



Powering North Carolina Communities

Duke Energy, a Fortune 150 company headquartered in Charlotte, N.C., is one of the largest energy holding companies in the United States. With more than 115 years of service in the state, Duke Energy brings substantial and diverse benefits to North Carolina.

Serving customers

- **3.5 million** retail electric customers, representing more than **7 million** people in North Carolina

Living in North Carolina

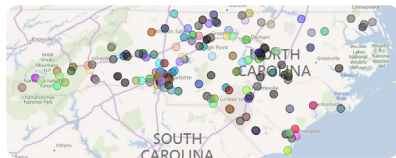
- 16,000 Duke Energy employees
- 25,000 Duke Energy retirees and alumni

Helping communities thrive and grow

- The company paid **\$200 million** in property taxes in 2020. These supported schools, first responders and infrastructure needs in the communities we serve.
- Duke Energy helped attract **8,000 jobs** and **\$6 billion** in capital investment to North Carolina in 2020.
- In 2020, Duke Energy strategically spent more than **\$1.37 billion** with North Carolina suppliers, representing about 35% of the company's total local spend of \$3.9 billion for the same time frame. The spend with diverse North Carolina businesses was more than \$105 million.
- The direct spend in North Carolina in 2020 was **\$2.12 billion**, which increased local employment and provided positive direct, indirect and induced economic impact for the state.

Giving back

- Duke Energy donated **\$20 million** across North Carolina in 2020. The Duke Energy Foundation awarded more than **450 grants** focused on social justice and racial equity, COVID-19 relief, K-12 education, workforce and nature.
- Duke Energy employees and retirees contributed **\$5.2 million** to North Carolina nonprofits through volunteer hours and financial donations.



STIMULATING GROWTH

Duke Energy operates more than **160 facilities** and business locations in North Carolina. In 2020, the company paid about **\$51 million** in lease payments.



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