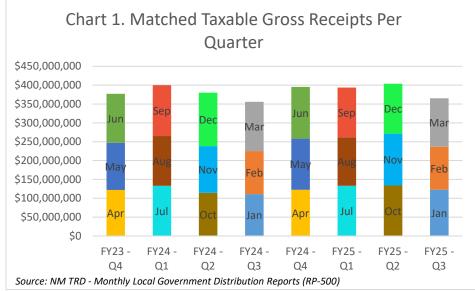
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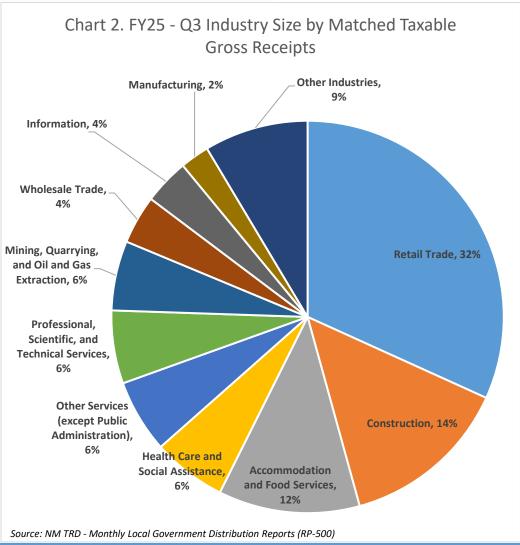
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In the third quarter of FY25, 26 out of 33 counties reported positive year-over-year (YOY) economic growth compared to Q3 FY24, with a statewide 5.9% increase in matched taxable gross receipts (MTGR). Statewide growth was observed across most industry sectors, with construction and unclassified establishments leading the way. Employment, wages, and the number of establishments also increased YOY in New Mexico in Q2 FY25.

McKinley County's MTGR decreased by nearly \$38.6M, or 9.5%, from Q2 FY25 to Q3 FY25, as seen in Chart 1. The amount reported during Q3 FY25 (\$365M) was \$18.7M lower than the eight-quarter average (\$384M). As seen in Chart 2, the largest industry as a percentage of MTGR was the retail trade industry (32%), followed by the construction industry (14%). This was similar to the prior they quarter, when accounted for 31% and 14%, respectively.

Matched Taxable Gross
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for assessing underlying
economic activity. The data
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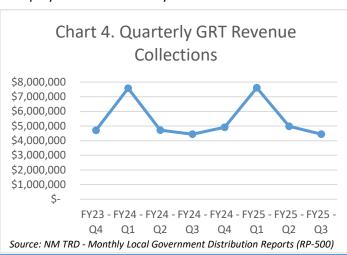
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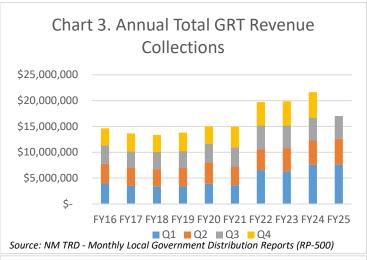


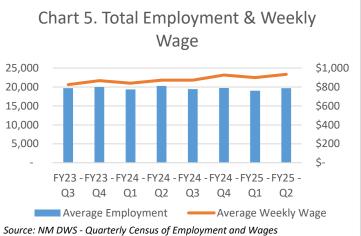
| Table 1. Matched Taxable Gross Receipts by Industry | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|--|-------------|----|-------------|------------------------------|-------------|--|--------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Industries | FY24 - Q3 FY25 - Q3 | | | • | Growth Year over year Change | | | | | | | | |
| Accommodation and Food Services | \$ | 42,505,087 | \$ | 42,140,474 | \$ | (364,613) | | -1% | | | | | |
| Administrative/Support & Waste Management/Remediation | \$ | 6,672,429 | \$ | 5,333,685 | \$ | (1,338,744) | | -20% | | | | | |
| Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting | \$ | 802,360 | \$ | 201,588 | \$ | (600,772) | | -75% | | | | | |
| Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation | \$ | 346,949 | \$ | 236,453 | \$ | (110,496) | | -32% | | | | | |
| Construction | \$ | 44,612,405 | \$ | 50,409,051 | \$ | 5,796,646 | | 13% | | | | | |
| Educational Services | \$ | 1,750,351 | \$ | 1,640,169 | \$ | (110,182) | | -6% | | | | | |
| Finance and Insurance | \$ | 1,098,684 | \$ | 1,150,105 | \$ | 51,421 | | 5% | | | | | |
| Health Care and Social Assistance | \$ | 21,807,549 | \$ | 22,014,486 | \$ | 206,937 | | 1% | | | | | |
| Information | \$ | 14,486,889 | \$ | 13,583,514 | \$ | (903,375) | | -6% | | | | | |
| Management of Companies and Enterprises | \$ | 6,476 | \$ | 4,347 | \$ | (2,129) | | -33% | | | | | |
| Manufacturing | \$ | 8,494,291 | \$ | 8,659,384 | \$ | 165,093 | | 2% | | | | | |
| Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction | \$ | 21,993,123 | \$ | 20,741,620 | \$ | (1,251,503) | | -6% | | | | | |
| Other Services (except Public Administration) | \$ | 19,304,397 | \$ | 21,820,859 | \$ | 2,516,462 | | 13% | | | | | |
| Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services | \$ | 18,146,570 | \$ | 21,764,836 | \$ | 3,618,266 | | 20% | | | | | |
| Public Administration | \$ | 4,812 | \$ | 1,831,822 | \$ | 1,827,010 | | 37968% | | | | | |
| Real Estate and Rental and Leasing | \$ | 8,838,157 | \$ | 6,765,313 | \$ | (2,072,845) | | -23% | | | | | |
| Retail Trade | \$ | 113,480,025 | \$ | 114,808,190 | \$ | 1,328,165 | | 1% | | | | | |
| Transportation and Warehousing | \$ | 1,140,963 | \$ | 1,482,279 | \$ | 341,316 | | 30% | | | | | |
| Unclassified Establishments | \$ | 4,078,755 | \$ | 5,171,893 | \$ | 1,093,138 | | 27% | | | | | |
| Utilities | \$ | 6,688,337 | \$ | 7,157,380 | \$ | 469,044 | | 7% | | | | | |
| Wholesale Trade | \$ | 14,317,551 | \$ | 14,461,031 | \$ | 143,480 | | 1% | | | | | |
| All Industries | \$ | 356,051,735 | \$ | 365,222,833 | \$ | 9,171,098 | | 3% | | | | | |
| Source: NM TRD - Monthly Local Government Distribution Reports (RP-500) and | Source: NM TRD - Monthly Local Government Distribution Reports (RP-500) and EDD Calculations | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Table 1 shows that 12 of the 21 industries reported a YOY increase in MTGR. The largest increase came from the construction industry, which posted a YOY gain of \$5.8M. The largest decline came from the real estate and rental and leasing industry, which reported a YOY decrease of \$2.1M.

Quarterly gross receipts tax (GRT) collections during Q3 FY25 (\$4.4M), as seen in Chart 4, show a decrease of \$536K, or 10.8%, compared to Q2 FY25. Chart 5 shows average weekly wages have an overall upward trend, growing 7% YOY compared to Q2 FY24. Average employment decreased by 3% YOY.

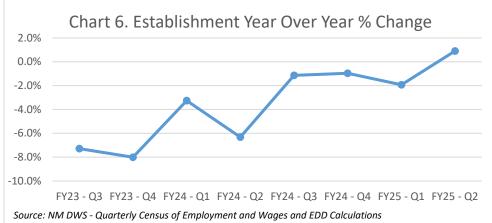






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An **establishment**, as defined by the Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) and referenced in Chart 6, is an economic unit, such as a farm, factory, or store, located at a single physical address and engaged in one type of economic activity.

The Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW), used in Charts 5-6 and Table 2, produces comprehensive data on the number of establishments, monthly employment, and quarterly wages for workers covered by state unemployment insurance (UI) laws and federal workers covered by the Unemployment Compensation for Federal Employees (UCFE) program. These data are aggregated to many different levels, starting at the 6-digit NAICS industry level, to higher industry levels (NAICS industry groups, sectors, and supersectors), and to higher geographic levels (MSA, state, and national).

Data are based on information reported by New Mexico employers, covering 97% of nonfarm wage and salary workers. Data are published every quarter. Considered the gold standard for its reliability of industry data, the QCEW data are the most complete universe of monthly employment and quarterly wage information by detailed industry.

| Table 2. FY25 - Q2 Employment Data and Establishments by Industry | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|---------|--------|-------------|-----------------|-------|-------------------------|------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| | YOY Change in | | | YOY cha | nge in | | | | | | | |
| | Average | Average | | Average | Average Average | | Number of YOY Change in | | | | | |
| Industry | Employment | Employ | ment | Weekly Wage | Weekly | Wage | Establishments | ${\bf Establishments}$ | | | | |
| Accommodation and Food Services | 2,518 | | -4.7% | \$ 44 | 0 | 4.0% | 131 | 0.8% | | | | |
| Administrative/Support & Waste | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Management/Remediation | 372 | | -59.7% | \$ 96 | 8 | 80.6% | 59 | 3.5% | | | | |
| Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting | * | | * | | * | * | 4 | 0.0% | | | | |
| Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation | 401 | | -9.5% | \$ 95 | 1 | 11.1% | 10 | 0.0% | | | | |
| Construction | 718 | | -11.0% | \$ 1,11 | 4 | 11.4% | 79 | 0.0% | | | | |
| Educational Services | 3,098 | | 2.9% | \$ 1,07 | 0 | -2.6% | 21 | -4.5% | | | | |
| Finance and Insurance | 308 | | 4.4% | \$ 98 | 9 | 0.2% | 52 | -1.9% | | | | |
| Health Care and Social Assistance | 4,903 | | -1.5% | \$ 1,08 | 0 | 9.1% | 277 | -1.4% | | | | |
| Information | 137 | | 3.0% | \$ 76 | 6 | 7.9% | 21 | 0.0% | | | | |
| Management of Companies and Enterprises | 25 | | 31.6% | \$ 94 | 1 | 1.7% | 7 | 16.7% | | | | |
| Manufacturing | 376 | | 0.5% | \$ 1,16 | 2 | 6.9% | 27 | 3.8% | | | | |
| Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction | * | | * | | * | * | 3 | 0.0% | | | | |
| Other Services (except Public Administration) | 479 | | 3.7% | \$ 74 | 8 | 3.7% | 78 | 4.0% | | | | |
| Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services | 225 | | 6.6% | \$ 1,38 | 0 [| -8.8% | 62 | 0.0% | | | | |
| Public Administration | 1,745 | | 0.5% | \$ 1,31 | .6 | 7.3% | 65 | 1.6% | | | | |
| Real Estate and Rental and Leasing | 248 | | 61.0% | \$ 82 | 5 | -5.7% | 40 | 2.6% | | | | |
| Retail Trade | 3,210 | | 2.1% | \$ 62 | 9 | 4.1% | 196 | 2.1% | | | | |
| Transportation and Warehousing | 373 | | -2.1% | \$ 1,19 | 2 | 1.3% | 45 | 4.7% | | | | |
| Utilities | 97 | | -8.5% | \$ 2,24 | 3 | 20.9% | 12 | 9.1% | | | | |
| Wholesale Trade | 429 | | -2.5% | \$ 88 | 9 | 4.2% | 37 | 0.0% | | | | |
| All Industries | 19,692 | | -3.0% | \$ 93 | 4 | 7.0% | 1,226 | 0.9% | | | | |

Source: NM DWS - Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages and EDD Calculations *Some data may be withheld to avoid disclosure of confidential information.

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Population

71,172

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - American Community Survey

