



# COLLINS, MISSISSIPPI

## COVINGTON COUNTY

**2,873**  
POPULATION

**4.5%** COUNTY UNEMPLOYMENT  
**RATE** | SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

### WORKFORCE

**1,088** WORKFORCE  
**262** TOTAL BUSINESSES  
**3,844** TOTAL EMPLOYED

AVERAGE  
COMMUTE TIME  
**22.6**  
MINUTES

AVERAGE WAGE  
**\$36,289**

AVERAGE MANUFACTURING WAGE  
**\$35,315**

### COST OF LIVING INDEX

CITY OF COLLINS | **77.3**  
MISSISSIPPI | **84.0**  
U.S. = 100

**\$35,645**  
MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME

**20.0%**  
POVERTY RATE

**RIGHT TO  
WORK STATE**

**6.6%**  
private union membership in city

## \$515 MILLION

### GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT IN COUNTY

The largest contributing sector, Manufacturing, contributed 28.5% to the 2017 Gross Domestic Product (GDP) of the county.

### LARGEST INDUSTRY CLUSTERS



FOOD  
MANUFACTURING



AGRICULTURE



COAL/OIL/POWER



FREIGHT  
TRANSPORTATION



WOOD/PAPER

### MAJOR EMPLOYERS

			# OF EMP
Sanderson Farms, Inc. (Processing Division)	Collins, MS	Poultry Product Manufacturing	1100
Covington County School District	Collins, MS	Primary and Secondary Education	471
Sanderson Farms, Inc. (Production Division)	Collins, MS	Poultry Product Manufacturing	444
Covington County Hospital	Collins, MS	Hospitals	350
Factory Connection, LLC	Collins, MS	Clothing and Apparel Stores	196