

From 2015 to 2018, TNECD has made**14**Investments through
Community and Rural Development
Grants and Consulting Services
valued at:**\$6,308,548**

Executive Jeff Huffman

<https://tiptonco.com/>www.covington-tiptoncochamber.com/**LABOR AND WORKFORCE**

Labor Force (2017):	27,774
Employment (2017):	26,553
Unemployment Rate (2017):	4.4%
Labor Force Participation Rate (2017):	63.3%

DEMOGRAPHICS

Population (2012)	61,509
Population (2017):	61,366
Population Percent Change (2012-2017):	-0.2%
Median Age:	37.3

ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND SMALL BUSINESS

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

ECONOMIC STATUS

County Economic Status (FY 2019):	Transitional
Personal Income Per Capita (2017):	\$37,515
Market Income Per Capita (2017):	\$28,954
Median Household Income (2017):	\$57,212
Poverty Rate (2017):	14.6%

EDUCATION

Average ACT Score (2018):	20.8
High School Graduation Rate (2018):	97.0%
College Going-Rate (2017):	61.0%
Age 25-64 with High School Degree or Higher:	88.3%
Age 25-64 with Associates Degree or Higher:	24.3%
Age 25-64 with Bachelor's Degree or Higher:	16.0%

TAX STRUCTURE AND REVENUES

State Debt Per Capita (2015):	\$913
County Debt Per Capita (FY 2017):	\$252
Local Sales Tax Collections (FY 2017):	\$9,594,884
Local Sales Tax Collections (FY 2018):	\$10,088,106
Local Sales Tax Collections Percent Change (FY 2017 to FY 2018):	5.1%

SAFETY

Crime Rate Per 1,000 People (2017):	76.4
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Located in TNECD Greater Memphis Region

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