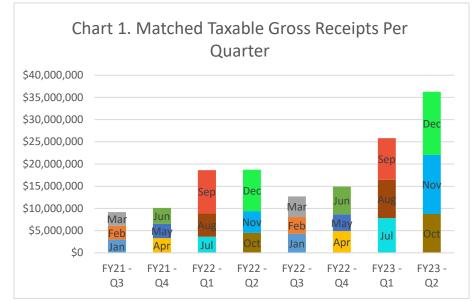
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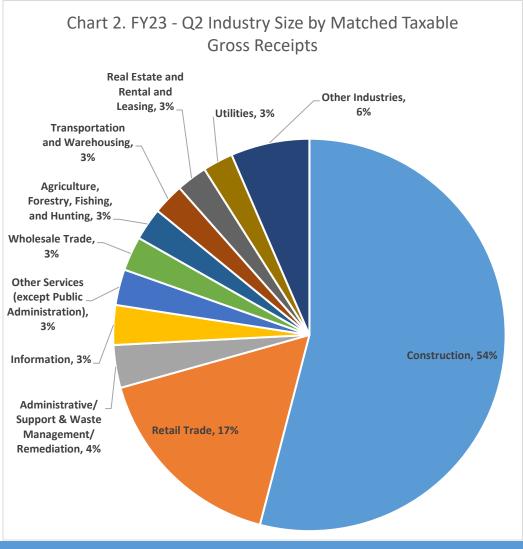
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In the second quarter of FY23, 26 of 33 counties saw year-over-year economic growth, averaging 16% growth statewide. State gross receipts dropped slightly in October and November from the prior few months but rose significantly in December to a new record high. First quarter growth in FY23 was abnormally high, and the second quarter appears to have normalized with seasonal trends while still rising at a steady pace. However, national concerns remain regarding inflation and rising interest rates.

Due the construction industry, Mora County's matched taxable gross receipts (MTGR) spiked to an all-time high in Q2 FY23. From Q1 FY23 to Q2 FY23 MTGR increased by \$10M or nearly 40%. Chart 2 shows that the construction industry accounted for 54% of the county's total MTGR. The industry reported \$19.5M in MTGR during Q2 FY23. To that amount put into perspective, in the prior four quarters the industry reported a combined \$18.9M.

Matched Taxable Gross
Receipts (MTGR) are the
best tax data available to
show underlying economic
activity. The data
collection process matches
a tax payment with
reported receipts for each
taxpayer by industry.



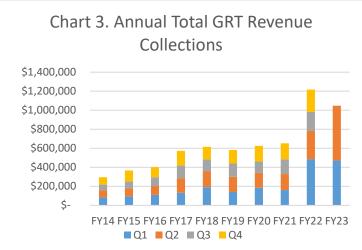
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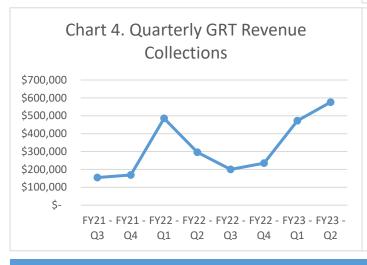


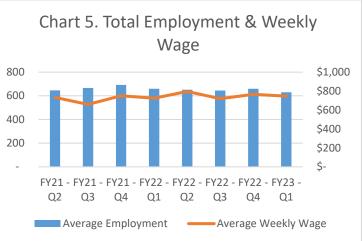
Table 1. FY23 - Q2 Matched Taxable Gross Receipts by Industry													
							%Change from FY20-						
Industries	FY23 - Q2			YOY Growth	YOY % Change		Q2 (Pre-COVID)						
Accommodation and Food Services	\$	250,693	\$	(44,275)		-15%		129%					
Administrative/Support & Waste Management/Remediation	\$	1,274,662	\$	843,278		195%		317%					
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting	\$	969,407	\$	500,666		107%		260%					
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	\$	2,305	\$	(3,700)		-62%		720%					
Construction	\$	19,542,702	\$	16,372,336		516%		607%					
Educational Services	\$	53,040	\$	32,777		162%		86%					
Finance and Insurance	\$	18,104	\$	(6,922)		-28%	N/A						
Health Care and Social Assistance	\$	316,557	\$	(126,200)		-29%		391%					
Information	\$	1,182,851	\$	12,047		1%		33%					
Management of Companies and Enterprises	\$	-	\$	-	N/A		N/A						
Manufacturing	\$	514,502	\$	(2,191,469)		-81%		404%					
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	\$	44,601	\$	44,601	N/A		N/A						
Other Services (except Public Administration)	\$	1,066,093	\$	(408,902)		-28%		101%					
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	\$	483,234	\$	193,665		67%		79%					
Public Administration	\$	61,291	\$	61,291	N/A		N/A						
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	\$	915,647	\$	270,131		42%		108%					
Retail Trade	\$	5,997,131	\$	1,991,519		50%		223%					
Transportation and Warehousing	\$	930,116	\$	33,339		4%		273%					
Unclassified Establishments	\$	600,158	\$	112,544		23%		529%					
Utilities	\$	904,479	\$	50,531		6%		9%					
Wholesale Trade	\$	1,021,460	\$	154,251		18%		148%					
All Industries	\$	36,270,329	\$	17,525,082		93%		279%					

Table 1 shows an increase of \$17.5M from Q2 in FY22 to FY23 of the same period. Table 1 also shows 14 industries that reported a year-over-year (YOY) increase. The largest increase came from the construction industry, which posted a YOY increase of \$16M or 516%.

Gross receipts tax (GRT) revenue collections increased by \$104K, or 22%, from Q1 FY23 to Q2 FY23, een in Chart 4.







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An **establishment**, as used in the QCEW and subsequently Chart 6 and Table 2, is an economic unit such as a farm, factory, or store, which produces goods or provides services at a single physical worksite and is engaged, predominantly, in one type of economic activity.

The **Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages**, or the **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.

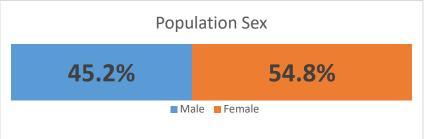
Table 2. FY23 - Q1 Employment Data and Establishments by Industry												
	YOY Change in			YOY change in								
	Average	Average	Average	Average	Number of	YOY Change in						
Industry	Employment	Employment	Weekly Wage	Weekly Wage	Establishments	Establishments						
Accommodation and Food Services	*	*		* *	3	-25.0%						
Administrative/Support & Waste												
Management/Remediation	16	0.0%	\$ 84	2 -9.3%	8	14.3%						
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting	40	8.1%	\$ 61	5 -9.6%	12	9.1%						
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	*	*		* *	3	0.0%						
Construction	43	-30.6%	\$ 1,01	1 -12.5%	10	-9.1%						
Educational Services	*	*	:	* *	4	0.0%						
Finance and Insurance	15	7.1%	\$ 55	1 2.0%	5	0.0%						
Health Care and Social Assistance	150	-12.8%	\$ 56	1 7.5%	40	-11.1%						
Information	*	*	:	* *	1	-50.0%						
Management of Companies and Enterprises	*	*	:	* *	2	0.0%						
Manufacturing	*	*	:	* *	2	100.0%						
Other Services (except Public Administration)	22	57.1%	\$ 59	2 2.4%	4	0.0%						
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	2	*	\$ 1,33	6 *	3	#DIV/0!						
Public Administration	54	-3.6%	\$ 80	-2.1%	15	7.1%						
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	*	*	:	* *	3	0.0%						
Retail Trade	69	4.5%	\$ 52	6 11.9%	13	8.3%						
Transportation and Warehousing	*	*		* *	11	0.0%						
Utilities	*	*	:	* *	2	0.0%						
Wholesale Trade	*	*		* *	-	100.0%						
All Industries	630	-4.4%	\$ 74	7 3.2%	141	-0.7%						
*Some data may be withheld to avoid disclosure of confidential information.												

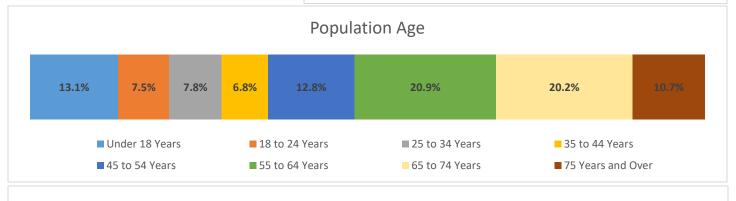
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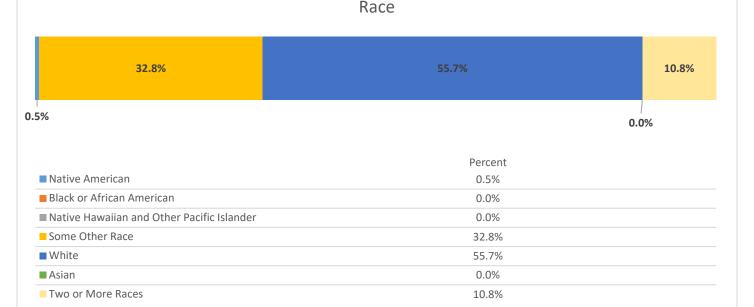


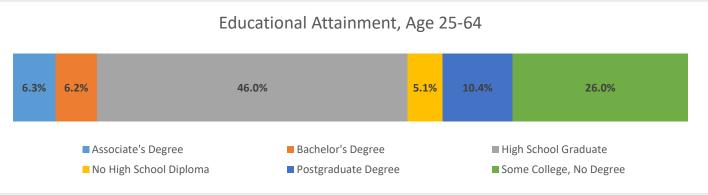
Population

4,500









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