

**County Profile**

**Lincoln County (NC)**

**November 2020**

**Demographics**

**Population & Growth**

	<b>Population</b>	<b>% Annual Growth</b>
2018 Est Population	81,441	1.2%
2010 Census Total Population	78,265	2.3%
Jul2018 NC Certified Population Estimate	84,751	1.7%

**Urban/Rural Representation**

		<b>Urban/Rural Percent</b>
2010 Census Total Population: Urban	35,569	45.5%
2010 Census Total Population: Rural	42,696	54.6%

**Estimated Population by Age**

		<b>% Pop by Age</b>
2018 Est Median Age	43	
2018 Est Total Pop 0-19	19,220	23.6%
2018 Est Total Pop 20-24	4,324	5.3%
2018 Est Total Pop 25-34	8,813	10.8%
2018 Est Total Pop 35-44	10,518	12.9%
2018 Est Total Pop 45-54	12,958	15.9%
2018 Est Total Pop 55-64	11,847	14.6%
2018 Est Total Pop 65+	13,761	16.9%

**Commuters, Workers Age 16 and Over, 2018 ACS Est**

**Percent of Workers, By Travel Time**

Avg Travel Time, Minutes	29.7
Workers Not Working at Home	35,902
Travel Time to Work: < 10 minutes	9.0%
Travel Time to Work: 10-14 minutes	12.4%
Travel Time to Work: 15-19 minutes	11.4%
Travel Time to Work: 20-24 minutes	10.9%
Travel Time to Work: 25-29 minutes	6.5%
Travel Time to Work: 30-34 minutes	14.9%
Travel Time to Work: 35-44 minutes	11.8%
Travel Time to Work: 45-59 minutes	13.4%
Travel Time to Work: 60+ minutes	9.7%

**Workers, By Transportation**

Worker Transp, Base	37,521
Work at Home	4.3%
Drove Car/Truck/Van Alone	85.5%
Carpooled Car/Truck/Van	8.7%
Public Transportation	0.2%
Walked	0.3%
Bicycle	0.0%
Taxi, Motorcycle, Other	1.0%

**Place of Work**

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

**Commuters**

15,834
20,974
713

**Residents**

42.2%
55.9%
1.9%

**Education**

		<b>Pop Age 25+</b>
2019-20 Kindergarten-12th Enrollment	13,594	
2020 Average SAT score (1600 new scale)	1,080	
2020 Percent of Graduates taking SAT	43.6%	
2018-19 Higher Education Completions (Provisional)	.	
2018-19 Higher Education Enrollment (Provisional)	.	
2018 Est Education Attainment age 25+, At Least High School Graduate	49,540	85.6%
2018 Est Education Attainment age 25+, At Least Bachelor's Degree	12,375	21.4%

## Housing

		<b>% Ann Growth or % Total</b>
2010 Census Total Housing	30,343	
2010 Census Total Households	33,641	
2018 Est Total Housing Units, % annual growth	35,227	1.7%
2018 Est Occupied Housing, % of total	32,022	90.9%
2018 Est Vacant Housing, % of total	3,205	9.1%
2018 Est Median Value of Owner Occupied Housing	\$160,800	
2018 Est Median Gross Rent	\$726	
2018 Est Owner Occupied Housing, % of total	24,475	76.4%
2018 Est Renter Occupied Housing, % of total	7,547	23.6%
2018 Est % Owner Occupied Vacancy Rate	0.7%	
2018 Est % Renter Occupied Vacancy Rate	6.4%	

## Income

		<b>% Ann Growth or % Pov</b>
2018 Est Median Family Income	\$63,316	
2018 Median Household Income (SAIPE)	\$62,963	10.4%
2018 Est Median Worker Earnings	\$33,266	
2018 Per Capita Income (BEA)	\$45,791	
2018 Est Pop, Income Below Poverty (SAIPE)	8,555	10.3%

## Employment / Unemployment

	<b>Currently</b>	<b>2019 Annual</b>
SEP2020 Prelim., 2019 Employment	39,564	42,284
SEP2020 Prelim., 2019 Unemployment	2,510	1,542
SEP2020 Prelim., 2019 Unemployment Rate	6.0%	3.5%
2020Q2YTD, 2019 Announced Job Creation	50	94
2020Q2YTD, 2019 Total Announced Investments (\$mil)	\$53.2	\$60.9

### Employment / Wages by Industry

	<b>2020Q1 Employment</b>	<b>2019 Employment</b>	<b>2020Q1 Avg Weekly Wage</b>	<b>2019 Avg Weekly Wage</b>
Total All Industries	24,901	24,315	\$857	\$823
Total Government	3,935	3,740	\$885	\$879
Total Private Industry	20,966	20,575	\$852	\$813
Agriculture Forestry Fishing & Hunting	.	78	.	\$548
Mining	.	.	.	.
Utilities	150	150	\$1,776	\$1,411
Construction	2,397	2,202	\$1,168	\$1,070
Manufacturing	4,785	4,833	\$1,125	\$1,051
Wholesale Trade	924	964	\$1,111	\$1,319
Retail Trade	3,300	3,156	\$512	\$497
Transportation and Warehousing	974	865	\$901	\$890
Information	90	.	\$1,559	.
Finance and Insurance	665	502	\$1,650	\$1,269
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	148	154	\$760	\$771
Professional and Technical Services	750	947	\$1,187	\$1,078
Mgt of Companies, Enterprises	.	.	.	.
Administrative and Waste Services	1,609	1,665	\$638	\$647
Educational Services	.	1,872	.	\$758
Health Care and Social Assistance	2,292	2,256	\$959	\$913
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	475	480	\$247	\$230
Accommodation and Food Services	2,248	2,181	\$303	\$307
Other Services Ex. Public Admin	585	569	\$586	\$596
Public Administration	1,308	1,267	\$748	\$812
Unclassified	0	0	\$0	\$0

## Commercial/Retail/Industrial

### Local Business

2020Q3 Available Industrial Buildings	4
2020Q1 Establishments: Total Private Industry	1,923
2020Q1 Establishments: Manufacturing	111
2018 Est Self Employed	2,076

### Local Retail Business

2019 Total Retail Sales (With Food/Drink) (\$mil)	\$0.8
2019 Total Retail Businesses (With Food/Drink)	403
2019 Avg Sales/Business Total (with Food/Drink)	\$1,875,335
2020Q3 Available Commercial Buildings (if County reports)	.

## Quality of Life

### Taxes

FY2020-21 Property Tax Rate per \$100 Value	\$0.5990
FY2019-20 Annual Taxable Retail Sales (\$mil)	\$1,012.9
2020 Tier designation	3

### Childcare

2020Q3 Licensed Child Care Facilities	34
2020Q3 Licensed Child Care Enrollment	1,408

### Healthcare Providers

2019 Number of Physicians	91
2019 Physicians/10,000 population	10.5
2019 RNs/10,000 population	59.5
2019 Dentists/10,000 population	3.7
2017 Pharmacists/10,000 population	7.5

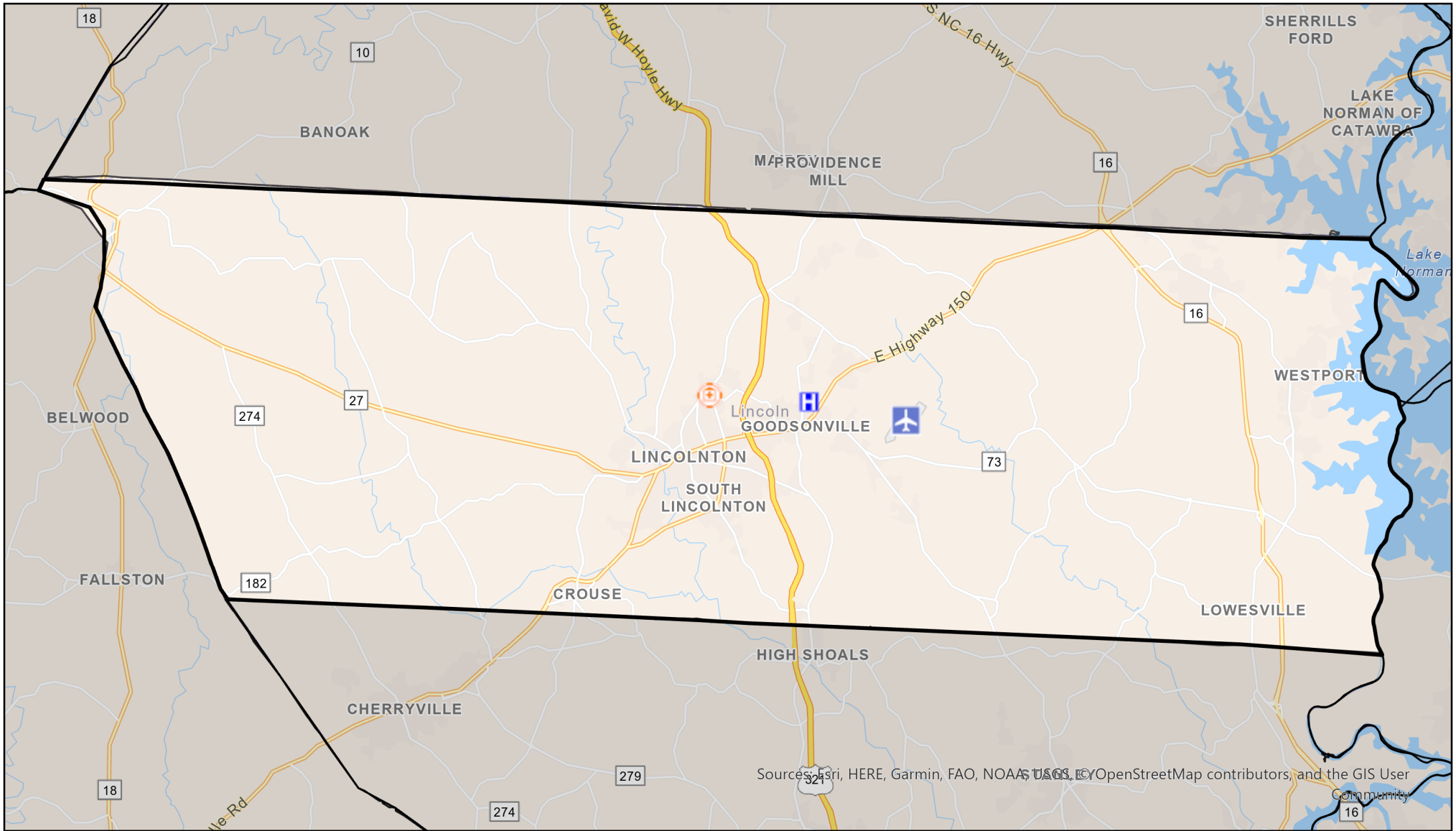
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### Notes:

Data are the latest available at the date the profile was prepared. SAT scores use the new 1600 scoring system started in 2016 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. 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, reports, and dashboards are available at: <http://accessnc.nccommerce.com/index.html>.

# Lincoln County, North Carolina



- Legend**
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|---|---------------------|---|---------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|
|  | Commercial Airports |  | Hospitals                 |  | Public Universities                   |
|  | General Aviation    |  | Public Health Departments |  | Independent Colleges and Universities |
|  | NC Ports            |  | Community Colleges        |  | Military Installations                |



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