

# Bertie County

Reporting Quarter: 4th Quarter 2007

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## Demographics

Certified Population, July 2006	19,352	83
Population, 2000 Census	19,757	80
Population, 1990 Census	20,388	78
Percent population change, 1990-2000	-3.1	100
Percent population change, NC, 1990-2000	21.3	

## County Rank



## Workforce & Education

Employment, Nov 2007	8,213	83
Unemployed, Nov 2007	490	80
Percent unemployed, Nov 2007	5.6	26
Percent unemployed, 2006	6.6	12
Percent unemployed, NC, Nov 2007	5.1	
Percent unemployed, NC, 2006	4.8	
Percent high school graduates or higher, 2000	63.8	99
Percent high school graduates or higher, NC, 2000	78.1	
Average SAT score (2400 scale), 2007	1,229	96
Average SAT score (2400 scale), NC, 2007	1,486	
Percent bachelor's degree or higher, 2000	8.8	97
Percent bachelor's degree or higher, NC, 2000	22.5	

## Taxes, Sales & Services

Property taxes/\$100 Value ('07-'08)	\$0.7800
Taxable sales (Mil \$, Sept 07)	\$3.4
Taxable sales (Mil \$, FY 06-07)	\$37.3
Pharmacist/10,000 Pop, 2006	4
Physician/10,000 Pop, 2006	5
RN/10,000 Pop, 2006	54
Dentist/10,000 Pop, 2006	1
Tier designation, 2008	1
Partnership Region	Northeast
Licensed Child Care Facilities, Sept 07	30
Child Care Slots, Sept 07	988

## Income, Housing & Poverty

Average weekly wage per employee, 2nd Quarter 2007	\$499	89
Median household income, 2005	\$26,379	100
Per capita personal income, 2000	\$19,851	88
Per capita personal income, 2005	\$23,859	76
Per capita personal income, NC, 2006	\$32,234	
Median value of owner-occupied housing units, 2000	\$53,481	97
Median value of owner-occupied housing units, NC, 2000	\$108,300	
Percent in poverty, 2005	24.0	11
Percent in poverty, NC, 2005	14.9	

Notes: Data are the latest available at the date the profile was prepared. Demographics are from U.S. Census. Workforce & Education are from NC Employment Security Commission, U.S. Census, and NC Dept. of Public Instruction respectively; county unemployment rates are seasonally unadjusted. Average wage are from ESC's "Insured Employment and Wages in NC for Private Industry by Sector (2 digit)" which is based on the Current Population Survey." Income, Housing & Poverty are from U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis and the U.S. Census, respectively. Jobs and Investments are from NC Dept. of Commerce. Closings & Layoffs by effective date are from the NC Employment Security Commission. Employment & Wages are from NCESC's "Insured Employment and Wages in NC for Industry by Sector (2 digit)" series; missing data or \* indicates data not available or suppressed for confidentiality reasons. Taxes are from the NC Dept. of Revenue and prior to 7/05 represent gross sales but after are taxable sales. Medical data from the Cecil G. Sheps Center for Health Services Research, UNC-Chapel Hill. \*\*County Ranking 1=highest.

## Announced Jobs & Investments

Jobs announced, 2006	80
Jobs announced, Thru Oct 12, 2007	0
Total investment announced, 2006	\$24,000,000
Total investment announced, Thru Oct 12, 2007	\$0

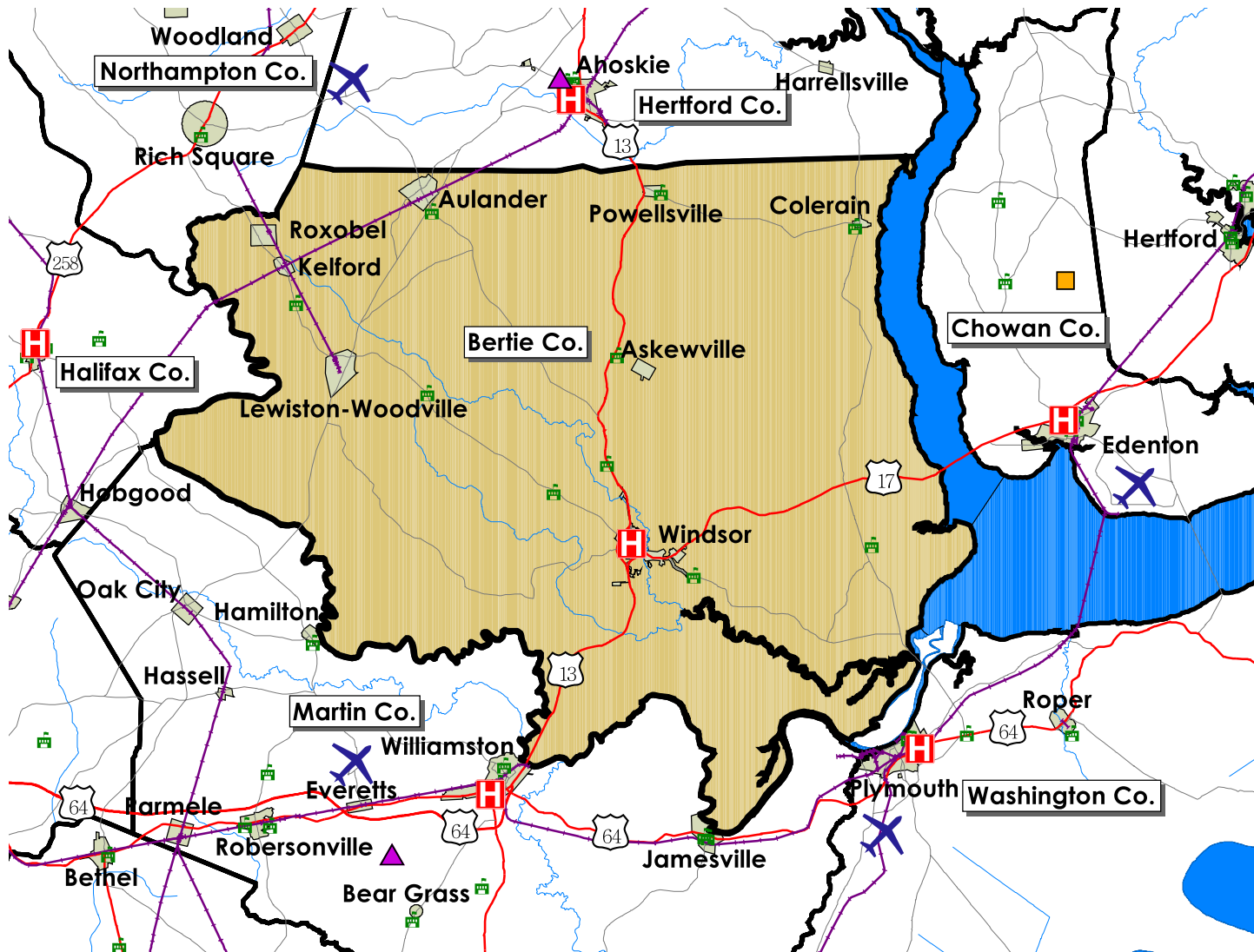
## Announced Closings & Layoffs

Number of affected establishments, 2006	1
Number of affected establishments, Thru Dec 2007	0
Job losses, 2006	0
Job losses, Thru Dec 2007	0

## Employment and Wages, by Sector (2nd Quarter 2007)

	Bertie			North Carolina		
	Avg Emp	% Total	Avg Wkly Wage	Avg Emp	% Total	Avg Wkly Wage
Total All Industries	7,135	100.0	\$499	4,070,849	100.0	\$718
Total Government	1,313	18.4	\$597	678,349	16.7	\$754
Total Private Industry	5,822	81.6	\$477	3,392,501	83.3	\$711
Agriculture Forestry Fishing & Hunting	344	4.8	\$576	30,294	0.7	\$517
Mining	0	0.0	\$0	4,055	0.1	\$1,176
Utilities	0	0.0	\$0	13,939	0.3	\$1,378
Construction	338	4.7	\$1,135	255,709	6.0	\$729
Manufacturing	0	0.0	\$0	537,281	13.2	\$876
Wholesale Trade	104	1.5	\$624	182,823	4.5	\$1,021
Retail Trade	277	3.9	\$389	462,301	11.4	\$468
Transportation and Warehousing	145	2.0	\$709	115,772	2.8	\$721
Information	0	0.0	\$0	72,926	1.8	\$1,025
Finance and Insurance	88	1.2	\$489	152,965	3.8	\$1,183
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	27	0.4	\$181	54,786	1.3	\$673
Professional and Technical Services	46	0.6	\$457	182,439	4.5	\$1,082
Management of Companies and Enterprises	0	0.0	\$0	69,658	1.7	\$1,374
Administrative and Waste Services	78	1.1	\$467	243,995	6.0	\$505
Educational Services	0	0.0	\$0	57,097	1.4	\$711
Health Care and Social Assistance	1,668	23.4	\$351	434,459	10.7	\$688
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	0	0.0	\$0	53,965	1.3	\$551
Accommodation and Food Services	180	2.5	\$181	346,693	8.5	\$260
Other Services Ex. Public Admin	117	1.6	\$291	103,559	2.5	\$475
Public Administration				228,584	5.6	\$765
Unclassified	7	0.1	\$214	17,783	0.4	\$651

# Trends Profile Map Bertie County



## Legend

- Public Schools
- Airports
- Hospitals
- Colleges and Universities
- Community Colleges
- Rail Lines
- Interstate highways
- US Highways
- State and County Highways
- Major Rivers and Streams
- Major Waterbodies
- Municipal Boundaries



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Employment Characteristics

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## Top Manufacturers (2nd Quarter 2007)

PERDUE PRODUCTS INCORPORATED  
AVOCA INC  
PERDUE FATS & PROTEINS LLC  
H T M CONCEPTS  
CTW FOREST PRODUCTS LLC  
GREGORY MANUFACTURING CO (A CORP)

## Employment Range

1,000+  
100-249  
50-99  
Below 50  
Below 50  
Below 50



## Top Non-Manufacturing Employers (2nd Quarter 2007)

BERTIE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION  
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
NEW HOPE FOUNDATION INC  
SOLID FOUNDATION  
CENTEX CONSTRUCTION LLC  
COUNTY OF BERTIE  
EAST CAROLINA HEALTH INC  
HOME LIFE CARE INC  
BRIAN CTR HEALTH & RETIREMENT  
GOLDEN PEANUT COMPANY

## Employment Range

500-999  
250-499  
250-499  
100-249  
100-249  
100-249  
100-249  
100-249  
50-99  
50-99

## Industry

Education and Health Services  
Public Administration  
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Construction  
Public Administration  
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Education and Health Services  
Natural Resources and Mining