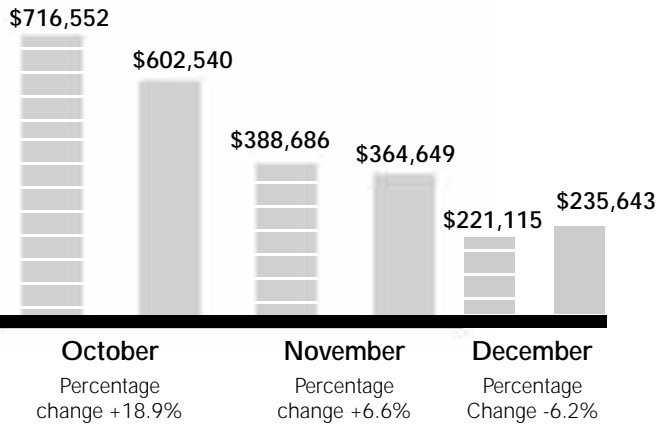


# Economic Indicators

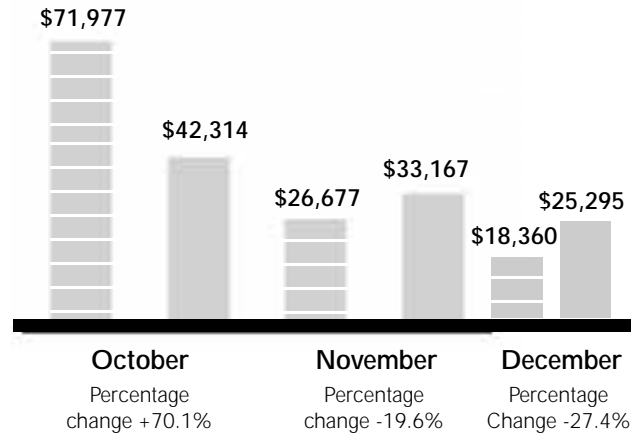
## Horry County Accommodations Tax Collections

2002



## Georgetown County Accommodations Tax Collections

2003



## Residential Construction Permits - November 2003

Location	Myrtle Beach	Unincorporated	North Myrtle Beach	Surfside Beach	Georgetown County
Single Family Units	4	183	16	4	32
Single Family Units Cost	\$1,371,435	\$26,119,427	\$2,085,794	\$695,556	\$5,887,402
Multi-Family Bldgs	0	10	3	1	0
Multi-Family Units	0	105	116	2	0
Multi-Family Bldgs Cost	\$0	\$9,134,350	\$7,094,956	\$122,094	\$0

## Residential Construction Permits - November 2002

Location	Myrtle Beach	Unincorporated	North Myrtle Beach	Surfside Beach	Georgetown County
Single Family Units	7	146	17	4	35
Single Family Units Cost	\$3,229,720	\$19,276,199	\$2,147,352	\$148,070	\$6,751,044
Multi-Family Bldgs	0	0	4	0	1
Multi-Family Units	0	0	48	0	5
Multi-Family Bldgs Cost	\$0	\$0	\$2,863,599	\$0	\$251,912

## November Unemployment

(number of persons in labor force, rate)

	2002	rate	2003	rate
Horry County	108,640	5.1%	101,840	5.9%
Georgetown County	26,220	10.6%	25,080	14.5%

## November Gross Retail Sales

	2002	2003	change
Horry County	\$407,976,923	\$476,511,279	+16.8%
Georgetown County	\$58,373,060	\$72,656,531	+24.5%

## November Admissions Tax

	2002	2003	change
Horry County	\$499,336	\$522,432	+4.6%
Georgetown County	\$67,798	\$67,404	-0.6%

## November Airport Activity

	2002	2003	change
Arrivals	42,154	50,629	+20.1%
Departures	43,449	52,693	+21.3%