# Vallejo, California

# Indicators Report

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Exploring the economics, demographics, and well-being of Vallejo and its residents through indicators.

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## **Executive Summary**

#### Assessing the City with Indicators

#### **About this Report**

This report provides background or summary information for the city of Vallejo (the City) in the form of indicators.

#### **Using this Report**

Indicators are measures of various aspects of a regional economy. They help to provide an indication of the quality of life in a region and progress toward improving conditions in the local economy. This report focuses on indicators for changing demographics, incomes, housing markets, commute patterns, and employment in Vallejo. These indicators are compared to Solano County (the County) as a whole, a broader region where one is well defined, California, and the United Sates.

This report is vital for understanding trends in the underlying economy. It does not provide forecasts, but Rob Eyler and Jon Haveman at Economic Forensics and Analytics are available to provide them if that is of interest.

#### **Topics Covered:**

- Demographics: A detailed snopshot of Vallejo demographics is presented. This provides evidence on the size, age and sex, income and poverty status, race and ethnicity, housing status, living arrangements, education, health, and transportation choices of the population. Beyond the current population level, data on trends in local population growth, in comparison with other broader regions is presented, in both tabular and graphical form.
- **Employment Report:** Here, we provide a brief snapshot or employment and unemployment in Vallejo and how the City's experience differs from broader regions.
- Income and Earnings: Vital to understanding the prosperity of a city relative to its surrounding
  area is information on income and earnings. We provide a ranking of the City's income relative to
  all cities in California as well as growth relative to local regions. Inequality and poverty status are
  also important indicators for the level of equity in the community. We provide evidence of trends
  in both, not only for all residents, but also for children separately.
- Housing: This section provides evidence on the cost and availability of housing. Both median home values and rental costs are included, along with detailed information on home ownership, by age and income, in particular. Further, evidence is provided on the housing burden in the City, again, in comparison with other broader regions. We also provide evidence on the rate at which new buildings and units are permitted along with a broader housing picture. Finally, we provide evidence on the age of the housing stock in Vallejo, along with information on how long the City's residents have been in place.
- Transportation: Increasingly important, in the wake of the pandemic, is an understanding of
  the transportation patterns and choices of local residents. We provide detailed evidence on the
  proprotion of residents who work from home and on the various transportation choices of those
  who head to the office. This information is also provided for those who work in Vallejo, but do not
  necessarily live in Vallejo.
- **Migration:** Population changes comes primarily through organic causes: births and deaths. Migration between regions also plays a significant role in population growth. A final section of the report provides evidence on migration into and out of the City.

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# **Demographics**

#### **Definition:**

Data on the demographics of a city indicate the nature of the population, with a focus on age, gender, race and ethnicity, as well as household compositon.

#### Why is it important?

The characteristics and growth of Vallejo's population are fundamental indicators of the city's growth potential.

## A Demographic Snapshot

Statistic	2022	2019
POPULATION		
Population Estimate (#)	123,583.0	121,692.0
Veterans (#)	5,924.0	6,732.0
Foreign born persons (%, 5yr)	26.5	26.0
Population age 25+ (#)	89,925.0	85,563.0
AGE AND SEX		
Persons under 5 years (%)	5.7	4.6
Persons under 18 years (%)	19.2	20.4
Persons 65 years and over (%)	17.9	16.1
Female persons (%)	51.0	52.3
INCOME AND POVERTY		
Median household income (\$)	88,063.0	71,265.0
Per capita income in past 12 months (\$)	39,568.0	33,208.0
Persons in poverty (%)	11.2	11.3
Children age less than 18 in poverty (#)	2,798.0	3,598.0
Children age less than 18 in poverty (%)	12.1	15.3
RACE AND ETHNICITY		
White alone (%)	21.5	36.9
African American alone (%)	20.8	19.8
American Indian or Alaska Native alone (%, 5yr)	1.0	0.4
Asian alone (%)	24.1	23.6
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone (%, 5yr)	1.0	1.1
Two or More Races (%)	11.7	6.9
Hispanic or Latino (%)	28.0	29.6
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino (%)	19.0	23.2
HOUSING		
Housing units (#)	47,537.0	45,159.0
Owner-occupied housing units (%)	58.5	57.7
Median value of owner-occupied housing units (\$)	586,300.0	441,100.0
Median selected monthly owner costs-with a mortgage (\$)	2,407.0	2,224.0
Median selected monthly owner costs-without a mortgage (\$)	708.0	527.0
Median gross rent (\$)	1,993.0	1,680.0
FAMILIES AND LIVING ARRANGEMENTS	40.000.0	40.000.0
Households (#)	46,006.0	42,200.0
Persons per household (#)	2.6	2.8
Living in same house 1 year ago, % of persons age 1+ EDUCATION	88.9	86.5
High school graduate or higher, % of persons age 25+	85.0	88.2
Bachelor's degree or higher, % of persons age 25+	27.7	26.5
HEALTH		
With a disability, under age 65 years (#)	10,836.0	8,281.0
Persons without health insurance, under age 65 years (%)	6.7	5.1
LABOR FORCE		
In civilian labor force, persons age 16+ (%)	62.1	64.3
In civilian labor force, women age 16+ (%)	60.6	59.4
Employed, persons age 16+ (%)	55.7	57.7
Self employed (%)	7.3	7.1
TRANSPORTATION		
Mean travel time to work, workers age 16+ (Mins.)	30.5	39.6
Drive alone in private vehicle (%)	65.7	73.4
Using public transportation (%)	3.2	9.7
Worked from home (%)	14.4	3.5
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Source: American Community Survey, Summary Files
Note: Data are from the 1-year files unless indicated by the notation 5yr.

#### **Current Population**

The data in these two tables and the following two graphs are from the CA Department of Finance (DOF). The DOF produces population estimates for geographies around California twice a year: January and July. As estimates for cities are only available in January, these two tables are based on the January data. The remaining figures are from the American Community Survey (ACS), provided annually by the U.S. Bureau of the Census.

Table 1. Population Change by Region

(Thousands, January to January)

	2023		% Ch	nange
Region	Population	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year
		City		
Vallejo	121,658	-1.21	2.97	1.69
	County a	nd Broad	er Regions	
Solano County	443,749	-0.48	1.03	1.06
Bay Area	7,548,792	-0.45	-2.58	-2.62
California	38,940,231	-0.35	-1.79	-2.01

Source: CA DOF; Calculations by National Economic Education Delegation

Table 2. County Population Change by City

(Thousands, January to January)

			% Change						
City	2022	2023	Local	Bay Area	California				
Solano County	445.9	443.7	-0.48	-0.45	-0.35				
Vallejo	123.2	121.7	-1.21						
Fairfield	119.1	119.5	0.40						
Vacaville	101.2	100.8	-0.43						
Suisun City	28.8	28.5	-1.17						
Benicia	26.5	26.2	-1.21						
Dixon	19.0	19.0	0.22						
Rio Vista	9.9	10.0	0.73						

Source: CA DOF; Calculations by National Economic Education Delegation

Figure 1: Population Growth (1)

Figure 2: Population Growth (2)

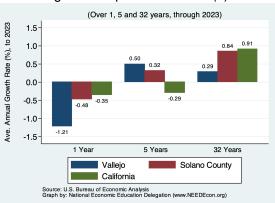
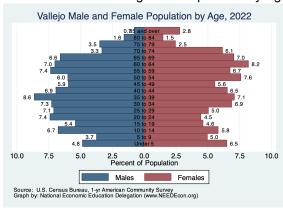


Figure 3: Population by Age - Detailed Age Categories



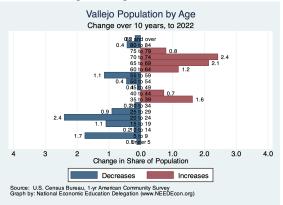
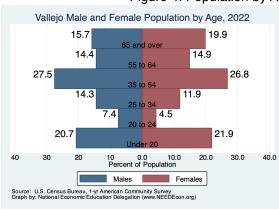


Figure 4: Population by Age - Broad Age Categories



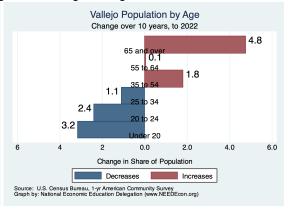
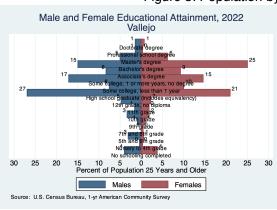


Figure 5: Population by Educational Attainment



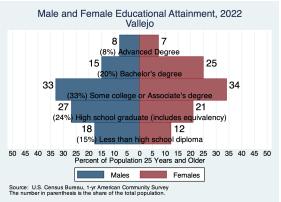


Figure 6: Population by Race/Ethnicity

Vallejo Race/Ethnicity, 2022

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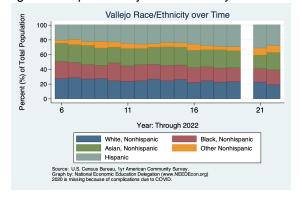
29.0%

20.3%

9.0%

Black, Nonhispanic
Asian, Nonhispanic
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Other, Nonhispanic
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Graph by: National Economic Education Delegation (www.NEEDEcon.org)





## **Employment Report**

### Citywide Employment and Unemployment

#### **Definition:**

Each month, California's Employment Development Division (EDD) publishes an update on employment in California and in MSAs, counties, and cities all across the state. The report focuses primarily on non-farm employment, providing estimates of changes in em-

ployment by industry as well as unemployment in each region. Data for cities is limited to aggregate employment, labor force, and unemployment data. Those are reported below.

#### Why is it important?

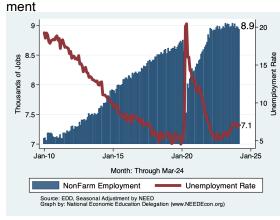
Employment growth is a fundamental indicator of the health of an economy.

Table 3. Vallejo Summary for March, 2024

	Change From:							
Category	Current Value	Last Month	2 Months Ago	Last Year				
Employment	8,924	-30	-53	-103				
Labor Force	9,644	9	15	96				
Number Unemployed	678	-4	21	97				
Unemployment Rate	7.0	-0.0	0.2	0.9				

Source: EDD, National Economic Education Delegation

Figure 8: Historical Employment and Unemploy- Figure 9: Employment and Unemployment - Last



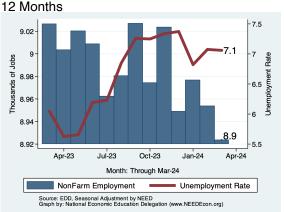
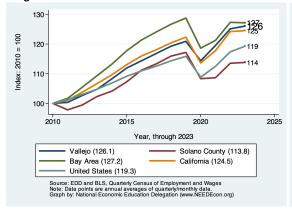
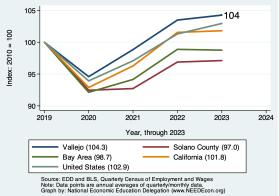


Figure 10: Relative Employment Growth Across Figure 11: Relative Employment Growth Across Regions - since 2010 Regions - since 2019





## County Employment by Industry

California's Employment Development Division (EDD) does not regularly produce data on employment by industry for cities. However, we are able to report industry-level employment data for Solano County. The following table provides the latest data for the County.

Table 4. Employment Growth by Industry in Solano County for March, 2024

			Empl	mpl % Growth - Annualized Rate					
Industry	<b>Employment</b>	Share	Growth	Month	Qtr	6mo	1yr	3yr	5yr
Total Nonfarm	586	100.0	3.3	7.0	4.7	-0.7	-1.9	-1.8	-4.4
Total Private	210	35.8	-1.7	-9.3	-6.4	-12.0	-11.1	-5.7	-8.3
Service Providing	544	92.8	-2.8	-5.9	3.6	-1.9	-1.9	-2.9	-4.9
Government	360	61.4	-1.0	-3.1	3.1	-3.6	0.2	1.1	-1.9
State	60	10.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	-26.5	-14.3	0.0	4.0
Local	257	43.9	-5.2	-21.4	8.3	3.8	4.0	1.3	-2.7

Source: EDD, National Economic Education Delegation (NEED)

#### Some Employee Detail

#### **Employed in Vallejo**

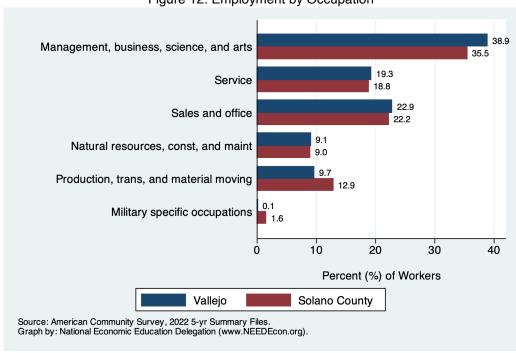
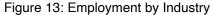
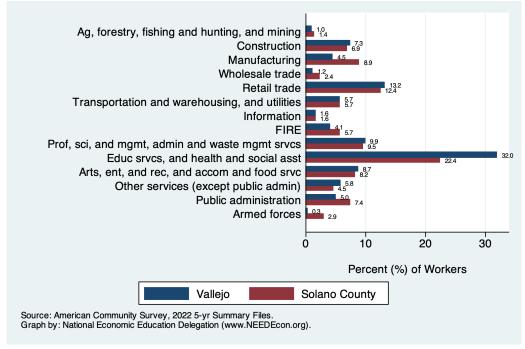


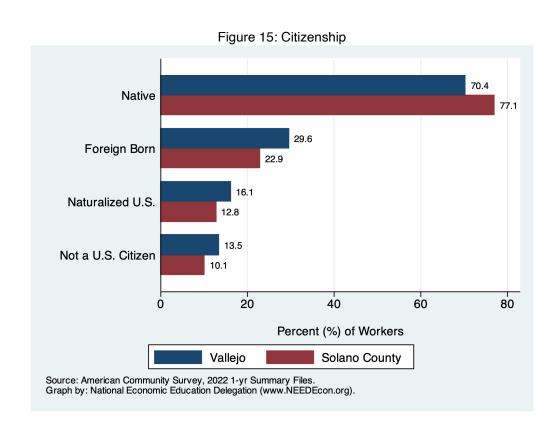
Figure 12: Employment by Occupation





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Figure 14: Language Spoken at Home



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#### **Employed Residents of Vallejo**

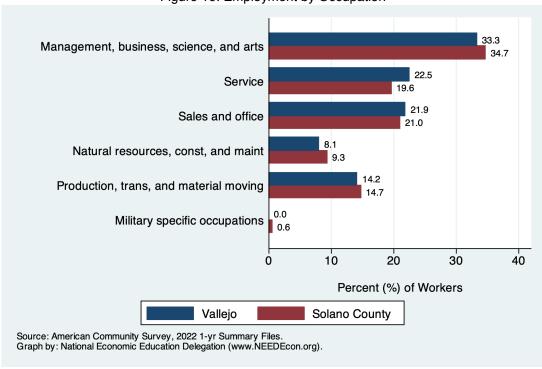
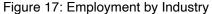
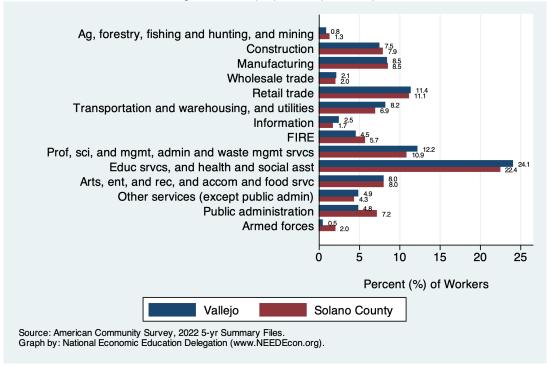


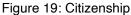
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Figure 18: Language Spoken at Home



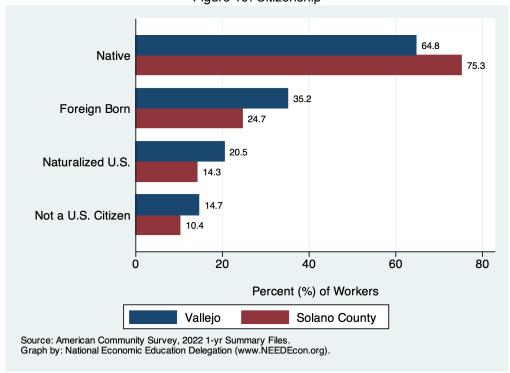
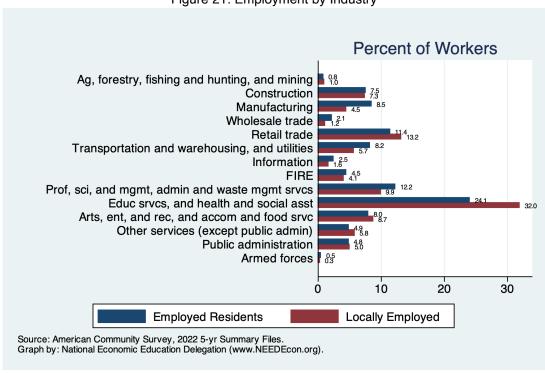


Figure 20: Employment by Occupation



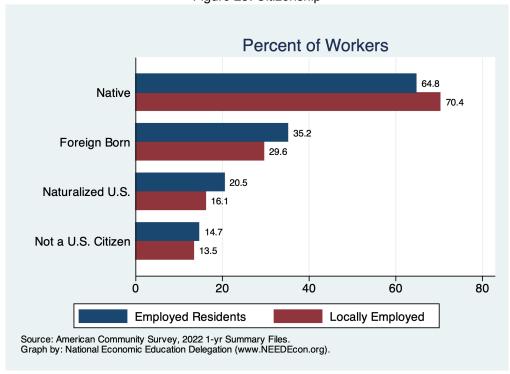
Figure 21: Employment by Industry



Percent of Workers Speak only English Speak Spanish (SS) SS - English very well 9.0 SS - English less than very well Speak other languages (SOL) SOL - English very well 9.1 9.8 SOL - English less than very well 8.0 40 60 20 0 **Employed Residents** Locally Employed Source: American Community Survey, 2022 1-yr Summary Files. Graph by: National Economic Education Delegation (www.NEEDEcon.org).

Figure 22: Language Spoken at Home





## **Income and Earnings**

#### Per Capita Income Growth

#### **Definition:**

Per capita income is the average income per person in Vallejo. Personal income is the income received by, or on behalf of, all persons from all sources: from participation as laborers in production, from owning a home or unincorporated business, from the ownership of financial assets, and from government and business

in the form of transfer receipts. Noncash government benefits are not included.

#### Why is it important?

Income is the money that is available to persons for consumption expenditures, taxes, interest payments, transfer payments to governments and the rest of the world, or for saving. As such, it is an important indicator of economic well-being in a community.

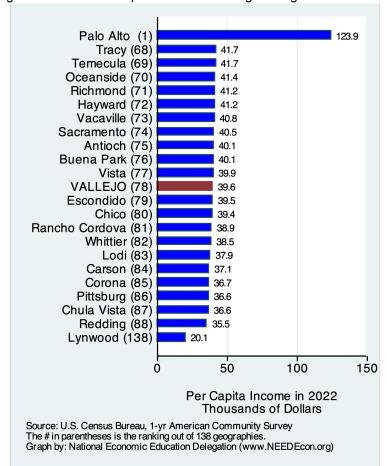
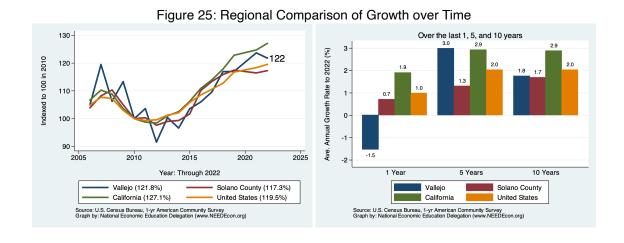
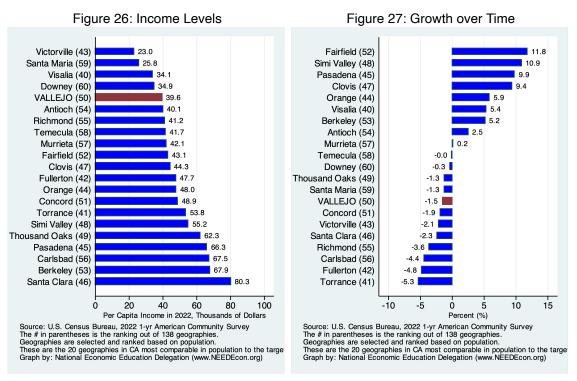


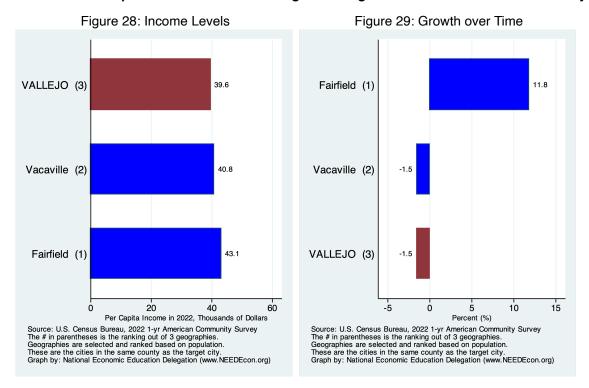
Figure 24: Real Per Capita Income Ranking Among California Cities

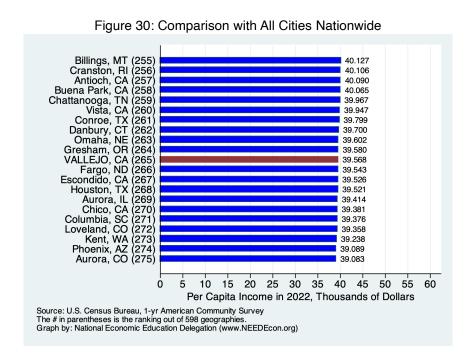


## Real Per Capita Income Ranking Among California Cities - w/Comparable Populations



#### Real Per Capita Income Ranking Among Cities in Solano County





#### Poverty and Inequality

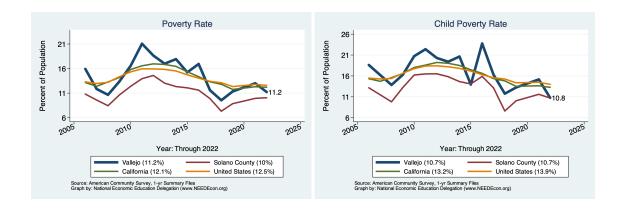
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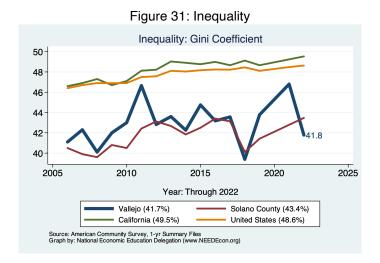
The local poverty rate provides an indication of the well-being of those at the bottom of the income distribution. The federal poverty rate measures the proportion of households in the region that are classified as living in poverty. Also included are measures of the extent to which the City's children are impoverished. Measures of the income distribution provide

further evidence on disparities in income in the region and how those disparities have changed over time.

#### Why is it important?

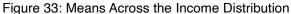
It is important to track measures of poverty and inequality to assess the extent of income disparities in the region, with an eye toward understanding how well the local economy is performing for all of its citizens.

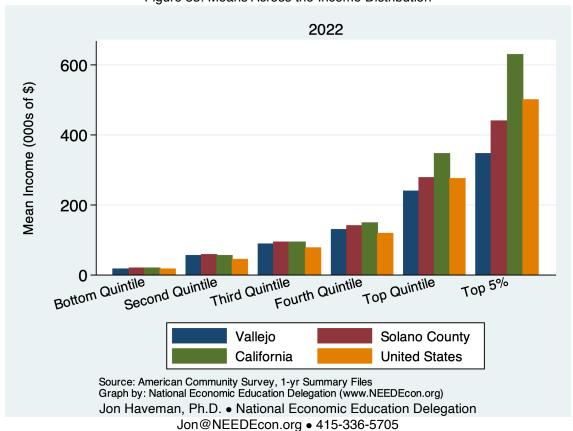




2022 50 Percent of All Income 40 30 20 10 0 Second Quintile Third Quintile Fourth Quintile Bottom Quintile Top Quintile Top 5% Vallejo Solano County California **United States** Source: American Community Survey, 1-yr Summary Files Graph by: National Economic Education Delegation (www.NEEDEcon.org)

Figure 32: Shares Across the Income Distribution





## Housing

#### Housing Costs and Affordability

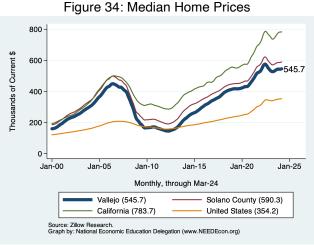
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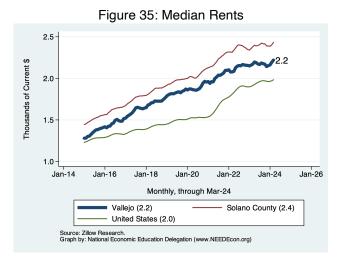
Housing costs are measured in several different ways. First, we provide evidence on the evolution of median home prices, median rental price, and finally through evidence on the housing burden in the city and comparison regions. Housing burden is defined as a household needing to commit more than 30% of their household income toward housing costs. The median value is the amount in the middle. Fifty percent of units are above the median and 50 percent are below.

#### Why is it important?

Housing is one of three fundamental necessities, along with food and clothing. A measure of the cost of housing is an integral part of the measurement of the cost of living in a specific community. This is particularly true in cities and regions throughout the Bay Area, where housing costs are high relative to income.

#### Cost of Housing in Vallejo and Broader Regions





#### Housing Ownership in Vallejo and Broader Regions

Figure 36: Home Ownership Rates

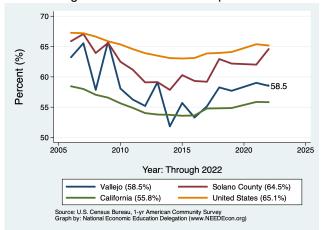


Figure 37: Home Ownership by Age

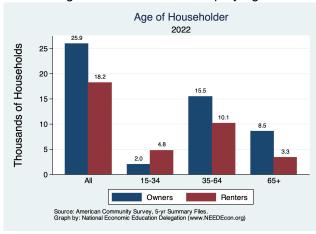


Figure 38: Income by Tenure

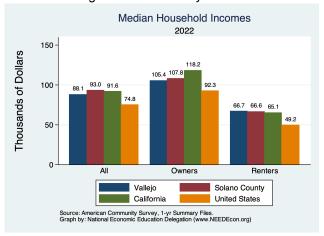


Figure 39: Income Distribution by Tenure

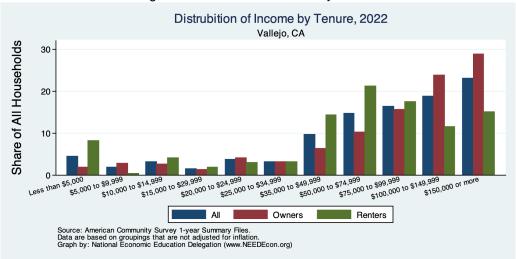


Figure 40: Income Distribution of Home Owners

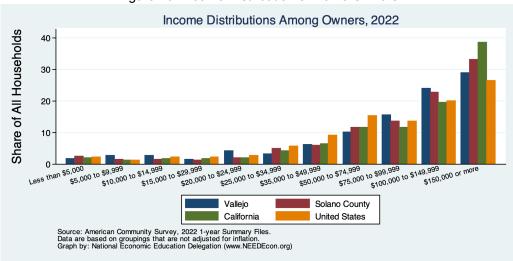
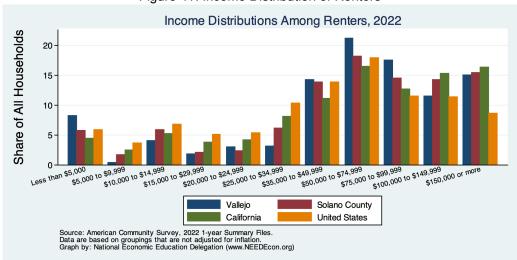


Figure 41: Income Distribution of Renters



#### Housing Burden in Vallejo and Broader Regions

Figure 42: Home Owners w/ A Mortgage

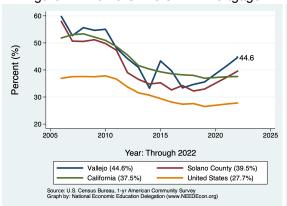


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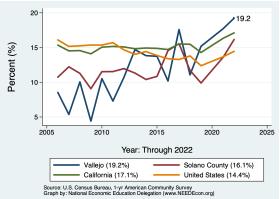


Figure 44: Renters

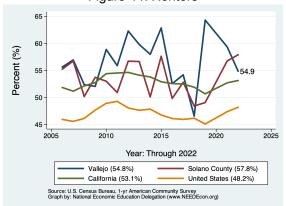
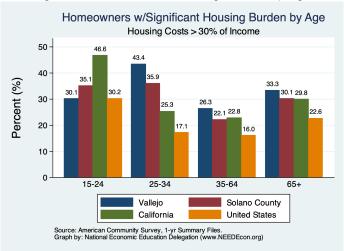


Figure 45: Homeowner Housing Burden by Age



#### Housing Picture

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#### Why is it important?

In areas where the rate of population growth exceeds the rate of housing growth, this is likely to reflect a tightening housing market. A tightening housing market will also likely be reflected in lower vacancy rates and higher occupancy rates. It may also be reflected in higher numbers of people per household.

Table 5. Housing Market Indicators

				% Cha	nge from
Indicator	2023	2019	2010	2019	2010
Total Population	121,658.0	119,349.0	115,942.0	1.9	4.9
Total # of Homes	45,568.0	44,741.0	44,433.0	1.8	2.6
# Occupied Units	43,583.0	41,695.0	40,559.0	4.5	7.5
Persons per Household	2.7	2.8	2.8	-2.4	-2.5
Vacancy Rate (%)	4.4	6.8	8.7	-36.0	-50.0

Source: CA DOF; Calculations by the National Economic Education Delegation

Figure 46: Housing Growth

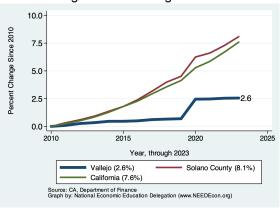


Figure 47: Persons per Household

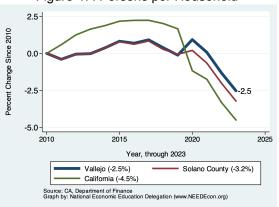


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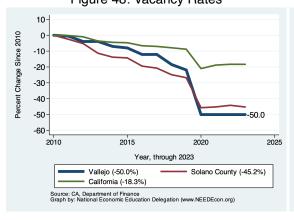
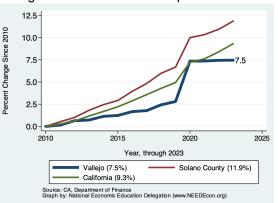


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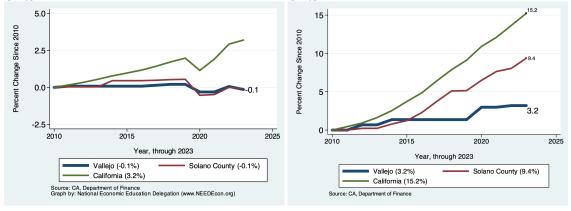


#### Trends in the Growth of Housing by Housing Type

Figure 50: Single Detached Homes Figure 51: Single Attached Homes 10.0 10.0-Percent Change Since 2010 Percent Change Since 2010 7.5-7.5 5.0 5.0 2.5 2.5 0.0 0.0 -2.5 2010 2015 2020 2025 2010 2015 Year, through 2023 Year, through 2023 Vallejo (3.0%) Vallejo (5.7%) Solano County (8.1%) Solano County (9.1%) California (5.8%) California (9.3%) Source: CA, Department of Finance Graph by: National Economic Education Delegation (www.NEEDEcon.org) Source: CA, Department of Finance Graph by: National Economic Education Delegation (www.NEEDEcon.org)

Figure 52: Housing in Buildings with Two to Four Figure 53: Housing in Buildings with Five or More Units

Units



#### Vintage of Residential Housing

#### Why is it important?

This section provides evidence on the year in which residential housing in Vallejo was built. We break it down into owned versus rented residences and provide a comparison across Solano County and broader regions. A sense of the age of housing in a region provides an indication of the urgency with which a region might pursue additional housing. As the hous-

ing stock ages, an urgency with which renovations and rebuilds are permitted might result. All things equal, more recently constructed housing will be more likely to meet current codes and standards. Remodeling of existing units will be more desirable when existing units are, on average, older.

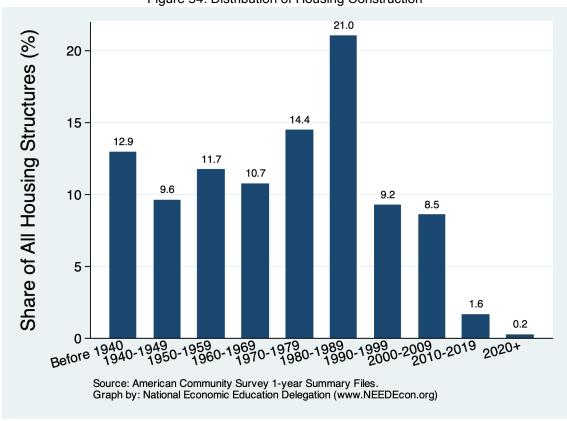


Figure 54: Distribution of Housing Construction

Figure 55: Housing Vintage across Regions

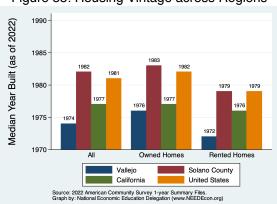


Figure 56: Housing Vintage by Tenure

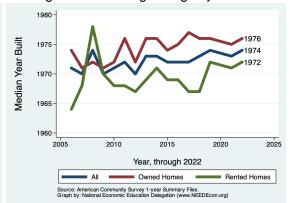


Figure 57: Vintage of Owned Residences

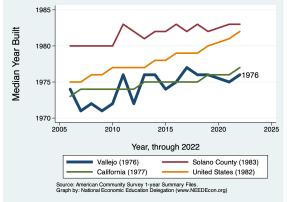


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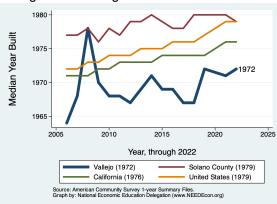
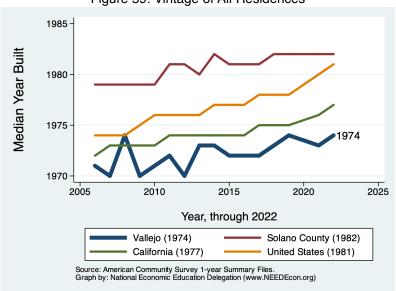


Figure 59: Vintage of All Residences



#### Occupation of Residential Housing

#### Why is it important?

The duration of residence in a city is important for developing future policies regarding growing the local population. If a region is highly mobile, evidenced by most residences having been recently occupied, a city might propose policies to reduce that mobility, or ask why the mobility happens. Policies could be put in place to either reduce or increase migration.

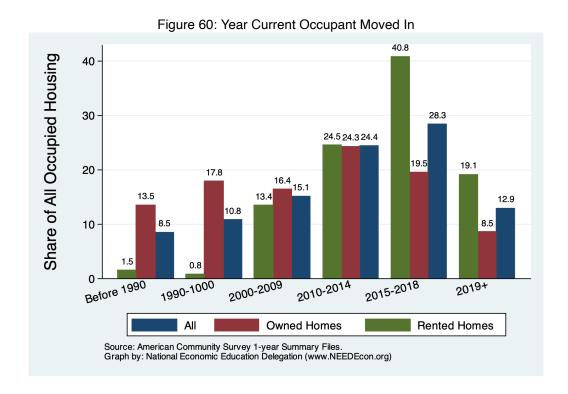


Figure 61: Year Occupied by Current Residents Figure 62: Year Occupied by Current Residents across Regions by Tenure

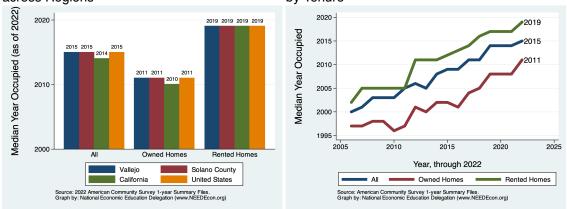


Figure 63: Year Occupied by Current Residents Figure 64: Year Occupied by Current Residents for Owned Housing for Rented Housing

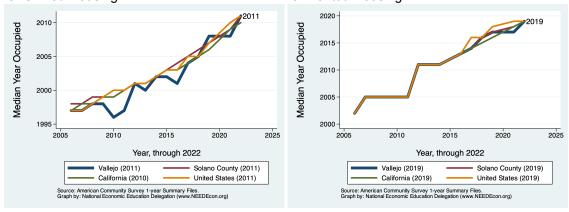
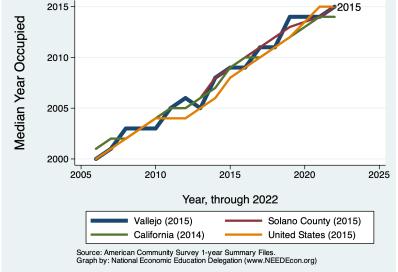


Figure 65: Year Occupied by Current Residents for All Housing



#### Residential Permitting

#### **Definition:**

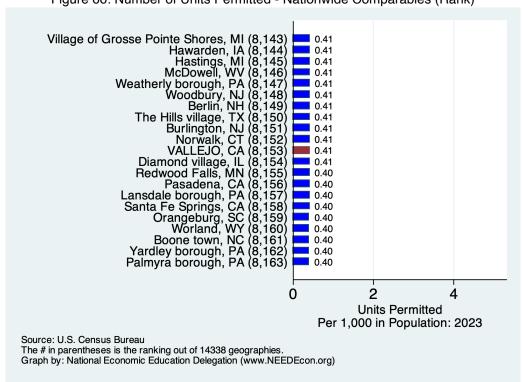
This indicator provides evidence on the number of residential buildings that are permitted for construction each year. Permit data for Vallejo is compared with data from Solano County as a whole and broader regions. The statistic provided scales the number of permits by population. This is done to facilitate comparisons across regions.

#### Why is it important?

Building permits are the best indicator available of new units coming on the market. In order for a region's population to grow and flourish, new residential properties must be added to the existing stock. Building, both in the City and in the County more generally, is an indication of the extent to which new residences accommodate new residents or are affecting prices through increased supply.

#### Vallejo - Ranking Among Comparables

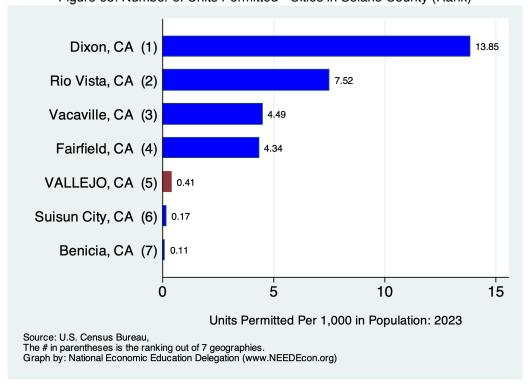
Figure 66: Number of Units Permitted - Nationwide Comparables (Rank)



Paradise town, CA 86.39 San Clemente, CA 0.46 Ventura Unincorporated Area, 0.46 West Hollywood, 0.46 Selma, 0.45 Livermore, 0.45 Tiburon town, 0.44 0.42 Carson, Seal Beach, 0.42 Paramount, 0.41 VALLEJO, 0.41 Pasadena, 0.40 Santa Fe Springs, Orange, Bell Gardens, 0.40 0.40 0.39 Morro Bay, 0.38 Union City, 0.38 Rancho Palos Verdes, C 0.37 Moorpark, CA Waterford, CA 0.36 0.34 San Juan Bautista, CA 0.00 10 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 **Units Permitted** Per 1,000 in Population: 2023 Source: U.S. Census Bureau. The # in parentheses is the ranking out of 515 geographies. Graph by: National Economic Education Delegation (www.NEEDEcon.org)

Figure 67: Number of Units Permitted - California Comparables (Rank)





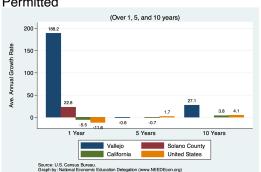
#### Vallejo - Permitting Activity

#### Annual Units Permitted - Per Capita in Vallejo

Figure 69: Units Permitted Each Year



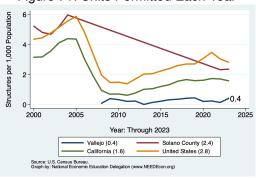
Figure 70: Average Annual Growth in Units Permitted

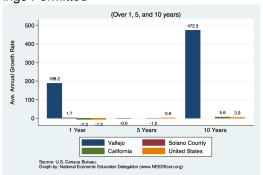


#### Annual Number of Buildings Permitted - Per Capita in Vallejo

Figure 72: Average Annual Growth in Buildings Permitted

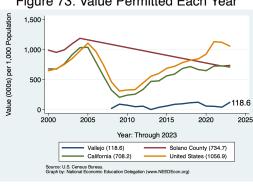
Figure 71: Units Permitted Each Year





#### Annual Value of Property Permitted - Per Capita in Vallejo

Figure 73: Value Permitted Each Year



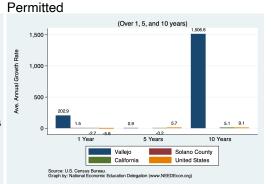


Figure 74: Average Annual Growth in Value

#### **Commute Patterns**

During the recovery from the Great Recession, the period from 2010 to 2019, the Bay Area economy, and Silicon Valley in particular, has been growing at a pace roughly double that of the state as a whole and triple that of the nation. This growth has precipitated a tight hous-

ing market and also brought about some significant changes in commute patterns, many of which have been reversed by the pandemic. Recent years have seen significant changes in both the mode of transportation and commute times.

### Mode of Transportation

Figure 75: Percent of Workers Commuting by Figure 76: Percent of Workers Commuting by Car Alone Carpool

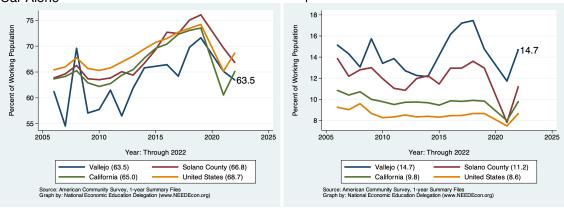
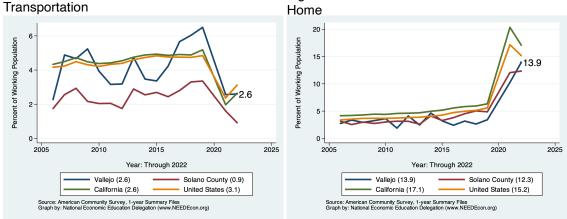


Figure 77: Percent of Workers using Public Figure 78: Percent of Workers Who Work From



The first table on this page presents data for those who LIVE in Vallejo. The second provides data on those who work, but do not necessarily live in Vallejo. The final two columns provide for a comparison of commute mode choices of people locally with those in California more broadly.

Table 6. SEX OF WORKERS BY MODE OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK

	Male		Fem	ale	All Wo	All of CA	
Mode of Transit	#	(%)	#	(%)	#	(%)	(%)
Car, Truck, or Van:	25,171	81.4	20,816	71.5	45,987	78.2	75.3
Drove Alone	20,564	66.5	16,783	57.6	37,347	63.5	65.5
Carpooled:	4,607	14.9	4,033	13.9	8,640	14.7	9.8
In 2-person carpool	3,329	10.8	2,772	9.5	6,101	10.4	7.0
In 3-person carpool	1,239	4.0	1,006	3.5	2,245	3.8	1.7
In 4-or-more-person carpool	39	0.1	255	0.9	294	0.5	1.2
Public Transportation (excl Taxi):	283	0.9	1,246	4.3	1,529	2.6	2.7
Bus or Trolley Bus	51	0.2	122	0.4	173	0.3	1.8
Streetcar or Trolley Car	0	0.0	180	0.6	180	0.3	0.5
Subway or Elevated	0	0.0	60	0.2	60	0.1	0.2
Railroad	42	0.1	0	0.0	42	0.1	0.1
Ferryboat	190	0.6	884	3.0	1,074	1.8	0.1
Bicycle	222	0.7	12	0.0	234	0.4	0.7
Walked	140	0.5	201	0.7	341	0.6	2.4
Taxicab, Motorcycle, or other	567	1.8	970	3.3	1,537	2.6	1.7
Worked at Home	3,166	10.2	5,033	17.3	8,199	13.9	17.2
Total:	29, 549	95.6	28, 278	97.1	57,827	98.3	

Source: 2022 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

Table 7. SEX OF WORKERS BY MODE OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK FOR WORKPLACE GEOGRAPHY

	Ma	le	Fem	Female		rkers	All of CA
Mode of Transit	#	(%)	#	(%)	#	(%)	(%)
Car, Truck, or Van:	13, 225	79.2	12,950	76.7	26,175	78.2	78.0
Drove Alone	10,808	64.7	11,371	67.4	22,179	66.3	68.5
Carpooled:	2,417	14.5	1,579	9.4	3,996	11.9	9.5
In 2-person carpool	1,869	11.2	1,081	6.4	2,950	8.8	6.9
In 3-person carpool	365	2.2	302	1.8	667	2.0	1.5
In 4-or-more-person carpool	183	1.1	196	1.2	379	1.1	1.1
Public Transportation (excl Taxi):	233	1.4	200	1.2	433	1.3	3.6
Bus or Trolley Bus	116	0.7	128	0.8	244	0.7	2.3
Streetcar or Trolley Car	14	0.1	0	0.0	14	0.0	0.8
Subway or Elevated	0	0.0	13	0.1	13	0.0	0.3
Railroad	26	0.2	0	0.0	26	0.1	0.2
Ferryboat	77	0.5	59	0.3	136	0.4	0.1
Bicycle	133	0.8	22	0.1	155	0.5	0.7
Walked	438	2.6	284	1.7	722	2.2	2.4
Taxicab, Motorcycle, or other	176	1.1	336	2.0	512	1.5	1.7
Worked at Home	2,000	12.0	2,679	15.9	4,679	14.0	13.6
Total:	16, 205	97.1	16,471	97.6	32,676	97.7	

Source: 2022 5-year American Community Survey, Summary File

The results in this table are for those who work in the region, regardless of the location of their residence.

#### Commute Times for Employed Residents

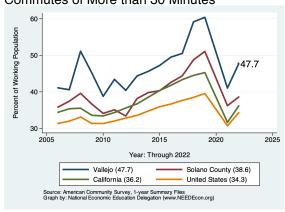
Table 8. SEX OF WORKERS BY TRAVEL TIME TO WORK

	Mal	е	Fem	ale	All Wo	All of CA	
Mode of Transit	#	(%)	#	(%)	#	(%)	(%)
Less than 5 minutes	626	2.1	853	3.0	1,479	2.6	2.1
5 to 9 minutes	1,910	6.4	2,617	9.3	4,527	8.0	7.8
10 to 14 minutes	3,192	10.8	1,713	6.1	4,905	8.6	12.4
15 to 19 minutes	2,533	8.6	2,256	8.1	4,789	8.4	15.4
20 to 24 minutes	1,843	6.2	2,288	8.2	4,131	7.3	14.8
25 to 29 minutes	1,674	5.7	1,014	3.6	2,688	4.7	6.4
30 to 34 minutes	3,649	12.3	3,488	12.5	7,137	12.6	15.2
35 to 39 minutes	843	2.8	970	3.5	1,813	3.2	2.9
40 to 44 minutes	1,845	6.2	1,037	3.7	2,882	5.1	4.1
45 to 59 minutes	2,730	9.2	2,527	9.0	5,257	9.3	8.2
60 to 89 minutes	3,554	12.0	2,155	7.7	5,709	10.0	7.2
90 or more minutes	1,984	6.7	2,327	8.3	4,311	7.6	3.6
Total:	26,383	89.1	23,245	83.0	49,628	87.3	

Source: 2022 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

Figure 79: Percent of Employed Population With Figure 80: Percent of Employed Population With Commutes of More than 30 Minutes

Commutes of More than 90 Minutes



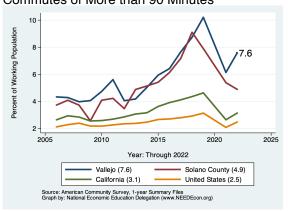
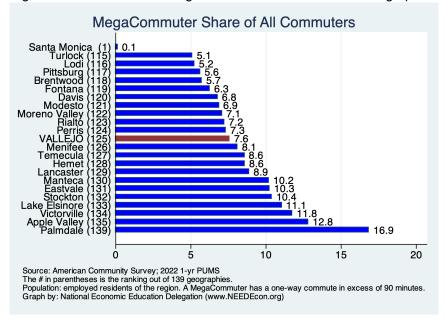


Figure 81: Rank: Share of MegaCommuters Across Similar Geographies



#### Commute Times for Those Employed in the City

Table 9. SEX OF WORKERS BY TRAVEL TIME TO WORK FOR WORKPLACE GEOGRAPHY

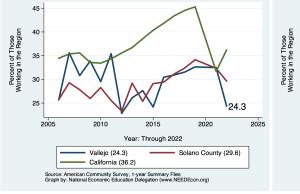
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	Mal	Male		Female		All Workers	
Mode of Transit	#	(%)	#	(%)	#	(%)	(%)
Less than 5 minutes	234	1.5	524	3.1	758	2.4	2.1
5 to 9 minutes	1,739	10.9	2,239	13.1	3,978	12.5	7.8
10 to 14 minutes	2,464	15.5	1,592	9.3	4,056	12.8	12.4
15 to 19 minutes	1,735	10.9	2,540	14.9	4,275	13.5	15.3
20 to 24 minutes	406	2.6	1,251	7.3	1,657	5.2	14.8
25 to 29 minutes	872	5.5	395	2.3	1,267	4.0	6.4
30 to 34 minutes	1,086	6.8	833	4.9	1,919	6.0	15.2
35 to 39 minutes	886	5.6	291	1.7	1,177	3.7	2.9
40 to 44 minutes	178	1.1	272	1.6	450	1.4	4.1
45 to 59 minutes	648	4.1	689	4.0	1,337	4.2	8.2
60 to 89 minutes	1,229	7.7	638	3.7	1,867	5.9	7.2
90 or more minutes	693	4.4	281	1.6	974	3.1	3.6
Total:	12,170	76.4	11,545	67.8	23,715	74.7	

Source: 2022 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

The results in this table are for those who work in the region, regardless of the location of their residence.

Figure 82: Percent of Local Employees With Figure 83: Percent of Local Employees With Commutes of More than 30 Minutes

Commutes of More than 90 Minutes



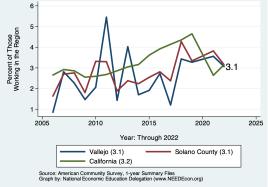
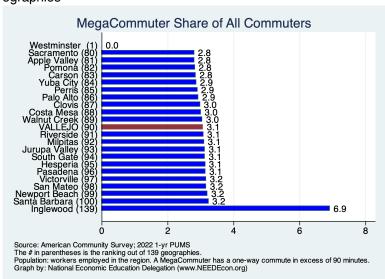


Figure 84: Rank: Share of MegaCommuters Across Similar Geographies



#### Place of Work

This section provides evidence on where workers living in Vallejo work. As evidenced in the first table, some of Vallejo's employed workers work in the City, but many do not. The first table and graph pair provide evidence at the county level while the second provide evidence with regard to working outside of the Vallejo city boundary.

Table 10. SEX OF WORKERS BY PLACE OF WORK-STATE AND COUNTY LEVEL

	Male		Female		All Workers		All of CA
Place of Work	#	(%)	#	(%)	#	(%)	(%)
Worked in state of residence:	29, 378	95.0	28, 278	97.1	57,656	98.0	99.6
Worked in county of residence	13,463	43.5	14,765	50.7	28,228	48.0	85.3
worked outside of county of residence	15,915	51.5	13,513	46.4	29,428	50.0	14.3
Worked outside state of residence	171	0.6	0	0.0	171	0.3	0.4
Total:	29, 549	95.6	28, 278	97.1	57,827	98.3	

Source: 2022 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

Figure 85: Percent of Workers Employed Outside of Their County of Residence

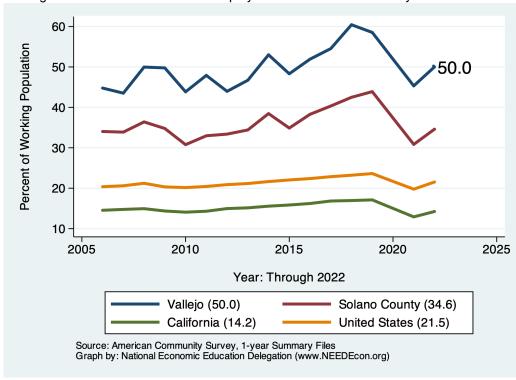
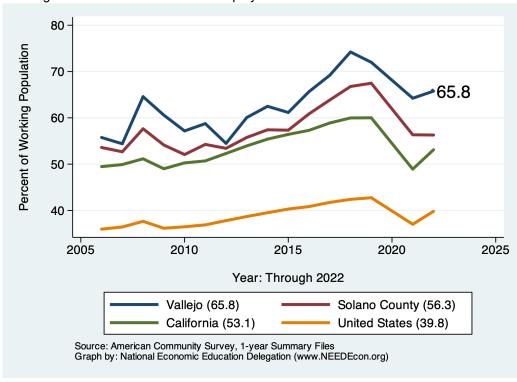


Table 11. SEX OF WORKERS BY PLACE OF WORK-PLACE LEVEL

	Male		Female		All Workers		All of CA
Place of Work	#	(%)	#	(%)	#	(%)	(%)
Living in a place:	29, 549	95.6	28, 278	97.1	57,827	98.3	95.8
Worked in place of residence	8,771	28.4	10,363	35.6	19,134	32.5	42.3
Worked outside place of residence	20,778	67.2	17,915	61.5	38,693	65.8	53.4
Not living in a place	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4.2
Total:	29, 549	95.6	28, 278	97.1	57,827	98.3	

Source: 2022 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

Figure 86: Percent of Workers Employed Outside of Their Place of Residence



#### Commute Mode by Income

Table 12. MEDIAN EARNINGS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS BY MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK

	City	California		United Sta	tes
	Median	Median	Ratio	Median	Ratio
Car, truck, or van - drove alone	50,053	48, 335	103.1	45,677	101.6
Car, truck, or van - carpooled	45,346	35,926	125.7	34,518	121.8
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	59, 519	34,625	171.2	41, 443	133.1
Walked	26,863	30,552	87.6	27,247	91.4
Taxicab, motorcycle, bicycle, or other means	55,176	40,631	135.3	36,218	141.2
Worked from home	55,689	79,738	69.6	69,180	74.6
Total:	50,017	49,818	100.4	46,365	107.9

Source: 2022 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

Notes: 1) Ratio = the ratio of the regional median to either the CA or US median, relative to the Total ratio. Values above 100 imply a high local median. Values below 100 imply a low local median. For example, a value of 200 means that the local mean is 2x higher than would be expected. For "Total:", ratio is simply the ratio of the medians.

Table 13. MODE OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK BY WORKERS' EARNINGS

	< \$25	,000	\$25,000-	\$74,999	\$75,0	00+	Al	I	All of CA
Mode of Transit	#	(%)	#	(%)	#	(%)	#	(%)	(%)
Car, Truck, or Van: Drove Alone	8,816	43.5	15,500	69.6	11,362	67.8	40,511	68.8	68.4
Car, Truck, or Van: Carpooled	2,490	12.3	2,993	13.4	1,925	11.5	8,642	14.7	9.5
Public Transportation (excl Taxi)	703	3.5	426	1.9	1,115	6.7	2,441	4.1	3.6
Walked	308	1.5	300	1.3	94	0.6	761	1.3	2.4
Taxicab, Motorcycle, or other	272	1.3	376	1.7	344	2.1	1,185	2.0	2.4
Worked at Home	1,218	6.0	1,277	5.7	1,914	11.4	4,679	8.0	13.6
Total:	13,807	68.1	20,872	93.7	16,754		58, 219	98.9	100.0

Source: 2022 5-year American Community Survey, Summary File

Table 14. MODE OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK BY WORKERS' EARNINGS FOR WORKPLACE GEOGRAPHY

	< \$25,000		\$25,000-\$74,999		\$75,000+		Al		All of CA
Mode of Transit	#	(%)	#	(%)	#	(%)	#	(%)	(%)
Car, Truck, or Van: Drove Alone	5, 593	43.1	7,092	68.6	7, 326	70.0	22, 179	67.9	68.5
Car, Truck, or Van: Carpooled	1,351	10.4	1,158	11.2	870	8.3	3,996	12.2	9.5
Public Transportation (excl Taxi)	250	1.9	48	0.5	62	0.6	433	1.3	3.6
Walked	341	2.6	215	2.1	89	0.9	722	2.2	2.4
Taxicab, Motorcycle, or other	284	2.2	78	0.8	202	1.9	667	2.0	2.4
Worked at Home	1,218	9.4	1,277	12.3	1,914	18.3	4,679	14.3	13.6
Total:	9,037	69.6	9,868	95.4	10,463		32,676		

Source: 2022 5-year American Community Survey, Summary File

The results in this table are for those who work in the region, regardless of the location of their residence.

<sup>2)</sup> For regions with more than one geography, the medians are averages weighted by working population.

## Commute Mode by Poverty Status

Table 15. MODE OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK BY POVERTY STATUS

	In Po	verty	100-149	% of Pov	>150%	of Pov	Al		All of CA
Mode of Transit	#	(%)	#	(%)	#	(%)	#	(%)	(%)
Car, Truck, or Van: Drove Alone	701	14.6	2,727	75.3	33,919	62.6	37, 347	63.6	65.8
Car, Truck, or Van: Carpooled	982	20.5	244	6.7	7,414	13.7	8,640	14.7	9.8
Public Transportation (excl Taxi)	0	0.0	47	1.3	1,482	2.7	1,529	2.6	2.6
Walked	0	0.0	0	0.0	267	0.5	267	0.5	2.1
Taxicab, Motorcycle, or other	12	0.3	151	4.2	1,468	2.7	1,631	2.8	2.4
Worked at Home	286	6.0	217	6.0	7,696	14.2	8,199	14.0	17.2
Total:	1,981	41.4	3,386	93.5	52,246	96.4	57,613	98.1	

Source: 2022 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

Table 16. MODE OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK BY POVERTY STATUS FOR WORKPLACE GEOGRAPHY

	In Po	In Poverty		9% of Pov	>150% of Pov		Al		All of CA
Mode of Transit	#	(%)	#	(%)	#	(%)	#	(%)	(%)
Car, Truck, or Van: Drove Alone	716	25.4	361	12.5	16, 158	54.6	17, 235	51.5	65.8
Car, Truck, or Van: Carpooled	1,005	35.6	106	3.7	4,304	14.5	5,415	16.2	9.8
Public Transportation (excl Taxi)	0	0.0	0	0.0	264	0.9	264	0.8	2.6
Walked	0	0.0	0	0.0	154	0.5	154	0.5	2.1
Taxicab, Motorcycle, or other	12	0.4	125	4.3	296	1.0	433	1.3	2.4
Worked at Home	286	10.1	217	7.5	7,696	26.0	8,199	24.5	17.2
Total:	2,019	71.6	809	28.0	28,872	97.5	31,700	94.8	100.0

Source: 2022 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

The results in this table are for those who work in the region, regardless of the location of their residence.

# Migration

#### **Overall Migration Flows**

#### **Definition:**

The United States is a country with an increasingly mobile population. People move, migrate, from one place to another with increasing frequency.

#### Why is it important?

Having a handle on whether or not Vallejo is a net recipient (migration inflows) or donor (migration outflows) of population is very important for understanding trends in the City's development. This section outlines migration patterns by age, education, income, marital status, and housing tenure. Understanding recent trends is very important for making policy, investment, and other decisions about the future. Also, understanding the extent to which the population is stable, or experiences significant turnover each year is helpful for planning purposes.

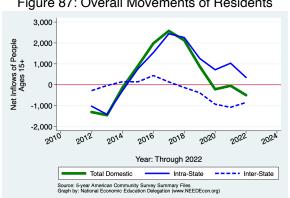


Figure 87: Overall Movements of Residents

Table 17: Migration by Income

		N		_		
			Same	e State		-
			W/in	Between	Across	From
Category	Population	All Migration	County	Counties	States	Abroad
No income	14,257	-473	-11	-481	-185	204
With income	89,167	65	-530	109	267	219
\$1 to \$9,999 or loss	12, 164	-271	-201	-23	-88	41
\$10,000 to \$14,999	6,743	714	5	616	93	0
\$15,000 to \$24,999	10,126	-253	-5	-248	0	0
\$25,000 to \$34,999	8,861	-161	0	-253	-49	141
\$35,000 to \$49,999	13,353	-149	-98	29	-80	0
\$50,000 to \$64,999	10,007	424	-63	392	58	37
\$65,000 to \$74,999	7,122	-271	0	-271	0	0
\$75,000 or more	20,791	32	-168	-133	333	0
All:	103, 424	-408	-541	-372	82	423

Source: 2022 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

Note: The data in this and other tables in this section are limited in that there is no information on the City's population that has moved abroad.

The "From Abroad" column is gross movements into the City from abroad.

Figure 88: Overall Movements of Low Income Residents

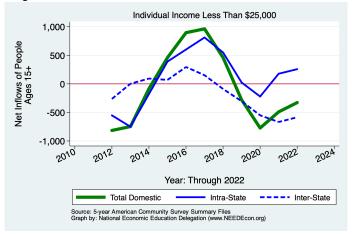


Figure 89: Overall Movements of Middle Income Residents

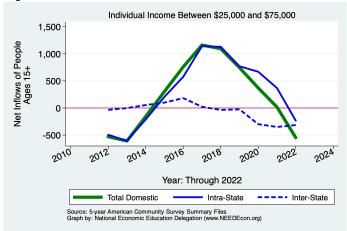
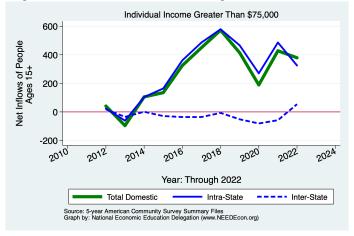


Figure 90: Overall Movements of High Income Residents



## **Demographics of Migration Flows**

**Table 18: Migration by Marital Status** 

		N				
			Same	e State		-
			W/in	Between	Across	From
Category	Population	All Migration	County	Counties	States	Abroad
Never married	39, 117	-249	-209	179	-406	187
Now married, except separated	45,387	660	-3	604	-312	371
Divorced	11,803	16	92	-12	-64	0
Separated	2,125	-163	-48	-106	-9	0
Widowed	5,705	-203	-180	32	-55	0
Total:	104, 137	61	-348	697	-846	558

Source: 2022 5-year American Community Survey, Summary File

**Table 19: Migration by Tenure** 

		Net Inflows Same State				
Category	Population	All Migration	W/in County	Between Counties	Across States	From Abroad
Householder lived in owner-occupied housing units Householder lived in renter-occupied housing units	66, 850 53, 164	$   \begin{array}{r}     228 \\     -755   \end{array} $	$-349 \\ -434$	907 $-1,434$	-367 $445$	37 668
Total:	120,014	-527	-783	-527	78	705

Source: 2022 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

Figure 91: Domestic Movements of Residents by Tenure

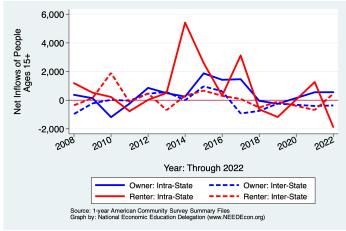


Table 20: Migration by Age

		Net Inflows						
			Samo	e State		-		
			W/in	Between	Across	From		
Category	Population	All Migration	County	Counties	States	Abroad		
1 to 4 years	5,304	85	-161	137	40	69		
5 to 17 years	19,063	-325	87	-400	-172	160		
18 and 19 years	2,856	-167	35	-40	-178	16		
20 to 24 years	8, 194	134	-70	2	-56	258		
25 to 29 years	7,956	-53	-75	2	-91	111		
30 to 34 years	9,033	220	-99	187	31	101		
35 to 39 years	8,406	-23	-128	82	23	0		
40 to 44 years	9,017	-116	48	-22	-142	0		
45 to 49 years	7,549	-63	-8	105	-166	6		
50 to 54 years	7,779	555	58	515	-29	11		
55 to 59 years	8,232	-132	-25	-20	-105	18		
60 to 64 years	9,504	-89	20	-76	-47	14		
65 to 69 years	7,996	-113	-98	14	-41	12		
70 to 74 years	5,539	-21	16	-45	2	6		
75 years and over	7,705	221	8	204	4	5		
Total Population:	124, 133	113	-392	645	-927	787		

Source: 2022 5-year American Community Survey, Summary File

**Table 21: Migration by Educational Attainment** 

	Net Inflows							
			Sam	e State		-		
Category	Population	All Migration	W/in County	Between Counties	Across States	From Abroad		
Less than high school graduate	13,454	927	-5	985	-169	116		
High school graduate (includes equiv)	21,407	-1,196	-276	-1,040	32	88		
Some college or assoc. degree	30,111	242	-145	293	53	41		
Bachelor's degree	18, 101	-311	-52	-296	0	37		
Graduate or professional degree	6,852	-75	0	-327	252	0		
Total:	89,925	-413	-478	-385	168	282		

Source: 2022 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

Table 22: Median Income of Migration Flows

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Flow	In-Migration	Out-Migration
Same House 1 Year Ago	41,248	41,248
Moved Within Same County	56,786	55,051
Moved to Different County, Same State	31,187	31,494
Moved Between States	82,454	34,133
Moved from Abroad	26,215	
Total Population:	41,561	41,481

Source: 2022 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

Table 23: Median Age of Migration Flows

Flow	In-Migration	Out-Migration
Same House 1 Year Ago	42.8	42.8
Moved Within Same County	33.8	33.1
Moved to Different County, Same State	36.6	36.1
Moved Between States	33.2	34.0
Moved from Abroad	23.5	
Total Population:	41.7	41.9

Source: 2022 1-year American Community Survey, Summary File

#### References and Sources

The majority of the data presented in this report are from the American Community Survey (ACS). For larger geographies, the 1-year Summary Files provide the data. For smaller communities, roughly those with less than 65,000 in population in 2021, the 5-year Summary Files provide the data.

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