

Lea County, NM Economic Indicators 2020



Total Gross Receipts

	Current July 2020	Previous Yr July 2019	Current YTD	Previous YTD	
Total	\$574,017,704	\$885,035,019	\$5,609,916,926	\$5,749,744,796	
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	\$1,689,750	\$3,848,865	\$11,180,088	\$14,130,432	
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	\$139,267,610	\$270,884,031	\$1,611,866,845	\$1,767,536,541	
Utilities	\$28,448,408	\$48,586,320	\$204,500,385	\$224,284,881	
Construction	\$56,010,005	\$119.373.243	\$702,455,657	\$725,609,843	
Manufacturing	\$18,728,566	\$32,223,244	\$225,878,410	\$221,940,847	
Wholesale Trade	\$115,786,201	\$89,662,251	\$970,792,434	\$649,256,781	
Retail	\$86,419,502	\$140,757,736	\$741,500,978	\$883,205,212	
Transportation & Warehousing	\$23,267,329	\$28,345,001	\$198,236,586	\$232,439,983	
Information & Cultural Industries	\$5,342,407	\$8,861,786	\$61,586,659	\$60,748,006	
Finance & Insurance	\$1,188,904	\$1,184,838	\$10,680,385	\$7,078,905	
Real Estate and Rental & Leasing	\$14,808,593	\$19,565,106	\$155,068,504	\$134,952,950	
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	\$12,043,705	\$19,389,778	\$111,949,297	\$119,652,597	
Admin & Support, Waste Mngmt & Remed. Services	\$13,442,702	\$17,440,535	\$111,645,966	\$108,064,490	
Educational Services	\$486,921	\$64,920	\$1,320,032	\$910,226	
Health Care and Social Assistance	\$15,184,812	\$6,632,748	\$101,780,903	\$89,316,501	
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	\$346,904	\$688,394	\$2,892,403	\$5,359,604	
Accommodation and Food Services	\$12,707,030	\$20,121,096	\$101,472,756	\$131,110,857	
Other Services (except Public Admin)	\$27,721,655	\$54,676,794	\$261,777,959	\$334,274,047	
Total Gross Receipts for Selected Activities					
Oil and Gas Activities*	\$216,992,995	\$286,496,552	\$2,207,091,534	\$1,938,140,772	
Oil and Gas Related Transportation*	\$10,903,259	\$14,197,221	\$49,799,247	\$75,561,769	
Automotive Related Activities*	\$10,274,526	\$6,329,325	\$66,999,416	\$85,215,473	
Hotel/Motel Activities*	\$1,231,432	\$3,432,550	\$13,652,651	\$24,471,582	
Restaurant Activities*	\$7,020,144	\$10,010,988	\$49,618,776	\$67,083,688	

Source: New Mexico Taxation & Revenue – updated 10/2020 Includes all related NAICS codes, contact us for more information

Labor Market Statistics			
	Current Aug 2020	Previous Yr Aug 2019	
Civilian Labor Force	31,873	31,036	
Total Employment	26,986	29,759	
Total Unemployment	4,887	1,227	
Unemployment Rate	15.3%	4.1%	
Source: NM Department of Workforce Solutions – updated 10/2020			

Top 5 Industry Wages			
Industry	Ave Weekly Wage 1st Q 2020		
Manufacturing	\$1,899		
Utilities	\$1,820		
Transportation & Warehousing	\$1,595		
Mining	\$1,438		
Wholesale Trade	\$1,383		
Source: NM Department of Workforce Solutions – updated 10/2020			



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Cit	of Hobbs -	- Building	Permits
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	Current Aug 2020	Total Value Aug 2020	YTD Jan-Aug 2020	YTD Jan-Aug 2019	Total Value Current YTD	Total Value Previous YTD
New Residential	22	\$6,363,637	98	135	\$6,363,637	\$34,481,102
Single-Family	22	\$6,363,637	98	131	\$6,363,637	\$34,042,982
Multi-Family	0	\$0	0	4	\$0	\$438,120
Other Residential	183	\$802,714	1,559	1,525	\$802,714	\$8.270.067
New Commercial	1	\$25,000	11	17	\$25,000	\$8,809,186
Other Commercial	72	\$250,550	369	406	\$250,550	\$6,337,699
Total Permits	278	\$7,441,901	2,037	2,070	\$7,441,901	\$57,989,054

Source: City of Hobbs - Updated 10/2020

Top 20 Largest Employers			
Company	Workforce		
Hobbs Municipal Schools	1,489		
Nor-Lea Hospital	575		
City of Hobbs	532		
Watson Construction	485		
Walmart SuperCenter	386		
Lea County	367		
McDonald's Restaurant	350		
Ferguson Construction Company	335		
Lea Regional Medical Center	305		
Constructors Inc.	300		
D&D Pipeline Company	300		
New Mexico Junior College	252		
Zia Park Casino, Racetrack, & Hotel	250		
GEO Group	241		
Miracle Home Healthcare	240		
Urenco USA	230		
Lin-Mar Inc	230		
Albertson's Market	225		
Ingraham Professional Services	200		
Mewbourne Oil Company	176		
Source: EDCLC - Updated 7/2019			

Lea County Demographics			
Total Population	69,611		
Total Households	23,215		
Median Age 32			
Source: US Census Bureau - Updated 10/2020			

Average Rig Counts				
Month	2020	2019		
September	19	55		
August	19	56		
July	20	48		
Source: Baker Hughes - Updated 10/2020				

FlyHobbs Air Service			
	2019	2018	
Outbound (Dec)	3,182	1,994	
Inbound (Dec)	3,019	2,133	
Outbound YTD	24,980	23,224	
Inbound YTD	24,554	22,827	
Source: Airplanners - Updated 1/2020			