (with Food/Drink)	\$1,204,938
2021Q4 Available Commercial Buildings (if County reports)	.

Quality of Life

Taxes

FY2021-22 Property Tax Rate per \$100 Value	\$0.4850
FY2020-21 Annual Taxable Retail Sales (\$mil)	\$2,560.2
2021 Tier designation	2

Childcare

2022Q1 Licensed Child Care Facilities	.
2022Q1 Licensed Child Care Enrollment	.

Healthcare Providers

2019 Number of Physicians	142
2019 Physicians/10,000 population	10.0
2020 RNs/10,000 population	48.0
2020 Dentists/10,000 population	4.0
2020 Pharmacists/10,000 population	7.2

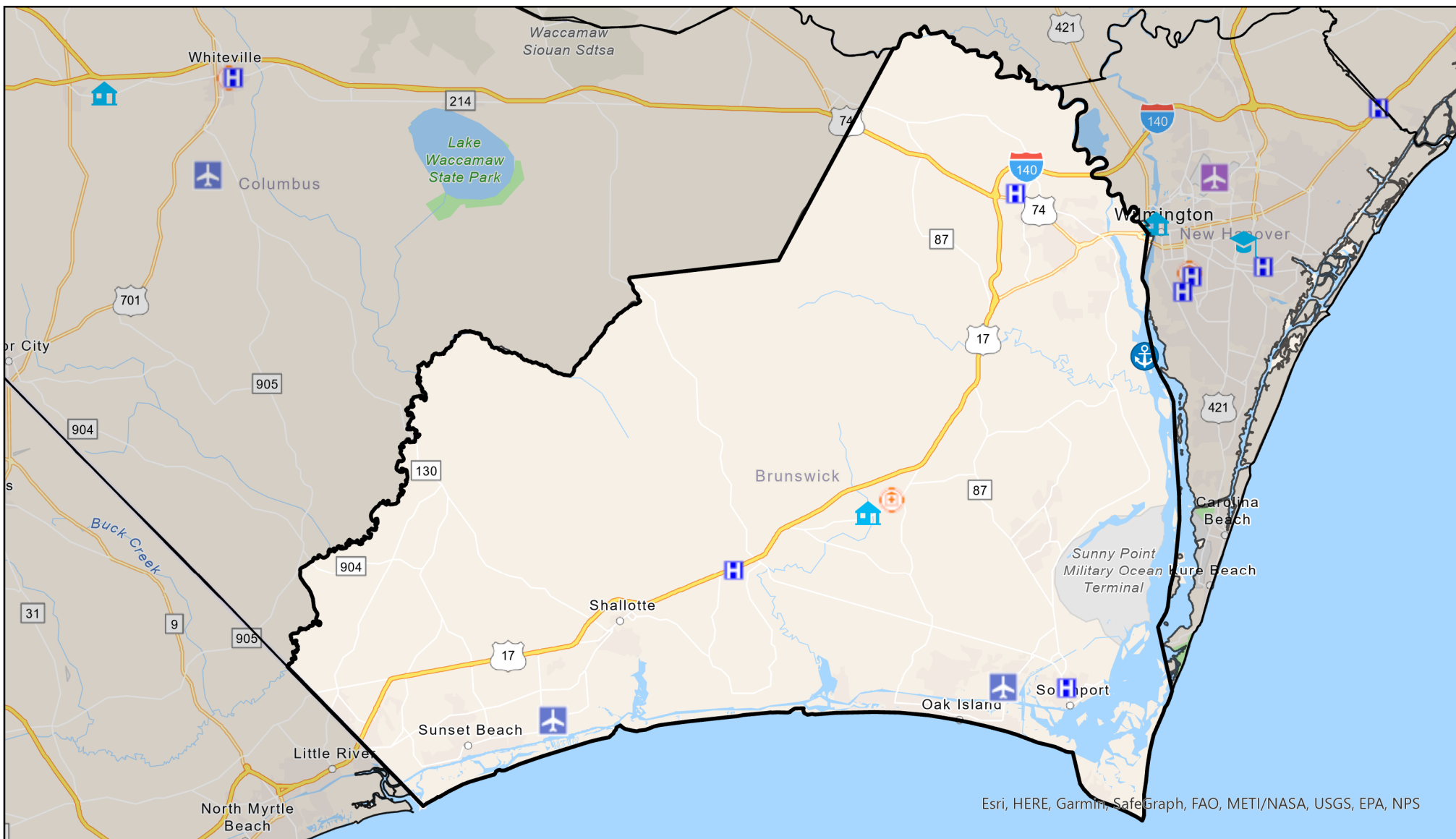
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Notes:

Data are the latest available at the date the profile was prepared. A period means the data is not available. SAT scores use the 1600 scoring system and represent county systems. Unemployment data is now the latest month which is preliminary and is subject to change. US Education IPEDs data for Completions and Enrollment is at least Provisional and updated when Final. Census' American Community Survey (ACS) data are estimates, noted 'Est' and are from the 5-year survey; data is as of final year with dollars inflated to final year. Per capita income is a broad measure of income spread over all residents. Worker earnings includes wage income for residents regardless of where they work. Private sector wages are paid by local employers to their employees regardless of where they live. Additional data resources are available at: <https://d4.nccommerce.com/>.

Brunswick County, North Carolina



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| | General Aviation | | Public Health Departments | | Independent Colleges and Universities |
| | NC Ports | | Community Colleges | | Military Installations |



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