# The Economic Outlook for Missoula and Ravalli Counties

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## **Missoula County Profile**

Indicator	Value	State Rank
Total Population, 2020	117,922	3
Percent change since 2010	11.9%	7
Median age	36.0	50
Percent Aged 65 or Older	15.0%	
Percent with Bachelors Degree or Higher (Age 25+)	43.0%	2
Percent without Health Insurance Coverage, 2018	9.0%	49

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Decennial Census 2010, 2020

## **Missoula County Profile**

Ir	ndicator	Value	State Rank
Earnings per Job, 2020		\$51,752	19
	Construction	\$66,647	11
	Manufacturing	\$49,789	11
	Retail Trade	\$40,308	10
	Forestry, Fishing and related	\$53,390	1
	Information	67,382	7

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

## **Ravalli County Profile**

Indicator	Value	State Rank
Total Population, 2020	44,174	7
Percent change since 2010	9.9%	10
Median age	49.1	15
Percent Aged 65 or Older	25.1%	
Percent with Bachelors Degree or Higher (Age 25+)	27.8%	17
Percent without Health Insurance Coverage, 2018	14.2%	15

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Decennial Census 2010, 2020

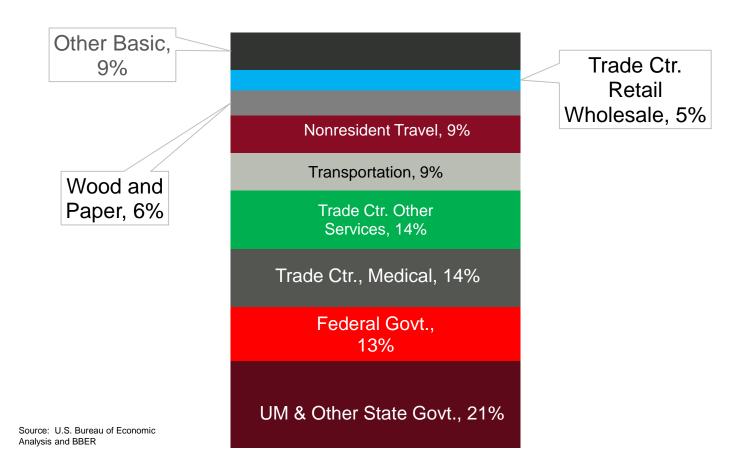
## **Ravalli County Profile**

Ir	ndicator	Value	State Rank
Earnings per Job, 2020		\$38,783	46
	Construction	\$45,890	30
	Manufacturing	\$37,097	17
	Retail Trade	\$28,192	34
	Information	\$33,075	28
	Forestry, fishing, related activities, and other	\$26,476	9

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

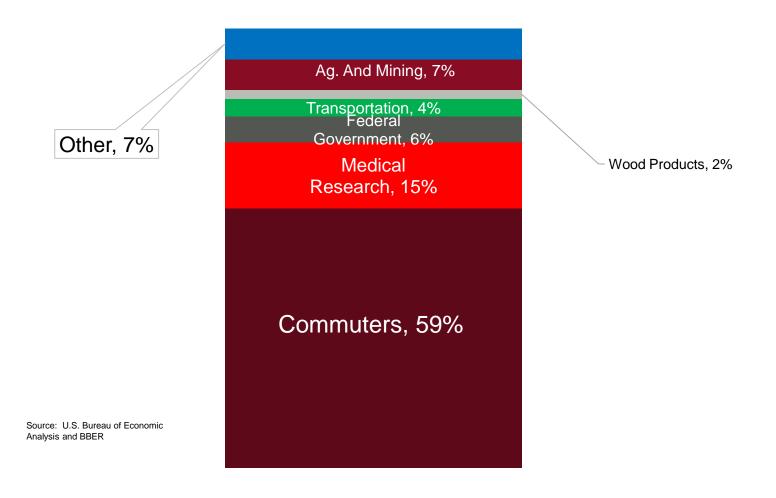
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Percent Share of Income in Basic Industries, Missoula County

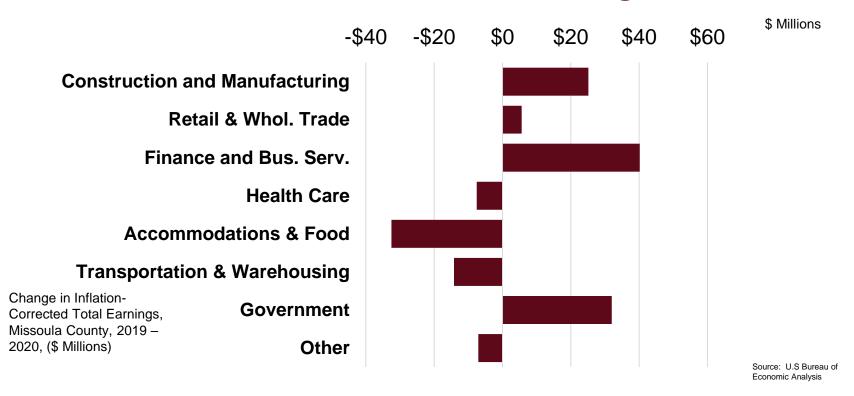


#### **Drivers of Economic Activity**

Percent Share of Income in Basic Industries, Ravalli County

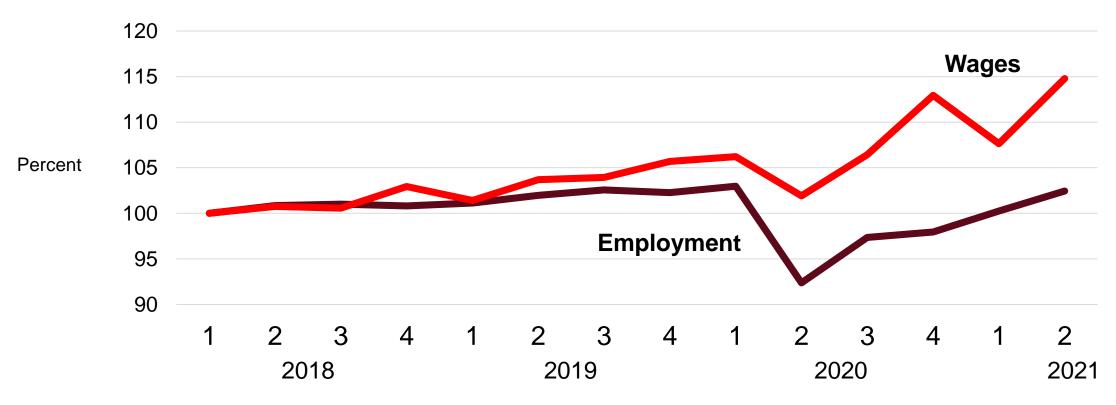


### **Government Growth Was a Stabilizing Force**



# Wages and Employment, Missoula County, 2018Q1 – 2021Q2

Seasonally Adjusted Index, 2018Q1 = 100

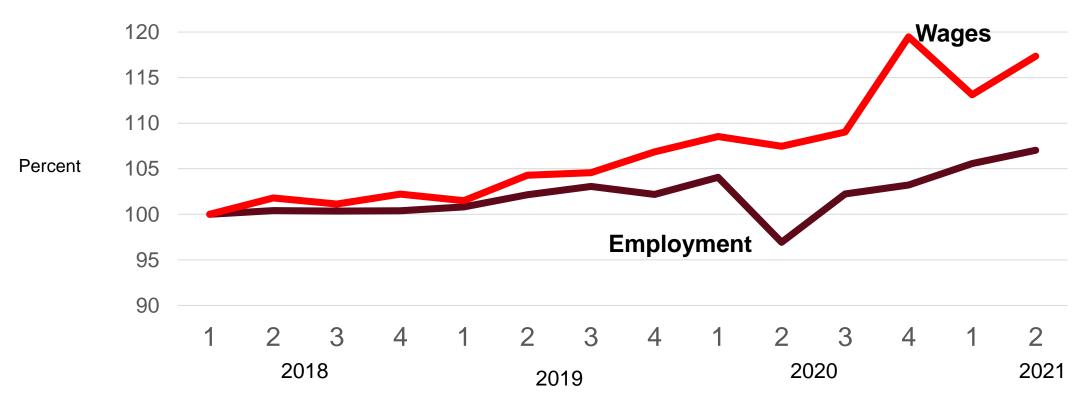


Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages



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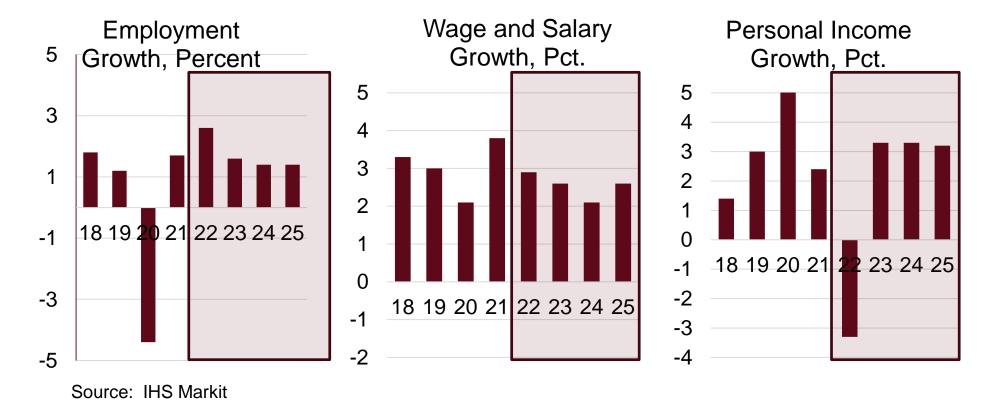


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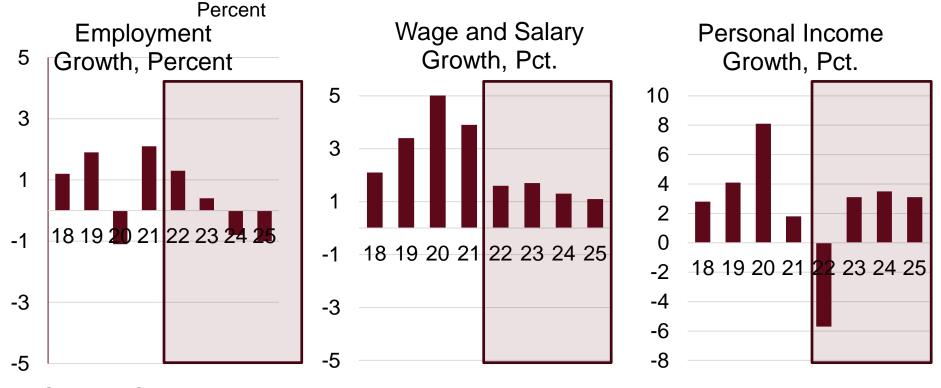
## Missoula County's Recession Experience

Employment, Wages and Salary and Income Growth, Actual and Forecast, Percent



## Ravalli County's Recession Experience

Employment, Wages and Salary and Income Growth, Actual and Forecast,



Source: IHS Markit

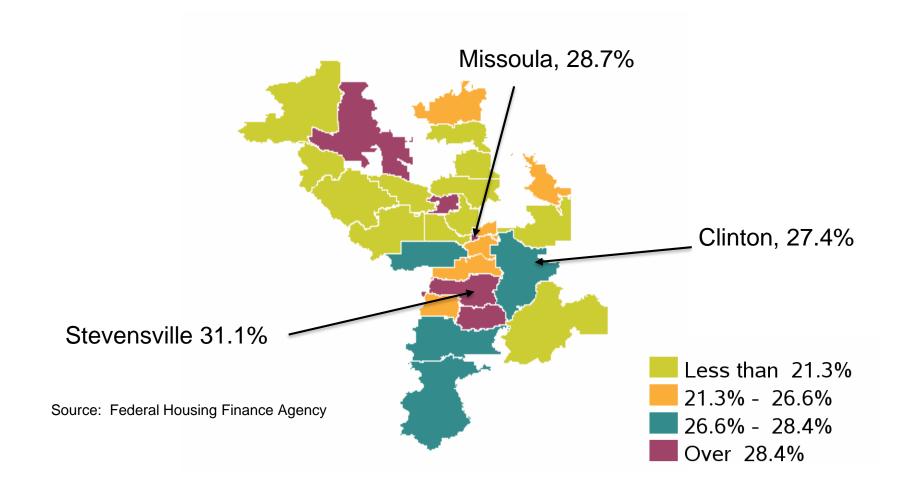
# **Home Prices Surged in 2021**

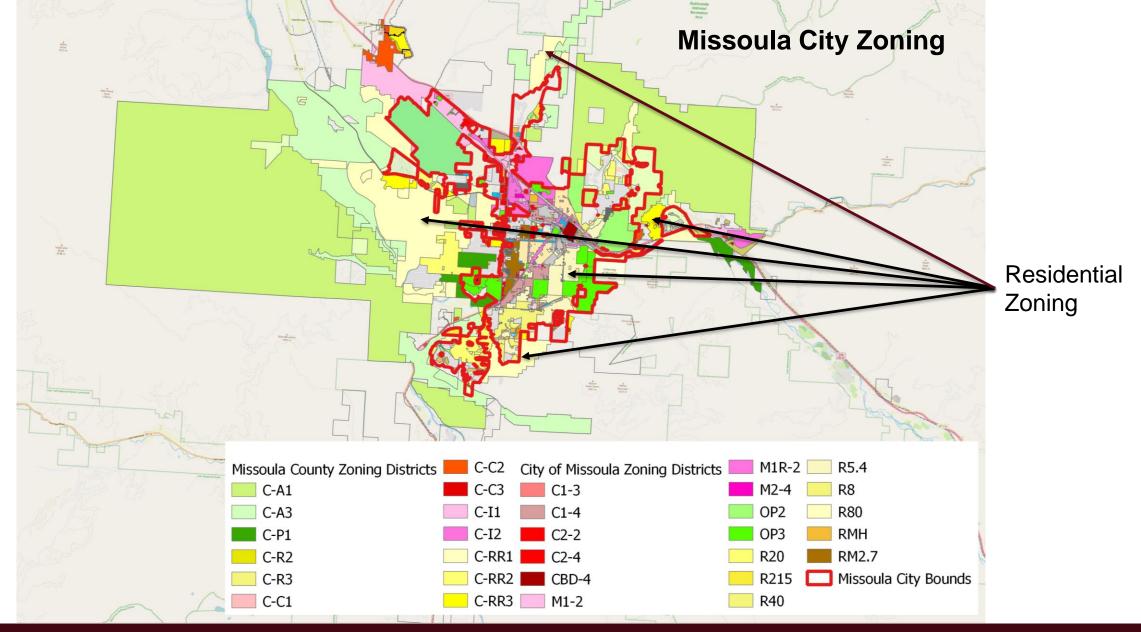
Missoula County Market Statistics for Single Family Homes



Source: Montana Regional MLS.

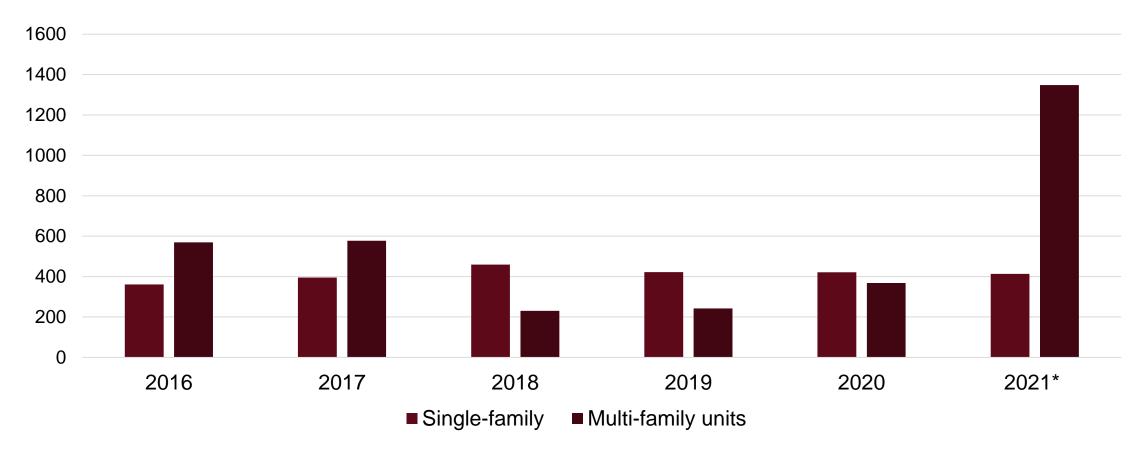
## **Housing Price Growth, 2016-2020**







## **Housing Starts, Missoula County**

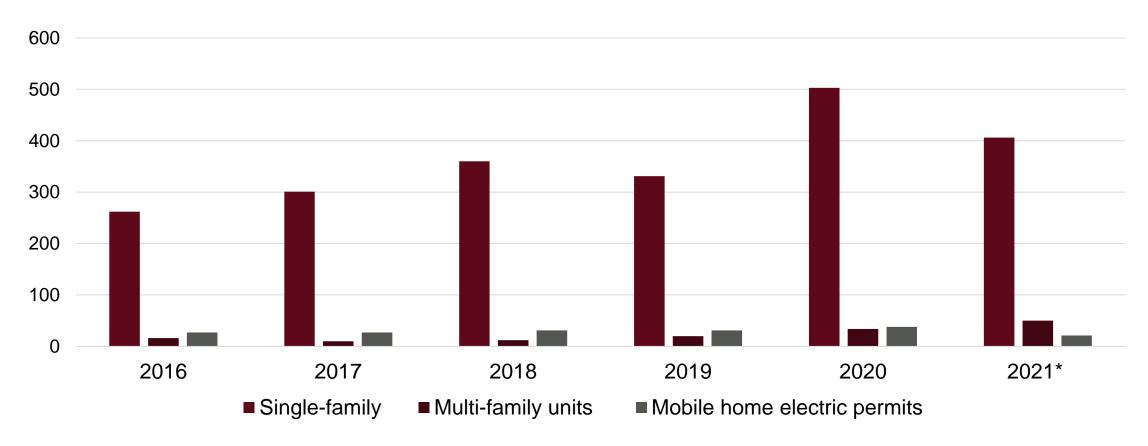


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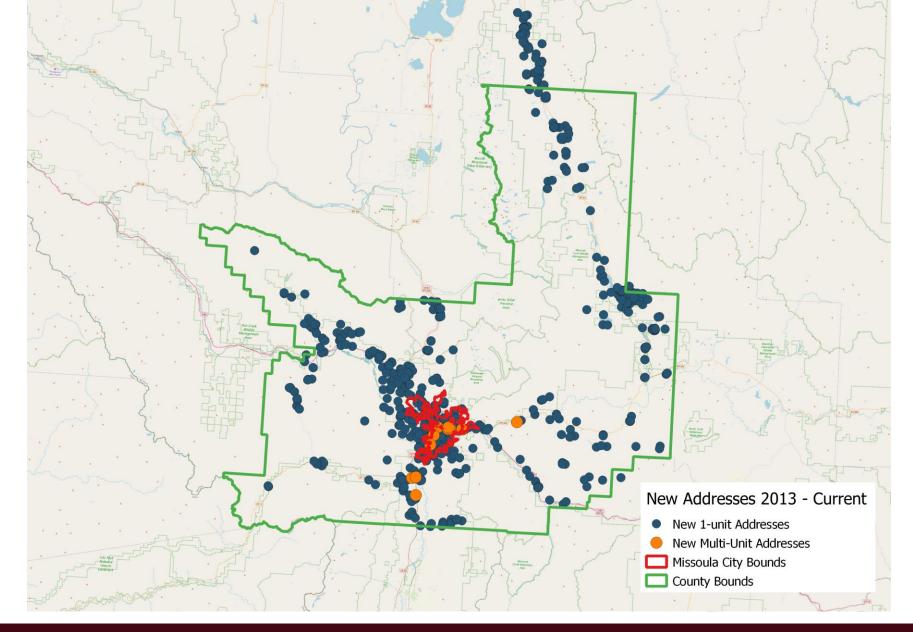
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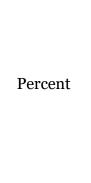
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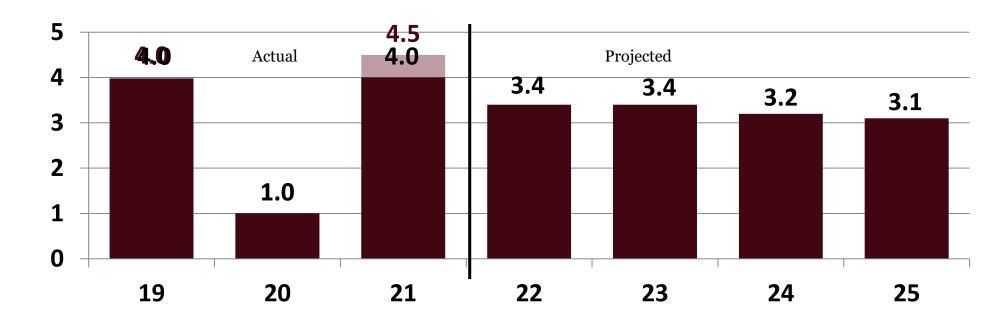
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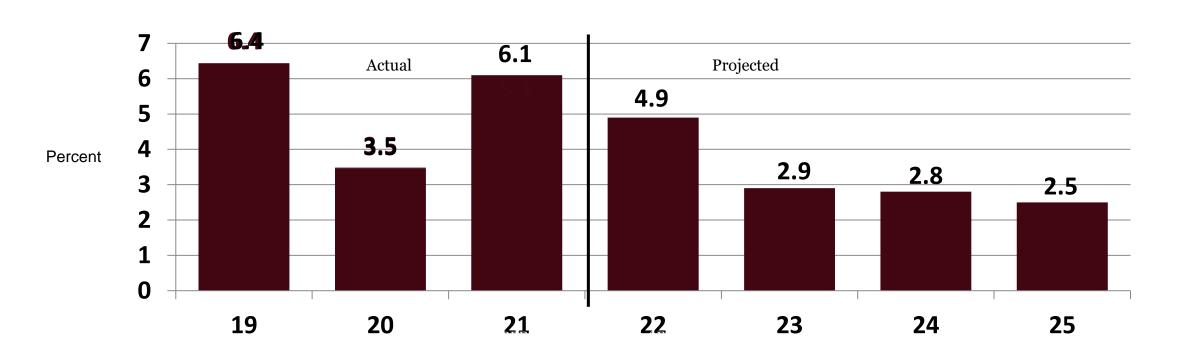
Growth in Nonfarm Earnings, Missoula County, 2019-2025





Source: BBER and U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

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