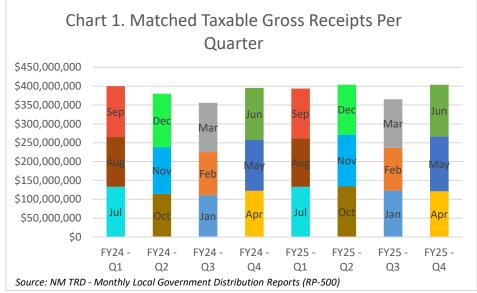
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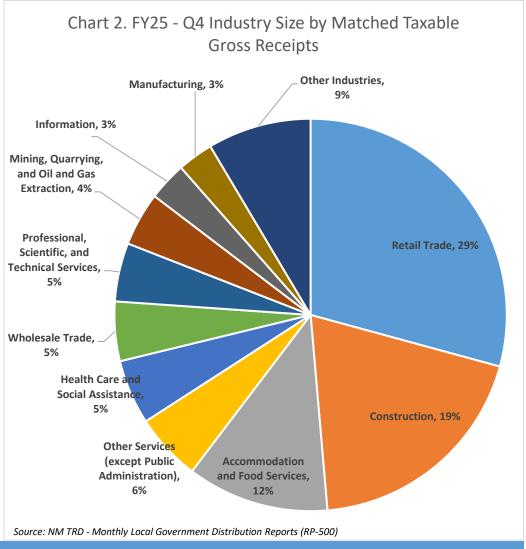
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In the fourth quarter of FY25, 24 out of 33 counties reported positive year-over-year (YOY) economic growth compared to Q4 FY24, with a statewide 6.9% increase in matched taxable gross receipts (MTGR). Growth was observed across most industry sectors, led by construction and mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction. In Q3 FY25, employment and average wages in New Mexico increased YOY, while the number of establishments declined.

McKinley County's MTGR increased by nearly \$38.8M, or 10.6%, from Q3 FY25 to Q4 FY25, as seen in Chart 1. The amount reported during Q4 FY25 (\$404M) was also \$16.7M larger than the eight-quarter average (\$387.3M). As seen in Chart 2, the largest industry as a percentage of MTGR was the retail trade industry, which accounted for 29% of the total MTGR during Q4 FY25. Last quarter, the industry accounted for 32%.

Matched Taxable Gross Receipts (MTGR) provide the most accurate tax data for assessing underlying economic activity. The data collection process involves matching tax payments with reported receipts for each taxpayer by industry.



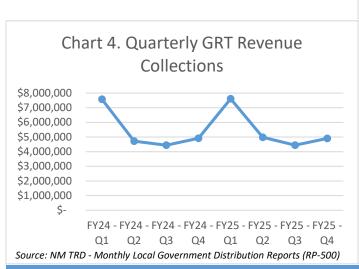
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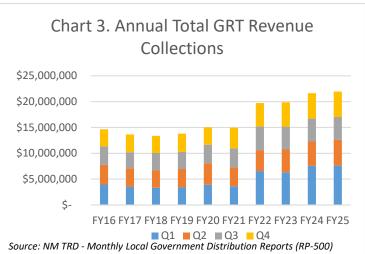


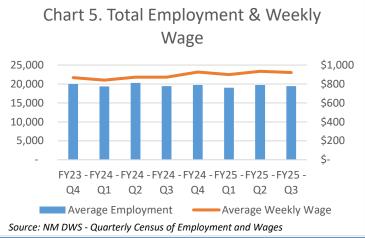
Table 1. Matched Taxable Gross Receipts by Industry											
Industries		FY24 - Q4 FY25 - Q4				Growth	Year over year Change				
Accommodation and Food Services	\$	46,222,927	\$	47,274,811	\$	1,051,884		2%			
Administrative/Support & Waste Management/Remediation	\$	8,264,129	\$	7,000,128	\$	(1,264,001)		-15%			
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting	\$	600,501	\$	1,238,089	\$	637,588		106%			
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	\$	558,003	\$	588,338	\$	30,335		5%			
Construction	\$	68,788,962	\$	78,309,879	\$	9,520,917		14%			
Educational Services	\$	2,637,387	\$	1,849,949	\$	(787,437)		-30%			
Finance and Insurance	\$	1,337,924	\$	1,060,873	\$	(277,052)		-21%			
Health Care and Social Assistance	\$	21,466,101	\$	21,522,860	\$	56,759		0%			
Information	\$	13,567,877	\$	12,764,038	\$	(803,839)		-6%			
Management of Companies and Enterprises	\$	5,775	\$	11,787	\$	6,012		104%			
Manufacturing	\$	11,413,259	\$	11,894,085	\$	480,826		4%			
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	\$	29,295,353	\$	17,868,070	\$	(11,427,283)		-39%			
Other Services (except Public Administration)	\$	21,094,546	\$	22,405,747	\$	1,311,201		6%			
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	\$	14,121,278	\$	19,492,052	\$	5,370,774		38%			
Public Administration	\$	4,812	\$	4,990,583	\$	4,985,770		103611%			
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	\$	11,190,799	\$	7,407,152	\$	(3,783,648)		-34%			
Retail Trade	\$	116,371,990	\$	118,088,161	\$	1,716,171		1%			
Transportation and Warehousing	\$	1,504,795	\$	1,563,829	\$	59,034		4%			
Unclassified Establishments	\$	4,314,427	\$	5,368,394	\$	1,053,967		24%			
Utilities	\$	3,248,287	\$	3,412,440	\$	164,153		5%			
Wholesale Trade	\$	13,848,619	\$	19,779,042	\$	5,930,423		43%			
All Industries	\$	395,353,919	\$	404,010,482	\$	8,656,562		2%			
Source: NM TRD - Monthly Local Government Distribution Reports (RP-500) and EDD Calculations											

Table 1 shows that all but 6 industries reported a YOY increase. The largest increase came from the construction industry, which posted a YOY increase of \$9.5M. The largest decline came from the mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction industry, which posted a YOY decrease of \$11.4M.

Quarterly gross receipts tax (GRT) collections during Q4 FY25 (\$4.9M), as seen in Chart 4, show an increase of \$462.4K, or 10.4%, compared to Q3 FY25. The amount collected during Q4 FY25 is \$542.1K lower than the eight-quarter average (\$5.4M).

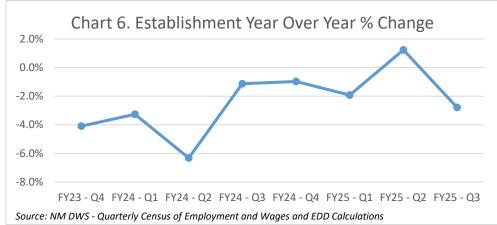






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An **establishment**, as defined by the Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) and referenced in Chart 6, is an economic unit, such as a farm, factory, or store, located at a single physical address and engaged in one type of economic activity.

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 - Q3 Employment Data and Establishments by Industry											
	YOY Change in			YOY change in							
	Average	Average		Α١	Average Average		Number of		YOY Change in		
Industry	Employment	Employment		W	Veekly Wage Weekly		Wage	Establishments	ablishments Establishment		
Accommodation and Food Services	2,468		-1.4%	\$	413		-1.0%	129		-0.8%	
Administrative/Support & Waste											
Management/Remediation	425		15.8%	\$	894		17.2%	54		-3.6%	
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting	*		*		*	*		4		0.0%	
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	396		-4.8%	\$	793		2.1%	11		10.0%	
Construction	765		12.8%	\$	976		7.1%	78		-1.3%	
Educational Services	3,092		2.7%	\$	1,020		0.3%	21		-4.5%	
Finance and Insurance	308		4.8%	\$	895		0.8%	50		-3.8%	
Health Care and Social Assistance	4,861		-0.5%	\$	1,163		7.1%	266		-4.0%	
Information	126		-11.9%	\$	780		13.2%	20		-9.1%	
Management of Companies and Enterprises	20		-16.7%	\$	946		8.5%	5		-28.6%	
Manufacturing	368		-0.3%	\$	1,174		7.9%	27		0.0%	
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	*		*	:	*		*	3		0.0%	
Other Services (except Public Administration)	443		-8.1%	\$	678		2.7%	71		-6.6%	
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	182		-19.5%	\$	1,152		22.9%	57		-6.6%	
Public Administration	1,686		-2.5%	\$	1,248		9.0%	65		1.6%	
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	254		5.4%	\$	720		3.0%	42		5.0%	
Retail Trade	3,128		-0.5%	\$	637		6.2%	196		0.0%	
Transportation and Warehousing	361		-5.2%	\$	1,174		-0.2%	42		-6.7%	
Utilities	98		-5.8%	\$	2,128		19.7%	12		0.0%	
Wholesale Trade	427		1.4%	\$	851		7.7%	33		-10.8%	
All Industries	19,446		0.0%	\$	922		5.6%	1,186		-2.8%	

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 (ACS) 2023, 5-year estimates

