

North Carolina

Federal Funds from Five Key Census-Guided Programs

To ensure that each North Carolina community receives its fair share of federal funds, an accurate 2020 Census is necessary. So that communities can better understand the ways their federal program funds are guided by census data, this brief describes how funds from five key census-guided federal programs are allocated.

These five programs, and their associated FY 2017 funding in North Carolina, are:

Title I Grants to Local Education Agencies

CFDA Number¹: 84.010

Total: \$450,232,389

Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) – Entitlement Program

CFDA Number: 14.218

Total: \$27,722,798

Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA)

Total: \$67,213,143

WIOA Youth Activities

CFDA Number: 17.259

Total: \$24,434,871

WIOA Adult Activities

CFDA Number: 17.258

Total: \$23,156,880

WIOA Dislocated Worker Program

CFDA Number: 17.278

Total: \$19,621,392

To learn more about each program’s purpose, uses, allocation formulas, census-derived datasets, and vulnerabilities to a miscount, please refer to the cover brief for this data, “The Distribution of Census-Guided Federal Funds to U.S. Communities: Five Program Examples” at pogo.org/census-project.

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¹ The program numbers are from the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA).

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2017 Title I Allocations

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County	Title I Allocation	Percent of State Total	County	Title I Allocation	Percent of State Total
Mecklenburg County	\$45,926,196	10.2%	Rowan County	\$6,489,004	1.4%
Wake County	\$33,521,723	7.4%	Iredell County	\$6,129,741	1.4%
Guilford County	\$25,422,425	5.6%	Catawba County	\$5,885,681	1.3%
Forsyth County	\$23,191,601	5.2%	Nash County	\$5,742,953	1.3%
Cumberland County	\$19,313,801	4.3%	Union County	\$5,694,327	1.3%
Durham County	\$13,141,409	2.9%	Wilson County	\$5,672,619	1.3%
Robeson County	\$12,948,913	2.9%	Cleveland County	\$5,040,114	1.1%
Pitt County	\$10,235,882	2.3%	Duplin County	\$4,479,203	1.0%
Gaston County	\$10,199,994	2.3%	Craven County	\$4,417,345	1.0%
Buncombe County	\$9,783,721	2.2%	Brunswick County	\$4,098,461	0.9%
Onslow County	\$8,081,546	1.8%	Sampson County	\$4,076,580	0.9%
New Hanover County	\$7,759,961	1.7%	Rockingham County	\$3,947,091	0.9%
Alamance County	\$7,751,064	1.7%	Halifax County	\$3,911,137	0.9%
Johnston County	\$7,288,787	1.6%	Lenoir County	\$3,850,655	0.9%
Wayne County	\$7,181,652	1.6%	Richmond County	\$3,763,386	0.8%
Davidson County	\$7,157,066	1.6%	Henderson County	\$3,758,989	0.8%
Randolph County	\$6,653,476	1.5%	Columbus County	\$3,355,111	0.7%
Harnett County	\$6,574,158	1.5%	Burke County	\$3,338,053	0.7%
Cabarrus County	\$6,519,908	1.4%	Scotland County	\$3,265,192	0.7%

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Rutherford County	\$3,237,897	0.7%	Pasquotank County	\$1,954,368	0.4%
Vance County	\$3,220,485	0.7%	Granville County	\$1,853,412	0.4%
Hoke County	\$3,219,842	0.7%	Chatham County	\$1,794,695	0.4%
Edgecombe County	\$3,204,751	0.7%	Cherokee County	\$1,779,460	0.4%
Moore County	\$3,155,632	0.7%	Stokes County	\$1,612,222	0.4%
Caldwell County	\$3,141,688	0.7%	Person County	\$1,520,956	0.3%
Surry County	\$3,127,956	0.7%	Montgomery County	\$1,489,921	0.3%
Wilkes County	\$3,039,628	0.7%	Anson County	\$1,468,259	0.3%
Lee County	\$2,866,778	0.6%	Northampton County	\$1,461,093	0.3%
Lincoln County	\$2,639,277	0.6%	Martin County	\$1,424,936	0.3%
Beaufort County	\$2,619,022	0.6%	Yadkin County	\$1,413,074	0.3%
Stanly County	\$2,496,930	0.6%	Macon County	\$1,393,089	0.3%
Orange County	\$2,479,247	0.6%	Hertford County	\$1,366,320	0.3%
Franklin County	\$2,310,346	0.5%	Jackson County	\$1,271,507	0.3%
Haywood County	\$2,192,465	0.5%	Greene County	\$1,264,929	0.3%
Bladen County	\$2,174,802	0.5%	Transylvania County	\$1,248,911	0.3%
Pender County	\$2,066,943	0.5%	Alexander County	\$1,243,799	0.3%
Carteret County	\$2,030,432	0.5%	Warren County	\$1,241,523	0.3%
McDowell County	\$1,983,570	0.4%	Davie County	\$1,194,012	0.3%

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Ashe County	\$1,146,005	0.3%	Gates County	\$378,545	< 0.1%
Bertie County	\$1,034,908	0.2%	Swain County	\$304,410	< 0.1%
Caswell County	\$1,015,172	0.2%	Tyrrell County	\$236,271	< 0.1%
Washington County	\$944,765	0.2%	Hyde County	\$230,629	< 0.1%
Watauga County	\$904,141	0.2%	Camden County	\$184,502	< 0.1%
Madison County	\$889,763	0.2%	Total	\$450,232,389	100.0%
Dare County	\$857,674	0.2%			
Avery County	\$819,020	0.2%			
Chowan County	\$779,425	0.2%			
Yancey County	\$716,688	0.2%			
Perquimans County	\$660,450	0.1%			
Mitchell County	\$623,645	0.1%			
Polk County	\$615,557	0.1%			
Currituck County	\$610,284	0.1%			
Alleghany County	\$551,721	0.1%			
Jones County	\$549,012	0.1%			
Pamlico County	\$506,663	0.1%			
Graham County	\$461,191	0.1%			
Clay County	\$438,847	0.1%			

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2017 Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) Entitlements

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County	CDBG Entitlement	Percent of State Total	County	CDBG Entitlement	Percent of State Total
Mecklenburg County	\$6,088,667	22.0%	Craven County	\$223,934	0.8%
Wake County	\$5,125,722	18.5%	Burke County	\$146,539	0.5%
Guilford County	\$2,798,637	10.1%	Caldwell County	\$131,683	0.5%
Cumberland County	\$2,035,211	7.3%	Total	\$27,722,798	100%
Forsyth County	\$1,973,957	7.1%			
Durham County	\$1,798,016	6.5%			
Buncombe County	\$919,937	3.3%			
New Hanover County	\$890,762	3.2%			
Cabarrus County	\$842,175	3.0%			
Union County	\$794,592	2.9%			
Pitt County	\$792,951	2.9%			
Gaston County	\$676,140	2.4%			
Edgecombe County	\$523,065	1.9%			
Alamance County	\$399,942	1.4%			
Orange County	\$380,825	1.4%			
Onslow County	\$327,262	1.2%			
Wayne County	\$300,854	1.1%			
Catawba County	\$280,724	1.0%			
Rowan County	\$271,203	1.0%			

Note: CDBG Entitlement funds are given to individual counties and cities. In this table, funds received by individual cities are aggregated by county.

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2017 Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Allocation

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Local Workforce Development Area	County	Adult WIOA Allocation	Youth WIOA Allocation	Dislocated Workers WIOA Allocation	Total WIOA	Total WIOA Percentage
Charlotte	Mecklenburg	\$2,180,691	\$2,394,931	\$2,299,438	\$6,875,060	10.2%
Capital Area	Johnston, Wake	\$1,769,118	\$1,943,977	\$1,982,351	\$5,695,446	8.5%
Centralina	Anson, Cabarrus, Iredell, Lincoln, Rowan, Stanly, Union	\$1,564,449	\$1,514,371	\$1,471,375	\$4,550,195	6.8%
Turning Point	Edgecombe, Nash, Halifax, Northampton, Wilson	\$1,548,377	\$1,573,362	\$1,193,675	\$4,315,414	6.4%
Piedmont Triad	Forsyth, Davie, Surry, Stokes, Rockingham, Yadkin, Caswell	\$1,382,568	\$1,380,025	\$1,203,021	\$3,965,614	5.9%
Greensboro/ High Point/ Guilford	Guilford	\$1,285,003	\$1,461,421	\$1,191,463	\$3,937,887	5.9%
Lumber River	Bladen, Hoke, Richmond, Robeson, Scotland	\$1,436,051	\$1,409,721	\$847,137	\$3,692,909	5.5%
Eastern Carolina	Carteret, Craven, Duplin, Greene, Jones, Lenoir, Onslow, Pamlico, Wayne	\$1,302,983	\$1,248,358	\$1,092,390	\$3,643,731	5.4%
Cape Fear	Brunswick, Columbus, New Hanover, Pender	\$1,219,470	\$1,293,700	\$921,663	\$3,434,833	5.1%
Regional Partnership	Alamance, Montgomery, Moore, Orange, Randolph	\$1,055,053	\$1,238,374	\$849,192	\$3,142,619	4.7%
Cumberland County	Cumberland	\$1,123,864	\$1,235,992	\$764,744	\$3,124,600	4.6%
Region Q	Beaufort, Bertie, Hertford, Martin, Pitt	\$921,840	\$1,101,391	\$710,750	\$2,733,981	4.1%
Western Piedmont	Burke, Caldwell, Alexander, Catawba	\$794,014	\$806,657	\$623,166	\$2,223,837	3.3%
Triangle South	Harnett, Lee, Chatham, Sampson	\$753,675	\$719,889	\$589,906	\$2,063,470	3.1%
Durham	Durham	\$592,201	\$674,704	\$558,869	\$1,825,774	2.7%

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Northeastern	Camden, Chowan, Currituck, Dare, Gates, Hyde, Pasquotank, Perquimans, Tyrrell, Washington	\$640,753	\$625,997	\$482,384	\$1,749,134	2.6%
Mountain Area	Buncombe, Henderson, Madison, Transylvania	\$624,100	\$630,009	\$463,313	\$1,717,422	2.6%
Region C	Cleveland, McDowell, Polk, Rutherford	\$639,259	\$605,905	\$458,558	\$1,703,722	2.5%
Kerr-Tar	Caswell, Franklin, Granville, Person, Vance, Warren	\$483,162	\$653,801	\$494,512	\$1,631,475	2.4%
Gaston County	Gaston	\$506,606	\$515,479	\$445,048	\$1,467,133	2.2%
High Country	Alleghany, Ashe, Avery, Mitchell, Watauga, Wilkes, Yancey	\$483,162	\$556,517	\$329,087	\$1,368,766	2.0%
Southwestern	Clay, Graham, Haywood, Macon, Jackson, Swain, Cherokee	\$498,223	\$508,758	\$356,802	\$1,363,783	2.0%
Davidson-Works	Davidson	\$352,258	\$341,532	\$292,548	\$986,338	1.7%
Total	All	\$23,156,880	\$24,434,871	\$19,621,392	\$67,213,143	100%