

# Surry County

## Highlights from the 2022 NCACC Map Book



### Demographics

2022 population	71,113
Projected change over next 20 years	0%
2042 population projection	70,842

2022 Population Facts	County	NC	Rank <sup>1</sup>
Median Age	42.5	39.6	52
Population Under 18	20%	21%	44
Population Age 65+	20%	18%	56
Veterans	5%	6%	86



### Health and Wellbeing

<b>29%</b> of residents are covered by Medicaid.(4)	<b>17%</b> of residents under 65 are uninsured.(2)	<b>16%</b> of households are food insecure.(3)
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residents died from opioid poisoning in 2020.

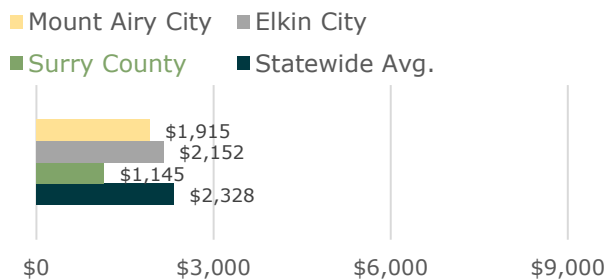
**12,338**  
residents were prescribed opioids in 2020.



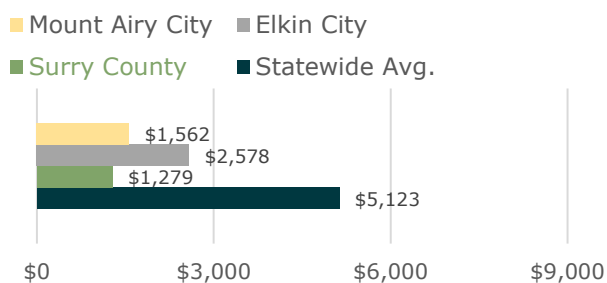
### Education

<b>63%</b> of eligible children are enrolled in NC Pre-K.(4)	<b>42%</b> of adults 25-44 hold a post-secondary degree or credential. (5)	<b>16%</b> of residents age 16-24 are not in school or working.(2)
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#### Local K-12 \$ Per Student, FY 2020-21



#### Avg Teacher Salary Supplement, FY 2021-22



### Economy and Taxes

	County	NC	Rank <sup>1</sup>
<b>Income</b>			
Per Capita Income (3)	\$42,133	\$50,305	51
Average Weekly Wage (4)	\$818	\$1,146	48
Children in Poverty (3)	20%	18%	57

#### Employment

Unemployment Rate (May 2022)	3.4%	3.5%	63
Employed residents whose job is within the county (3)	68%	71%	38
Employed residents who commute by driving alone (3)	85%	71%	17

#### Access to Technology

Households with broadband or satellite internet access (3)	63%	76%	71
Households with access to a computing device (3)	83%	91%	77

#### Local Taxes, FY 2021-22

Property Tax Rate	0.5520	0.6072	80
Taxable property per capita (in thousands of dollars)	\$98.1	\$131.1	64
Property tax levy per capita	\$542	\$822	94
Sales tax rate (State + local)	7.00%	-	-

**Notes:** (1) A rank of 1 indicates the highest level or rate Statewide; a rank of 100 represents the lowest. (2) 2019 data; (3) 2020 data; (4) 2021 data; (5) 2018 data. For full notes and sources, or to download the Map Book or this fact sheet, visit [www.ncacc.com/mapbook](http://www.ncacc.com/mapbook).