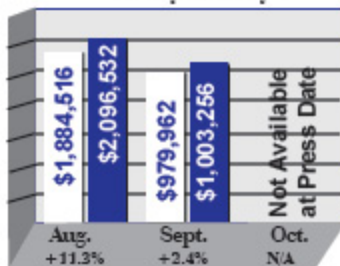


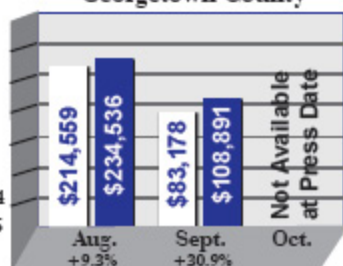
economic indicators

Accommodations Tax Collections

Horry County



Georgetown County



Residential Construction Permits September-'05

Location	Myrtle Beach	Unincorporated	North Myrtle Beach	Surfside Beach	Georgetown County
Single Family Units	20	463	40	0	50
Single Family Units Cost	\$5,124,075	\$63,390,132	\$5,326,332	0	\$10,250,458
Multi-Family Bldg	2	12	5	0	2
Multi-Family Units	28	135	100	0	13
Multi-Family Bldg Cost	\$6,000,000	\$11,934,059	\$8,377,961	0	\$883,681

Residential Construction Permits September-'04

Location	Myrtle Beach	Unincorporated	North Myrtle Beach	Surfside Beach	Georgetown County
Single Family Units	6	316	24	5	48
Single Family Units Cost	\$3,330,820	\$41,009,325	\$3,280,234	\$1,264,650	\$9,095,619
Multi-Family Bldg	0	6	11	1	3
Multi-Family Units	0	46	100	2	16
Multi-Family Bldg Cost	0	\$3,253,936	\$6,726,993	\$263,120	\$1,156,922

September Unemployment

	2004	Rate	2005	Rate
Horry County	119,880	5.0	122,700	4.9
Georgetown County	28,400	8.1	27,810	7.8

(Number of persons in labor force, rate)

September Gross Retail Sales

	2004	2005	% Change
Horry County	\$658,124,579	\$672,143,295	+2.1%
Georgetown County	\$89,638,108	\$89,255,964	+10.7%

September Admissions Tax

	2004	2005	% Change
Horry County	\$555,594	\$709,188	+27.6%
Georgetown County	\$59,629	\$101,065	+69.5%

September Airport Activity

	2004	2005	% Change
Arrivals	58,224	60,842	+4.5%
Departures	55,627	59,120	+6.3%