

**From 2015 to 2018, TNECD has made****9**Investments through  
Community and Rural Development  
Grants and Consulting Services  
valued at:**\$1,662,800**

Mayor Steve Jones

<http://www.maconcountyttn.gov/>**LABOR AND WORKFORCE**

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|----------------------------------------|--------|
| Labor Force (2017):                    | 10,625 |
| Employment (2017):                     | 10,262 |
| Unemployment Rate (2017):              | 3.4%   |
| Labor Force Participation Rate (2017): | 57.4%  |

**DEMOGRAPHICS**

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|----------------------------------------|--------|
| Population (2012)                      | 22,473 |
| Population (2017):                     | 24,079 |
| Population Percent Change (2012-2017): | 7.1%   |
| Median Age:                            | 38.6   |

**ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND SMALL BUSINESS**

Gallatin Small Business Development Center  
SBDC is located at: Volunteer State Community College  
Guide for entrepreneurs starting a business:  
<https://www.tnsmartstart.com/>

**ECONOMIC STATUS**

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|------------------------------------|--------------|
| County Economic Status (FY 2019):  | Transitional |
| Personal Income Per Capita (2017): | \$33,041     |
| Market Income Per Capita (2017):   | \$23,498     |
| Median Household Income (2017):    | \$35,533     |
| Poverty Rate (2017):               | 18.6%        |

**EDUCATION**

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|----------------------------------------------|-------|
| Average ACT Score (2018):                    | 19.2  |
| High School Graduation Rate (2018):          | 88.0% |
| College Going-Rate (2017):                   | 69.6% |
| Age 25-64 with High School Degree or Higher: | 82.6% |
| Age 25-64 with Associates Degree or Higher:  | 17.5% |
| Age 25-64 with Bachelor's Degree or Higher:  | 10.1% |

**TAX STRUCTURE AND REVENUES**

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|------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| State Debt Per Capita (2015):                                    | \$913       |
| County Debt Per Capita (FY 2017):                                | \$316       |
| Local Sales Tax Collections (FY 2017):                           | \$3,631,628 |
| Local Sales Tax Collections (FY 2018):                           | \$3,843,521 |
| Local Sales Tax Collections Percent Change (FY 2017 to FY 2018): | 5.8%        |

**SAFETY**

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| Crime Rate Per 1,000 People (2017): | 51.2 |
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Located in TNECD Upper Cumberland Region

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