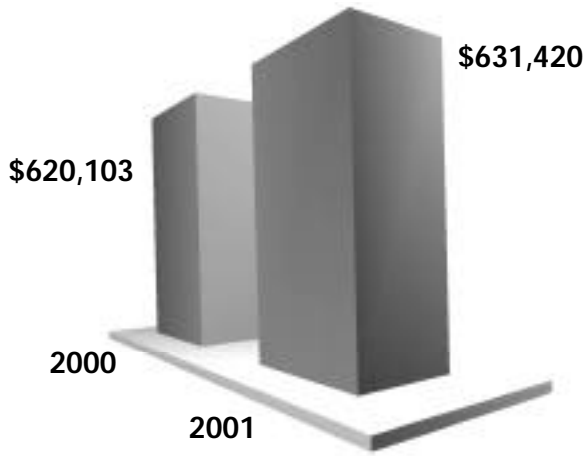


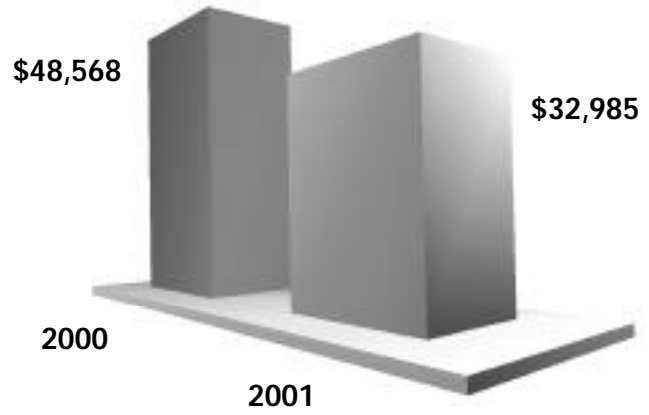
Economic Indicators

October Horry County
Accommodations Tax Collections



Percentage change +2%

October Georgetown County
Accommodations Tax Collections



Percentage change -32%

Residential Construction Permits - October 2001

Location	Myrtle Beach	Unincorporated	North Myrtle Beach	Surfside Beach	Georgetown County
Single Family Units	18	119	8	7	48
Single Family Units Cost	\$3,546,095	\$14,306,282	\$980,033	\$1,070,725	\$9,351,654
Multi-Family Bldgs	1	4	4	1	1
Multi-Family Units	6	12	105	2	4
Multi-Family Bldgs Cost	\$386,000	\$796,500	\$18,139,045	\$255,000	\$202,000

Residential Construction Permits - October 2000

Location	Myrtle Beach	Unincorporated	North Myrtle Beach	Surfside Beach	Georgetown County
Single Family Units	8	128	12	6	38
Single Family Units Cost	\$991,605	\$13,849,351	\$1,754,684	\$939,517	\$8,155,687
Multi-Family Bldgs	0	5	1	0	1
Multi-Family Units	0	37	5	0	3
Multi-Family Bldgs Cost	\$0	\$2,485,000	\$289,843	\$0	\$185,000

October Unemployment

(number of persons in labor force, rate)

	2000	rate	2001	rate
Horry County	107,060	2.6%	103,970	4.0%
Georgetown County	25,560	6.3%	25,760	8.6%

October Gross Retail Sales

	2000	2001	change
Horry County	\$468,870,267	\$436,237,900	-7.0%
Georgetown County	\$78,133,600	\$66,870,780	-14.4%

October Admissions Tax

	2000	2001	change
Horry County	\$644,229	\$580,515	-9.9%
Georgetown County	\$103,222	\$83,108	-19.5%

October Airport Activity

	2000	2001	change
Arrivals	65,843	50,613	-23.13%
Departures	69,003	52,369	-24.11%