

ECONOMY AT A GLANCE

YOUR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OFFICE FOR DICKINSON, STARK COUNTY AND THE SURROUNDING AREA

POPULATION

WORKFORCE

(Job Service North Dakota)	2017	2010	
Stark County	30,209	24,199	
Dickinson	22,186	17,787	
North Dakota	755,176	672,591	

Median Age: 34.1 Largest City: Dickinson Median Household Income: \$77,328 Current Job Openings: 735

(Job Service North Dakota)	April 2019	April 2018
Stark County Labor Force	17,791	17,895
Stark County Employment	17,413	17,414
Stark County Unemployment	2.1 %	2.7 %
ND Unemployment	2.5 %	2.9 %
US Unemployment	3.3 %	3.7 %

BIRTH RATES

(CHI St. Alexius Health Dickinson)	April 2019	April 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018
Live Births	55	60	215	216

LODGING

(Dickinson Convention & Visitors Bureau - Smith Travel Report source)	April 2019	April 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018
Occupancy Rate	54 %	36.8 %	46.8 %	31.7 %
Average Daily Rate (ADR)	\$70.01	\$72.35	\$68.15	\$73.13

REAL ESTATE

(Badlands Board of Realtors, Inc.)	April 2019	April 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018
Dickinson # of MLS Units Sold (Does not include "for sale by owner" transactions)	44	41	140	123
Dickinson MLS Average Sale Price - Single Family	\$236,930	\$266,887	\$235,984	\$237,962
Stark County # of MLS Units Sold (Does not include "for sale by owner" transactions)	52	45	158	137
Stark County MLS Average Sale Price - Single Family	\$219,853	\$264,461	\$227,794	\$226,629

TRANSPORTATION

Airport Boardings (Dickinson Theodore Roosevelt Airport)	April 2019	April 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018
Airport Passenger Enplanements	1,808	1,594	6,790	6,427
Airport Passenger Deplanements	1,950	1,747	7,166	6,787

BUILDING PERMITS

Dickinson	April 2019		Ap	April 2018		D 2019	Υ٦	TD 2018
(City of Dickinson)	Permits	Total Value	Permits	Total Value	Permits	Total Value	Permits	Total Value
Commercial	1	\$445,000	1	\$120,000	1	\$445,000	1	\$120,000
Public	0	\$0	0	\$0	0	\$0	0	\$0
Single Family	15	\$4,591,531	15	\$4,306,161	21	\$6,596,915	20	\$5,959,270
Multi-Family	0	\$0	0	\$0	0	\$0	0	\$0
Alteration/Additions	8	\$416,196	9	\$1,394,232	18	\$1,805,196	22	\$2,118,105
Misc. Permits/Fees	104	\$99,635	65	\$108,261	176	\$146,929	147	\$147,020

ECONOMYAT A GLANCE

TAX COLLECTIONS

City Sales Tax (Office of ND State Treasurer)	April 2019	April 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018
Belfield	\$63,930.65	\$65,464.10	\$222,413.94	\$144,163.39
Dickinson	\$815,134.18	\$824,714.94	\$2,919,588.03	\$2,882,132.30
Richardton	\$14,986.77	\$12,893.93	\$50,459.48	\$44,880.33
South Heart	\$6,272.99	\$6,284.75	\$20,058.72	\$18,124.33
Stark County Total	\$900,324.59	\$909,357.72	\$3,212,520.17	\$3,089,300.35
City Occupancy Tax (Office of ND State Treasurer)	April 2019	April 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018
Belfield	\$1,647.89	\$93.47	\$4,991.50	\$2,001.65
Dickinson	\$23,073.10	\$24,653.58	\$88,236.07	\$76,922.22
Stark County Total	\$24,720.99	\$24,747.05	\$93,227.57	\$78,923.87
City Restaurant/Lodging (Office of ND State Treasurer)	April 2019	April 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018
Dickinson	\$92,633.89	\$84,612.59	\$303,495.28	\$292,952.74

Sales tax returns are due at the end of each month which causes large monthly swings especially when months end on weekends. Using year-to-year data collections helps mitigate these swings and may present a more accurate view of any real change that is occurring than would any given month's collection comparison.

EDUCATION

K-12 Fall Enrollment (Department of Public Instruction)	2018-2019	2017-2018	2016-2017	2015-2016
Belfield	256	271	243	265
Dickinson Public Schools	3,841	3,680	3,465	3,503
Dickinson Trinity Catholic Schools	468	455	497	516
Richardton-Taylor	355	340	325	304
South Heart	373	350	306	300
Higher Education Fall Enrollment (DSU)	2018-2019	2017-2018	2016-2017	2015-2016
Dickinson State University	1,392	1,425	1,386	1,317

HOUSING RENTAL RATES

(ACS U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey)		
Stark County Rental Vacancy Rate (ACS 2013-17)	15.4 %	
Stark County Median Rent (ACS 2013-17)	\$926	

TAXABLE SALES & PURCHASES

(Office of State Tax Commissioner)	4th Qtr 2018	4th Qtr 2017
Dickinson	\$247,596,694	\$225,441,526
Stark County	\$266,531,270	\$240,770,902

OIL PRICES

(NDIC Dept. of Mineral Resources)	April 2019	April 2018
West Texas Intermediate Oil (Price/Barrel)	\$55.01	\$58.73
North Dakota Light Sweet (Price/Barrel)	\$48.00	\$50.90

FARMERS PRICE INDEX

(US Dept. of Agriculture)	April 2019	April 2018
Farmers Prices Received (2011 Base)	92.9 %	92.8 %
Farmers Prices Paid (2011 Base)	111.1 %	108.6 %

TOP 10 LARGEST EMPLOYERS

(Job Service North Dakota)	
1	Dickinson Public Schools District
2	Wal-Mart
3	CHI St. Alexius Health - Dickinson
4	Killdeer Mountain Manufacturing
5	Missouri Basin Well Service
6	Dickinson State University
7	St. Benedict's Health Center
8	Nondisclosable
9	TMI Corporation
10	Steffes Solutions

