

Stanly County

Demographics & Socio-Economic Characteristics

(2000 U.S. Census, except as noted)

Population

2000	58,100
2005 (estimate)*	58,964
Male	29,281
Female	29,683
2006 (estimate)*	59,358
Population density	150.2
Percent in group quarters	3.5%

Race, Hispanic Origin & Nativity

Race, 2005*

White	50,718
Black/African American	6,814
American Indian/Alaska Native	153
Asian	981
Hawaiian Native/Pacific Islander	2
Two or more races	296

Hispanic origin, 2000

Total Hispanic	1,237
Mexican	969
Puerto Rican	40
Cuban	13
Other Hispanic	215

Nativity, 2000

Native-born	56,595
Foreign-born	1,505

Age, 2005*

Under 5 years	3,623
18 years and over	44,659
65 years and over	8,517
85 years and over	1,076
Median Age	38.2

Educational Attainment, 2000

Population 25 years and over	38,702
0-8 years of school	9.1%
9-12 years of school	17.4%
High School graduates or higher	73.4%
Bachelor's degree or higher	12.7%
Graduate degree	3.6%

Income & Poverty, 1999

Per capita income	\$17,825
Median household income	\$36,898
Median family income	\$43,956
Persons in poverty	6,030
H'holds receiving public assistance	626
H'holds receiving social security	6,720

Households, 2000

Total households	22,223
With persons under 18	7,957
With persons over 65	5,761
Family households	16,156
Single-person households	5,391
Persons per household	2.53
Persons per family	3.00

Labor & Employment

Total civilian labor force, 2000	29,288
Unemployment rate	4.5%
Total civilian labor force, 2006**	30,314
Unemployment rate	5.1%

Employed persons 16 years and over

by occupation, 2000:	
Managers & professionals	6,547
Service occupations	4,115
Sales & office occupations	5,864
Farming, fishing & forestry	172
Construction & maintenance	4,143
Production & transportation	7,136
Self-employed persons	1,936

* US Bureau of the Census

** Bureau of Labor Statistics

General Information

Stanly County
1000 N First St, Stanly County Commons
Albemarle, NC 28001

Telephone	704-986-3602
Website	www.co.stanly.nc.us
Land/water area (sq. miles)	395.1/9.2
Year of formation	1841
Number of Commissioners	5
US Congressional District(s)	8
State Senate District(s)	25
State House District(s)	67

Government & Voters

Local Officials, 2006-2007

Commission Chair	Tony Dennis
Manager/Admin	Jerry Myers
Clerk	Nancy Litaker
Attorney	John Roberts
Finance Dir/Treas.	Charles Mashburn
Tax Collector	Donna Jones Brooks
Tax Assessor	Daniel Baucom
Planning Director	Michael Sandy
Sheriff	Rick Burris
Emerg Svcs Dir.	Dvaid Montague

Registered Voters, October 2006

Total voters	36,617
Democrats	13,897
Republicans	15,959

Police & Crime

Total police officers, 2005	45
Violent crime, 2005	36
Murder/manslaughter	1
Forcible rape	19
Robbery	2
Aggravated assault	14
Property crime, 2005	340
Burglary	139
Larceny	180
Motor vehicle theft	21

Housing & Construction

Housing Units, 2000

Total	24,582
Single-family units	18,794
Multiple-family units	1,592
Owner-occupied units	16,947
Renter-occupied units	5,276
Vacancy rate	9.6%
Median val. single fam. home	\$87,700
Median rent	\$463
Total housing units, 2005*	26,423

New Privately Owned Housing Units

Authorized by Building Permit		
	Single Units	Total Units
2004	390	476
2005	426	516
2006	376	461

Public Library

Stanly County Public Library
133 E Main St
Albemarle, NC 28001
704-986-3765

Director..... Penny Welling

Stanly County Public Library:

Population served, 2005-06	58,912
Number of branches	4
Full-time equivalent staff	18.1
Total holdings	112,877

Per capita:

Income	\$18.48
Expenditures	\$18.48
Books	1.74

County Finance

(For local fiscal year ended 2005-06)

Revenues

Total	\$60,129,423
Property tax	25,326,291
Sales tax	8,128,250
Other tax	4,117,172
Sales & services	8,842,033
Intergovernmental	11,427,578
Debt proceeds	0
Misc	2,288,099

Expenditures

Total	\$58,646,603
General government	4,681,710
Public safety	11,134,673
Education	14,318,186
Human services	15,865,156
Debt service	2,748,257
Other	9,898,621

Property Taxation

(For local fiscal year 2005-06)

Assessed value	\$3,890,633,463
Year assessed	2005
Tax rate	0.645
Moody's rating	A2

Taxable Real Property Values

Total real estate	\$3,095,521,261
Residential property	2,530,377,851
Commercial property	343,500,422
Industrial property	111,644,241
Present-use property	65,192,483
Historic property	0
Roadway corridor property	0
Other property	44,806,264

School System

(School year 2005-06 except as noted)

Stanly County Schools
1000-4 N First St
Albemarle, NC 28001
704-983-5151

Superintendent..... Samuel A. DePaul
Website..... www.scs.k12.nc.us

School Statistics

Number of schools	23
Grade plan	PK-12
Average daily membership (ADM)	9,606
Average daily attendance (ADA)	9,222
High school graduates	622
Dropout rate	4.0%
Per pupil expenditure (PPE)	\$7,385
PPE rank	83/115
PPE without child nutrition	\$6,882

Teachers

Teachers with graduate certification	30.4%
Teachers with no prior experience	5.2%

North Carolina Competency Standard, 2004-05 Results

	Membership	% Passing
Grade 8	817	84.0%
Grade 9	873	80.8%
Grade 10	781	88.6%

Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP)

AYP targets met/total targets 55/58

SAT Testing

Number tested	301
Percent tested	47.6%
Average total score	1,455
Math	515
Critical reading	471
Writing	469

See Introduction for an explanation of all data sources.