

# Tyrrell County

Tyrrell County has a population of 4,143, a decrease of 6.2% over the past decade.

## Our communities thrive when we ...



### Provide Jobs and Opportunities

There were 141 people looking for work compared to 53 job openings.

In the past year, the county's unemployment rate has gone from 10.3% to 9.1%.



### Ensure Access to Affordable Housing and Health Services

Rent was unaffordable for 47.9% of renters.

16.8% did not have health insurance.

There are \*\*\* residents for every mental health provider.



### Address Structural Barriers to Equality

57.7% of residents are low-income (\$48,600 or less for a family of four).

The richest 5% of households have an average income 25 times greater than the poorest fifth and 6 times the typical household.

**... make the investments needed to power prosperity for more people and places in our state.**

Poverty and Economic Hardship			
	County	State	Year
Percentage of people living in poverty	27.3%	15.4%	2012-2016
Black	44.1%	26.1%	
White	12.6%	11.5%	
Latinx	33%	31.5%	
Asian	0%	12.9%	
American Indian	69.4%	28.1%	
Child poverty rate	38.2%	21.7%	2016

Jobs and Ability to Afford the Basics			
	County	State	Year
Jobless worker : Job openings	141 : 53	150,919 : 141,253	Jan. 2018
Unemployment rate	9.1%	4.3%	Dec. 2017
Change in number of people employed since December 2007	776 fewer	422,055 more	2016
Living Income Standard* wage (1 adult, 2 kids)	\$20.98	\$21.95	2016
Hourly median wage	\$12.98	\$16.31	2016
Change in median wage since the recovery began	fell \$3.00	fell 15 cents	2009, 2016
Median Household Income	\$33,666	\$50,595	2016

Access to Affordable Housing			
	County	State	Year
Percentage of people paying more than 30% of income toward rent	47.9%	50.6%	2012-2016
Fair market rent for a two-bedroom unit	\$642	\$821	2017
Two-bedroom housing wage (Number of hours/week a minimum wage worker would need for a two-bedroom unit)	\$12.35	\$15.79	2017

Healthy Lives and Communities			
	County	State	Year
Percentage of residents without health insurance	16.8%	13.2%	2012-2016
Life expectancy	78.7 years	78 years	2014-2016
Black	81.7 years	75.6 years	
White	76.6 years	78.8 years	
Mental health provider : residents	***	1 : 464	2017

Educational Attainment			
	County	State	Year
Graduation rate	92.3%	86.5%	2016-2017
Black	>95%	83.9%	
White	>95%	89.3%	
Latinx	71.4%	80.5%	
Asian	***	93.8%	
American Indian	***	84.3%	
Percentage of adults with Bachelor's degrees	8.2%	29%	2012-2016
Bachelor's degree, men	9.9%	28.2%	
Bachelor's degree, women	7.0%	29.8%	
Median salary, men with at least a Bachelor's	\$29,018	\$57,765	
Median salary, women with at least a Bachelor's	\$40,074	\$38,851	

Work and Income Supports to Avoid Poverty			
	County	State	Year
Percentage of residents receiving SNAP	18.0%	13.5%	Dec. 2017
Number of people eligible for state Earned Income Tax Credit**	517	1,204,039	2013

\* The Living Income Standard is a measure of what a family needs in order to cover the basic expenses. \*\* Lawmakers allowed the state EITC to expire in 2013. \*\*\* Insufficient data