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B Y THE NUMBERS 2001: COMPARING THE COST OF LOCAL GOVERNM NORTH CAROLINA is our third annual survey of city and count and fees, and the second to be published as a report of the for Local Innovation, a project of the John Locke Foundation desig aid local leaders in pursuing innovation and efficiency in local gover in North Carolina.

Using data found on regular financial reports filed with the Treasurer's office by county and municipal governments across th report co-authors Michael Lowrey and Erik Root compared tax and lections with income and population data. This shows the propor the average citizen's income that goes to funding government at th level.

By THE NUMBERS 2001 contains a large amount of data, incorporated in appendix with results by county and another with results by mur ity (grouped according to population ranges). The report is desig that each reader will be able to pinpoint his or her particular coun municipal tax and fee burden and then use By THE NUMBERS 2001 as ing point for a further inquiry into the issue of local taxes.

The cost of government is, of course, only one side of the equation matters is whether North Carolinians are satisfied with the local sithey are receiving for the price they are paying. This report maattempt to answer that question. As the Center for Local Innc continues its efforts to publish outcome data for city and county gments, we hope to give citizens the tools they need to judge how we are being served by the local governments they fund with their hardmoney.

As always, we welcome questions or comments about By THE NUMBE and other programs of the Center for Local Innovation.

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ne of the most controversial issues in North Carolina politics is how best to fund needed government programs at the local level. Dozens of counties have asked for taxing authority in addition to the property tax and other traditional sources. At the state level, lawmakers have debated funding inequity in public schools and the impact of population growth on the ability of localities to deliver services.

All of these debates would benefit from more and better information. Citizens need to know how much they are paying in local taxes and fees so they can decide whether additional sources of funding are needed.

Using data on property taxes, sales taxes, and miscellaneous taxes and fees from the State Treasurer's Annual Financial Information Report, we calculated county and municipal tax and fee burdens, 1) as a percentage of income (for counties) and 2) per capita (for counties and municipalities). We then constructed a set of rankings to more clearly view the cost of local government. Though this analysis is by no means definitive, it moves citizens one step closer to grappling with this complicated issue.

North Carolina collected almost \$14 billion in state tax and fee revenues for fiscal year 1998-99. This represented 7.3 percent of the personal income of the state's citizens. In addition, local governments collected an additional \$8.4 billion in property, sales, and other taxes and fees, representing another 4.3 percent of personal income. Combining the two yields an 11.6 percent state and local tax and fee burden. Federal collections raise the total tax burden on North Carolinians to around <u>35 percent</u>.

The median total property tax burden by county in North Carolina was 1.89 percent of income, or about \$400 per person. Counties ranged from 4.68 percent in Dare County (\$1081.65 per capita) to 1.04 percent in Alexander County (\$220.99 per capita).

The median total local burden by county (including property, sales, and other taxes and fees) as a percentage of income in North Carolina was 4.11 percent, a 1.56 percent increase from 1998. Counties ranged from a high of 11.32 percent in Dare County to a low of 2.52 percent in Alexander County.

It is important to note that incomes vary among counties, and this can affect the rankings. Counties of similar size and similar total tax collections can vary in their burden because of differences in per-capita incomes. Differences among counties can also reflect the rate and extent of annexation, which places more taxpayers onto municipal tax rolls. Additionally, our analysis excluded intergovernmental revenues, municipal electric and gas charges, bond-sale proceeds, and several other forms of revenue.

Finally, there is a wealth of detail, by county and by municipality, in the appendices accompanying this report. Though some data were not available, overall this report presents a fairly comprehensive picture of the cost of local government in North Carolina.

North Ca. local gov our citize 11.6 perco come, not eral taxes levels of g North Carolina's city and county governments have increasingly been coming to the General Assembly to obtain new ways to tax their citizens. orth Carolina's city and county governments have increa been coming to the General Assembly to obtain new ways their citizens. Bills to impose an additional penny of loca taxes, to authorize impact taxes and transfer fees on new homes o nesses, and to provide local-option gasoline taxes have all been f discussed in just the past year.

But to authorize new local taxes is to assume that current revenue s are inadequate. Whether this proposition is true depends to a great on to what extent current local taxes are imposed, how their proceec changed over time, and the effectiveness of the services they fund.

By THE NUMBERS 2001 helps to answer some of these questions. To q the impact of taxes and fees at the county and municipal levels, v lected data from the N.C. Department of the State Treasurer for fisc 1998-99, as well as 1997-98 and 1996-97 for comparison. Building Treasurer's methodology, this report categorizes revenue as from pr taxes, sales taxes, or other sources. The sum of these revenues, less governmental transfers (i.e. state or federal money given to local g ments), is the total local cost of local government.

Property Taxes

The tables in the back of this report present 1) per-capita property 2) per-capita sales taxes, and 3) per-capita total local revenue. To obt per-capita property tax, we divided the total amount of property t lected by the jurisdiction's 1999 population. For counties, we then d this per-capita amount by the county's per-capita personal income termine the share of income that went toward county property tax fortunately, data on per-capita income become available more slow the other factors considered; as a result, fiscal 1998 income data wer Because of this and other data construction issues, minor discrep may exist in the results presented.

Readers will immediately notice the relatively high per-capita pr taxes in many resort communities in North Carolina. Given the na the data, this is not surprising. Second homes and resorts certainly pear on local tax registers. However, as owners or renters only rare in these dwellings year-round, such localities typically have small] nent populations. High tax values divided by a small permanent p tion will produce a high per-capita tax burden. Therefore, these nu are not necessarily comparable to other tax-burden statistics.

Sales Taxes

We used a similar approach to calculate per-capita local sales tax reformunicipalities and counties, and, in addition, local sales tax reve

may influence the amount of revenue collected would include per-capita income and local shopping patterns. Tourist areas and urban centers should tend to have higher per-capita sales tax revenues, as people from surrounding areas come to visit and shop.

Total Tax and Fee Burden

We measured total local government revenue using a methodology similar to last year's report. We report per-capita figures for both counties and towns, and a county's total taxes as a portion of per-capita income. This methodology excludes intergovernmental transfers, electric and gas charges, private contributions, investment earnings, sales of materials, fixed assets, and real estate, proceeds from bonds, capital leases, and installment purchases, and certain "other" revenue sources.

Based upon further research, however, a different approach was taken with regard to water and sewer fee revenue. In the past, we have assigned all of water and sewer revenue to the entity collecting it. In practice, however, municipalities often provide service to other towns as well or residents of unincorporated areas. Because the pattern of such service provision is difficult to determine, water and sewer revenues have been excluded from the municipality and county only data. In addition, revenues of the Orange Water and Sewer Authority (OWASA) are also included. Because of this change in methodology, direct comparisons are not possible between this year's and last year's version of the report.

To measure the combined impact of local taxes and fees, we combined all taxes and fees within a county (excluding revenues mentioned above but including water and sewer revenues), whether assessed by the county or any of the municipalities within the county. To measure the relative burden this imposed on residents of that county, we divided the total tax amount by the county's total personal income as of fiscal year 1998.

Lastly, we ranked counties and municipalities by their relative burdens. Municipalities were sorted by population and then ranked within four population ranges (under 1,000 population; 1,000-4,999; 5,000-24,999; and more than 25,000). All 100 counties were ranked relative to each other.

For comparison, we have included a full set of results for counties and rankings for municipalities for the 1997-1998 fiscal year. To make fair comparisons, these earlier year figures have been adjusted by changes in the Consumer Price Index (CPI). Readers wishing to obtain actual collections in 1997-1998 may multiply the listing by 0.983.

Level of Government Service Not Measured

Finally, while the data presented in this report show the cost of local government as represented by taxes and fees, we do not attempt to measure the quantity or quality of services provided in exchange for those dollars. Nor does this analysis measure the additional out-of-pocket costs to individuals for services that their local government may not provide. In unincorporated areas, for example, homeowners may have to contract privately for garbage pickup, while those living in a town or city may well receive this service, paid for through their municipal property and other taxes. While the in this re cost of loc as represand fees I attempt t quantity services I change fo

County	1999 Combined Local Burden as % of Income	1999 Rank	1998 Combined Local Burden as % of Income	1998	%Change 1998-99	1997 Combined Local Burden as % of Income	1997 <u>Ran</u> ł
N.C. Median	4.11%		4.03%		1.56%	4.04%	_
		Hi	gh Burden — Uppe	er Quart	ile		
Dare	11.32%	1	11.20%	1	1.00%	10.89%	1
Currituck	7.46%	2	7.08%	2	5.43%	6.89%	4
Bladen	7.25%	3	6.78%	4	6.94%	6.67%	5
Brunswick	6.74%	4	6.89%	3	-2.14%	6.93%	3
Hyde	6.35%	5	6.19%	5	2.57%	6.30%	6
Durham	5.98%	6	5.88%	7	1.56%	5.88%	7
Tyrrell	5.40%	7	5.12%	11	5.53%	5.02%	13
Mecklenburg	5.32%	8	5.09%	12	4.51%	5.08%	9
New Hanover	5.25%	9	5.23%	8	0.37%	5.14%	8
Edgecombe	5.23%	10	5.15%	10	1.56%	5.04%	12
Warren	5.20%	11	4.89%	13	6.27%	5.07%	11
Pasquotank	5.20%	12	4.76%	18	9.17%	4.37%	28
Halifax	5.00%	13	4.86%	15	2.78%	4.99%	14
Cabarrus	4.95%	14	4.04%	50	22.53%	3.99%	53
Hertford	4.92%	15	4.83%	16	1.85%	4.59%	21
Watauga	4.89%	16	4.77%	17	2.48%	4.97%	16
Beaufort	4.88%	17	4.67%	20	4.61%	4.60%	20
Guilford	4.87%	18	4.89%	14	-0.47%	4.76%	18
Vance	4.79%	19	4.60%	23	4.05%	4.51%	26
Orange	4.78%	20	4.51%	25	5.97%	4.21%	38
Scotland	4.76%	21	4.66%	21	2.22%	4.56%	22
Wilson	4.74%	22	5.20%	9	-8.93%	4.99%	15
Gaston	4.70%	23	4.68%	19	0.31%	4.29%	34
Robeson	4.68%	24 24	4.40%	29	6.42%	4.52%	25
Swain	4.65%	25	3.26%	78	42.60%	3.04%	85
	Av	erage Bi	urden — Second ai	nd Third	Quartiles		
Richmond	4.61%	26	4.59%	24	0.46%	4.62%	19
Martin	4.59%	27	4.43%	27	3.67%	4.83%	17
Person	4.57%	28	4.29%	35	6.65%	4.52%	24
Anson	4.55%	29	6.18%	6	-26.31%	8.13%	2
Hoke	4.50%	30	4.39%	30	2.65%	4.43%	27
Perquimans	4.50%	31	4.43%	28	1.67%	4.30%	33
Avery	4.48%	32	4.45%	26	0.74%	4.54%	23
Transylvania	4.47%	33	4.21%	40	6.06%	4.09%	47
Macon	4.46%	34	4.61%	22	-3.23%	5.08%	10
Buncombe	4.42%	35	4.23%	38	4.53%	4.30%	31
Washington	4.42%	36	4.11%	48	7.36%	4.12%	43
Lee	4.42%	37	4.29%	34	2.84%	4.24%	37
Johnston	4.37%	38	4.23%	39	3.34%	3.93%	56
Carteret	4.36%	39	4.38%	31	-0.46%	4.32%	29
Rockingham	4.31%	40	4.33%	32	-0.39%	4.30%	30
Lenoir	4.28%	41	4.14%	46	3.34%	4.10%	45
Montgomery	4.26%	42	4.17%	42	2.24%	4.24%	36
Catawba	4.25%	43	4.31%	33	-1.33%	4.16%	40
Union	4.25%	44	4.16%	43	2.10%	4.08%	48
Duplin	4.24%	45	3.39%	73	25.25%	3.54%	70
Franklin	4.22%	46	3.97%	55	6.38%	3.95%	55
Pitt	4.22%	47	4.24%	36	-0.49%	4.10%	44
Mitchell	4.14%	48	4.12%	47	0.41%	3.92%	57
Pender	4.14%	49	4.15%	45	-0.20%	4.20%	39
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<u>County</u>	1999 Combined Local Burden as % of Income	1999 <u>Rank</u>	1998 Combined Local Burden as % of Income	1998	%Change 1998-99	1997 Combined Local Burden as % of Income
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Northampton	4.12%	50	4.19%	41	-1.57%	4.30%
Haywood	4.11%	51	4.00%	52	2.81%	4.05%
Graham	4.11%	52	4.15%	44	-0.96%	4.04%
Chowan	4.10%	53	4.01%	51	2.15%	3.97%
Forsyth	4.09%	54	4.23%	37	-3.41%	4.28%
Harnett	4.06%	55	3.83%	58	5.97%	4.03%
Cumberland	4.06%	56	3.76%	62	7.98%	3.76%
Cherokee	4.02%	57	3.88%	56	3.56%	4.15%
Wake	3.98%	58	3.99%	53	-0.23%	4.12%
Cleveland	3.97%	59	3.86%	57	2.85%	3.73%
Stanly	3.93%	60	3.98%	54	-1.05%	4.01%
Burke	3.86%	61	3.59%	67	7.55%	3.59%
Rowan	3.85%	62	4.05%	49	-4.94%	3.91%
Lincoln	3.84%	63	3.79%	59	1.34%	3.90%
Nash	3.78%	64	3.76%	61	0.40%	3.77%
Pamlico	3.77%	65	3.78%	60	-0.38%	4.09%
Rutherford	3.68%	66	3.72%	63	-1.04%	3.72%
Alamance	3.61%	67	3.63%	66	-0.72%	3.66%
Columbus	3.60%	68	3.72%	64	-3.25%	3.57%
Craven	3.55%	69	3.58%	68	-0.91%	3.47%
Wayne	3.54%	70	3.33%	76	6.47%	3.24%
Surry	3.53%	71	3.56%	70	-0.76%	3.57%
Jackson	3.52%	72	3.56%	69	-1.09%	3.61%
Iredell	3.50%	73	3.34%	75	4.82%	3.38%
Henderson	3.49%	74	3.45%	72	1.21%	3.20%
Caldwell	3.45%	75	3.63%	65	-5.15%	3.15%
		Lo	w Burden — Lowe	r Quarti	le	
Alleghany	3.45%	76	3.48%	71	-1.06%	3.90%
Chatham	3.43%	77	3.39%	74	1.15%	3.35%
Moore	3.40%	78	3.28%	77	3.69%	3.17%
Sampson	3.40%	79	3.08%	83	10.38%	2.96%
Jones	3.32%	80	2.99%	90	11.30%	3.27%
Greene	3.28%	81	2.76%	98	18.61%	2.84%
Yancey	3.25%	82	3.08%	82	5.66%	3.10%
Wilkes	3.17%	83	3.05%	84	3.75%	3.06%
Granville	3.16%	84	3.09%	81	2.36%	3.40%
Clay	3.16%	85	3.13%	80	0.91%	3.26%
Yadkin	3.13%	86	2.98%	91	5.10%	2.82%
Gates	3.11%	87	3.03%	86	2.62%	2.98%
Onslow	3.11%	88	2.92%	93	6.46%	3.05%
McDowell	3.09%	89	3.15%	79	-1.99%	3.21%
Ashe	3.04%	90	2.87%	96	5.99%	2.89%
Bertie	3.01%	91	2.99%	88	0.43%	2.93%
Stokes	3.00%	92	2.99%	89	0.33%	2.93%
Randolph	2.98%	93	3.02%	87	-1.35%	2.98%
Camden	2.97%	94	3.04%	85	-2.10%	3.02%
	2.93%	95	2.90%	95	1.19%	2.84%
Davie		96	2.90%	94	0.64%	2.65%
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<u>County</u>	% of Income	<u>Rank</u>	Per Capita	<u>Rank</u>	County	% of Income	<u>Rank</u>	Per Capita
N.C. Median	1.89%		\$400.39		Pitt	1.89%	50	\$430.10
					Union	1.89%	51	\$420.65
Dare	4.68%	1	\$1,081.65	1	Mitchell	1.89%	52	\$366.85
Brunswick	3.77%	2	\$744.63	7	Catawba	1.88%	53	\$509.88
Currituck	3.52%	3	\$780.23	4	Jones	1.87%	54	\$357.79
Tyrrell	3.48%	4	\$537.90	19	Franklin	1.86%	55	\$390.13
Durham	3.14%	5	\$894.43	3	Duplin	1.86%	56	\$381.78
Hyde	3.10%	6	\$562.30	15	Gates	1.85%	57	\$328.26
Cabarrus	2.88%	7	\$762.89	5	Chatham	1.83%	58	\$503.56
Warren	2.76%	8	\$438.66	34	Lincoln	1.83%	59	\$391.34
Person	2.75%	9	\$576.50	12	Cumberland	1.81%	60	\$436.73
Orange	2.66%	10	\$752.42	6	Columbus	1.79%	61	\$358.18
Mecklenburg	2.65%	11	\$935.66	2	Anson	1.75%	62	\$359.05
Guilford	2.54%	12	\$742.51	8	Nash	1.74%	63	\$411.00
Hertford	2.51%	13	\$442.96	33	Camden	1.73%	64	\$340.41
Scotland	2.49%	14	\$472.96	24	Robeson	1.72%	65	\$296.09
Avery	2.44%	15	\$545.87	18	Alleghany	1.71%	66	\$404.43
Martin	2.42%	16	\$452.07	30	Stanly	1.70%	67	\$368.90
Transylvania	2.42%	17	\$565.93	13	Henderson	1.67%	68	\$436.59
Edgecombe	2.41%	18	\$467.28	26	Cleveland	1.66%	69	\$349.97
New Hanover	2.40%	19	\$632.10	11	Rutherford	1.65%	70	\$333.96
Gaston	2.40%	20	\$555.98	16	Moore	1.65%	71	\$468.99
Carteret	2.27%	21	\$531.34	20	Ashe	1.64%	72	\$331.00
Lee	2.25%	22	\$551.56	17	Clay	1.61%	73	\$303.62
Wilson	2.20%	23	\$523.57	21	Madison	1.61%	74	\$299.20
Vance	2.20%	24	\$417.38	42	Yancey	1.61%	75	\$294.26
Forsyth	2.19%	25	\$686.57	9	Cherokee	1.60%	76	\$279.39
Buncombe	2.18%	26	\$565.71	14	Alamance	1.60%	77	\$396.60
Washington	2.18%	27	\$399.47	52	Iredell	1.58%	78	\$385.98
Watauga	2.17%	28	\$455.80	28	Sampson	1.58%	79	\$313.45
Bladen	2.17%	29	\$431.65	38	Harnett	1.57%	80	\$299.94
Pamlico	2.17%	30	\$460.45	27	Granville	1.56%	81	\$326.75
Pender	2.16%	31	\$400.52	50	Yadkin	1.53%	82	\$335.04
Graham	2.16%	32	\$364.48	64	McDowell	1.52%	83	\$296.86
Perquimans	2.14%	33	\$376.66	59	Burke	1.51%	84	\$311.54
Haywood	2.12%	34	\$455.20	29	Craven	1.50%	85	\$352.30
Macon	2.10%	35	\$444.95	31	Caldwell	1.50%	86	\$330.03
Hoke	2.06%	36	\$280.01	93	Wayne	1.47%	87	\$289.36
Lenoir	2.05%	37	\$436.02	37	Greene	1.47%	88	\$264.21
Montgomery	2.04%	38	\$404.28	48	Stokes	1.47%	89	\$303.75
Rockingham	2.03%	39	\$424.41	40	Caswell	1.46%	90	\$269.10
Northampton		40	\$369.53	60	Bertie	1.46%	91	\$269.23
Beaufort	1.97%	41	\$400.25	51	Wilkes	1.43%	92	\$315.08
Wake	1.95%	42	\$657.47	10	Surry	1.43%	93	\$313.18
Pasquotank	1.95%	43	\$380.94	58	Polk	1.42%	94	\$407.07
Jackson	1.93%	44	\$401.73	49	Swain	1.38%	95	\$222.41
Chowan	1.93%	45	\$410.14	44	Davidson	1.34%	96	\$307.51
Halifax	1.93%	46	\$354.01	69	Davie	1.32%	97	\$369.00
Johnston	1.91%	47	\$443.81	32	Randolph	1.27%	98	\$286.61
Richmond	1.90%	48	\$357.80	67	Onslow	1.13%	99	\$249.03
Rowan	1.90%	49	\$409.57	45	Alexander	1.04%	100	\$220.99

Alamance		County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Alamance
1 11411141100	1999 Burden: 3.61%	1.85% (100)	1.86% (99)	Burlington
	1998 Burden: 3.63%	County Rev. Per Cap. \$459.74 (92)	County Rev. Per Cap. \$453.85 (93)	Elon College Graham
	1997 Burden: 3.66%	Property Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income 1.05% (97)	Green Level Haw River
	Change FY98-99: -0.72%	1.04% (96) Property Tax Per Cap.	Property Tax Per Cap.	Mebane
	Rank: 67 (1999), 66 (1998)	\$258.96 (83)	\$257.44 (82)	Swepsonville
		Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income	
	Population: 124,042	0.51% (90) Sales Tax Per Capita	0.50% (86) Sales Tax Per Capita	
	Per Capita Income: \$24,836	\$125.87 (61)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Alexander		County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Taylorsville
/ MCAUITUCI	1999 Burden: 2.52%	2.14% (89)	2.24% (86)	-
	1998 Burden: 2.60%	County Rev. Per Cap.	County Rev. Per Cap. \$463.94 (85)	
	1997 Burden: 2.60%	\$455.93 (93) Property Tax/Income	\$463.94 (85) Property Tax/Income	
\sim	Change EV08 00: 2 22%	0.98% (98)	1.07% (95)	
	Change FY98-99: -3.23% Rank: 100 (1999), 99 (1998)	Property Tax Per Cap.	Property Tax Per Cap.	
	Kank. 100 (1999); 99 (1990)	\$208.27 (98) Sales Tax/Income	\$222.28 (96) Sales Tax/Income	
	Population: 32,530	0.64% (42)	0.64% (38)	
	Per Capita Income: \$21,298	Sales Tax Per Capita	Sales Tax Per Capita	
	•	\$136.54 (42)	\$132.31 (42)	
Alleghany		County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Sparta
Ancghany	1999 Burden: 3.45%	2.92% (38)	2.98% (29)	1
	1998 Burden: 3.48%	County Rev. Per Cap.	County Rev. Per Cap.	
	1997 Burden: 3.90%	\$690.90 (21) Property Tax/Income	\$678.48 (22) Property Tax/Income	
	Change FY98-99: -1.06%	1.63% (41)	1.70% (31)	
	Rank: 76 (1999), 71 (1998)	Property Tax Per Cap.	Property Tax Per Cap.	
1 7		\$385.39 (24) Sales Tax/Income	\$385.92 (23) Sales Tax/Income	
~ ノ	Population: 9,966	0.62% (50)	0.60% (49)	
\sim	Per Capita Income: \$23,687	Sales Tax Per Capita	Sales Tax Per Capita	
		\$146.08 (29)	\$137.46 (34)	
Anson	1999 Burden: 4.55%	County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Ansonville
	1999 Burden: 4.55%	2.61% (61)	4.14% (7)	Lilesville
	1997 Burden: 8.13%	County Rev. Per Cap. \$535.78 (69)	County Rev. Per Cap. \$846.40 (8)	McFarlan Morven
MΛ		Property Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income	Peachland
	Change FY98-99: -26.31%	1.53% (51)	1.51% (50)	Polkton
	Rank: 29 (1999), 6 (1998)	Property Tax Per Cap. \$312.77 (58)	Property Tax Per Cap. \$308.40 (55)	Wadesboro
	D 1 .: 00.044	Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income	
	Population: 23,844	0.57% (69)	0.55% (69)	
	Per Capita Income: \$20,496	Sales Tax Per Capita	Sales Tax Per Capita \$111.69 (82)	
		\$116.91 (81)	\$111.69 (82)	
Ashe	1999 Burden: 3.04%	County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Jefferson
	1998 Burden: 2.87%	2.59% (63)	2.44% (69)	Lansing Wast Laffara
	1997 Burden: 2.89%	County Rev. Per Cap. \$521.39 (71)	County Rev. Per Cap. \$482.61 (78)	West Jefferso
\frown		Property Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income	
	Change FY98-99: 5.99%	1.50% (56)	1.41% (62)	
J \	Rank: 90 (1999), 96 (1998)	Property Tax Per Cap. \$302.24 (64)	Property Tax Per Cap. \$279.70 (70)	
~ ~ ~	Dopulation: 22.066	Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income	
کر \	Population: 23,966 Per Capita Income: \$20,161	0.68% (35)	0.66% (33)	
V V	i ei Capita meome. \$20,101	Sales Tax Per Capita	Sales Tax Per Capita	
-		\$136.47 (43)	\$131.18 (44)	I
			*Rank w	ithin relevant
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Avery	1999 Burden: 4.48% 1998 Burden: 4.45% 1997 Burden: 4.54% Change FY98-99: 0.74% Rank: 32 (1999), 26 (1998) Population: 15,964 Per Capita Income: \$22,328	County Rev./Income 3.57% (12) County Rev. Per Cap. \$797.77 (10) Property Tax/Income 2.15% (9) Property Tax Per Cap. \$479.31 (12) Sales Tax/Income 0.78% (16) Sales Tax Per Capita \$174.20 (8)	County Rev./Income 3.59% (10) County Rev. Per Cap. \$782.96 (11) Property Tax/Income 2.29% (7) Property Tax Per Cap. \$498.65 (9) Sales Tax/Income 0.82% (7) Sales Tax Per Capita \$179.46 (4)	Banner Elk97Crossnore26Elk Park48Grandfather Village3'Newland71Sugar Mountain13
Beaufort	1999 Burden: 4.88% 1998 Burden: 4.67% 1997 Burden: 4.60% Change FY98-99: 4.61% Rank: 17 (1999), 20 (1998) Population: 44,158 Per Capita Income: \$20,340	County Rev./Income 2.99% (31) County Rev. Per Cap. \$607.29 (42) Property Tax/Income 1.64% (39) Property Tax Per Cap. \$332.71 (48) Sales Tax/Income 0.70% (32) Sales Tax Per Capita \$141.99 (35)	County Rev./Income 2.95% (32) County Rev. Per Cap. \$603.06 (41) Property Tax/Income 1.66% (36) Property Tax Per Cap. \$340.29 (39) Sales Tax/Income 0.66% (32) Sales Tax Per Capita \$135.93 (36)	Aurora67Bath18:Belhaven2,28!Chocowinity79:Pantego17:Washington10,10!Washington Park49:
Bertie	1999 Burden: 3.01% 1998 Burden: 2.99% 1997 Burden: 2.93% Change FY98-99: 0.43% Rank: 91 (1999), 88 (1998) Population: 19,830 Per Capita Income: \$18,497	County Rev./Income 2.43% (76) County Rev. Per Cap. \$450.27 (95) Property Tax/Income 1.39% (68) Property Tax Per Cap. \$256.74 (85) Sales Tax/Income 0.55% (75) Sales Tax Per Capita \$101.70 (99)	County Rev./Income 2.46% (66) County Rev. Per Cap. \$446.54 (94) Property Tax/Income 1.49% (51) Property Tax Per Cap. \$270.59 (75) Sales Tax/Income 0.54% (72) Sales Tax Per Capita \$97.40 (97)	Askewville20Aulander1,18Colerain22Kelford18Lewiston-Woodville81Powellsville26Roxobel23Windsor2,27
Bladen	1999 Burden: 7.25% 1998 Burden: 6.78% 1997 Burden: 6.67% Change FY98-99: 6.94% Rank: 3 (1999), 4 (1998) Population: 30,924 Per Capita Income: \$19,908	County Rev./Income 6.07% (3) County Rev. Per Cap. \$1,208.47 (3) Property Tax/Income 1.77% (29) Property Tax Per Cap. \$352.35 (35) Sales Tax/Income 0.64% (44) Sales Tax Per Capita \$126.92 (56)	County Rev./Income 5.70% (3) County Rev. Per Cap. \$1,214.49 (3) Property Tax/Income 1.68% (33) Property Tax Per Cap. \$357.80 (31) Sales Tax/Income 0.58% (57) Sales Tax Per Capita \$124.06 (55)	Bladenboro 2,05 Clarkton 76. Dublin 24 East Arcadia 49 Elizabethtown 3,96. Tar Heel 120 White Lake 37 Brunswick Coun Bald Head Island 14. Belville 10. Boiling Spr. Lakes 2,34' Bolivia 28. Calabash 1,02'
Brunswick	1999 Burden: 6.74% 1998 Burden: 6.89% 1997 Burden: 6.93% Change FY98-99: -2.14% Rank: 4 (1999), 3 (1998) Population: 69,577 Per Capita Income: \$19,731	County Rev./Income 4.64% (5) County Rev. Per Cap. \$915.85 (5) Property Tax/Income 3.30% (4) Property Tax Per Cap. \$650.65 (3) Sales Tax/Income 0.79% (14) Sales Tax Per Capita \$156.63 (18)		Carolina Shores 1,27: Carolina Shores 1,27: Caswell Beach 31(Holden Beach 89) Leland 2,54 Navassa 55: Northwest 83: Oak Island 6,57: Ocean Isle Beach 76: Sandy Creek 30 Shallotte 1,32(Southport 2,66 St. James 69: Sunset Beach 1,96: Varnamtown 52(Yaupon Beach 91)

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73	Population: 6,748 Per Capita Income: \$19,679	\$340.41 (42) Sales Tax/Income 0.61% (51) Sales Tax Per Capita \$120.83 (72)	\$348.30 (37) Sales Tax/Income 0.61% (45) Sales Tax Per Capita \$119.46 (65)	
	1997 Burden: 3.02% Change FY98-99: -2.10% Rank: 94 (1999), 85 (1998)	County Rev. Per Cap. \$548.39 (62) Property Tax/Income 1.73% (31) Property Tax Per Cap.	County Rev. Per Cap. \$544.01 (60) Property Tax/Income 1.78% (27) Property Tax Per Cap.	
Camden	1999 Burden: 2.97% 1998 Burden: 3.04%	County Rev./Income 2.79% (47)	County Rev./Income 2.78% (43)	No incorpora
\searrow	Population: 75,882 Per Capita Income: \$22,060	Sales Tax/Income 0.51% (85) Sales Tax Per Capita \$113.36 (88)	Sales Tax/Income 0.52% (74) Sales Tax Per Capita \$110.23 (84)	
\sum	Change FY98-99: -5.15% Rank: 75 (1999), 65 (1998)	Property Tax/Income 1.12% (91) Property Tax Per Cap. \$247.01 (88)	Property Tax/Income 1.15% (90) Property Tax Per Cap. \$244.36 (89)	Hudson Lenoir Rhodhiss Sawmills
Caldwell	1999 Burden: 3.45% 1998 Burden: 3.63% 1997 Burden: 3.15%	County Rev./Income 2.11% (91) County Rev. Per Cap. \$466.14 (91)	County Rev./Income 2.27% (83) County Rev. Per Cap. \$482.28 (80)	Cajah's Mou Cedar Rock Gamewell Granite Falls
\checkmark	Population: 125,051 Per Capita Income: \$26,480	Sales TaX/Income 0.48% (93) Sales Tax Per Capita \$126.10 (60)	Sales Tax/income 0.47% (92) Sales Tax Per Capita \$121.33 (60) (60)	
	Change FY98-99: 22.53% Rank: 14 (1999), 50 (1998)	1.95% (17) Property Tax Per Cap. \$515.87 (8) Sales Tax/Income	1.43% (61) Property Tax Per Cap. \$371.57 (28) Sales Tax/Income	
Japanus	1999 Burden: 4.95% 1998 Burden: 4.04% 1997 Burden: 3.99%	2.83%(42)County Rev. Per Cap.\$748.78(14)Property Tax/Income	2.26% (84) County Rev. Per Cap. \$586.54 (45) Property Tax/Income	Harrisburg Kannapolis Mount Pleasa
Cabarrus		\$122.17 (68) County Rev./Income	\$51.58 (100) County Rev./Income	Concord
WZ	Population: 84,583 Per Capita Income: \$20,644	Sales Tax/Income 0.59% (61) Sales Tax Per Capita	Sales Tax/Income 0.25% (100) Sales Tax Per Capita	
\sum	1997 Burden: 3.59% Change FY98-99: 7.55% Rank: 61 (1999), 67 (1998)	Property Tax/Income 1.17% (89) Property Tax Per Cap. \$242.27 (92)	Property Tax/Income 1.18% (89) Property Tax Per Cap. \$240.49 (91)	Morganton Rutherford C Valdese
Burke	1999 Burden: 3.86% 1998 Burden: 3.59%	County Rev./Income 2.48% (74) County Rev. Per Cap. \$511.57 (75)	County Rev./Income 2.16% (89) County Rev. Per Cap. \$441.03 (96)	Connelly Spr Drexel Glen Alpine Hildebran
2	Population: 194,353 Per Capita Income: \$25,998	0.64% (43) Sales Tax Per Capita \$165.81 (11)	0.66% (35) Sales Tax Per Capita	
5	Change FY98-99: 4.53% Rank: 35 (1999), 38 (1998)	1.59%(43)Property Tax Per Cap.\$414.66(20)Sales Tax/Income	1.55%(46)Property Tax Per Cap.\$394.20(22)Sales Tax/Income	Woodfin
Builcombe	1999 Burden: 4.42% 1998 Burden: 4.23% 1997 Burden: 4.30%	2.93% (37) County Rev. Per Cap. \$760.52 (12) Property Tax/Income	2.84% (38) County Rev. Per Cap. \$722.39 (15) Property Tax/Income	Biltmore For Black Mount Montreat Weaverville
Buncombe		County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Asheville

Carteret	 1999 Burden: 4.36% 1998 Burden: 4.38% 1997 Burden: 4.32% Change FY98-99: -0.46% Rank: 39 (1999), 31 (1998) Population: 59,120 Per Capita Income: \$23,442 	County Rev./Income 2.80% (44) County Rev. Per Cap. \$657.11 (28) Property Tax/Income 1.63% (40) Property Tax Per Cap. \$382.26 (25) Sales Tax/Income 0.71% (29) Sales Tax Per Capita \$166.23 (9)	County Rev./Income 2.81% (40) County Rev. Per Cap. \$645.04 (29) Property Tax/Income 1.65% (37) Property Tax Per Cap. \$377.11 (27) Sales Tax/Income 0.69% (27) Sales Tax Per Capita \$158.06 (12)	Atlantic Beach Beaufort Bogue Cape Carteret Cedar Point Emerald Isle Indian Beach Morehead City Newport Peletier Pine Knoll Shores	2,321 3,861 501 1,231 707 3,211 192 7,591 3,361 344 1,652
Caswell	1999 Burden: 2.92% 1998 Burden: 2.90% 1997 Burden: 2.65% Change FY98-99: 0.64% Rank: 96 (1999), 94 (1998) Population: 22,440 Per Capita Income: \$18,463	County Rev./Income 2.62% (59) County Rev. Per Cap. \$483.02 (86) Property Tax/Income 1.40% (66) Property Tax Per Cap. \$258.56 (84) Sales Tax/Income 0.60% (56) Sales Tax Per Capita \$110.54 (91)	County Rev./Income 2.64% (51) County Rev. Per Cap. \$483.05 (77) Property Tax/Income 1.39% (65) Property Tax Per Cap. \$254.01 (85) Sales Tax/Income 0.57% (60) Sales Tax Per Capita \$103.64 (92)	Milton Yanceyville	23i 2,94:
Catawba	1999 Burden: 4.25% 1998 Burden: 4.31% 1997 Burden: 4.16% Change FY98-99: -1.33% Rank: 43 (1999), 33 (1998) Population: 134,128 Per Capita Income: \$27,157	County Rev./Income 2.46% (75) County Rev. Per Cap. \$666.82 (26) Property Tax/Income 1.19% (88) Property Tax Per Cap. \$322.14 (56) Sales Tax/Income 0.55% (72) Sales Tax Per Capita \$149.99 (21)	County Rev./Income 2.54% (61) County Rev. Per Cap. \$670.77 (23) Property Tax/Income 1.23% (83) Property Tax Per Cap. \$326.07 (51) Sales Tax/Income 0.56% (62) Sales Tax Per Capita \$147.47 (19)	Brookford Catawba Claremont Conover Hickory Long View Maiden Newton	44' 69: 1,07: 7,35' 36,05 4,68 3,13' 12,38:
Chatham	1999 Burden: 3.43% 1998 Burden: 3.39% 1997 Burden: 3.35% Change FY98-99: 1.15% Rank: 77 (1999), 74 (1998) Population: 47,264 Per Capita Income: \$27,489	County Rev./Income 2.62% (60) County Rev. Per Cap. \$719.07 (16) Property Tax/Income 1.70% (35) Property Tax Per Cap. \$467.18 (14) Sales Tax/Income 0.49% (92) Sales Tax Per Capita \$133.46 (47)	County Rev./Income 2.62% (55) County Rev. Per Cap. \$712.92 (16) Property Tax/Income 1.76% (29) Property Tax Per Cap. \$479.90 (10) Sales Tax/Income 0.46% (93) Sales Tax Per Capita \$126.37 (52)	Goldston Pittsboro Siler City	38: 2,23 5,63
Cherokee	1999 Burden: 4.02% 1998 Burden: 3.88% 1997 Burden: 4.15% Change FY98-99: 3.56% Rank: 57 (1999), 56 (1998) Population: 23,072 Per Capita Income: \$17,469	County Rev./Income 3.10% (29) County Rev. Per Cap. \$542.34 (66) Property Tax/Income 1.40% (67) Property Tax Per Cap. \$243.96 (91) Sales Tax/Income 0.94% (3) Sales Tax Per Capita \$164.66 (12)	County Rev./Income 3.03% (28) County Rev. Per Cap. \$515.33 (69) Property Tax/Income 1.39% (66) Property Tax Per Cap. \$236.36 (93) Sales Tax/Income 0.92% (2) Sales Tax Per Capita \$157.03 (13)	Andrews Murphy	1,82 [;] 1,64 [;]

Chowan	1000 D. 1. 4.100/	County Rev./Income 2.93% (36)	County Rev./Income 2.80% (42)	Edenton
	1999 Burden: 4.10% 1998 Burden: 4.01%	County Rev. Per Cap.	County Rev. Per Cap.	
0	1997 Burden: 3.97%	\$621.78 (36) Property Tax/Income	\$585.40 (46) Property Tax/Income	
	Change FY98-99: 2.15%	1.66% (38) Property Tax Per Cap.	1.60% (39) Property Tax Per Cap.	
	Rank: 53 (1999), 51 (1998)	\$351.74 (36)	\$334.48 (44)	
	Dopulation, 14,026	Sales Tax/Income 0.72% (27)	Sales Tax/Income 0.70% (26)	
\sim	Population: 14,036 Per Capita Income: \$21,238	Sales Tax Per Capita	Sales Tax Per Capita	
~	Ter Capita meome. \$21,250	\$153.16 (19)	\$145.24 (20)	
Clay		County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Hayesville
5	1999 Burden: 3.16%	2.99% (32) County Rev. Per Cap.	2.95% (33) County Rev. Per Cap.	
	1998 Burden: 3.13% 1997 Burden: 3.26%	\$563.03 (60)	\$550.78 (56)	
	1997 Buldell. 3.20%	Property Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income	
	Change FY98-99: 0.91%	1.57% (47)	1.58% (41)	
	Rank: 85 (1999), 80 (1998)	Property Tax Per Cap. \$296.31 (67)	Property Tax Per Cap. \$295.16 (61)	
\sim		Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income	
	Population: 8,412	0.77% (19)	0.74% (17)	
	Per Capita Income: \$18,861	Sales Tax Per Capita \$145.09 (30)	Sales Tax Per Capita \$137.49 (33)	Cleve Belwood
		¢11010) (50)	(55)	Boiling Sprir
		County Poy /Incomo	County Day /Income	Casar Earl
Cleveland	1999 Burden: 3.97%	County Rev./Income 2.76% (48)	County Rev./Income 2.68% (48)	Fallston
	1998 Burden: 3.86%	County Rev. Per Cap.	County Rev. Per Cap.	Grover
\sim	1997 Burden: 3.73%	\$583.25 (50)	\$554.76 (54)	Kings Mount
		Property Tax/Income 1.32% (76)	Property Tax/Income 1.37% (67)	Kingstown Lattimore
	Change FY98-99: 2.85% Rank: 59 (1999), 57 (1998)	Property Tax Per Cap.	Property Tax Per Cap.	Lawndale
	Kalik. 39 (1999), 37 (1998)	\$277.98 (72)	\$283.15 (68)	Mooresboro
	Population: 92,590	Sales Tax/Income 0.54% (79)	Sales Tax/Income 0.55% (65)	Patterson Spi Polkville
	Per Capita Income: \$21,126	Sales Tax Per Capita	Sales Tax Per Capita	Shelby
	•	\$113.41 (87)	\$114.69 (76)	Waco
Columbus	1000 Durdan 2 (00/	County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Boardman
	1999 Burden: 3.60% 1998 Burden: 3.72%	2.71% (53)	2.92% (35)	Bolton
	1998 Burden: 3.72%	County Rev. Per Cap. \$542.40 (65)	County Rev. Per Cap. \$604.70 (40)	Brunswick Cerro Gordo
		Property Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income	Chadbourn
\frown	Change FY98-99: -3.25%	1.52% (53)	1.48% (57)	Fair Bluff
\sim	Rank: 68 (1999), 64 (1998)	Property Tax Per Cap. \$305.29 (62)	Property Tax Per Cap. \$307.35 (57)	Lake Waccar Sandyfield
<i>ک</i> ہ \	Demulation 50 476	Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income	Tabor City
$\backslash J$	Population: 52,476 Per Capita Income: \$20,046	0.57% (68)	0.55% (67)	Whiteville
√ ∕	rei Capita income. \$20,040	Sales Tax Per Capita \$114.52 (85)	Sales Tax Per Capita \$114.07 (78)	
Crowan		County Pay /Income	County Pay /Income	Bridgeton
Craven	1999 Burden: 3.55%	County Rev./Income 2.21% (86)	County Rev./Income 2.31% (79)	Bridgeton Cove City
	1998 Burden: 3.58% 1997 Burden: 3.47%	County Rev. Per Cap.	County Rev. Per Cap.	Dover
	1777 Duruell. 3.4/70	\$519.22 (73) Property Tax/Income	\$532.41 (63) Property Tax/Income	Havelock New Bern
\sim	Change FY98-99: -0.91%	1.12% (93)	1.12% (92)	River Bend
2 7	Rank: 69 (1999), 68 (1998)	Property Tax Per Cap.	Property Tax Per Cap.	Trent Woods
/R		\$262.66 (80) Sales Tay/Income	\$259.37 (81) Sales Tay/Income	Vanceboro
12 ~	Population: 89,730	Sales Tax/Income 0.59% (64)	Sales Tax/Income 0.58% (58)	
(m)	Per Capita Income: \$23,527	Sales Tax Per Capita	Sales Tax Per Capita	
		\$137.64 (40)	\$134.49 (37)	
			*Rank w	ithin releva

Cumberland	1999 Burden: 4.06% 1998 Burden: 3.76% 1997 Burden: 3.76% Change FY98-99: 7.98% Rank: 56 (1999), 62 (1998) Population: 291,897 Per Capita Income: \$24,104	County Rev./Income 2.56% (66) County Rev. Per Cap. \$617.89 (38) Property Tax/Income 1.38% (69) Property Tax Per Cap. \$333.16 (47) Sales Tax/Income 0.51% (87) Sales Tax Per Capita \$123.08 (65)	County Rev./Income 2.40% (74) County Rev. Per Cap. \$567.62 (50) Property Tax/Income 1.24% (82) Property Tax Per Cap. \$292.78 (64) Sales Tax/Income 0.50% (82) Sales Tax Per Capita \$118.63 (67)	Fayetteville127,3Godwin10,1Hope Mills10,1Linden5Spring Lake8,3Stedman0	7.
Currituck	1999 Burden: 7.46% 1998 Burden: 7.08% 1997 Burden: 6.89% Change FY98-99: 5.43% Rank: 2 (1999), 2 (1998) Population: 17,496 Per Capita Income: \$22,162	County Rev./Income 6.93% (1) County Rev. Per Cap. \$1,536.76 (2) Property Tax/Income 3.52% (1) Property Tax Per Cap. \$780.23 (1) Sales Tax/Income 0.94% (2) Sales Tax Per Capita \$209.38 (2)	County Rev./Income 6.45% (2) County Rev. Per Cap. \$1,395.36 (2) Property Tax/Income 3.46% (2) Property Tax Per Cap. \$748.58 (2) Sales Tax/Income 0.90% (3) Sales Tax Per Capita \$195.77 (2)	No incorporated muni	icij
Dare	1999 Burden: 11.32% 1998 Burden: 11.20% 1997 Burden: 10.89% Change FY98-99: 1.00% Rank: 1 (1999), 1 (1998) Population: 28,918 Per Capita Income: \$23,096	County Rev./Income 6.67% (2) County Rev. Per Cap. \$1,540.12 (1) Property Tax/Income 3.34% (2) Property Tax Per Cap. \$770.27 (2) Sales Tax/Income 1.36% (1) Sales Tax Per Capita \$314.78 (1)	County Rev./Income 6.59% (1) County Rev. Per Cap. \$1,489.16 (1) Property Tax/Income 3.47% (1) Property Tax Per Cap. \$784.17 (1) Sales Tax/Income 1.30% (1) Sales Tax Per Capita \$294.41 (1)	Kitty Hawk2,Manteo2,Nags Head2,	60) 57 11: 28' 98'
Davidson	1999 Burden: 2.90% 1998 Burden: 2.86% 1997 Burden: 2.75% Change FY98-99: 1.08% Rank: 97 (1999), 97 (1998) Population: 142,722 Per Capita Income: \$23,034	County Rev./Income 2.04% (94) County Rev. Per Cap. \$468.99 (89) Property Tax/Income 1.04% (97) Property Tax Per Cap. \$238.89 (93) Sales Tax/Income 0.55% (74) Sales Tax Per Capita \$126.90 (57)	County Rev./Income2.04%(95)County Rev. Per Cap.\$461.89Property Tax/Income1.06%Property Tax Per Cap.\$239.40\$239.40(92)Sales Tax/Income0.54%(73)Sales Tax Per Capita\$121.37(59)	Denton 1, Lexington 19, Thomasville 17,	
Davie	1999 Burden: 2.93% 1998 Burden: 2.90% 1997 Burden: 2.84% Change FY98-99: 1.19% Rank: 95 (1999), 95 (1998) Population: 32,968 Per Capita Income: \$27,937	County Rev./Income 2.18% (88) County Rev. Per Cap. \$609.12 (41) Property Tax/Income 1.20% (87) Property Tax Per Cap. \$335.12 (46) Sales Tax/Income 0.45% (97) Sales Tax Per Capita \$124.40 (63)	County Rev./Income 2.25% (85) County Rev. Per Cap. \$617.97 \$617.97 (35) Property Tax/Income 1.22% \$335.35 (42) Sales Tax/Income 0.44% 0.44% (96) Sales Tax Per Capita \$120.89 \$120.89 (62)	Cooleemee 1,	84! 07: 42!

Duplin		County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Beulaville
Dupin	1999 Burden: 4.24%	2.86% (40)	2.44% (68)	Calypso
$\sim\sim$	1998 Burden: 3.39%	County Rev. Per Cap. \$587.84 (49)	County Rev. Per Cap. \$594.77 (43)	Faison Greenevers
	1997 Burden: 3.54%	Property Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income	Kenansville
$\left\{ \right\}$		1.58% (45)	1.34% (70)	Magnolia
	Change FY98-99: 25.25%	Property Tax Per Cap.	Property Tax Per Cap.	Rose Hill
	Rank: 45 (1999), 73 (1998)	\$324.75 (53)	\$327.13 (49)	Teachey
) /		Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income	Wallace
	Population: 44,502	0.59% (60)	0.49% (88)	Warsaw
\sim	Per Capita Income: \$20,574	Sales Tax Per Capita \$121.84 (69)	Sales Tax Per Capita \$118.49 (68)	
Durham		County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Durham
Durnam	1999 Burden: 5.98%	3.14% (26)	3.06% (27)	Dumum
	1998 Burden: 5.88%	County Rev. Per Cap.	County Rev. Per Cap.	
	1997 Burden: 5.88%	\$893.24 (7)	\$867.38 (6)	
1	1997 Burden: 5.0070	Property Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income	
	Change FY98-99: 1.56%	2.11% (11)	2.11% (9)	
1	Rank: 6 (1999), 7 (1998)	Property Tax Per Cap.	Property Tax Per Cap.	
	Kalik. U (1777), 7 (1770)	\$600.92 (5) Salas Tay/Income	\$597.44 (5) Salas Tay/Income	
レノ	Population: 203,357	Sales Tax/Income 0.51% (89)	Sales Tax/Income 0.49% (90)	
	Population: 205,557 Per Capita Income: \$28,492	Sales Tax Per Capita	Sales Tax Per Capita	
	i ei Capita income: \$28,492	\$144.95 (31)		
Edgecombe		County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Conetoe
Lagecombe	1999 Burden: 5.23%	3.13% (27)	3.13% (26)	Leggett
	1998 Burden: 5.15%	County Rev. Per Cap.	County Rev. Per Cap.	Macclesfield
\sim	1997 Burden: 5.04%	\$606.52 (43)	\$610.61 (38)	Pinetops
12		Property Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income	Princeville
	Change FY98-99: 1.56%	1.78% (27)	1.67% (35)	Speed
/)	Rank: 10 (1999), 10 (1998)	Property Tax Per Cap. \$344.34 (41)	Property Tax Per Cap. \$326.57 (50)	Tarboro Whitakers
		Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income	w intakers
	Population: 54,034	0.54% (78)	0.52% (77)	
	Per Capita Income: \$19,349	Sales Tax Per Capita	Sales Tax Per Capita	
V		\$104.01 (98)	\$100.64 (94)	
Forsyth	1000 D 1 4000/	County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Bethania
- 010j tii	1999 Burden: 4.09%	2.11% (92)	2.18% (88)	Clemmons
	1998 Burden: 4.23%	County Rev. Per Cap.	County Rev. Per Cap.	Kernersville
	1997 Burden: 4.28%	\$659.82 (27)	\$654.68 (26)	Lewisville
	Charge EV09.00 2.410	Property Tax/Income 1.42% (63)	Property Tax/Income 1.47% (58)	Rural Hall Tobaccoville
1	Change FY98-99: -3.41%	1.42% (63) Property Tax Per Cap.	1.47% (58) Property Tax Per Cap.	Walkertown
	Rank: 54 (1999), 37 (1998)	\$444.23 (16)	\$443.07 (15)	Winston-Sal
1		Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income	
	Population: 291,846	0.46% (96)	0.46% (94)	
	Per Capita Income: \$31,304	Sales Tax Per Capita	Sales Tax Per Capita	
		\$143.03 (34)	\$138.16 31)	
Franklin	1999 Burden: 4.22%	County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Bunn
	1998 Burden: 3.97%	3.38% (17)	3.13% (24)	Centerville
	1997 Burden: 3.95%	County Rev. Per Cap.	County Rev. Per Cap.	Franklinton
\sim		\$707.44 (18) Property Tax/Income	\$654.60 (27) Property Tax/Income	Louisburg Youngsville
\sim \sim	Change FY98-99: 6.38%	1.71% (34)	1.55% (45)	1 Jungsville
~ /	Rank: 46 (1999), 55 (1998)	Property Tax Per Cap. \$357.17 (34)	Property Tax Per Cap. \$323.91 (53)	
\sim /	Dopulation: 45 222	Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income	
\mathbf{X} /	Population: 45,332 Per Capita Income: \$20,032	0.61% (52)	0.59% (51)	
\checkmark	Per Capita Income: \$20,932	Sales Tax Per Capita \$128.48 (55)	Sales Tax Per Capita \$124.22 (54)	
		Δ_7	*Rank w	ithin relevan

Gaston	1999 Burden: 4.70% 1998 Burden: 4.68% 1997 Burden: 4.29% Change FY98-99: 0.31% Rank: 23 (1999), 19 (1998) Population: 181,362 Per Capita Income: \$23,210	County Rev./Income 2.80% (46) County Rev. Per Cap. \$648.79 (31) Property Tax/Income 1.81% (24) Property Tax Per Cap. \$419.27 (19) Sales Tax/Income 0.51% (88) Sales Tax Per Capita \$118.51 (78)	County Rev./Income 2.74% (45) County Rev. Per Cap. \$627.35 (32) Property Tax/Income 1.84% (23) Property Tax Per Cap. \$420.10 (18) Sales Tax/Income 0.49% (87) Sales Tax Per Capita \$112.24 (81)	Belmont8,50.Bessemer City5,01Cherryville5,47:Cramerton2,57:Dallas3,25:Delview1Gastonia62,73'High Shoals61Lowell2,59.Mcadenville82:Mount Holly8,38Ranlo2,20.Spencer Mountain13:
Gates	1999 Burden: 3.11% 1998 Burden: 3.03% 1997 Burden: 2.98% Change FY98-99: 2.62% Rank: 87 (1999), 86 (1998) Population: 10,114 Per Capita Income: \$17,775	County Rev./Income 2.75% (51) County Rev. Per Cap. \$488.52 (83) Property Tax/Income 1.83% (21) Property Tax Per Cap. \$325.01 (52) Sales Tax/Income 0.66% (37) Sales Tax Per Capita \$117.15 (80)	County Rev./Income 2.67% (49) County Rev. Per Cap. \$480.50 (81) Property Tax/Income 1.85% (22) Property Tax Per Cap. \$333.20 (47) Sales Tax/Income 0.59% (52) Sales Tax Per Capita \$106.60 (88)	Stanley 3,24 Gates County Gatesville 31
Graham	1999 Burden: 4.11% 1998 Burden: 4.15% 1997 Burden: 4.04% Change FY98-99: -0.96% Rank: 52 (1999), 44 (1998) Population: 7,522 Per Capita Income: \$16,877	County Rev./Income 3.40% (14) County Rev. Per Cap. \$573.36 (53) Property Tax/Income 1.94% (18) Property Tax Per Cap. \$327.58 (51) Sales Tax/Income 0.80% (13) Sales Tax Per Capita \$135.06 (46)	County Rev./Income 3.45% (12) County Rev. Per Cap. \$573.84 (48) Property Tax/Income 1.95% (15) Property Tax Per Cap. \$324.66 (52) Sales Tax/Income 0.79% (12) Sales Tax Per Capita \$131.05 (45)	Robbinsville 78' Santeetlah 4.
Granville	1999 Burden: 3.16% 1998 Burden: 3.09% 1997 Burden: 3.40% Change FY98-99: 2.36% Rank: 84 (1999), 81 (1998) Population: 45,450 Per Capita Income: \$21,007	County Rev./Income 2.14% (90) County Rev. Per Cap. \$449.52 (97) Property Tax/Income 1.28% (80) Property Tax Per Cap. \$268.81 (77) Sales Tax/Income 0.55% (76) Sales Tax Per Capita \$115.45 (84)	County Rev./Income 2.15% (90) County Rev. Per Cap. \$454.03 (92) Property Tax/Income 1.26% (78) Property Tax Per Cap. \$267.28 (77) Sales Tax/Income 0.54% (71) Sales Tax Per Capita \$113.89 (79)	Creedmoor2,19Oxford9,17Stem29Stovall46
Greene	1999 Burden: 3.28% 1998 Burden: 2.76% 1997 Burden: 2.84% Change FY98-99: 18.61% Rank: 81 (1999), 98 (1998) Population: 18,298 Per Capita Income: \$18,001	County Rev./Income 2.64% (57) County Rev. Per Cap. \$474.66 (87) Property Tax/Income 1.38% (70) Property Tax Per Cap. \$248.15 (87) Sales Tax/Income 0.61% (53) Sales Tax Per Capita \$110.37 (92)	County Rev./Income 2.23% (87) County Rev. Per Cap. \$458.15 (89) Property Tax/Income 1.22% (84) Property Tax Per Cap. \$251.15 (87) Sales Tax/Income 0.50% (85) Sales Tax Per Capita \$102.54 (93)	Hookerton 51 Snow Hill 1,58 Walstonburg 24

Configurat		County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Gibsonville
Guilford	1999 Burden: 4.87%	2.33% (82)	2.41% (72)	Greensboro
	1998 Burden: 4.89%	County Rev. Per Cap.	County Rev. Per Cap.	High Point
	1997 Burden: 4.76%	\$682.46 (23) Property Tax/Income	\$693.16 (18) Property Tax/Income	Jamestown Oak Ridge
	Change FY98-99: -0.47%	1.53% (50) Property Tax Per Cap.	1.58% (42) Property Tax Per Cap.	Pleasant Gara Sedalia
	Rank: 18 (1999), 14 (1998)	\$447.84 (15)	\$453.23 (14)	Stokesdale
	······································	Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income	Summerfield
	Population: 393,423	0.47% (94)	0.44% (95)	Whitsett
	Per Capita Income: \$29,229	Sales Tax Per Capita \$135.98 (45)	Sales Tax Per Capita \$127.67 (50)	
Halifax		County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Enfield
Пашах	1999 Burden: 5.00%	3.58% (11)	3.50% (11)	Halifax
	1998 Burden: 4.86%	County Rev. Per Cap.	County Rev. Per Cap.	Hobgood
	1997 Burden: 4.99%	\$656.62 (29)	\$631.11 (31)	Littleton
		Property Tax/Income 1.43% (61)	Property Tax/Income 1.49% (54)	Roanoke Rap Scotland Nec
$\left(\overset{\circ}{}\right)$	Change FY98-99: 2.78%	Property Tax Per Cap.	Property Tax Per Cap.	Weldon
1 6	Rank: 13 (1999), 15 (1998)	\$262.11 (82)	\$268.64 (76)	i eruon
h h		Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income	
~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~	Population: 54,752	0.67% (36)	0.56% (63)	
$\sim$	Per Capita Income: \$18,357	Sales Tax Per Capita \$122.62 (67)	Sales Tax Per Capita \$100.49 (95)	
Harnett		County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Angier
	1999 Burden: 4.06%	2.65% (55)	2.46% (65)	Coats
	1998 Burden: 3.83%	County Rev. Per Cap.	County Rev. Per Cap.	Dunn
	1997 Burden: 4.03%	\$506.71 (76)	\$467.81 (84)	Erwin
		Property Tax/Income 1.28% (79)	Property Tax/Income 1.20% (86)	Lillington
~	Change FY98-99: 5.97%	Property Tax Per Cap.	Property Tax Per Cap.	
	Rank: 55 (1999), 58 (1998)	\$244.84 (90)	\$227.25 (95)	
	D	Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income	
1 ~?	Population: 85,305 Per Capita Income: \$19,129	0.63% (46) Sales Tax Per Capita	0.61% (42) Sales Tax Per Capita	
	rei Capita income. \$19,129	\$120.16 (75)	<b>*</b>	
Haywood	1000 D. 1. 4 110/	County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Canton
muywood	1999 Burden: 4.11%	2.98% (34)	2.87% (36)	Clyde
~	1998 Burden: 4.00% 1997 Burden: 4.05%	County Rev. Per Cap.	County Rev. Per Cap.	Maggie Valle
	1997 Burden: 4.05%	\$639.58 (33) Property Tax/Income	\$615.17 (37) Property Tax/Income	Waynesville
$\left( \right)$	Change FY98-99: 2.81%	1.68% (36)	1.68% (32)	
	Rank: 51 (1999), 52 (1998)	Property Tax Per Cap.	Property Tax Per Cap.	
	Fund: 51 (1999), 52 (1996)	\$361.88 (33)	\$360.44 (30)	
<u> </u>	Population: 52,096	Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income 0.66% (34)	
	Per Capita Income: \$21,494	0.69% (33) Sales Tax Per Capita	0.66% (34) Sales Tax Per Capita	
$\sim$	•	\$147.97 (22)		
Henderson	1999 Burden: 3.49%	County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Flat Rock
	1998 Burden: 3.45%	2.58% (64)	2.53% (63)	Fletcher
	1997 Burden: 3.20%	County Rev. Per Cap. \$672.56 (24)	County Rev. Per Cap. \$647.49 (28)	Hendersonvil Laurel Park
		Property Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income	Laurerraik
$\sim$	Change FY98-99: 1.21%	1.43% (60)	1.36% (68)	
$\langle \rangle$	Rank: 74 (1999), 72 (1998)	Property Tax Per Cap.	Property Tax Per Cap.	
$\gamma$		\$374.01 (28) Salas Tay/Income	\$348.93 (36) Salas Tay/Incomo	
	Population: 82,365	Sales Tax/Income 0.59% (63)	Sales Tax/Income 0.59% (53)	
	Per Capita Income: \$26,115	Sales Tax Per Capita	Sales Tax Per Capita	
		\$153.00 (20)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
			*Rank w	ithin relevant
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Hertford	1999 Burden: 4.92% 1998 Burden: 4.83% 1997 Burden: 4.59% Change FY98-99: 1.85% Rank: 15 (1999), 16 (1998) Population: 21,260 Per Capita Income: \$17,626	County Rev./Income           3.27%         (21)           County Rev. Per Cap.           \$576.00         (52)           Property Tax/Income           1.99%         (15)           Property Tax Per Cap.           \$350.36         (37)           Sales Tax/Income           0.80%         (11)           Sales Tax Per Capita           \$141.70         (36)	County Rev./Income 3.18% (23) County Rev. Per Cap. \$552.75 (55) Property Tax/Income 1.93% (16) Property Tax Per Cap. \$336.13 (41) Sales Tax/Income 0.82% (8) Sales Tax Per Capita \$142.70 (22)	Ahoskie4,33:Cofield37:Como10:Harrellsville9:Murfreesboro2,11Winton78:
Hoke	1999 Burden: 4.50% 1998 Burden: 4.39% 1997 Burden: 4.43% Change FY98-99: 2.65% Rank: 30 (1999), 30 (1998) Population: 31,102 Per Capita Income: \$13,582	County Rev./Income 3.34% (18) County Rev. Per Cap. \$453.46 (94) Property Tax/Income 1.81% (23) Property Tax Per Cap. \$246.30 (89) Sales Tax/Income 0.77% (18) Sales Tax Per Capita \$104.65 (97)	County Rev./Income           3.28%         (17)           County Rev. Per Cap.           \$459.83         (88)           Property Tax/Income           1.79%         (26)           Property Tax Per Cap.           \$250.55         (88)           Sales Tax/Income           0.71%         (23)           Sales Tax Per Capita           \$99.40         (96)	Raeford 4,17:
Hyde	1999 Burden: 6.35% 1998 Burden: 6.19% 1997 Burden: 6.30% Change FY98-99: 2.57% Rank: 5 (1999), 5 (1998) Population: 5,611 Per Capita Income: \$18,157	County Rev./Income 5.35% (4) County Rev. Per Cap. \$971.14 (4) Property Tax/Income 3.10% (5) Property Tax Per Cap. \$562.30 (6) Sales Tax/Income 0.90% (5) Sales Tax Per Capita \$163.45 (13)	County Rev./Income 5.34% (4) County Rev. Per Cap. \$1,083.97 (4) Property Tax/Income 3.32% (4) Property Tax Per Cap. \$673.81 (4) Sales Tax/Income 0.73% (19) Sales Tax Per Capita \$149.01 (18)	No incorporated municij
Iredell	1999 Burden: 3.50% 1998 Burden: 3.34% 1997 Burden: 3.38% Change FY98-99: 4.82% Rank: 73 (1999), 75 (1998) Population: 117,804 Per Capita Income: \$24,382	County Rev./Income 2.20% (87) County Rev. Per Cap. \$537.08 (68) Property Tax/Income 1.16% (90) Property Tax Per Cap. \$282.57 (70) Sales Tax/Income 0.57% (67) Sales Tax Per Capita \$139.66 (38)	County Rev./Income 2.14% (91) County Rev. Per Cap. \$516.68 (67) Property Tax/Income 1.15% (91) Property Tax Per Cap. \$276.48 (73) Sales Tax/Income 0.55% (66) Sales Tax Per Capita \$133.04 (40)	Harmony60.Love Valley8.Mooresville16,54.Statesville22,84.Troutman2,10.
Jackson	1999 Burden: 3.52% 1998 Burden: 3.56% 1997 Burden: 3.61% Change FY98-99: -1.09% Rank: 72 (1999), 69 (1998) Population: 29,806 Per Capita Income: \$20,777	County Rev./Income 3.32% (19) County Rev. Per Cap. \$690.32 (22) Property Tax/Income 1.82% (22) Property Tax Per Cap. \$377.17 (26) Sales Tax/Income 0.89% (6) Sales Tax Per Capita \$184.63 (4)	County Rev./Income           3.35%         (15)           County Rev. Per Cap.           \$659.61         (24)           Property Tax/Income           1.88%         (19)           Property Tax Per Cap.           \$370.15         (29)           Sales Tax/Income           0.89%         (4)           Sales Tax Per Capita           \$175.49         (5)	Dillsboro17:Forest Hills351Sylva2,33:Webster501

Johnston		County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Benson
<b>V</b> UIIISTOII	1999 Burden: 4.37%	2.88% (39) County Rev. Per Cap.	2.86% (37) County Rev. Per Cap.	Clayton Four Oaks
	1998 Burden: 4.23%	\$670.44 (25)	\$656.77 (25)	Kenly
$\wedge$	1997 Burden: 3.93%	Property Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income	Micro
	Change FY98-99: 3.34%	1.60% (42)	1.55% (47)	Pine Level Princeton
	Rank: 38 (1999), 39 (1998)	Property Tax Per Cap. \$373.19 (30)	Property Tax Per Cap. \$355.51 (32)	Selma
		Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income	Smithfield
	Population: 112,154	0.63% (48)	0.61% (46)	Wilson's Mil
$\smile$	Per Capita Income: \$23,288	Sales Tax Per Capita \$146.17 (28)	Sales Tax Per Capita \$140.01 (29)	
Jones		County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Maysville
301103	1999 Burden: 3.32%	2.57% (65)	2.31% (78)	Pollocksville
	1998 Burden: 2.99%	County Rev. Per Cap. \$493.05 (81)	County Rev. Per Cap. \$483.72 (76)	Trenton
	1997 Burden: 3.27%	\$493.05 (81) Property Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income	
N	Change FY98-99: 11.30%	1.77% (28)	1.59% (40)	
	Rank: 80 (1999), 90 (1998)	Property Tax Per Cap.	Property Tax Per Cap.	
$\langle \langle \rangle \rangle$	Kuik. 00 (1999), 90 (1990)	\$339.22 (43) Sales Tax/Income	\$333.72 (46) Sales Tax/Income	
$\sim$ (	Population: 9,305	0.55% (71)	0.50% (84)	
U U	Per Capita Income: \$19,160	Sales Tax Per Capita	Sales Tax Per Capita	
<b>•</b>	_	\$106.17 (96)	\$104.76 (91)	
Lee		County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Broadway
Lee	1999 Burden: 4.42%	2.51% (68)	2.46% (67)	Sanford
	1998 Burden: 4.29%	County Rev. Per Cap. \$616.04 (39)	County Rev. Per Cap. \$597.97 (42)	
•	1997 Burden: 4.24%	Property Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income	
~~~	Change FY98-99: 2.84%	1.59% (44)	1.56% (44)	
- J ^r	Rank: 37 (1999), 34 (1998)	Property Tax Per Cap. \$391.64 (22)	Property Tax Per Cap. \$378.14 (25)	
		Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income	
	Population: 49,247	0.53% (80)	0.51% (78)	
\sim	Per Capita Income: \$24,563	Sales Tax Per Capita \$131.37 (51)	Sales Tax Per Capita \$124.64 (53)	
Lenoir	1999 Burden: 4.28%	County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Kinston
	1998 Burden: 4.14%	2.69% (54) County Rev. Per Cap.	2.61% (56) County Rev. Per Cap.	La Grange Pink Hill
•	1997 Burden: 4.10%	\$572.09 (54)	\$564.99 (51)	
\sim		Property Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income	
ſ	Change FY98-99: 3.34%	1.52% (55) Property Tax Per Cap.	1.49% (52) Property Tax Per Cap.	
	Rank: 41 (1999), 46 (1998)	\$322.72 (55)	\$322.88 (54)	
	Population: 58,208	Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income	
	Per Capita Income: \$21,287	0.62% (49) Sales Tax Per Capita	0.61% (43) Sales Tax Per Capita	
V		\$132.60 (49)	\$132.43 (41)	
Lincoln	1000 7	County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Lincolnton
LIIICOIII	1999 Burden: 3.84%	2.80% (45)	2.74% (46)	
	1998 Burden: 3.79% 1997 Burden: 3.90%	County Rev. Per Cap.	County Rev. Per Cap.	
	1777 Buruch. 3.7070	\$599.65 (44) Property Tax/Income	\$581.41 (47) Property Tax/Income	
	Change FY98-99: 1.34%	1.58% (46)	1.56% (43)	
	Rank: 63 (1999), 59 (1998)	Property Tax Per Cap.	Property Tax Per Cap.	
_		\$337.55 (45) Sales Tax/Income	\$331.61 (48) Sales Tax/Income	
	Population: 60,080	0.64% (45)	0.61% (48)	
	Per Capita Income: \$21,422	Sales Tax Per Capita	Sales Tax Per Capita	
		\$136.10 (44)	\$128.86 (49)	
			_	
			*Rank w	ithin relevant

Macon	1999 Burden: 4.46% 1998 Burden: 4.61% 1997 Burden: 5.08% Change FY98-99: -3.23% Rank: 34 (1999), 22 (1998) Population: 28,630 Per Capita Income: \$21,191	County Rev./Income 3.42% (13) County Rev. Per Cap. \$725.58 (15) Property Tax/Income 1.77% (30) Property Tax Per Cap. \$374.24 (27) Sales Tax/Income 0.85% (8) Sales Tax Per Capita \$179.43 (5)	County Rev./Income 3.60% (9) County Rev. Per Cap. \$745.94 (12) Property Tax/Income 1.93% (17) Property Tax Per Cap. \$399.93 (20) Sales Tax/Income 0.84% (6) Sales Tax Per Capita \$173.35 (6)	Franklin Highlands	3,52 <u>9</u> 1,11
Madison	1999 Burden: 2.88% 1998 Burden: 2.96% 1997 Burden: 2.66% Change FY98-99: -2.65% Rank: 98 (1999), 92 (1998) Population: 18,978 Per Capita Income: \$18,599	County Rev./Income 2.34% (81) County Rev. Per Cap. \$434.78 (99) Property Tax/Income 1.41% (64) Property Tax Per Cap. \$262.59 (81) Sales Tax/Income 0.59% (62) Sales Tax Per Capita \$109.95 (93)	County Rev./Income 2.40% (75) County Rev. Per Cap. \$439.65 (97) Property Tax/Income 1.44% (60) Property Tax Per Cap. \$263.90 (79) Sales Tax/Income 0.58% (59) Sales Tax Per Capita \$105.34 (90)	Hot Springs Marshall Mars Hill	56 87 1,66
Martin	1999 Burden: 4.59% 1998 Burden: 4.43% 1997 Burden: 4.83% Change FY98-99: 3.67% Rank: 27 (1999), 27 (1998) Population: 25,708 Per Capita Income: \$18,657	County Rev./Income 3.39% (15) County Rev. Per Cap. \$632.40 (34) Property Tax/Income 2.00% (14) Property Tax Per Cap. \$373.34 (29) Sales Tax/Income 0.76% (22) Sales Tax Per Capita \$141.02 (37)	County Rev./Income 3.25% (18) County Rev. Per Cap. \$606.70 (39) Property Tax/Income 2.03% (12) Property Tax Per Cap. \$378.00 (26) Sales Tax/Income 0.74% (18) Sales Tax Per Capita \$137.14 (35)	Bear Grass Everetts Hamilton Hassell Jamesville Oak City Parmele Robersonville Williamston	7; 13; 9; 65; 38; 30; 1,96 5,92;
McDowell	1999 Burden: 3.09% 1998 Burden: 3.15% 1997 Burden: 3.21% Change FY98-99: -1.99% Rank: 89 (1999), 79 (1998) Population: 40,644 Per Capita Income: \$19,522	County Rev./Income2.40%County Rev. Per Cap.\$468.14(90)Property Tax/Income1.31%(77)Property Tax Per Cap.\$255.55(86)Sales Tax/Income0.75%(23)Sales Tax Per Capita\$146.40(27)	County Rev./Income 2.43% (71) County Rev. Per Cap. \$461.59 (87) Property Tax/Income 1.35% (69) Property Tax Per Cap. \$256.96 (83) Sales Tax/Income 0.74% (16) Sales Tax Per Capita \$140.41 (27)	Marion Old Fort	5,20 1,01:
Mecklenburg	1999 Burden: 5.32% 1998 Burden: 5.09% 1997 Burden: 5.08% Change FY98-99: 4.51% Rank: 8 (1999), 12 (1998) Population: 642,245 Per Capita Income: \$35,245	County Rev./Income 2.59% (62) County Rev. Per Cap. \$913.02 (6) Property Tax/Income 1.71% (33) Property Tax Per Cap. \$601.98 (4) Sales Tax/Income 0.46% (95) Sales Tax Per Capita \$162.15 (15)	County Rev./Income 2.57% (58) County Rev. Per Cap. \$863.80 (7) Property Tax/Income 1.67% (34) Property Tax Per Cap. \$562.43 (6) Sales Tax/Income 0.47% (91) Sales Tax Per Capita \$159.15 (11)	Charlotte Cornelius Davidson Huntersville Matthews Mint Hill Pineville	526,24: 12,47 6,220 22,76: 21,98 18,45: 4,220

Mitchell	1999 Burden: 4.14% 1998 Burden: 4.12% 1997 Burden: 3.92% Change FY98-99: 0.41% Rank: 48 (1999), 47 (1998) Population: 14,690 Per Capita Income: \$19,449	County Rev./Income 3.18% (24) County Rev. Per Cap. \$618.14 (37) Property Tax/Income 1.55% (48) Property Tax Per Cap. \$300.92 (65) Sales Tax/Income 0.81% (10) Sales Tax Per Capita \$157.10 (17)	County Rev./Income 3.23% (20) County Rev. Per Cap. \$617.03 (36) Property Tax/Income 1.49% (53) Property Tax Per Cap. \$284.55 (67) Sales Tax/Income 0.80% (11) Sales Tax Per Capita \$152.40 (15)	Bakersville Spruce Pine
Montgomery	1999 Burden: 4.26% 1998 Burden: 4.17% 1997 Burden: 4.24% Change FY98-99: 2.24% Rank: 42 (1999), 42 (1998) Population: 24,988 Per Capita Income: \$19,789	County Rev./Income 2.63% (58) County Rev. Per Cap. \$520.04 (72) Property Tax/Income 1.67% (37) Property Tax Per Cap. \$329.96 (50) Sales Tax/Income 0.55% (73) Sales Tax Per Capita \$109.09 (95)	County Rev./Income 2.63% (54) County Rev. Per Cap. \$507.58 (73) Property Tax/Income 1.73% (30) Property Tax Per Cap. \$334.52 (43) Sales Tax/Income 0.55% (64) Sales Tax Per Capita \$106.68 (87)	Biscoe Candor Mount Gilead Star Troy
Moore	1999 Burden: 3.40% 1998 Burden: 3.28% 1997 Burden: 3.17% Change FY98-99: 3.69% Rank: 78 (1999), 77 (1998) Population: 72,308 Per Capita Income: \$28,493	County Rev./Income 2.01% (96) County Rev. Per Cap. \$571.34 (55) Property Tax/Income 1.12% (92) Property Tax Per Cap. \$318.23 (57) Sales Tax/Income 0.51% (84) Sales Tax Per Capita \$146.67 (25)	County Rev./Income 1.87% (98) County Rev. Per Cap. \$523.19 (66) Property Tax/Income 1.03% (98) Property Tax Per Cap. \$289.44 (65) Sales Tax/Income 0.51% (79) Sales Tax Per Capita \$142.48 (23)	Aberdeen Cameron Carthage Foxfire Villa Pinebluff Pinehurst Robbins Southern Pin- Taylortown Vass Whispering F
Nash	1999 Burden: 3.78% 1998 Burden: 3.76% 1997 Burden: 3.77% Change FY98-99: 0.40% Rank: 64 (1999), 61 (1998) Population: 89,064 Per Capita Income: \$23,572	County Rev./Income2.01%(95)County Rev. Per Cap.\$474.08Property Tax/Income1.26%Property Tax Per Cap.\$296.76\$296.76(66)Sales Tax/Income0.52%(83)Sales Tax Per Capita\$121.55(71)	County Rev./Income 2.06% (94) County Rev. Per Cap. \$480.46 (82) Property Tax/Income 1.25% (80) Property Tax Per Cap. \$293.16 (63) Sales Tax/Income 0.50% (83) Sales Tax Per Capita \$117.23 (71)	Bailey Castalia Dortches Middlesex Momeyer Nashville Red Oak Rocky Moun Sharpsburg Spring Hope
New Hanover	1999 Burden: 5.25% 1998 Burden: 5.23% 1997 Burden: 5.14% Change FY98-99: 0.37% Rank: 9 (1999), 8 (1998) Population: 148,822 Per Capita Income: \$26,346	County Rev./Income 3.13% (28) County Rev. Per Cap. \$825.31 (9) Property Tax/Income 1.80% (26) Property Tax Per Cap. \$473.56 (13) Sales Tax/Income 0.78% (15) Sales Tax Per Capita \$205.74 (3)		Carolina Bea Kure Beach Wilmington Wrightsville

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	1999 Burden: 4.12% 1998 Burden: 4.19% 1997 Burden: 4.30% Change FY98-99: -1.57% Rank: 50 (1999), 41 (1998) Population: 20,949 Per Capita Income: \$18,452	County Rev./Income 3.20% (23) County Rev. Per Cap. \$591.36 (48) Property Tax/Income 1.80% (25) Property Tax Per Cap. \$331.81 (49) Sales Tax/Income 0.52% (82) Sales Tax Per Capita \$95.33 (100)	County Rev./Income 3.23% (21) County Rev. Per Cap. \$587.44 (44) Property Tax/Income 1.84% (24) Property Tax Per Cap. \$334.18 (45) Sales Tax/Income 0.52% (75) Sales Tax Per Capita \$94.05 (98)	Conway Garysburg Gaston Jackson Lasker Rich Square Seaboard Severn Woodland	781 1,08 1,08' 56: 15: 1,081 801 25: 74:
Onslow	1999 Burden: 3.11% 1998 Burden: 2.92% 1997 Burden: 3.05% Change FY98-99: 6.46% Rank: 88 (1999), 93 (1998) Population: 148,286 Per Capita Income: \$22,109	County Rev./Income 1.92% (99) County Rev. Per Cap. \$424.69 (100) Property Tax/Income 0.84% (100) Property Tax Per Cap. \$184.92 (100) Sales Tax/Income 0.49% (91) Sales Tax Per Capita \$109.36 (94)	County Rev./Income 1.82% (100) County Rev. Per Cap. \$402.11 (100) Property Tax/Income 0.75% (100) Property Tax Per Cap. \$166.23 (100) Sales Tax/Income 0.49% (89) Sales Tax Per Capita \$107.51 (86)	Holly Ridge Jacksonville N. Topsail Beach Richlands Swansboro	80: 73,12: 1,13' 1,27' 1,50'
Orange	1999 Burden: 4.78% 1998 Burden: 4.51% 1997 Burden: 4.21% Change FY98-99: 5.97% Rank: 20 (1999), 25 (1998) Population: 109,746 Per Capita Income: \$28,256	County Rev./Income 2.73% (52) County Rev. Per Cap. \$772.28 (11) Property Tax/Income 1.96% (16) Property Tax Per Cap. \$553.24 (7) Sales Tax/Income 0.43% (98) Sales Tax Per Capita \$122.72 (66)	County Rev./Income 2.60% (57) County Rev. Per Cap. \$729.57 (13) Property Tax/Income 1.88% (18) Property Tax Per Cap. \$527.77 (7) Sales Tax/Income 0.42% (97) Sales Tax Per Capita \$116.39 (73)	Carrboro Chapel Hill Hillsborough	16,01: 44,34: 5,38
Pamlico	1999 Burden: 3.77% 1998 Burden: 3.78% 1997 Burden: 4.09% Change FY98-99: -0.38% Rank: 65 (1999), 60 (1998) Population: 12,602 Per Capita Income: \$21,256	County Rev./Income 2.95% (35) County Rev. Per Cap. \$627.67 (35) Property Tax/Income 2.00% (13) Property Tax Per Cap. \$425.41 (17) Sales Tax/Income 0.59% (59) Sales Tax Per Capita \$126.26 (59)	County Rev./Income 2.97% (30) County Rev. Per Cap. \$618.38 (34) Property Tax/Income 2.05% (10) Property Tax Per Cap. \$425.71 (17) Sales Tax/Income 0.62% (39) Sales Tax Per Capita \$129.29 (47)	Alliance Arapahoe Bayboro Grantsboro Mesic Minnesott Beach Oriental Stonewall Vandemere	66. 460 76. 45 300 90. 27 32
Pasquotank	1999 Burden: 5.20% 1998 Burden: 4.76% 1997 Burden: 4.37% Change FY98-99: 9.17% Rank: 12 (1999), 18 (1998) Population: 34,650 Per Capita Income: \$19,581	County Rev./Income 3.15% (25) County Rev. Per Cap. \$615.96 (40) Property Tax/Income 1.43% (62) Property Tax Per Cap. \$279.32 (71) Sales Tax/Income 0.91% (4) Sales Tax Per Capita \$177.80 (6)	County Rev./Income 2.73% (47) County Rev. Per Cap. \$528.19 (64) Property Tax/Income 1.33% (72) Property Tax Per Cap. \$256.33 (84) Sales Tax/Income 0.68% (30) Sales Tax Per Capita \$131.27 (43)	Elizabeth City	18,32

Pender	1999 Burden: 4.14% 1998 Burden: 4.15% 1997 Burden: 4.20%	County Rev./Income 3.21% (22) County Rev. Per Cap. \$594.78 (46) Property Tax/Income	County Rev./Income 3.24% (19) County Rev. Per Cap. \$619.29 (33) Property Tax/Income (25)	Atkinson Burgaw Saint Helena Surf City Topsail Beac Watha
ζ	Change FY98-99: -0.20% Rank: 49 (1999), 45 (1998)	1.87%(20)Property Tax Per Cap.\$346.56(39)Sales Tax/Income	1.82%(25)Property Tax Per Cap.\$346.85(38)Sales Tax/Income	watna
how	Population: 38,971 Per Capita Income: \$18,535	0.65% (39) Sales Tax Per Capita \$120.30 (74)	0.62% (40) Sales Tax Per Capita \$118.15 (70)	
Perquimans	1999 Burden: 4.50% 1998 Burden: 4.43%	County Rev./Income 3.29% (20) County Rev. Per Cap. \$579.53 (51)	County Rev./Income 3.13% (25) County Rev. Per Cap. \$550.02 (57)	Hertford Winfall
\bigcap	1997 Burden: 4.30% Change FY98-99: 1.67% Rank: 31 (1999), 28 (1998)	Property Tax/Income 2.12% (10) Property Tax Per Cap. \$373.08 (31)	Property Tax/Income 2.02% (13) Property Tax Per Cap. \$354.38 (34)	
LSI	Population: 10,872 Per Capita Income: \$17,609	Sales Tax/Income 0.63% (47) Sales Tax Per Capita \$110.57 (90)	Sales Tax/Income 0.60% (50) Sales Tax Per Capita \$105.49 89)	
Person	1999 Burden: 4.57% 1998 Burden: 4.29% 1997 Burden: 4.52%	County Rev./Income 3.60% (10) County Rev. Per Cap. \$755.25 (13)	County Rev./Income 3.43% (13) County Rev. Per Cap. \$723.21 (14)	Roxboro
	Change FY98-99: 6.65% Rank: 28 (1999), 35 (1998)	Property Tax/Income 2.33% (7) Property Tax Per Cap. \$488.85 (11) Sales Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income 2.22% (8) Property Tax Per Cap. \$469.13 (12) Sales Tax/Income	
	Population: 33,664 Per Capita Income: \$20,990	0.70% (31) Sales Tax Per Capita \$146.66 (26)	0.67% (31) Sales Tax Per Capita	
Pitt	1999 Burden: 4.22% 1998 Burden: 4.24% 1997 Burden: 4.10%	County Rev./Income 2.36% (80) County Rev. Per Cap. \$537.63 (67)	County Rev./Income 2.41% (73) County Rev. Per Cap. \$549.92 (58)	Ayden Bethel Falkland Farmville
$\langle \rangle$	Change FY98-99: -0.49% Rank: 47 (1999), 36 (1998)	Property Tax/Income 1.35% (73) Property Tax Per Cap. \$306.88 (61) Sales Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income 1.29% (76) Property Tax Per Cap. \$294.68 (62) Sales Tax/Income	Fountain Greenville Grifton Grimesland Simpson
	Population: 127,879 Per Capita Income: \$22,772	0.57% (70) Sales Tax Per Capita \$129.21 (54)	0.54% (70) Sales Tax Per Capita	Winterville
Polk	1999 Burden: 2.76% 1998 Burden: 2.59% 1997 Burden: 2.41%	County Rev./Income 1.98% (97) County Rev. Per Cap. \$567.85 (56)	County Rev./Income 1.88% (97) County Rev. Per Cap. \$525.54 (65)	Columbus Saluda Tryon
\frown	Change FY98-99: 6.52% Rank: 99 (1999), 100 (1998)	Property Tax/Income 1.21% (86) Property Tax Per Cap. \$345.22 (40)	Property Tax/Income 1.27% (77) Property Tax Per Cap. \$355.34 (33)	
()	Population: 16,925 Per Capita Income: \$28,614	Sales Tax/Income 0.42% (99) Sales Tax Per Capita \$120.47 (73)	Sales Tax/Income 0.27% (99) Sales Tax Per Capita \$75.35 (99)	
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Randolph	1999 Burden: 2.98% 1998 Burden: 3.02% 1997 Burden: 2.98% Change FY98-99: -1.35% Rank: 93 (1999), 87 (1998) Population: 126,316 Per Capita Income: \$22,622	County Rev./Income 1.98% (98) County Rev. Per Cap. \$447.29 (98) Property Tax/Income 0.92% (99) Property Tax Per Cap. \$208.41 (97) Sales Tax/Income 0.51% (86) Sales Tax Per Capita \$116.08 (82)	County Rev./Income 1.99% (96) County Rev. Per Cap. \$441.57 (95) Property Tax/Income 0.95% (99) Property Tax Per Cap. \$209.60 (98) Sales Tax/Income 0.50% (81) Sales Tax Per Capita \$111.62 (83)	Archdale Asheboro Franklinville Liberty Ramseur Randleman Seagrove Staley Trinity	8,99: 19,54 92' 2,35: 1,62' 3,29' 26' 34' 7,64
Richmond	1999 Burden: 4.61% 1998 Burden: 4.59% 1997 Burden: 4.62% Change FY98-99: 0.46% Rank: 26 (1999), 24 (1998) Population: 45,158 Per Capita Income: \$18,845	County Rev./Income 2.75% (50) County Rev. Per Cap. \$518.92 (74) Property Tax/Income 1.52% (52) Property Tax Per Cap. \$287.23 (69) Sales Tax/Income 0.69% (34) Sales Tax Per Capita \$129.31 (53)	County Rev./Income 2.75% (44) County Rev. Per Cap. \$512.90 (70) Property Tax/Income 1.55% (48) Property Tax Per Cap. \$287.89 (66) Sales Tax/Income 0.66% (36) Sales Tax Per Capita \$122.45 (57)	Dobbins Heights Ellerbe Hamlet Hoffman Norman Rockingham Robeson Fairmont	1,10: 1,16 6,70: 47: 9,76 Count 2,98
Robeson	1999 Burden: 4.68% 1998 Burden: 4.40% 1997 Burden: 4.52% Change FY98-99: 6.42% Rank: 24 (1999), 29 (1998) Population: 115,333 Per Capita Income: \$17,179	County Rev./Income 2.82% (43) County Rev. Per Cap. \$485.01 (85) Property Tax/Income 1.33% (75) Property Tax Per Cap. \$228.93 (95) Sales Tax/Income 0.71% (30) Sales Tax Per Capita \$121.73 (70)	County Rev./Income 2.64% (53) County Rev. Per Cap. \$457.84 (90) Property Tax/Income 1.33% (71) Property Tax Per Cap. \$230.64 (94) Sales Tax/Income 0.68% (28) Sales Tax Per Capita \$118.31 (69)	Lumber Bridge Lumberton Marietta Maxton Mcdonald Orrum Parkton Pembroke Proctorville Raynham Red Springs Rennert Rowland Saint Pauls	10' 20,39' 3,03- 8' 22: 10 36 2,71: 17: 12 3,89' 24 1,12: 2,25:
Rockingham	1999 Burden: 4.31% 1998 Burden: 4.33% 1997 Burden: 4.30% Change FY98-99: -0.39% Rank: 40 (1999), 32 (1998) Population: 89,745 Per Capita Income: \$20,866	County Rev./Income 2.64% (56) County Rev. Per Cap. \$550.59 (61) Property Tax/Income 1.49% (57) Property Tax Per Cap. \$310.03 (60) Sales Tax/Income 0.54% (77) Sales Tax Per Capita \$113.52 (86)	County Rev./Income 2.64% (52) County Rev. Per Cap. \$548.39 (59) Property Tax/Income 1.48% (56) Property Tax Per Cap. \$307.91 (56) Sales Tax/Income 0.55% (68) Sales Tax Per Capita \$113.58 (80)	Eden Madison Mayodan Reidsville Stoneville Wentworth	15,35' 2,41' 2,49' 14,34' 1,15' 1,95'
Rowan	1999 Burden: 3.85% 1998 Burden: 4.05% 1997 Burden: 3.91% Change FY98-99: -4.94% Rank: 62 (1999), 49 (1998) Population: 125,800 Per Capita Income: \$21,594	County Rev./Income 2.28% (83) County Rev. Per Cap. \$493.21 \$493.21 (80) Property Tax/Income 1.41% 1.41% (65) Property Tax Per Cap. \$303.98 \$303.98 (63) Sales Tax/Income 0.52% 0.52% (81) Sales Tax Per Capita \$111.93 \$89 \$111.93	County Rev./Income 2.28% (81) County Rev. Per Cap. \$485.45 (75) Property Tax/Income 1.41% (63) Property Tax Per Cap. \$300.16 (59) Sales Tax/Income 0.51% (80) Sales Tax Per Capita \$107.61 (85)	China Grove Cleveland East Spencer Faith Granite Quarry Landis Rockwell Salisbury Spencer	3,87' 91 2,37' 73: 2,13' 3,25' 1,80' 26,94' 3,33'

Rutherford		County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Alexander M
Numeriora	1999 Burden: 3.68%	2.49% (71) County Rev. Per Cap.	2.57% (59) County Rev. Per Cap.	Bostic Chimney Roo
	1998 Burden: 3.72% 1997 Burden: 3.72%	\$502.04 (78)	\$511.04 (71)	Ellenboro
\sim	1997 Buiden: 3.72%	Property Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income	Forest City
	Change FY98-99: -1.04%	1.34% (74) Property Tax Per Cap.	1.40% (64) Property Tax Per Cap.	Lake Lure Ruth
\sim 1	Rank: 66 (1999), 63 (1998)	\$269.60 (75)	\$278.47 (71)	Rutherfordto
	D	Sales Tax/Income 0.65% (38)	Sales Tax/Income 0.65% (37)	Spindale
	Population: 60,508	Sales Tax Per Capita	Sales Tax Per Capita	
	Per Capita Income: \$20,183	\$131.58 (50)	\$129.71 (46)	
Sampson		County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Autryville
1	1999 Burden: 3.40%	2.50% (69) County Rev. Per Cap.	2.28% (82) County Rev. Per Cap.	Clinton Garland
\sim	1998 Burden: 3.08% 1997 Burden: 2.96%	\$496.90 (79)	\$504.89 (74)	Harrells
	1997 Burden: 2.90%	Property Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income	Newton Grov
	Change FY98-99: 10.38%	1.35% (72) Property Tax Per Cap.	1.25% (81) Property Tax Per Cap.	Roseboro Salemburg
	Rank: 79 (1999), 83 (1998)	\$268.91 (76)	\$276.63 (72)	Turkey
λ (D 1.: 54.155	Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income	
\mathbf{X}	Population: 54,155 Per Capita Income: \$19,880	0.60% (54) Sales Tax Per Capita	0.52% (76) Sales Tax Per Capita	
V	r er Capita income. \$19,880	\$119.59 (76)	\$114.49 (77)	
Scotland		County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	East Laurinb
	1999 Burden: 4.76% 1998 Burden: 4.66%	3.38% (16) County Rev. Per Cap.	3.35% (16) County Rev. Per Cap.	Gibson Laurinburg
へ	1997 Burden: 4.56%	\$643.85 (32)	\$632.02 (30)	Wagram
		Property Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income	
	Change FY98-99: 2.22%	2.05% (12) Property Tax Per Cap.	2.01% (14) Property Tax Per Cap.	
$\langle \langle \rangle$	Rank: 21 (1999), 21 (1998)	\$390.44 (23)	\$379.53 (24)	
	Population: 34,824	Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income	
\sim	Per Capita Income: \$19,026	0.77% (17) Sales Tax Per Capita	0.75% (15) Sales Tax Per Capita	
~	for cupita moome. \$17,020	\$146.83 (23)	\$141.94 (24)	
Stanly	1999 Burden: 3.93%	County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Albemarle
5	1998 Burden: 3.98%	2.24% (85) County Rev. Per Cap.	2.29% (80) County Rev. Per Cap.	Badin Locust
	1997 Burden: 4.01%	\$485.55 (84)	\$479.19 (83)	New London
\sim		Property Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income	Norwood
	Change FY98-99: -1.05%	1.27% (81) Property Tax Per Cap.	1.30% (75) Property Tax Per Cap.	Oakboro Richfield
	Rank: 60 (1999), 54 (1998)	\$276.47 (73)	\$272.10 (74)	Stanfield
	Population: 56,082	Sales Tax/Income 0.58% (66)	Sales Tax/Income 0.57% (61)	
(~~~)	Per Capita Income: \$21,689	Sales Tax Per Capita	Sales Tax Per Capita	
		\$124.74 (62)	\$118.83 (66)	
Stokes	1999 Burden: 3.00%	County Rev./Income	County Rev./Income	Danbury
	1998 Burden: 2.99%	2.38% (79) County Rev. Per Cap.	2.37% (77) County Rev. Per Cap.	King Walnut Cove
	1997 Burden: 2.93%	\$493.01 (82)	\$482.40 (79)	
	Change EV09 00. 0 229/	Property Tax/Income	Property Tax/Income	
	Change FY98-99: 0.33% Rank: 92 (1999), 89 (1998)	1.30% (78) Property Tax Per Cap.	1.31% (73) Property Tax Per Cap.	
	1,1,1,2,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1	\$270.18 (74)	\$266.89 (78)	
	Population: 43,700	Sales Tax/Income	Sales Tax/Income	
	Per Capita Income: \$20,714	0.59% (58) Sales Tax Per Capita	0.59% (56) Sales Tax Per Capita	
		\$123.24 (64)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
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Surry	1999 Burden: 3.53% 1998 Burden: 3.56% 1997 Burden: 3.57% Change FY98-99: -0.76% Rank: 71 (1999), 70 (1998) Population: 68,843 Per Capita Income: \$21,939	County Rev./Income 2.48% (72) County Rev. Per Cap. \$544.81 (64) Property Tax/Income 1.08% (94) Property Tax Per Cap. \$237.61 (94) Sales Tax/Income 0.74% (24) Sales Tax Per Capita \$162.45 (14)	County Rev./Income 2.48% (64) County Rev. Per Cap. \$539.18 (61) Property Tax/Income 1.12% (93) Property Tax Per Cap. \$244.20 (90) Sales Tax/Income 0.73% (20) Sales Tax Per Capita \$159.90 (10)	Dobson Elkin Mount Airy Pilot Mountain	1,31! 3,96 8,60 1,29
Swain	1999 Burden: 4.65% 1998 Burden: 3.26% 1997 Burden: 3.04% Change FY98-99: 42.60% Rank: 25 (1999), 78 (1998) Population: 12,311 Per Capita Income: \$16,156	County Rev./Income 4.05% (8) County Rev. Per Cap. \$654.23 (30) Property Tax/Income 1.22% (83) Property Tax Per Cap. \$197.42 (99) Sales Tax/Income 0.89% (7) Sales Tax Per Capita \$143.31 (33)	County Rev./Income2.67%(50)County Rev. Per Cap.\$428.38(98)Property Tax/Income1.19%(87)Property Tax Per Cap.\$190.68(99)Sales Tax/Income0.86%(5)Sales Tax Per Capita\$138.59(30)	Bryson City	1,10
Transylvania	1999 Burden: 4.47% 1998 Burden: 4.21% 1997 Burden: 4.09% Change FY98-99: 6.06% Rank: 33 (1999), 40 (1998) Population: 28,353 Per Capita Income: \$23,378	County Rev./Income 3.65%(9)County Rev. Per Cap. \$853.56(8)Property Tax/Income 2.17%(8)Property Tax Per Cap. \$506.95(10)Sales Tax/Income 0.71%(28)Sales Tax Per Capita \$166.10(10)	County Rev./Income 3.41%(14)County Rev. Per Cap.\$794.26(10)Property Tax/Income 2.04%(11)Property Tax Per Cap.\$473.73(11)Sales Tax/Income 0.70%(25)Sales Tax Per Capita \$162.04(9)	Brevard Rosman	6,69 44
Tyrrell	1999 Burden: 5.40% 1998 Burden: 5.12% 1997 Burden: 5.02% Change FY98-99: 5.53% Rank: 7 (1999), 11 (1998) Population: 4,025 Per Capita Income: \$15,475	County Rev./Income 4.58% (6) County Rev. Per Cap. \$708.56 (17) Property Tax/Income 3.31% (3) Property Tax Per Cap. \$512.33 (9) Sales Tax/Income 0.76% (20) Sales Tax Per Capita \$118.11 (79)	County Rev./Income4.00%(8)County Rev. Per Cap.\$710.65(17)Property Tax/Income2.92%(5)Property Tax Per Cap.\$518.29(8)Sales Tax/Income0.68%(29)Sales Tax Per Capita\$121.00(61)	Columbia	84:
Union	1999 Burden: 4.25% 1998 Burden: 4.16% 1997 Burden: 4.08% Change FY98-99: 2.10% Rank: 44 (1999), 43 (1998) Population: 115,344 Per Capita Income: \$22,277	County Rev./Income 2.54% (67) County Rev. Per Cap. \$566.17 (59) Property Tax/Income 1.52% (54) Property Tax Per Cap. \$338.48 (44) Sales Tax/Income 0.60% (57) Sales Tax Per Capita \$133.16 (48)	County Rev./Income 2.53% (62) County Rev. Per Cap. \$556.26 (53) Property Tax/Income 1.53% (49) Property Tax Per Cap. \$336.57 (40) Sales Tax/Income 0.59% (55) Sales Tax Per Capita \$129.22 (48)	Hemby Bridge Indian Trail Lake Park Marshville Marvin Mineral Springs Monroe Stallings Unionville Waxhaw Weddington Wesley Chapel Wingate	1,59 10,23 99 2,89 50 1,69 23,91 2,84 4,20 2,76 6,22 2,24 3,10

Vance	1999 Burden: 4.79% 1998 Burden: 4.60% 1997 Burden: 4.51% Change FY98-99: 4.05% Rank: 19 (1999), 23 (1998) Population: 42,271 Per Capita Income: \$19,008	County Rev./Income 2.98% (33) County Rev. Per Cap. \$567.03 (57) Property Tax/Income 1.71% (32) Property Tax Per Cap. \$324.66 (54) Sales Tax/Income 0.76% (21) Sales Tax Per Capita \$143.93 (32)	County Rev./Income 2.82% (39) County Rev. Per Cap. \$533.57 (62) Property Tax/Income 1.62% (38) Property Tax Per Cap. \$305.28 (58) Sales Tax/Income 0.71% (22) Sales Tax Per Capita \$134.25 (38)	Henderson Kittrell Middleburg
Wake	1999 Burden: 3.98% 1998 Burden: 3.99% 1997 Burden: 4.12% Change FY98-99: -0.23% Rank: 58 (1999), 53 (1998) Population: 592,218 Per Capita Income: \$33,780	County Rev./Income 2.07% (93) County Rev. Per Cap. \$700.61 (19) Property Tax/Income 1.22% (84) Property Tax Per Cap. \$412.49 (21) Sales Tax/Income 0.41% (100) Sales Tax Per Capita \$138.00 (39)	County Rev./Income 2.11% (92) County Rev. Per Cap. \$684.51 (19) Property Tax/Income 1.26% (79) Property Tax Per Cap. \$407.92 (19) Sales Tax/Income 0.41% (98) Sales Tax Per Capita \$133.82 (39)	Apex Cary Fuquay-Varin Garner Holly Spring Knightdale Morrisville Raleigh Rolesville Wake Forest Wendell Zebulon
Warren	1999 Burden: 5.20% 1998 Burden: 4.89% 1997 Burden: 5.07% Change FY98-99: 6.27% Rank: 11 (1999), 13 (1998) Population: 18,978 Per Capita Income: \$15,874	County Rev./Income 4.38% (7) County Rev. Per Cap. \$694.63 (20) Property Tax/Income 2.65% (6) Property Tax Per Cap. \$420.20 (18) Sales Tax/Income 0.73% (25) Sales Tax Per Capita \$115.91 (83)	County Rev./Income 4.21% (6) County Rev. Per Cap. \$682.48 (20) Property Tax/Income 2.46% (6) Property Tax Per Cap. \$398.73 (21) Sales Tax/Income 0.72% (21) Sales Tax Per Capita \$117.16 (72)	Macon Norlina Warrenton
Washington	1999 Burden: 4.42% 1998 Burden: 4.11% 1997 Burden: 4.12% Change FY98-99: 7.36% Rank: 36 (1999), 48 (1998) Population: 12,850 Per Capita Income: \$18,366	County Rev./Income 3.09% (30) County Rev. Per Cap. \$566.96 (58) Property Tax/Income 1.89% (19) Property Tax Per Cap. \$347.07 (38) Sales Tax/Income 0.65% (40) Sales Tax Per Capita \$119.16 (77)	County Rev./Income 2.95% (31) County Rev. Per Cap. \$556.33 (52) Property Tax/Income 1.86% (21) Property Tax Per Cap. \$350.66 (35) Sales Tax/Income 0.61% (44) Sales Tax Per Capita \$115.22 (75)	Creswell Plymouth Roper
Watauga	1999 Burden: 4.89% 1998 Burden: 4.77% 1997 Burden: 4.97% Change FY98-99: 2.48% Rank: 16 (1999), 17 (1998) Population: 40,791 Per Capita Income: \$20,996	County Rev./Income 2.85% (41) County Rev. Per Cap. \$598.11 (45) Property Tax/Income 1.48% (58) Property Tax Per Cap. \$310.09 (59) Sales Tax/Income 0.83% (9) Sales Tax Per Capita \$174.74 (7)	County Rev./Income 2.81% (41) County Rev. Per Cap. \$568.68 (49) Property Tax/Income 1.48% (55) Property Tax Per Cap. \$300.13 (60) Sales Tax/Income 0.81% (9) Sales Tax Per Capita \$163.31 (8)	Beech Mount Blowing Roc Boone Seven Devils
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Wayne	1999 Burden: 3.54% 1998 Burden: 3.33% 1997 Burden: 3.24% Change FY98-99: 6.47% Rank: 70 (1999), 76 (1998) Population: 112,954 Per Capita Income: \$19,710	County Rev./Income 2.28% (84) County Rev. Per Cap. \$449.89 (96) Property Tax/Income 1.08% (95) Property Tax Per Cap. \$212.27 (96) Sales Tax/Income 0.64% (41) Sales Tax Per Capita \$126.42 (58)	County Rev./Income 2.07% (93) County Rev. Per Cap. \$403.64 (99) Property Tax/Income 1.11% (94) Property Tax Per Cap. \$217.00 (97) Sales Tax/Income 0.62% (41) Sales Tax Per Capita \$120.09 (63)	Eureka30:Fremont1,83:Goldsboro48,19'Mount Olive4,73'Pikeville78'Seven Springs17'Walnut Creek80
Wilkes	1999 Burden: 3.17% 1998 Burden: 3.05% 1997 Burden: 3.06% Change FY98-99: 3.75% Rank: 83 (1999), 84 (1998) Population: 63,760 Per Capita Income: \$22,014	County Rev./Income 2.48% (73) County Rev. Per Cap. \$546.61 (63) Property Tax/Income 1.21% (85) Property Tax Per Cap. \$266.97 (79) Sales Tax/Income 0.73% (26) Sales Tax Per Capita \$159.88 (16)	County Rev./Income 2.43% (70) County Rev. Per Cap. \$515.92 (68) Property Tax/Income 1.18% (88) Property Tax Per Cap. \$251.52 (86) Sales Tax/Income 0.71% (24) Sales Tax Per Capita \$150.40 (17)	North Wilkesboro 3,86: Ronda 36: Wilkesboro 3,20
Wilson	1999 Burden: 4.74% 1998 Burden: 5.20% 1997 Burden: 4.99% Change FY98-99: -8.93% Rank: 22 (1999), 9 (1998) Population: 69,772 Per Capita Income: \$23,823	County Rev./Income 2.49% (70) County Rev. Per Cap. \$593.22 (47) Property Tax/Income 1.53% (49) Property Tax Per Cap. \$365.08 (32) Sales Tax/Income 0.58% (65) Sales Tax Per Capita \$137.31 (41)	County Rev./Income 2.94% (34) County Rev. Per Cap. \$679.73 (21) Property Tax/Income 1.87% (20) Property Tax Per Cap. \$431.72 (16) Sales Tax/Income 0.61% (47) Sales Tax Per Capita \$140.19 (28)	Black Creek71:Elm City1,74:Lucama95:Saratoga34Sims11:Stantonsburg80:Wilson41,79:
Yadkin	1999 Burden: 3.13% 1998 Burden: 2.98% 1997 Burden: 2.82% Change FY98-99: 5.10% Rank: 86 (1999), 91 (1998) Population: 36,124 Per Capita Income: \$21,860	County Rev./Income 2.43% (77) County Rev. Per Cap. \$531.16 (70) Property Tax/Income 1.35% (71) Property Tax Per Cap. \$295.72 (68) Sales Tax/Income 0.60% (55) Sales Tax Per Capita \$130.93 (52)	County Rev./Income 2.38% (76) County Rev. Per Cap. \$509.98 (72) Property Tax/Income 1.30% (74) Property Tax Per Cap. \$279.74 (69) Sales Tax/Income 0.59% (54) Sales Tax Per Capita \$126.41 (51)	Arlington89:Boonville1,25:East Bend700Jonesville1,79'Yadkinville2,94
Yancey	1999 Burden: 3.25% 1998 Burden: 3.08% 1997 Burden: 3.10% Change FY98-99: 5.66% Rank: 82 (1999), 82 (1998) Population: 16,841 Per Capita Income: \$18,308	County Rev./Income 2.76% (49) County Rev. Per Cap. \$504.85 (77) Property Tax/Income 1.46% (59) Property Tax Per Cap. \$267.24 (78) Sales Tax/Income 0.80% (12) Sales Tax Per Capita \$146.73 (24)	County Rev./Income 2.56% (60) County Rev. Per Cap. \$455.88 (91) Property Tax/Income 1.46% (59) Property Tax Per Cap. \$260.47 (80) Sales Tax/Income 0.80% (10) Sales Tax Per Capita \$142.95 (21)	Burnsville 1,60

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<u>Municipality</u>	<u>County</u>	Combined Local Revenues <u>Per Capita</u>	1999 <u>Rank</u>	1998 <u>Rank</u>	Combined Property Tax Burden <u>Per Capita</u>	1999 <u>Rank</u>	1998 <u>Rank</u>	Combi Sale Tax Bu <u>Per Ca</u>
		High I	Burden –	- Upper	Quartile			
Charlotte	Mecklenburg	\$1,801.66	1	1	\$976.82	2	2	\$265
Durham	Durham	\$1,589.38	2	2	\$953.73	3	1	\$273
Chapel Hill	Orange ^a	\$1,506.64	3	6	\$905.24	4	3	\$248
Concord	Cabarrus	\$1,500.80	4	14	\$1.014.06	1	12	\$228
Greensboro	Guilford	\$1,468.08	5	3	\$851.23	5	4	\$269
Hickory	Catawba	\$1,465.93	6	4	\$779.62	10	8	\$297
		Average Burd	en — Sec	ond and	l Third Quart	iles		
High Point	Guilford	\$1,443.49	7	5	\$842.85	6	5	\$264
Asheville	Buncombe	\$1,428.41	8	9	\$780.99	9	10	\$305
Winston-Salem	Forsyth	\$1,399.89	9	7	\$808.03	7	6	\$260
Wilmington	New Hanover	\$1,365.56	10	8	\$733.25	11	9	\$312
Raleigh	Wake	\$1,343.36	11	11	\$718.98	12	11	\$281
Cary	Wake	\$1,331.74	12	10	\$794.60	8	7	\$265
Salisbury	Rowan	\$1,122.11	13	12	\$636.80	15	15	\$226
Gastonia	Gaston	\$1,111.68	14	15	\$673.57	13	14	\$236
Wilson	Wilson	\$1,104.14	15	13	\$615.44	16	13	\$227
Fayetteville	Cumberland	\$1,098.01	16	17	\$559.07	17	17	\$241
		Low E	Burden —	- Lower	Quartile			
Greenville	Pitt	\$1,029.47	17	16	\$535.42	19	18	\$258
Burlington	Alamance	\$966.06	18	19	\$519.60	20	19	\$252
Rocky Mount	Nash ^a	\$961.03	19	18	\$542.88	18	20	\$233
Kannapolis	Cabarrus ^a	\$960.16	20	20	\$641.03	14	16	\$195
Goldsboro	Wayne	\$782.95	21	21	\$362.14	21	21	\$216
Jacksonville	Onslow	\$693.10	22	22	\$292.81	22	22	\$220
Jacksonvine	Ulisiow	\$095.IU	LL	LL	\$292.01	LL	LL	

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<u>Municipality</u>	<u>County</u>	Combined Local Revenues <u>Per Capita</u>	1999 <u>Rank</u>	1998 <u>Rank</u>	Combined Property Tax Burden <u>Per Capita</u>	1999 <u>Rank</u>	1998 <u>Rank</u>	Combi Sale Tax Bu <u>Per Ca</u>
High Burden — Upper Quartile								
Kill Devil Hills	Dare	\$2,705.76	1	1	\$1,342.55	1	1	\$520.
Carolina Beach	New Hanover	\$1,542.04	2	2	\$800.63	3	7	\$344.
Holly Springs	Wake	\$1,470.13	3	3	\$731.01	40	18	\$244.
Pinehurst	Moore	\$1,346.28	4	6	\$764.38	12	9	\$289.
Brevard	Transylvania	\$1,337.29	5	10	\$751.19	23	17	\$262.
Davidson	Mecklenburg	\$1,319.69	6	13	\$880.00	63	4	\$224.
Morehead City	Carteret	\$1,312.55	7	9	\$718.44	6	15	\$301.
Fuquay-Varina	Wake	\$1,305.26	8	11	\$772.73	20	10	\$269.
Hillsborough	Orange	\$1,289.34	9	12	\$850.58	41	6	\$242.
Cornelius	Mecklenburg	\$1,278.94	10	5	\$842.19	61	2	\$227.
Hendersonville	Henderson	\$1,272.63	11	7	\$748.45	5	12	\$307.
Clayton	Johnston	\$1,263.93	12	4	\$612.48	66	43	\$222.
Garner	Wake	\$1,261.88	13	15	\$769.27	16	11	\$281.
Carrboro	Orange	\$1,261.75	14	16	\$847.94	42	3	\$241.
Washington	Beaufort	\$1,248.26	15	17	\$569.39	13	40	\$284.
Black Mountain	Buncombe	\$1,232.58	16	24	\$621.28	37	37	\$246.

<u>Municipality</u> Kernersville Roxboro Smithfield Apex Mothewys	<u>County</u> Forsyth Person Johnston Wake	Combined Local Revenues <u>Per Capita</u> \$1,227.30 \$1,226.39 \$1,223.81 \$1,205.36 \$1,201.21	1999 <u>Rank</u> 17 18 19 20 21	1998 <u>Rank</u> 32 20 18 22	Combined Property Tax Burden <u>Per Capita</u> \$777.13 \$816.91 \$656.48 \$663.04 \$799.47	1999 <u>Rank</u> 35 59 29 44 69	1998 <u>Rank</u> 5 16 33 24 8	Combined Sales Tax Burden <u>Per Capita</u> \$247.54 \$227.63 \$254.45 \$238.05 \$215.10	1999 <u>Ranl</u> 35 59 29 44 69
Matthews	Mecklenburg	\$1,201.31 Average Burde			Third Quart		0	\$215.19	05
Southern Pines	Moore	\$1,195.11	22	25	\$694.94	11	27	\$295.29	11
Monroe	Union	\$1,188.95	23	29 29	\$651.30	47	34	\$236.44	47
Mooresville	Iredell	\$1,182.72	24	40	\$612.95	15	41	\$282.75	15
Wake Forest	Wake	\$1,181.61	25	21	\$631.90	31	29	\$252.39	31
Knightdale	Wake	\$1,180.13	26	14	\$670.07	34	23	\$250.38	34
Conover	Catawba	\$1,175.49	27	19	\$653.25	7	22	\$298.56	7
Mount Airy	Surry	\$1,160.69	28	23	\$586.81	4	35	\$327.94	2
Saniord	Lee	\$1,155.61	29	26	\$732.80	24	13	\$260.37	24
Huntersville	Mecklenburg	\$1,154.52	30	37	\$777.54	73	14	\$201.74	73
Siler City	Chatham	\$1,142.51	31	28	\$687.71	19	20	\$271.28	- 19
Waynesville	Haywood	\$1,131.60	32	30	\$574.76	10	39	\$295.82	10
Newton	Catawba	\$1,117.17	33	27	\$574.90	8	36	\$297.97	8
Mint Hill	Mecklenburg	\$1,099.66	34	38	\$736.87	75	19	\$195.72	75
Selma	Johnston	\$1,095.06	35	33	\$557.66	68	48	\$218.64	68
Tarboro	Edgecombe	\$1,077.84	36	34	\$604.14	72	38	\$207.70	72
Lincolnton	Lincoln	\$1,073.79	37	39	\$648.68	17	28	\$276.33	17
Belmont	Gaston	\$1,063.48	38	44	\$699.18	50	21	\$233.38	50
Roanoke Rapids	Halifax	\$1,062.95	39	43	\$503.73	62	53	\$225.55	62
Kinston	Lenoir	\$1,061.48	40	42	\$570.19	53	42	\$230.16	53
Whiteville	Columbus	\$1,056.87	41	31	\$547.37	54	47	\$230.13	54
Reidsville	Rockingham	\$1,056.28	42 43	35 53	\$627.93 \$484.71	60 2	25 65	\$227.59 \$251.00	60
Boone Statesville	Watauga Iredell	\$1,053.45 \$1,049.93	43 44	55 41	\$484.71 \$561.05	14^{2}	65 44	\$351.00 \$283.81	14
Albemarle	Stanly	\$1,049.93	44 45	55	\$501.05 \$514.16	30	44 58	\$283.81 \$252.70	30
Cherryville	Gaston	\$1,042.90	45	49	\$615.28	30 46	31	\$236.67	46
Lumberton	Robeson	\$1,030.38	47	51	\$478.54	36	66	\$230.07	30
Mount Holly	Gaston	\$1,024.54	48	47	\$655.76	49	26	\$234.48	49
New Bern	Craven	\$1,021.66	49	45	\$516.16	22	55	\$265.62	2
Bessemer City	Gaston	\$1,011.96	50	48	\$603.08	48	32	\$236.08	48
Henderson	Vance	\$1,009.09	51	52	\$551.89	32	49	\$251.17	32
Laurinburg	Scotland	\$1,004.28	52	58	\$562.98	71	45	\$212.97	7
Morganton	Burke	\$1,002.37	53	36	\$499.09	64	60	\$224.21	64
Williamston	Martin	\$999.45	54	56	\$625.18	55	30	\$229.95	55
Lenoir	Caldwell	\$999.42	55	46	\$530.09	57	52	\$228.24	5′
Shelby	Cleveland	\$996.33	56	64	\$501.13	74	64	\$198.09	74
Elizabeth City	Pasquotank	\$994.57	57	66	\$471.44	18	70	\$276.08	18
Edenton	Chowan	\$987.62	58	59	\$508.49	67	63	\$218.96	6
Marion	McDowell	\$986.06	59	57	\$520.39	9	50	\$296.02	9
Asheboro	Randolph	\$977.33	60	50	\$546.33	52	46	\$232.96	52
Spring Lake	Cumberland	\$969.89	61	67	\$479.19	38	72	\$245.55	38
Eden	Rockingham	\$967.25	62	54	\$526.21	58	51	\$228.20	58
Oxiord Lexington	Granville Davidson	\$963.02 \$957.54	63 64	60 70	\$494.70 \$480.14	65 27	59 74	\$223.13 \$256.74	65 27
		Low B	urden —	- Lower	Quartile				
Dunn	Harnett	\$955.33	65	63	\$451.66	70	75	\$214.41	70
Thomasville	Davidson	\$955.55 \$954.78	66	61	\$451.00 \$508.75	28	75 56	\$214.41 \$254.59	28
Kings Mountain	Cleveland	\$934.78 \$943.76	67	73	\$308.73 \$431.39	28 78	50 76	\$234.39 \$178.36	20 78
Rockingham	Richmond	\$939.61	68	62	\$478.90	25	61	\$259.87	25
					\$650.65	82	-		
	Brunswick	<u>1917 X1</u>	ny	-				רחחנוה	~ ~
Oak Island ^b Clinton	Brunswick Sampson	\$915.85 \$910.69	69 70	- 65	\$050.05 \$453.48	82 43	- 67	\$156.63 \$240.24	82 43

		Combined Local			Combined Property			Combi Sale
		Revenues	1999	1998	Tax Burden	1999	1998	Tax Bu
Municipality	County	Per Capita	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Rank</u>	Per Capita	<u>Rank</u>	Rank	Per Ca
Mebane	Alamance	\$871.12	72	71	\$501.83	51	54	\$233.
Graham	Alamance	\$855.24	73	74	\$437.75	33	73	\$250.
Summerfield	Guilford	\$826.52	74	75	\$447.84	21	68	\$265.
Elon College	Alamance	\$772.33	75	77	\$404.23	39	78	\$245.
Clemmons	Forsyth	\$769.99	76	78	\$506.62	80	57	\$162.
Forest City	Rutheriord	\$761.51	77	76	\$371.77	77	80	\$179.
King	Stokes	\$755.72	78	79	\$440.86	76	71	\$185.
Lewisville	Forsyth	\$745.96	79	80	\$490.04	81	62	\$157.
Archdale	Randolph	\$734.62	80	68	\$333.57	45	82	\$237.
Indian Trail	Union	\$647.33	81	81	\$380.08	83	79	\$148.
Havelock	Craven	\$645.93	82	82	\$328.88	79	83	\$170.
Hope Mills	Cumberland	\$617.89	83	72	\$333.16	85	77	\$123.
Weddington	Union	\$601.06	84	83	\$351.74	84	81	\$138.
Trinity	Randolph	\$581.87	85	84	\$226.54	56	84	\$229.

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Municipality	<u>County</u>	Combined Local Revenues <u>Per Capita</u>	1999 <u>Rank</u>	1998 <u>Rank</u>	Combined Property Tax Burden <u>Per Capita</u>	1999 <u>Rank</u>	1998 <u>Rank</u>	Combi Sale Tax Bu <u>Per Ca</u>
		High I	Burden –	– Upper	Quartile			
Nags Head	Dare	\$4,154.25	1	1	\$2,073.18	1	1	\$743
Southern Shores	Dare	\$2,634.11	2	2	\$1,280.54	5	5	\$501
Blowing Rock	Watauga	\$2,608.18	3	6	\$1,530.10	2	4	\$348
Highlands	Macon	\$2,588.95	4	5	\$1,303.94	4	8	\$549
Kitty Hawk	Dare	\$2,528.28	5	4	\$1,266.78	6	6	\$487
Claremont	Catawba	\$2,211.54	6	11	\$1,497.28	3	3	\$296
Manteo	Dare	\$2,129.12	7	10	\$1,020.37	11	13	\$415
Atlantic Beach	Carteret	\$2,127.97	8	7	\$1,163.35	8	7	\$510
Surf City	Pender	\$2,098.39	9	8	\$1,136.78	9	9	\$370
	New Hanover	\$2,056.17	10	9	\$984.87	13	16	\$426
Morrisville	Wake	\$1,925.85	11	3	\$1,176.17	7	2	\$219
Elizabethtown	Bladen	\$1,834.59	12	12	\$703.40	30	27	\$235
Emerald Isle	Carteret	\$1,793.02	13	14	\$973.38	15	17	\$397
Sunset Beach	Brunswick	\$1,768.49	14	13	\$965.77	16	14	\$321
Biltmore Forest	Buncombe	\$1,765.63	15	15	\$1.117.89	10	10	\$431
Wallace	Duplin	\$1,598.80	16	50	\$539.24	78	74	\$243
Shallotte	Brunswick	\$1,578.50	17	18	\$994.00	12	12	\$313
Weaverville	Buncombe	\$1,566.29	18	22	\$768.53	26	24	\$300
North Topsail Beach		\$1,566.16	19	44	\$981.08	14	37	\$260
Bladenboro	Bladen	\$1,556.08	20	20	\$558.38	71	73	\$191
Southport	Brunswick	\$1,556.00	20	19	\$904.11	19	18	\$319
Pineville	Mecklenburg	\$1,522.15	22	17	\$956.92	17	15	\$261
Canton	Haywood	\$1,473.32	23	21	\$954.72	18	11	\$299
Spruce Pine	Mitchell	\$1,375.92	23	32	\$794.72	22	39	\$351
North Wilkesboro	Wilkes	\$1,350.66	24	30	\$715.14	29	50	\$321
Jamestown	Guilford	\$1,345.02	26	24	\$657.14	40	32	\$250
Murphy	Cherokee	\$1,328.13	20 27	24 26	\$559.23	70	52 64	\$328
Zebulon	Wake	\$1,323.72	28	20	\$786.83	24	22	\$277
Belhaven	Beaufort	\$1,318.73	28 29	73	\$780.83 \$464.78	121	107	\$281
Madison	Rockingham	\$1,306.29	30	34	\$823.97	20	25	\$231
Pine Knoll Shores	Carteret	\$1,271.82	30	27	\$823.97 \$779.62	20	23	\$232 \$328
Tryon	Polk	\$1,271.82	31	38	\$779.62 \$678.77	23 32	21 30	\$237
Boiling Spring Lakes		\$1,262.05	32 33	28	\$078.77 \$804.61	52 21	20	\$257
Franklin	Macon		33 34					\$313
Calabash	Brunswick	\$1,251.14		29 16	\$658.93 \$756.28	39 27	28 19	
Elkin	Surry	\$1,250.72 \$1,233.61	35 36	16 31	\$756.38 \$611.38	27 55	19 42	\$327 \$323
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<u>Municipality</u> Pittsboro Louisburg Weldon Bryson City Aberdeen Sylva Mount Pleasant Wilkesboro Cramerton Laurel Park	<u>County</u> Chatham Franklin Halifax Swain Moore Jackson Cabarrus Wilkes Gaston Henderson	Combined Local Revenues <u>Per Capita</u> \$1,225.58 \$1,209.19 \$1,209.19 \$1,191.43 \$1,189.48 \$1,170.88 \$1,161.14 \$1,157.09 \$1,154.54 \$1,149.98	1999 <u>Rank</u> 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46	1998 <u>Rank</u> 35 41 36 104 37 45 80 54 49 46	Combined Property Tax Burden <u>Per Capita</u> \$675.50 \$592.53 \$577.38 \$475.15 \$664.57 \$664.57 \$662.95 \$718.32 \$667.59 \$787.87 \$663.42	1999 <u>Rank</u> 33 61 63 115 36 38 28 35 23 37	1998 <u>Rank</u> 26 71 59 103 40 33 72 46 23 36	Combined Sales Tax Burden <u>Per Capita</u> \$262.93 \$204.05 \$263.34 \$293.07 \$295.28 \$329.83 \$188.11 \$315.66 \$231.70 \$303.63	1999 <u>Rani</u> 61 158 60 42 40 14 172 24 119 30
Wendell	Wake	\$1,148.07	47	42	\$634.06	48	41	\$269.54	53
Mayodan	Rockingham	\$1,145.95	48	33	\$615.92	52	47	\$229.86	122
Maiden	Catawba	\$1,144.94	49	43	\$565.59 \$605.26	67	63	\$298.03 \$202.20	35
Leland Stoneville	Brunswick Rockingham	\$1,125.61 \$1,124.00	50 51	100 53	\$695.26 \$638.30	31 46	29 34	\$302.20 \$223.65	31 131
	Rockingham					-	54	φ225.05	151
		Average Burde	en — Sec	cond and	l Third Quart	iles			
Murfreesboro	Hertford	\$1,123.61	52	55	\$610.51	56	60	\$253.14	72
Robbins	Moore	\$1,120.43	53	51	\$580.00	62	67	\$297.00	37
Fletcher	Henderson	\$1,112.23	54	57	\$617.63	50	65	\$308.99 \$2(2,42	28
Beaufort Ahoskie	Carteret Hertford	\$1,107.75 \$1,106.43	55 56	39 52	\$610.49 \$616.48	57 51	51 53	\$262.43 \$259.31	63 67
Pilot Mountain	Surry	\$1,100.45	57	40	\$593.16	60	43	\$322.83	20
Carolina Shores	Brunswick	\$1,100.29	58	96	\$652.49	41	31	\$286.81	47
Whispering Pines	Moore	\$1,080.85	59	65	\$668.72	34	44	\$296.14	39
Cape Carteret	Carteret	\$1,070.01	60	61	\$637.67	47	45	\$268.16	56
Warsaw	Duplin	\$1,068.12	61	194	\$565.78	66	55	\$244.90	82
West Jefferson	Ashe	\$1,067.89 \$1,065.82	62 63	56 60	\$644.88 \$614.36	44 53	52 38	\$272.49 \$232.00	51 118
Ramseur Tabor City	Randolph Columbus	\$1,065.82 \$1,063.40	63 64	60 48	\$614.36 \$543.36	55 77	38 77	\$232.00 \$230.02	118
Troutman	Iredell	\$1,054.65	65	140	\$440.08	136	132	\$250.02 \$269.14	55
Mocksville	Davie	\$1,045.73	66	47	\$576.56	64	54	\$236.83	107
Broadway	Lee	\$1,033.49	67	75	\$626.05	49	58	\$258.80	68
Stanley	Gaston	\$1,032.82	68	72	\$613.89	54	48	\$235.67	109
Benson	Johnston	\$1,024.36	69	62	\$533.28	81	87	\$210.15	153
Clyde Yadkinville	Haywood	\$1,021.48	70 71	77 114	\$530.86 \$529.94	82 83	81 84	\$297.75 \$232.13	36 117
Beulaville	Yadkin Duplin	\$1,019.39 \$1,018.48	71	64	\$529.94 \$507.66	85 91	84 92	\$232.13 \$243.22	92
Norlina	Warren	\$1,017.37	73	66	\$520.89	86	98	\$243.22 \$234.21	112
Long View	Catawba	\$1,008.90	74	63	\$501.94	94	85	\$289.06	46
Burnsville	Yancey	\$1,006.95	75	84	\$551.59	74	61	\$298.96	34
Wadesboro	Anson	\$1,005.22	76	25	\$561.04	68	69	\$233.02	113
Valdese	Burke	\$995.85	77	93	\$498.25	102	102	\$240.94	98
Gibsonville	Guilford ^a Rutherford	\$993.89 \$002.71	78 70	162	\$604.97 \$510.84	59	56	\$262.93 \$242.46	62
Rutherfordton Franklinton	Franklin	\$993.71 \$990.54	79 80	71 94	\$510.84 \$516.35	90 87	78 112	\$243.46 \$177.88	87 182
Rose Hill	Duplin	\$990.24	81	70	\$490.89	105	96	\$243.04	93
Sparta	Alleghany	\$985.34	82	83	\$480.81	108	110	\$290.12	44
Burgaw	Pender	\$985.24	83	69	\$499.33	100	95	\$243.29	91
Plymouth	Washington	\$982.25	84	91	\$507.07	92	91	\$236.96	106
Andrews	Cherokee	\$978.47	85	105	\$407.53	159	167	\$331.13	13
Scotland Neck	Halifax	\$975.34 \$974.28	86	97 05	\$382.45	171	161	\$174.42	183
Pinebluff Farmville	Moore Pitt	\$974.38 \$974.34	87 88	95 58	\$499.60 \$546.08	97 76	109 90	\$291.65 \$259.73	43 66
Mount Gilead	Montgomery	\$974.34 \$973.62	88 89	58 132	\$546.08 \$644.78	76 45	90 75	\$259.73 \$217.58	00 144
Kenly	Johnston	\$970.27	90	79	\$546.24	75	82	\$217.38 \$212.29	152
Nashville	Nash	\$969.78	91	78	\$523.37	84	88	\$238.76	103
Spring Hope	Nash	\$967.21	92	85	\$556.64	72	80	\$243.38	89
Lowell	Gaston	\$965.28	93	81	\$605.15	58	49	\$236.43	108
Woodfin	Buncombe	\$961.82	94	102	\$533.47	80	93	\$212.83	151

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		Revenues	1999	1998	Tax Burden		1998	Tax Bu
Municipality	County	Per Capita	Rank	Rank	Per Capita	<u>Rank</u>	Rank	Per Ca
Newport	Carteret	\$961.36	95	76	\$514.74	88	86	\$216.
Rowland Rural Hall	Robeson	\$958.87 \$058.15	96 97	88 82	\$416.90 \$652.34	154 42	145 35	\$244. \$209.
Old Fort	Forsyth McDowell	\$958.15 \$952.15	97 98	82 89	\$032.34 \$552.67	42 73	55 66	\$209. \$294.
Carthage	Moore	\$946.38	99	127	\$499.21	101	122	\$289.
Red Springs	Robeson	\$937.01	100	110	\$382.88	170	176	\$246.
Chadbourn	Columbus	\$930.28	101	74	\$472.66	116	108	\$227.
Dobson	Surry	\$927.44	102	99	\$433.18	144	134	\$324.
Saint Pauls	Robeson	\$925.12	103	107	\$419.64	152	147	\$243.
Harrisburg	Cabarrus	\$922.44	104	170	\$650.73	43	106	\$158.
Haw River	Alamance	\$922.17	105	122	\$407.77	158	156	\$252. \$140
Tobaccoville Erwin	Forsyth Harnett	\$921.99 \$917.94	106 107	135 130	\$466.04 \$461.11	119 123	116 139	\$149. \$224.
Bethel	Pitt	\$917.94 \$917.34	107	92	\$461.11 \$460.68	123	139	\$224. \$264.
Liberty	Randolph	\$908.69	108	113	\$444.12	131	128	\$232.
Roseboro	Sampson	\$906.53	110	90	\$444.65	130	127	\$238.
Four Oaks	Johnston	\$900.88	111	98	\$477.56	111	120	\$187.
Granite Falls	Caldwell	\$898.33	112	119	\$468.23	117	130	\$220.
Raeford	Hoke	\$897.50	113	109	\$497.55	103	99	\$210.
Fair Bluff	Columbus	\$892.39	114	101	\$438.30	140	135	\$229.
Dallas	Gaston	\$888.91	115	86	\$523.24	85	83	\$226.
Ayden	Pitt	\$888.03	116	108	\$443.02	132	152	\$267.
Enfield Denton	Halifax Davidson	\$886.87 \$884.53	117 118	125 111	\$367.47 \$459.45	178 125	174 105	\$168. \$255.
Pine Level	Johnston	\$884.01	118	112	\$439.43 \$478.77	125	103	\$233. \$187.
Biscoe	Montgomery	\$883.74	120	120	\$566.23	65	70	\$107. \$217.
Swansboro	Onslow	\$881.98	120	141	\$440.64	135	151	\$214.
Pembroke	Robeson	\$880.80	122	133	\$392.78	166	177	\$243.
Jonesville	Yadkin	\$878.60	123	118	\$505.18	93	97	\$220.
Jefferson	Ashe	\$877.99	124	144	\$500.76	95	117	\$276.
Rich Square	Northampton	\$877.92	125	121	\$479.18	109	104	\$191.
Randleman	Randolph	\$875.72	126	138	\$406.81	160	175	\$231.
Angier	Harnett	\$871.16	127	146	\$430.26	146	143	\$215. \$100
Robersonville La Grange	Martin Lenoir	\$870.17 \$870.12	128 129	106 126	\$534.37 \$447.15	79 129	76 137	\$199. \$181.
Bermuda run	Davie	\$870.12 \$868.07	129	120	\$335.12	129	187	\$181. \$124.
Princeton	Johnston	\$865.32	131	124	\$476.33	112	126	\$183.
Spindale	Rutherford	\$864.00	132	103	\$491.10	104	79	\$234.
Hertford	Perquimqns	\$862.78	133	117	\$389.82	167	180	\$221.
Walnut Cove	Stokes	\$858.86	134	134	\$475.94	113	118	\$204.
Creedmoor	Granville	\$857.77	135	115	\$487.90	106	101	\$218.
Spencer	Rowan	\$854.84	136	145	\$484.61	107	111	\$220.
Lillington	Harnett	\$853.34	137	158	\$465.23	120	157	\$203.
Walkertown	Forsyth	\$851.69 \$845.03	138 139	143 139	\$560.94 \$427.05	69 147	68 154	\$179. \$204.
Pinetops Elm City	Edgecombe Wilson	\$843.05 \$844.43	139	87	\$427.03 \$511.35	89	62	\$204. \$192.
Grifton	Pitt	\$841.45	140	123	\$438.66	139	138	\$172. \$247.
Oakboro	Stanly	\$838.07	142	155	\$475.45	114	115	\$243.
Maxton	Robeson	\$837.67	143	137	\$364.85	179	173	\$239.
Fairmont	Robeson	\$836.56	144	129	\$395.67	163	159	\$241.
Mount Olive	Wayne	\$836.11	145	156	\$406.42	161	153	\$239.
Coats	Harnett	\$835.69	146	147	\$433.87	141	160	\$202.
Marshville	Union	\$830.98	147	136	\$499.37	98	94	\$198.
Flat Rock	Henderson	\$830.07	148	149	\$374.01	175	181	\$308.
Stokesdale	Guilford	\$826.30 \$825.74	149	142	\$447.84 \$270.20	126	123	\$267. \$246
Cooleemee	Davie Alexander	\$825.74 \$821.28	150 151	128	\$379.39 \$378.63	172	169 162	\$246. \$271
Taylorsville Pleasant Garden	Alexander Guilford	\$821.28 \$817.03	151 152	131 164	\$378.63 \$447.84	173 126	162 123	\$271. \$269.
Vanceboro	Craven	\$817.03	152	150	\$393.43	165	123	\$209. \$199.
Garysburg	Northampton	\$815.17	155	150	\$442.34	133	136	\$192.
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Municipality	<u>County</u>	Combined Local Revenues <u>Per Capita</u>	1999 <u>Rank</u>	1998 <u>Rank</u>	Combined Property Tax Burden <u>Per Capita</u>	1999 <u>Rank</u>	1998 <u>Rank</u>	Combined Sales Tax Burden <u>Per Capita</u>	1999 <u>Ran</u> l
		Low B	Burden –	- Lower	Quartile				
Norwood	Stanly	\$813.46	155	163	\$433.47	142	150	\$240.45	99
Troy	Montgomery	\$812.53	156	161	\$499.61	96	100	\$217.99	143
Gaston	Northampton	\$810.54	157	153	\$439.43	137	133	\$187.64	173
Drexel	Burke	\$806.72	158	175	\$370.55	176	178	\$244.66	83
Ellerbe	Richmond	\$806.17	159	152	\$401.44	162	158	\$258.30	70
Lake Waccamaw	Columbus	\$801.19	160	67	\$433.39	143	89	\$186.92	176
Hudson	Caldwell	\$796.21	161	148	\$438.77	138	140	\$227.70	125
Granite Quarry	Rowan	\$793.85	162	159	\$461.21	122	114	\$214.83	149
Rockwell	Rowan	\$793.31	163	160	\$468.20	118	119	\$219.84	139
Waxhaw	Union	\$789.40 \$786.27	164	173	\$499.33	99	121	\$180.64 \$244.04	180
Glen Alpine East Spencer	Burke Rowan	\$786.27 \$785.49	165 166	176 157	\$378.26 \$422.94	174 149	171 141	\$244.94 \$220.30	81 138
Mars Hill	Madison	\$783.57	167	157	\$422.94 \$416.22	149	141	\$220.30 \$217.57	136
Badin	Stanly	\$783.37 \$776.31	167	167	\$441.00	133	144	\$217.37 \$246.71	77
Landis	Rowan	\$773.13	168	171	\$430.97	145	149	\$240.71 \$218.47	142
Snow Hill	Greeene	\$768.62	170	166	\$383.43	169	166	\$168.76	186
Boiling Springs	Cleveland	\$764.96	170	172	\$389.20	168	163	\$156.32	191
Richlands	Onslow	\$762.45	172	168	\$314.26	193	196	\$239.78	102
Hildebran	Burke	\$761.71	173	183	\$331.31	189	187	\$241.87	95
China Grove	Rowan	\$760.51	174	165	\$421.08	150	146	\$224.64	128
Oak Ridge	Guilford	\$750.88	175	181	\$447.84	126	123	\$203.61	159
Locust	Stanly	\$747.33	176	174	\$393.91	164	168	\$248.01	75
Dobbins Heights	Richmond	\$744.18	177	179	\$338.54	183	182	\$258.36	69
Boonville	Yadkin	\$744.01	178	169	\$424.54	148	142	\$190.83	171
Fremont	Wayne	\$721.46	179	184	\$320.77	192	189	\$185.32	177
Wingate	Union	\$716.02	180	177	\$419.68	151	148	\$162.85	187
Sharpsburg	Nash	\$708.11	181	180	\$410.51	157	164	\$220.78	134
Rutherford College	Burke	\$692.80	182	191	\$291.42	198	198	\$243.04	94
Windsor	Bertie	\$688.95	183	182	\$311.26	194	191	\$200.26	162
Stallings	Union	\$687.83	184	185	\$410.97	156	165	\$154.61	192
River Bend	Craven	\$687.14	185	178	\$368.02	177	179	\$191.92	168
Wentworth	Rockingham	\$670.63	186	202	\$310.03	195	194	\$232.99	114
Kingstown	Cleveland Burke	\$660.61 \$640.28	187 188	189 198	\$330.96 \$252.06	190 202	188 201	\$134.65 \$245.58	195 80
Connelly Springs Ranlo	Gaston	\$649.38 \$648.79	189	198 68	\$253.96 \$419.27	153	201 57	\$245.58 \$118.51	202
Yanceyville	Caswell	\$625.35	189	197	\$334.24	133	193	\$137.17	194
Trent Woods	Craven	\$624.06	190	186	\$326.76	191	193	\$169.86	184
Sawmills	Caldwell	\$622.39	191	180	\$287.97	199	192	\$228.32	124
Polkton	Anson	\$612.88	192	59	\$339.88	182	170	\$159.61	189
Princeville	Edgecombe	\$606.52	194	192	\$344.34	180	190	\$104.01	203
Red Oak	Nash	\$595.86	195	193	\$296.76	197	197	\$241.57	96
Cajah'S Mountain	Caldwell	\$580.95	196	196	\$247.01	203	202	\$224.62	129
Gamewell	Caldwell	\$574.26	197	195	\$247.01	203	202	\$221.46	133
Wesley Chapel	Union	\$572.67	198	199	\$343.91	181	183	\$133.71	196
Unionville	Union	\$567.64	199	199	\$338.48	184	183	\$133.16	197
Hemby Bridge	Union	\$566.17	200	199	\$338.48	184	183	\$133.16	197
Mineral Springs ^b	Union	\$566.17	200	-	\$338.48	184	-	\$133.16	197
Winterville	Pitt	\$537.63	202	116	\$306.88	196	129	\$129.21	200
Green Level Aulander	Alamance Bertie	\$519.99 \$450.27	203 204	188 203	\$272.20 \$256.74	200 201	195 200	\$162.58 \$101.70	188 204

Notes: a) Municipality has at least 1,000 residents in two counties; is listen under county where greatest number of residents live b) Municipality appears in 1999 Municipal AFIR, but not in 1998 AFIR.

		Combined Local Revenues	1999	1998	Combined Property Tax Burden	1999	1998	Comb Sal Tax B
Municipality	County	Per Capita	Rank	Rank	Per Capita	Rank	Rank	Per C
		High l	Burden –	– Upper	Quartile			
Bald Head Island	Brunswick	\$21,026.06	1	1	\$15,543.43	1	1	\$30
Sugar Mountain	Avery	\$8,447.55	2	2	\$5,369.09	3	3	\$36
Beech Mountain	Watauga	\$7,652.80	3	3	\$5,783.92	2	2	\$348
Seven Devils	Watauga	\$5,820.31	4 5	4 5	\$3,046.52	4 6	4 6	\$34 \$31
Ocean Isle Beach Holden Beach	Brunswick Brunswick	\$3,419.79 \$3,340.74	5	5 9	\$1,649.50 \$1,415.33	8	8	\$31
Santeetlah	Graham	\$2,896.64	7	6	\$1,892.88	5	5	\$27
Topsail Beach	Pender	\$2,805.86	8	7	\$1,484.45	7	7	\$24
White Lake	Bladen	\$2,795.89	9	8	\$1,383.97	9	, 9	\$48
Lake Lure	Rutherford	\$2,501.61	10	10	\$1,299.21	12	11	\$57
Caswell Beach	Brunswick	\$2,339.60	11	12	\$1,380.19	10	10	\$30
Kure Beach	New Hanover	\$2,236.78	12	11	\$1,335.31	11	12	\$55
Indian Beach	Carteret	\$2,075.03	13	13	\$1,284.44	13	13	\$50
Montreat	Buncombe	\$1,637.27	14	18	\$1,012.91	14	15	\$39
Banner Elk	Avery	\$1,635.92	15	22	\$706.12	19	22	\$32
Clarkton	Bladen	\$1,613.96	16	16	\$613.44	34	28	\$22
Dublin	Bladen	\$1,591.97	17	17	\$553.28	49	42	\$19
Maggie Valley	Haywood	\$1,536.71	18	20	\$998.62	15	16	\$29
Yaupon Beach	Brunswick	\$1,530.68	19	19	\$993.20	16	14	\$32
Foxfire Village	Moore	\$1,399.14	20	14	\$608.64	36	38	\$28
Youngsville	Franklin	\$1,375.89	21	25	\$720.91	17	34	\$22
Tar Heel Rolesville	Bladen	\$1,307.08	22 23	21 24	\$424.85 \$682.75	132 24	122	\$15 \$25
Faison	Wake Duplin	\$1,296.23 \$1,275.79	23 24	24 44	\$682.75 \$546.79	24 54	26 57	\$23 \$24
Bakersville	Mitchell	\$1,241.15	24 25	23	\$540.79 \$544.72	54 56	67	\$24 \$28
Newland	Avery	\$1,217.29	25 26	29 29	\$687.24	22	24	\$36
East Arcadia	Bladen	\$1,208.47	20	27	\$352.35	185	172	\$12
Greenevers	Duplin	\$1,190.76	28	131	\$492.17	76	177	\$53
Columbus	Polk	\$1,170.23	29	56	\$593.94	37	74	\$24
Saluda	Polk	\$1,160.71	30	46	\$660.38	25	33	\$24
Elk Park	Avery	\$1,149.50	31	34	\$549.69	51	41	\$35
Aurora	Beaufort	\$1,147.87	32	31	\$446.74	112	85	\$27
Warrenton	Warren	\$1,143.28	33	39	\$660.21	26	29	\$23
Catawba	Catawba	\$1,137.80	34	30	\$563.58	45	37	\$29
Sandy Creek	Brunswick	\$1,133.90	35	35	\$701.50	20	19	\$32
Littleton	Halifax	\$1,132.89	36	26	\$539.94	57	40	\$23
Dillsboro	Jackson	\$1,121.06	37	38	\$650.02	31	27	\$31
Northwest	Brunswick	\$1,121.06	38	36	\$688.14	21	23	\$31
Bunn	Franklin	\$1,111.88	39	51	\$570.15	43	69	\$18
Bolivia	Brunswick	\$1,110.51	40	37	\$683.37	23	21	\$31
Rosman	Transylvania	\$1,104.71	41	52	\$592.32	39	49	\$20
Severn	Northampton	\$1,082.89 \$1,076.80	42	32	\$610.10 \$522.10	35	31	\$19
Brookford Oriental	Catawba Pamlico	\$1,076.80	43 44	42 45	\$522.19 \$714.06	65 18	68 20	\$30 \$21
Vass	Moore	\$1,038.55	44	43 64	\$553.81	48	20 65	\$29
Crossnore	Avery	\$1,032.80	46	54	\$509.73	70	63	\$37
Bath	Beaufort	\$1,007.52	47	47	\$556.17	47	53	\$28
Robbinsville	Graham	\$1,007.52	48	63	\$592.79	38	52	\$27
Autryville	Sampson	\$996.69	49	130	\$399.44	151	136	\$23
Kenansville	Duplin	\$992.85	50	50	\$530.72	59	55	\$24
Halifax	Halifax	\$989.62	51	58	\$362.84	175	151	\$16
Whitakers	Edgecombe	\$987.57	52	65	\$518.99	66	79	\$21
Fountain	Pitt	\$986.61	53	57	\$527.59	62	50	\$27
Grandfather Village	Avery	\$986.26	54	60	\$479.31	83	77	\$34
Chocowinity	Beaufort	\$974.94	55	59	\$445.23	113	88	\$28

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Municipality	County	Per Capita	Rank	Rank	Per Capita	Rank	Rank	Per Ca
Walnut Creek	Wayne	\$826.59 \$825.20	114 115	104 120	\$441.97 \$457.28	117 101	101 94	\$257. \$221.
Hayesville Whitsett	Clay Guilford	\$825.39 \$823.84	115	120	\$457.38 \$447.84	101	102	\$221. \$267.
Stantonsburg	Wilson	\$819.75	117	77	\$465.43	95	58	\$207. \$175.
Sedalia	Guilford	\$819.54	118	141	\$447.84	109	102	\$268.
Jamesville	Martin	\$818.89	119	128	\$481.81	82	78	\$184.
Woodland	Northampton	\$812.99	120	116	\$440.62	120	107	\$179.
Saint Helena	Pender	\$809.13	121	112	\$408.12	144	145	\$243.
Simpson	Pitt	\$806.82	122	114	\$433.14	127	131	\$262.
Black Creek	Wilson	\$805.59	123	75	\$476.96	84	54	\$174.
Falkland	Pitt	\$798.85	124	148	\$377.40	166	164	\$256.
Spencer Mountain	Gaston	\$798.60	125	137	\$449.30	106	98	\$236.
Falcon Stanfield	Cumberland	\$797.27 \$706.05	126 127	142	\$368.23	171	194	\$240. \$249.
Cerro Gordo	Stanly Columbus	\$796.95 \$794.74	127	$\frac{108}{110}$	\$449.77 \$360.19	105 177	117 176	\$249. \$228.
Speed	Edgecombe	\$792.33	128	127	\$396.16	153	153	\$228. \$202.
Lucama	Wilson	\$790.41	130	99	\$470.23	88	61	\$174.
Pikeville	Wayne	\$779.39	131	159	\$378.96	163	149	\$225.
Bridgeton	Craven	\$779.05	132	89	\$430.98	128	118	\$222.
Conetoe	Edgecombe	\$777.10	133	124	\$408.77	143	139	\$208.
Hamilton	Martin	\$776.15	134	149	\$466.54	93	87	\$177.
East Bend	Yadkin	\$775.07	135	145	\$462.60	97	108	\$199.
Hot Springs	Madison	\$774.88	136	146	\$467.02	90	97	\$220.
Faith	Rowan	\$772.05	137	136	\$438.40	122	111	\$217.
Morven	Anson	\$771.11	138	41	\$373.50	167	150	\$235.
Mcadenville	Gaston	\$770.10	139	151	\$419.27	133 129	133	\$234. \$260
Gatesville Alamance	Gates Alamance	\$768.57 \$767.72	140 141	169 140	\$429.62 \$377.55	129	134 165	\$260. \$251.
Grimesland	Pitt	\$766.44	141	140	\$393.16	154	165	\$251. \$261.
Lansing	Ashe	\$766.37	142	230	\$400.32	149	220	\$272.
Love Valley	Iredell	\$760.19	144	156	\$365.78	173	148	\$274.
Cedar Point	Carteret	\$757.89	145	152	\$447.73	111	110	\$192.
Bayboro	Pamlico	\$756.16	146	158	\$512.84	69	71	\$151.
Bear Grass	Martin	\$755.58	147	161	\$463.62	96	93	\$171.
Vandemere	Pamlico	\$755.52	148	157	\$497.96	74	75	\$155.
Bostic	Rutherford	\$752.98	149	144	\$334.22	195	188	\$159.
Leggett	Edgecombe	\$750.68	150	150	\$383.77	160	166	\$205. \$245
Castalia	Nash Dandan	\$745.45 \$744.01	151 152	162 143	\$346.28	187 180	187 171	\$245. \$245.
Watha Lawndale	Pender Cleveland	\$744.91 \$744.16	152	145	\$357.33 \$384.35	158	171	\$243. \$158.
Sandyfield	Columbus	\$744.10	153	139	\$377.41	165	140	\$138. \$229.
Walstonburg	Greeene	\$740.91	155	167	\$370.32	169	161	\$162.
Trenton	Jones	\$740.35	156	154	\$512.95	68	64	\$163.
Forest Hills	Jackson	\$739.34	157	183	\$417.33	135	162	\$189.
Stovall	Granville	\$732.33	158	166	\$359.81	178	180	\$230.
Parmele	Martin	\$731.96	159	165	\$440.66	119	99	\$168.
Peachland	Anson	\$729.63	160	48	\$367.42	172	167	\$232.
Eureka	Wayne	\$725.54	161	180	\$338.88	192	186	\$203.
Harrells	Sampson	\$724.23	162	153	\$329.89	200	191	\$239.
Ansonville	Anson	\$721.72 \$717.74	163	43	\$369.38 \$360.94	170	163	\$231. \$252
Richfield Hookerton	Stanly Greeene	\$717.74 \$714.33	164 165	192 184	\$360.94 \$343.80	176 190	198 179	\$253. \$156.
Harmony	Iredell	\$714.10	165	174	\$309.56	207	205	\$278.
Stem	Granville	\$713.17	167	155	\$400.38	148	137	\$230.
Stonewall	Pamlico	\$712.87	168	171	\$476.49	85	84	\$146.
Wilson's Mills	Johnston	\$710.92	169	173	\$397.83	152	157	\$157.
Lattimore	Cleveland	\$710.82	170	202	\$319.26	201	195	\$132.
Ruth	Rutherford	\$710.64	171	160	\$406.92	146	123	\$193.
Lasker	Northampton	\$708.87	172	170	\$354.01	184	169	\$187.
Peletier	Carteret	\$707.95	173	179	\$409.85	141	143	\$176.
Mesic Centerville	Pamlico Franklin	\$707.65 \$707.44	174	175	\$482.22 \$257.17	81	86	\$145. \$128
Centerville	Franklin	\$707.44	175	185	\$357.17	181	197	\$128.

Municipality	<u>County</u>	Combined Local Revenues <u>Per Capita</u>	1999 <u>Rank</u>	1998 <u>Rank</u>	Combined Property Tax Burden <u>Per Capita</u>	1999 <u>Rank</u>	1998 <u>Rank</u>	Combined Sales Tax Burden <u>Per Capita</u>	1999 <u>Ran</u> l
		Low B	Burden —	- Lower	Quartile				
Turkey	Sampson	\$704.48	176	172	\$316.22	203	196	\$241.76	86
Pollocksville	Jones	\$702.13	177	181	\$465.80	94	113	\$138.70	212
Webster	Jackson	\$700.45	178	182	\$385.07	157	156	\$184.63	168
Lake Park	Union	\$698.66	179	178	\$434.00	126	130	\$163.64	187
McFarlan	Anson	\$697.88	180	49	\$358.00	179	174	\$233.77	103
Middleburg	Vance	\$695.90	181	227	\$391.14	155	204	\$165.11	185
Cedar Rock	Caldwell	\$694.80	182	196	\$354.89	182	192	\$226.79	119
Bogue	Carteret	\$693.70	183	177	\$405.84 \$412.82	147	144	\$175.27 \$154.28	176
Hassell Hoffman	Martin Richmond	\$685.24 \$684.24	184 185	186 176	\$412.82 \$330.91	138 199	138 190	\$154.38 \$250.37	201 58
Rhodhiss	Caldwell	\$682.43	185	164	\$350.91 \$354.79	199	190	\$230.37 \$217.13	136
Roxobel	Bertie	\$677.28	180	199	\$336.77	193	184	\$204.57	142
Kelford	Bertie	\$671.53	188	195	\$331.63	198	183	\$202.88	146
East Laurinburg	Scotland	\$670.52	189	194	\$390.44	156	155	\$146.83	206
Lumber Bridge	Robeson	\$666.40	190	190	\$280.50	220	216	\$244.46	75
Arlington	Yadkin	\$664.39	191	189	\$381.00	162	168	\$164.56	186
Boardman	Columbus	\$663.05	192	163	\$310.80	205	202	\$229.66	115
Alliance	Pamlico	\$660.56	193	187	\$425.41	130	127	\$126.26	218
Danbury	Stokes	\$659.04	194	168	\$381.34	161	158	\$169.44	181
Grantsboro New London	Pamlico Stanly	\$654.34 \$653.55	195 196	201 188	\$448.28 \$315.49	108 204	127 200	\$128.32 \$246.74	216 62
Norman	Richmond	\$651.51	190	193	\$287.23	218	200 214	\$240.74 \$257.47	53
Delview ^b	Gaston	\$648.79	197	- 175	\$419.27	133	- 214	\$118.51	225
Proctorville	Robeson	\$647.90	199	113	\$259.54	226	221	\$245.08	71
Maysville	Jones	\$642.30	200	198	\$444.80	114	121	\$141.67	210
Franklinville	Randolph	\$639.18	201	200	\$265.18	224	223	\$221.72	124
Ellenboro	Rutherford	\$636.02	202	191	\$343.57	191	185	\$163.63	188
Raynham	Robeson	\$635.64	203	208	\$252.62	229	227	\$240.31	88
Powellsville	Bertie	\$634.59 \$627.67	204 205	206 197	\$310.43 \$425.41	206 130	193 119	\$204.41 \$126.26	143 218
Arapahoe Polkville	Pamlico Cleveland	\$627.67 \$621.31	205 206	205	\$425.41 \$293.50	213	209	\$126.26 \$119.93	218
Rennert	Robeson	\$620.10	200	205	\$240.79	230	209	\$242.62	83
Earl	Cleveland	\$619.58	208	211	\$297.77	210	208	\$121.31	222
Marvin	Union	\$619.20	209	204	\$362.98	174	178	\$139.53	211
Godwin	Cumberland	\$617.89	210	115	\$333.16	196	147	\$123.08	220
Fallston	Cleveland	\$617.18	211	213	\$298.45	209	207	\$121.49	221
McDonald	Robeson	\$613.26	212	212	\$236.63	231	228	\$242.28	84
Momeyer Marietta	Nash Robeson	\$612.16 \$610.94	213 214	203 214	\$309.52 \$228.93	208 232	203 230	\$244.71 \$245.81	74 65
Staley	Randolph	\$610.29	214	207	\$228.93 \$254.59	232	230	\$232.46	110
Orrum	Robeson	\$608.86	216	217	\$228.93	232	230	\$245.58	68
Casar	Cleveland	\$607.41	217	218	\$288.15	216	213	\$117.54	227
Askewville	Bertie	\$602.16	218	219	\$295.00	212	201	\$198.53	152
Mooresboro	Cleveland	\$601.61	219	221	\$277.98	221	217	\$113.41	228
Waco	Cleveland	\$599.72	220	220	\$289.64	215	211	\$118.22	226
Dortches	Nash	\$596.67	221	209	\$296.76	211	212	\$243.04	81
Patterson Springs Lewiston-Woodville	Cleveland Bertie	\$594.88 \$593.81	222 223	223 215	\$277.98 \$291.09	221 214	217 206	\$113.41 \$203.00	228 145
Belwood	Cleveland	\$592.33	223	213	\$291.09 \$277.98	214	200	\$205.00 \$113.41	228
Seaboard	Northampton	\$591.36	225	135	\$331.81	197	129	\$95.33	233
Kittrell	Vance	\$584.09	226	225	\$334.84	194	199	\$148.83	205
Winfall	Perquimqns	\$579.53	227	125	\$373.08	168	95	\$110.57	231
Swepsonville	Alamance	\$579.06	228	231	\$258.96	227	224	\$239.23	91
Seven Springs	Wayne	\$577.02	229	226	\$285.68	219	210	\$173.61	179
Cove City	Craven	\$571.40	230	216	\$287.68	217	215	\$151.10	204
Milton	Caswell	\$567.82 \$566.06	231	229	\$316.60	202	226	\$110.54 \$110.16	232
Creswell Dover	Washington Craven	\$566.96 \$519.22	232 233	224 228	\$347.07 \$262.66	186 225	182 222	\$119.16 \$137.64	224 213
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Other	11	Current Collections of Special Tax Dis-	Utility	82	Water and Sewer Charge
Faxes		trict	·	83	Electric Charges**
	18	Scrap Tire Disposal Tax			Gas Charges**
	22	Local Occupancy Tax	Sales		1% Local Government
		Prepared Food Tax	Tax	17	1/2% Local Governme
		911 Charges			Tax (40)
		White Goods Disposal Tax		18	1/2% Local Governme
		Privilege Licenses			Tax (42)
	27		Sales &	70	Parking Revenues
		Animal Tax	Services	71	Rents and Royalties
		Deed Stamp Excise Tax		72	Airport
		Real Property Transfer Tax		73	Fire Protection Charge
Sales	19			74	Solid Waste
Tax	20	1/2% Local Government Option Sales		75	Ambulance and Rescue
		Tax (40)		76	Cemeteries
	21	1/2% Local Government Option Sales		77	Recreation Service Rev
		Tax (42)		78	Library Service Reven
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Services		Rents and Royalties		80	Mass Transit - City Op
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	87			20	Auto Licenses
		Ambulance and Rescue Squad Charges		21	Other Licenses
		Cemeteries		22	Local Occupancy Tax
		Recreation Service Revenues		23	Prepared Food Tax
		Library Service Revenues		24	911 Charges
		Other Cultural and Rec. Service Rev.		11	Current Collections of
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	95	Client and Third Party Payments - Social Services		68	Inspection Fees
	06			69	Other Permits
	90	Client and Third Party Payments -		85	Investment Earnings -
	07	County Home		86	Investment Earnings -
	97 98	Mass Transit - County Operated Other Sales and Services		87	Special Assessments
		Water and Sewer Charges***		88	Private Contributions a
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viise.	80	Register of Deeds		90	Sale of Real Property**
		Inspection Fees		91	Nongovernment Co
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		1 Cent and 5 Cent Bottle Tax		97	Other**
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