



COMMUNITY PROFILE

Chesterfield County, Virginia



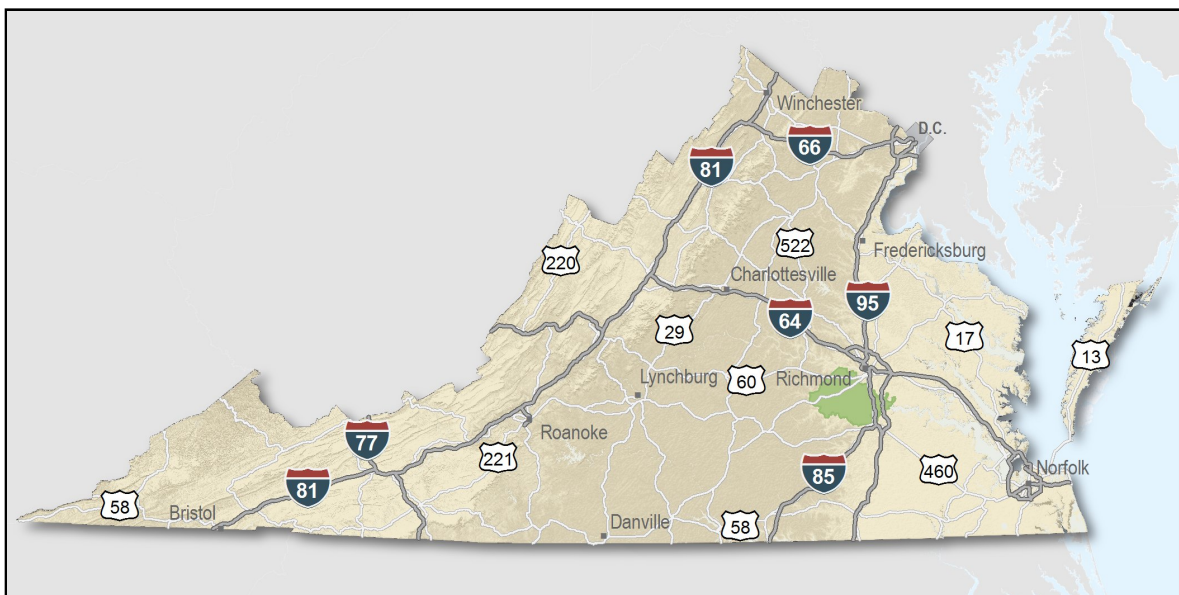
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State Map

Only a few locations can guarantee the right combination of resources that are crucial to your business's success. Virginia's premier location offers excellent domestic and international access. Centrally located on the U.S. East Coast, 40 percent of the U.S. population is within a day's drive, and our integrated transportation system of highways, railroads, airports and seaports ensures that you can reach every one of your markets efficiently. Close proximity to Washington, D.C. facilitates contact with policy makers and the federal government system.

Virginia continues to rank among America's leading states for business by CNBC and Forbes.com. Business-first values, easy access to markets, stable and competitive operating costs, and a talented workforce all drove Virginia to the top. This unique combination of assets has encouraged businesses to prosper here for more than 400 years. Like you, they searched the world over for that convergence of resources that would help ensure their prosperity. For them, their search ended here. Chances are yours will too.

- AAA bond rating- Virginia has maintained a AAA rating since 1938, longer than any other state.
- Right-to-work law allows individuals the right to work regardless of membership in a labor union or organization.
- Corporate income tax rate of 6% has not been increased since 1972.
- Headquarters to 35 Fortune 1000 firms.
- Headquarters to over 70 firms with annual revenue over \$1 billion.
- More than 17,300 high-tech establishments operate in Virginia.
- More than 700 internationally-owned businesses from 45 countries are located in Virginia.
- Ranks third among the 50 states as a recipient of federal R&D funds.
- Streamlined permitting process.
- Recruitment training programs to help new businesses become operational faster.
- Programs at little or no cost to help businesses increase international sales.



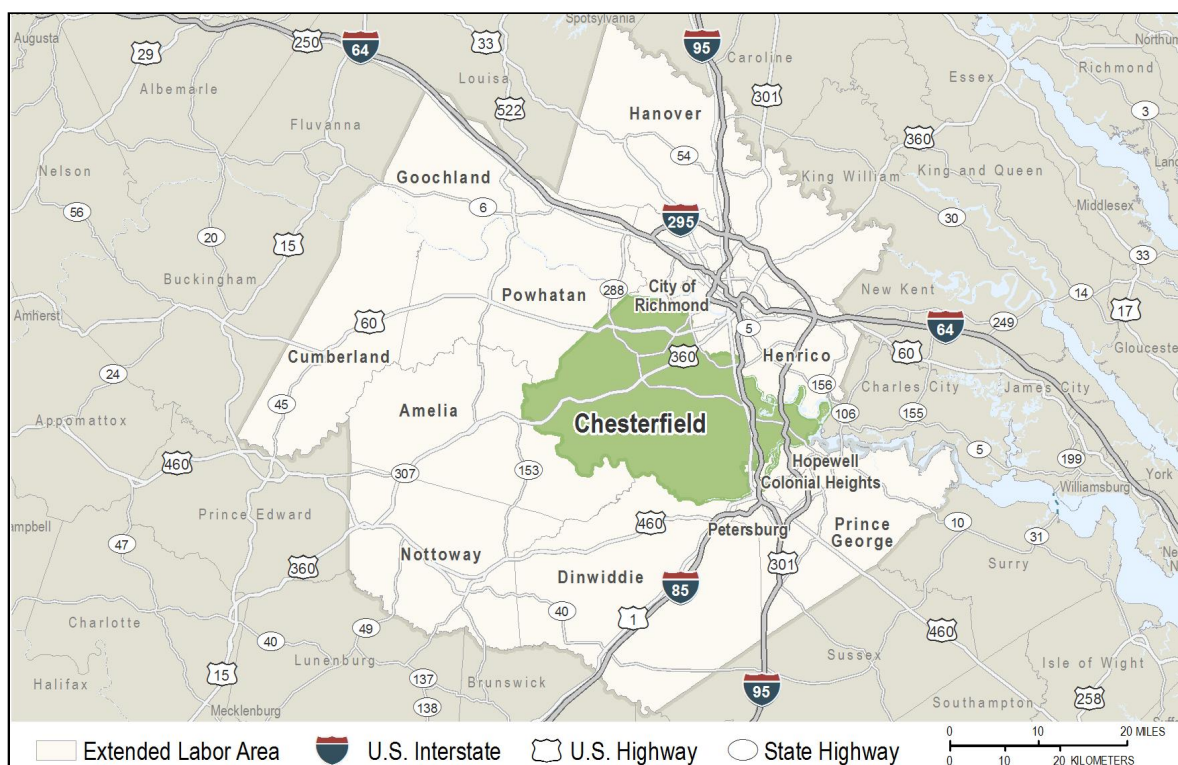
Location

Chesterfield County is located in east-central Virginia on the Interstate 95 corridor between the city of Richmond to the north and Petersburg and Colonial Heights to the south. The city of Hopewell is located southeast of the county. Chesterfield is one of Virginia's largest communities due to a robust and diversified economy, a highly-skilled labor force, and an expanding highway and transportation network. The aggressive road building posture taken by the county has helped spawn a significant increase in its inventory of available commercial and industrial properties.

Washington, D.C. is approximately 110 miles north, and Norfolk is 85 miles east.

Chesterfield County is part of the Richmond Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA).

Chesterfield County lies in east-central Virginia between the City of Richmond to the north, and the Petersburg-Colonial Heights area to the south and is situated on Interstates 95, 295 and 895, and the beltway Route 288 provides easy access to I-64 and I-85.



Chesterfield County

Chesterfield County, Virginia is a thriving, affluent, suburban community located in the Richmond, Virginia metropolitan area. Chesterfield is recognized for its prime mid-Atlantic location and a robust economy. It's a great place to start or grow a business. The climate in Chesterfield is business friendly, with a very competitive business tax environment and a government committed to economic development. Visit us online at www.chesterfieldbusiness.com.

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Labor Market

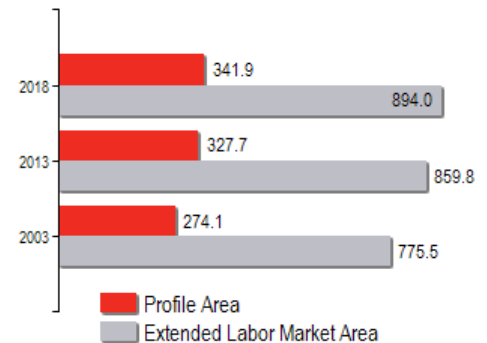
Population		
Gender Distribution (2013)		
	Male	Female
Chesterfield County	47.3%	50.9%
Race/Ethnicity (2013)		
Classification	Profile Area	Extended Labor Area
White	229,210	513,798
Black	76,164	289,828
Asian	11,794	33,422
Two or More	8,280	17,664
Pacific Islander	6,462	17,667
American Indian or Alaska Native	1,909	3,994
Hispanic (may be of any race)	25,349	329,537
Median Age (2013)		38 years

Civilian Labor Force (2013)	
Chesterfield County	178,188
Extended Labor Market Area	439,336
Total	617,524

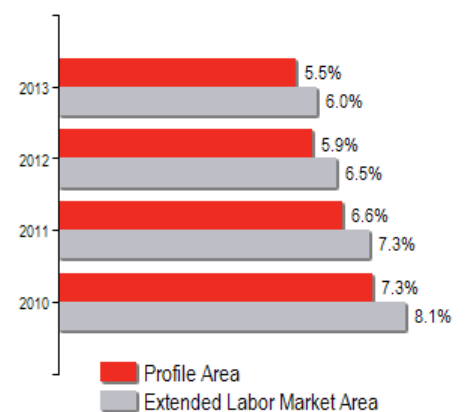
Labor Force Participation (2008-2012)	
Chesterfield County	69.2%
Extended Labor Market Area	64.9%

Unemployment	
Unemployment Rate (November 2014)	
Chesterfield County	4.5%
Extended Labor Market Area	4.9%
Statewide	4.5%
Unemployed (2013)	
Chesterfield County	9,887
Extended Labor Market Area	26,475
Total	36,362
Underemployed (3rd Quarter 2014)	
Chesterfield County	20,878
Extended Labor Market Area	51,336
Total	72,214

Population in Thousands



Unemployment Rates



Labor Market

Commute Time (2008-2012)		
Worked from home	5,705	3.7%
Under 15 minutes	29,395	20.0%
15-24 minutes	51,663	34.8%
25-34 minutes	42,311	28.5%
35-44 minutes	11,877	8.0%
45-59 minutes	7,868	5.3%
Over 60 minutes	5,493	3.7%
Mean Travel Time to Work (minutes)	25	

Chesterfield County's workforce is highly educated with more than 32 percent holding a bachelors degree or higher.

Additional Labor Resources	
High School Graduates Not Continuing (2012-2013)	620
Two-Year College Graduates (Spring 2013)	3,585
Two-Year College Enrollees (Fall 2013)	30,117
Other College and University Graduates (Spring 2013)	9,449
Total	43,771

Labor Market

Career Readiness Certificate (11/01/2012-01/31/2014)

Virginia's Career Readiness Certificate (CRC) assists employers by certifying that a recipient possesses core skills in applied math, reading for information, and locating information. The CRC certification is based on established Workkeys® assessment tests. Virginia uses a three-tiered approach (bronze, silver, gold) to credentialing certificate holders that is based on the recipient's level of development skills.

Chesterfield County	395
Extended Labor Market Area	2,849
Total	3,244

Chesterfield County's central location in the Richmond metropolitan area places it in the heart of a labor pool of more than 660,000 people.

Educational Attainment

On-Time Graduation Rate (Class of 2013)	90.2%
Percentage of Chesterfield County population age 25+ who are high school graduates (2008-2012)	89.6%
Percentage of Chesterfield County population age 25+ who have earned a Bachelor's Degree or higher (2008-2012)	36.4%

Labor Market

Employment by Sector* (2nd Qtr. 2014)		
Agriculture Forestry Fishing and Hunting	N.D.	N.D.
Mining Quarrying and Oil and Gas Extraction	N.D.	N.D.
Utilities	681	0.5%
Construction	8,005	6.4%
Manufacturing	8,312	6.7%
Wholesale Trade	5,101	4.1%
Retail Trade	20,427	16.4%
Transportation and Warehousing	5,009	4.0%
Information	1,487	1.2%
Finance and Insurance	4,846	3.9%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	1,364	1.1%
Professional Scientific and Technical Services	7,096	5.7%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	1,160	0.9%
Administrative and Support and Waste Management	7,353	5.9%
Educational Services	1,285	1.0%
Health Care and Social Assistance	13,466	10.8%
Arts Entertainment and Recreation	2,615	2.1%
Accommodation and Food Services	11,406	9.2%
Other Services	4,304	3.5%
Total Government	20,380	16.4%
Federal Government	2,858	2.3%
State Government	4,288	3.4%
Local Government	13,234	10.6%
Unclassified	0	0
Total	124,380	100.0%

N.D. - Not Disclosed

*By Business Establishment

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Major Employers

Manufacturing

<i>Company</i>	<i>Product/Service</i>	<i>Estimated Employment</i>
Alstom Power, Inc.	Power Generation Equipment Manufacturing	600 - 999
Campofrio Food Group America	Italian specialty meat products	300 - 599
E. I. DuPont de Nemours & Co., Inc.	Plastic Films, Synthetic Fibers Manufacturing	1,500 - 2,499
Hill PHOENIX, Inc.	Refrigeration Equipment Manufacturing	1,000 - 1,499
Honeywell International, Inc.	Synthetic Fibers Manufacturing	600 - 999
Sabra Dipping Company	Hummus and dipping products	300 - 599

NonManufacturing

<i>Company</i>	<i>Product/Service</i>	<i>Estimated Employment</i>
Amazon.com	Internet retail fulfillment center	1,000 - 1,499
Capital One Service, Inc.	Financial services	1,000 - 1,499
CJW Medical Center	Health care	1,000 - 1,499
Defense Supply Center Richmond	U.S. Government	2,500 - 4,999
Food Lion, Inc.	Retail Food distribution	600 - 999
MARTIN'S Food Markets	Retail Food Distribution	1,000 - 1,499
Saint Francis Medical Center	Health Care	1,000 - 1,499
Target Corporation	Retail Trade	300 - 599
The Kroger Co.	Retail Food Distribution	1,000 - 1,499
United Parcel Service	Express Delivery Services	1,500 - 2,499
Vangent, Inc.	Call Center	1,000 - 1,499
Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.	Retail Trade	1,500 - 2,499

Chesterfield County is the 3rd largest county in population in Virginia and has a workforce of more than 175,000.

Labor Market

Closings, Reductions, Layoffs (1/2013 to date)

<i>Date</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Company</i>	<i>Product/Service</i>	<i>Employees Affected</i>
10/1/2013	Reduction	Fluor Corporation	Engineering services	184
12/5/2013	Reduction	URS Corporation	Architectual and engineering services	21
5/1/2014	Closing	General Dynamics Information Technology Inc.	Call center for Affordable Care Act	344
7/1/2014	Reduction	Carl Zeiss Vision Inc.*	Manufacturing custom prescription leneses	73

*Internationally-owned

Union Activity (1/2009 - 1/2014)

Petitions filed for representation	2
Elections won by union	2

Labor Market

Estimated Earnings (May 2012)

<i>Occupation</i>	<i>Median Wage</i>	<i>Mean Wage</i>	<i>Median Salary</i>	<i>Mean Salary</i>
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	\$11.59	\$12.77	\$24,096.09	\$26,562.47
Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators	\$14.50	\$15.02	\$30,172.34	\$31,240.43
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	\$17.90	\$18.82	\$37,234.13	\$39,162.39
First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers	\$28.04	\$29.15	\$58,316.81	\$60,644.11
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	\$17.37	\$18.10	\$36,121.85	\$37,654.12
Industrial Machinery Mechanics	\$23.12	\$23.77	\$48,082.71	\$49,448.01
Office Clerks, General	\$13.79	\$14.45	\$28,676.86	\$30,045.25
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	\$16.06	\$16.63	\$33,407.06	\$34,593.94
Receptionists and Information Clerks	\$13.39	\$13.43	\$27,842.78	\$27,923.34
Customer Service Representatives	\$15.57	\$16.30	\$32,392.50	\$33,914.85
Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	\$17.49	\$18.14	\$36,374.26	\$37,738.57
First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	\$25.80	\$27.64	\$53,657.47	\$57,500.56
Network and Computer Systems Administrators*	\$40.56	\$40.59	\$84,376.99	\$84,420.84
Software Developers, Systems Software	\$46.14	\$47.96	\$95,968.08	\$99,769.24
Software Developers, Applications	\$42.52	\$43.70	\$88,444.27	\$90,893.41
Computer Programmers	\$39.16	\$39.96	\$81,458.83	\$83,109.60
Computer Systems Analysts	\$37.83	\$38.74	\$78,684.43	\$80,573.79
Accountants and Auditors	\$30.41	\$33.64	\$63,268.87	\$69,979.11
Management Analysts	\$38.98	\$42.50	\$81,074.93	\$88,385.25
Purchasing Agents, Except Wholesale, Retail, and Farm Products	\$31.19	\$31.68	\$64,871.80	\$65,893.06

Per Capita Personal Income (2012)

\$46,186

Median Family Income (2008-2012)

\$84,465

Education

Public School Enrollment (Fall 2013)

<i>Level</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Enrollment</i>
Elementary	38	26,508
Middle	12	13,886
High School	10	18,530
Alternative	1	262

Three of Chesterfield County's High Schools have been named "National Blue Ribbon Schools of Excellence".

Student Teacher Ratio (FY2013)

Elementary	15:1
Secondary	14:1

Per Pupil Expenditure (FY 2013)

\$9,276.00

On-Time Graduation Rate (Class of 2013)

90.2%

High School Graduates Continuing Education (2012-2013)

86.0%

Advanced Programs (2012-2013)

Governor's Schools

Appomattox Regional Governor's School for the Arts & Technology

Maggie L. Walker Governor's School for Government & International Studies

Governor's Career and Technical Academies

Chesterfield Governor's Career and Technical Academy for Engineering Studies

Governor's School Enrollment	355
Senior International Baccalaureate (IB) Enrollment	28
Seniors Awarded IB Diplomas	12
Students taking 1 or more Advanced Placement (AP) Courses	3,858
Students taking 1 or more AP Exams	3,035
Students taking 1 or more Dual Enrollment Courses	2,125

Education

Workforce Development Facilities	
<i>Facility</i>	<i>Type</i>
Capital Region Workforce Center - Chesterfield	Comprehensive Center
Capital Region Workforce Center - Goodwill Ind.	Comprehensive Center
Capital Region Workforce Center - Innsbrook	Satellite Center
Capital Region Workforce Center- Sandston	Comprehensive Center
Chesterfield Technical Center (High School)	Career and Technical Center
Community College Workforce Alliance at Featherstone Professional Center	Career and Technical Center
Interstate Business Park Workforce Center	VEC Workforce Center
Metro Richmond North Workforce Center	VEC Workforce Center

Specialty centers at each high school provide new choices for students within the public school setting. Areas of focus include mathematics, science, visual and performing arts, health science, mass communications, engineering, technology, international relations and foreign language immersion.

Education

Higher Education Facilities — Fall 2013

<i>Facility</i>	<i>Enrollment</i>
Virginia Commonwealth University	31,288
J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College - Parham Road Campus	9,584
J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College - Downtown Campus	6,389
John Tyler Community College - Midlothian Campus	6,049
Virginia State University	5,763
John Tyler Community College - Chester Campus	5,757
University of Richmond	4,130
Virginia Union University	1,747
Randolph-Macon College	1,315
J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College - Western Campus	539
Centura College - Richmond Main Campus	347
Union Presbyterian Seminary	205
Centura College - Richmond Westend Campus	41
Old Dominion University - Richmond Campus	*
Virginia Tech - Richmond Center	*
Baptist Theological Seminary at Richmond	†
Bon Secours Memorial College of Nursing	†
Bryant & Stratton College - Richmond Campus	†
Central Michigan University - Fort Lee Center	†
Central Michigan University - Richmond Center	†
Chester Career College	†
ECPI University - Emerywood Campus	†
ECPI University - Innsbrook Campus	†

* Enrollment figures are included in participating colleges and universities.

† Enrollment figures are not available.

Chesterfield County operates the 4th largest school system in Virginia, with more than 60 schools and 58,000 students. The Promise Alliance has named Chesterfield County one of the "100 Best Communities for Young People" due in part to the school system.

Education

Higher Education Facilities — Fall 2013

<i>Facility</i>	<i>Enrollment</i>
Richard Bland College	1,411
ECPI University - Moorefield Campus	†
Fortis College - Richmond Campus	†
ITT Technical Institute - Richmond Campus	†
South University - Richmond Campus	†
Stratford University - Richmond Campus	†
Strayer University - Chesterfield Campus	†
Strayer University - Henrico Campus	†
Virginia College	†

† Enrollment figures are not available.

More than 82 percent of Chesterfield County's 4,200 high school graduates proceed to two or four-year colleges and universities.

Transportation

Interstates

Name	Distance
I-295	0.0 miles (0.0 km.)
I-95	0.0 miles (0.0 km.)
I-85	1.3 miles (2.1 km.)
I-195	2.7 miles (4.3 km.)
I-64	4.5 miles (7.3 km.)

Note: Measured from border of locality/region.

More than 40,000 people commute from Chesterfield County on a daily basis.

Highways

Highway 1	Highway 10	Highway 144	Highway 145	Highway 147
Highway 150	Highway 288	Highway 36	Highway 360	Highway 60
Highway 76	Highway 895			

Commercial Air Service

Richmond International Airport, Sandston -- 29.8 miles (48.0 km.)

American Airlines	Delta Air Lines	Southwest Airlines
United Airlines	US Airways	JetBlue Airways

Note: Within a 75-mile drive of the center of the locality.

Transportation

General Aviation Service

<i>Name</i>	<i>Runway Length</i>
Chesterfield County Airport, Chesterfield	5,500 ft (1,676 m)

Freight Rail Service

CSX Transportation

Norfolk Southern Railway Company

Seaports

<i>Name</i>	<i>Distance</i>
Port of Richmond	18.0 miles (29.0 km)
Port of Virginia (Newport News Marine Terminals)	93.0 miles (149.7 km)
Port of Virginia (Virginia International Gateway)	96.0 miles (154.5 km)
Port of Virginia	110.0 miles (177.0 km)

Note: Driving distance from the center of the locality to Port of Virginia and any other seaports within 100 miles.

Other Ports of Entry

<i>Name</i>	<i>Distance</i>
Richmond-Petersburg	29.8 miles (48.0 km)
Newport News	82.1 miles (132.1 km)
Port of Washington - Dulles	128.2 miles (206.3 km)

Note: Driving distance from the center of the locality to Port of Washington - Dulles and any other port of entry within 100 miles.

Chesterfield is conveniently located to numerous transportation assets including Norfolk Southern and CSX railroads, the Richmond International Airport and the Ports of Virginia.

Utilities

Utilities

Electric	Southside Electric Cooperative
Electric	Dominion Virginia Power
Natural Gas	Columbia Gas of Virginia
Natural Gas	City of Richmond
Telecommunications	Cavalier Telephone Company
Telecommunications	Verizon-Virginia
Water	Chesterfield County
Water	City of Richmond
Waste Water Treatment	Chesterfield County
Solid Waste Disposal	Shoosmith Brothers, Inc.

Chesterfield County operates more than 3,500 miles of water and wastewater lines as part of an extensive water and wastewater treatment system that has capacities of more than 100 million gallons per day for water and 37 million gallons per day for wastewater.

Financial Institutions

Financial Institutions — 4th Qtr 2013 Assets	
<i>Bank</i>	<i>Assets (millions)</i>
Bank of America, N.A.	\$1,433,716.0
Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.	\$1,373,600.0
Branch Banking and Trust Company	\$179,126.3
SunTrust Bank	\$171,261.7
Manufacturers and Traders Trust Co.	\$84,346.6
First-Citizens Bank & Trust Co.	\$20,857.6
Union First Market Bank	\$4,155.0
WoodForest National Bank	\$3,884.3
StellarOne Bank	\$3,061.9
First Community Bank, N.A.	\$2,575.1
Bank of Hampton Roads	\$1,630.5
Essex Bank	\$1,087.8
Franklin Federal Savings Bank	\$1,044.8
Citizens & Farmers Bank	\$966.8
Sonabank, N.A.	\$715.9
Xenith Bank	\$678.6
First Capital Bank	\$547.4
The Bank of Southside Virginia	\$542.5
Village Bank	\$442.0
Citizens Bank & Trust Co.	\$331.3
Virginia Commonwealth Bank	\$245.9
Bank of Virginia	\$236.0
Bank of McKenney	\$213.4
Community Bankers' Bank	\$143.5

The 5th District Federal Reserve is headquartered in the Richmond metropolitan area, along major operations from some of the nation's largest banks.

Government and Taxes

Government

Chesterfield County has a County Administrator and a five-member Board of Supervisors.

The county has a comprehensive plan and zoning and subdivision ordinances.

Chesterfield is the county seat. There are no incorporated towns within the county.

Chesterfield maintains a AAA bond rating.

Chesterfield offers spacious, award-winning communities and neighborhoods conveniently located near quality shopping and dining.

Taxes

Localities in Virginia collect a 1% sales tax. They do not tax other items taxed at the State level.

Counties and cities in Virginia are separate taxing entities. Therefore, a company pays taxes to either a county or to a city.

If a company is located in a town, it pays town and county taxes except for utility taxes which are paid only to the town and the license tax which is paid only to the town unless town law permits the additional collection of a county tax.

Manufacturers pay real estate, machinery and tools, truck and automobile, utility, and sales taxes.

Nonmanufacturers pay real estate, tangible personal property, truck and automobile, utility, and sales taxes. They also may pay either a merchants' capital or a license tax.

Manufacturer's Tax Profile (Chesterfield) [pdf](#)

Non-Manufacturer's Tax Profile (Chesterfield) [pdf](#)

Community Facilities

Chesterfield County residents are only minutes away from any of the metropolitan area's medical facilities. The American Medical Association has designated the area as a prime medical center, a designation given only to cities where every type of medical care and surgery is provided. There are more than 3,500 physicians and 17 acute care and specialty hospitals with nearly 4,000 staffed beds.

The Chesterfield County Library System consists of a main library and eight branches. Approximately 1.9 million visitors use the county facilities that have an annual circulation of nearly 3.5 million items. Reciprocal agreements with neighboring library systems allow residents to be in touch with the vast collections available in the area. Libraries at eight area colleges and universities are also accessible to the public.

More than 750 churches and synagogues are located in the region. The predominant denomination is Baptist, but congregations representing all major Protestant, Catholic, Greek Orthodox, and Mennonite faiths are active.

Chesterfield residents can take advantage of a vast assortment of retail shops. From regional malls such as Chesterfield Towne Center, complete with national and regional department stores and specialty chain stores to neighborhood convenience marts, shopping choices are virtually unlimited. Over 30 shopping centers are located in the county along with additional retail and commercial expansion underway.

The Village of Midlothian has been rated one of the nation's "100 Best Places to Live" by Money Magazine.

Lifestyle

Chesterfield County contributes significantly to the high level of arts and cultural activities available in the community at large. The John Rolfe Players, a community theater organization, have entertained area residents with their productions for over 35 years. Swift Creek Mill Playhouse, located in a historic mill, is a dinner theater that offers a steady diet of stage plays and musicals. Within the region, theater patrons can enjoy a variety of productions from area organizations such as Theatre Virginia, Theatre IV, and touring Broadway plays and musicals that are presented at the Landmark Theater and the Carpenter Center for the Performing Arts. Musical entertainment is offered by the Richmond Symphony that includes a Masterworks and Pops series, the Sinfonia, the Virginia Opera, and a wealth of choral groups.

The Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, in Richmond, features an extensive collection of world art including the Fabergé collection of Russian Imperial Eggs and the Lewis Collection of Art Nouveau. The Science Museum of Virginia, Valentine Museum, Edgar Allan Poe Museum, and the Museum of the Confederacy reflect Virginia's heritage. The Chesterfield County Museum is located in a reproduction of the original 1749 county courthouse and highlights exhibits on the county's history including its Indian heritage, coal mining, and agriculture. Numerous historic homes and buildings such as Amphill Estate, Salisbury, and Magnolia Grange are open to the public.

Recreational opportunities in the county are plentiful. Approximately 9,218 acres of public parks and recreational facilities are available for both indoor and outdoor enthusiasts. The county is an ideal location for fishing and water sports as the James and Appomattox Rivers make up much of the county's borders along with the 3,000-acre Lake Chesdin. The County operates 35 parks and athletic complexes and provides extensive instructional and organized sports programming for all age groups. Pocahontas State Park features a swimming pool, boat rentals, hiking trails, camping, horseback riding, and a nature center within its 1,783 acres. Public golf courses, private country clubs, numerous private swim and racquet clubs, and fitness centers complement publicly-provided leisure activities.

Chesterfield County has one Enterprise Zone and two subzones comprised of 3,820 acres. The Enterprise Zone incentives include tax credits and rebates, fee waivers, utilities connection credits, job grants and real property investment grants. Chesterfield County has established a Technology Zone comprised of 3,840 acres to replace an expired Enterprise Zone. The Technology Zone incentives include tax credits and rebates, fee waivers, utilities connection credits. Chesterfield County will continue to offer local incentives in the same geographic areas formerly designated as "Enterprise Zones" in the new "Technology Zones".

Lifestyle

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The region is home to the Richmond Flying Squirrels, the AA affiliate of the San Francisco Giants baseball team, and Richmond Kickers, a member of the United Soccer Leagues (USL). Two major amusement parks, Busch Gardens in Williamsburg and Kings Dominion in Hanover County, are both less than one hour's drive from Chesterfield and offer exciting rides and entertainment for family. The coastal beaches at Virginia Beach and the famed Blue Ridge Mountains are about a two hour drive from the county, underscoring the convenience of a Chesterfield County location for both work and leisure pursuits.

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The Chesterfield County Department of Parks and Recreation offers an array of athletic and sporting events, outdoor adventures, therapeutic recreation, special programs for senior adults, teens, families and persons with disabilities, historical tours and annual cultural events and holiday festivities. There are more than 30 public parks featuring nearly 3,000 acres of green space, an abundance of historical landmarks and several sports complexes that include playing fields.