

HOW ST. CLAIR COUNTY COMPARES REGIONALLY—SEMCOG & REGION 6

The St. Clair County Report Card is presented as a strategic approach to providing transparent comparisons of the county with a set of performance indicators that allow for measuring our progress over time through benchmarking.

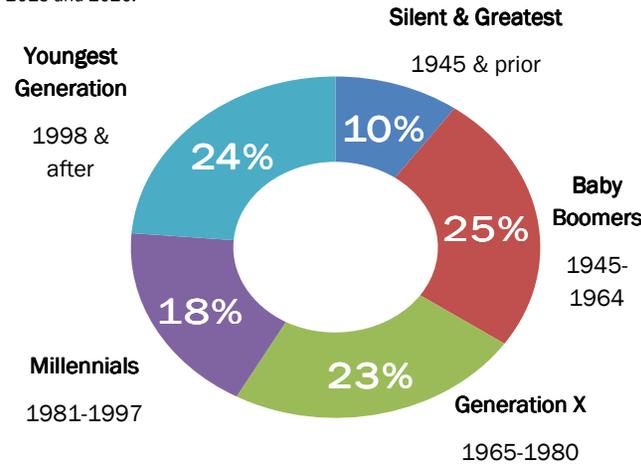
Based on St. Clair County's unique location along both the I-94 and I-69 corridors, the county actively collaborates with the seven-county Southeast Michigan Council of Governments (SEMCOG) region and the seven-county 'Region 6' partnership (I-69 Thumb Region).



ST. CLAIR COUNTY POPULATION OVERVIEW

	2015	2020	PERCENT
St. Clair County	159,346	157,047	-1.44%
SEMCOG	4,678,778	4,706,724	0.60%
Region 6	856,579	840,215	-1.91%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2010 Summary File 1. ESRI forecasts for 2015 and 2020.



ST. CLAIR COUNTY BUILDING PERMITS

YEAR	TOTAL DEMOS	TOTAL UNITS BUILT	NET CHANGE
2013	88	75	-13
2014	51	106	55
2015	65	132	67

Source: : SEMCOG Development

ST. CLAIR COUNTY MICHIGAN



2016 REPORT CARD

In order to assess St. Clair County's competitive position relative to neighboring regions that compete with the county for jobs, talent and investment, the County Report Card uses community indicators to examine conditions relative to education, growth of employment, and quality of life.



ST. CLAIR COUNTY METROPOLITAN PLANNING COMMISSION

2016 County Report Card



BLUE = Better RED = Worse

ARE WE GETTING BETTER?
% CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS YEAR

HOW DOES ST. CLAIR COUNTY
COMPARE REGIONALLY?

PROSPERITY INDICATORS

PEOPLE INDICATORS

PLACE INDICATORS

INDICATOR	ARE WE GETTING BETTER? % CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS YEAR			HOW DOES ST. CLAIR COUNTY COMPARE REGIONALLY?	
	BASELINE	% CHANGE	RECENT	SEMCOG	REGION 6
TOTAL JOB CREATION	2013	+ 1,014.86%	2014	LAGGING	LAGGING
LABOR FORCE	2014	- 1.53%	2015	LAGGING	STRONGER
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	2014	- 29.29%	2015	LAGGING	LAGGING
PATENTS ISSUED	2012	+ 78.26%	2013	LAGGING	STRONGER
MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME	2014	+ 2.1%	2015	LAGGING	STRONGER
PER CAPITA INCOME	2013	+ 1.9%	2014	LAGGING	STRONGER
AGES 25-44 IN WORKFORCE	2014	- 2.82%	2015	AVERAGE	AVERAGE
GROWTH IN HEALTH CARE & SOCIAL ASSISTANCE JOBS	2013	+ 240.0%	2014	STRONGER	LAGGING
GROWTH IN MANUFACTURING JOBS	2013	- 14.29%	2014	AVERAGE	AVERAGE
GROWTH IN WHOLESALE TRADE JOBS	2013	+ 940%	2014	STRONGER	STRONGER
GROWTH IN TOURISM JOBS	2013	- 57.85%	2014	LAGGING	LAGGING
POVERTY RATE	2013	+ 1.30%	2014	LAGGING	AVERAGE
CHILDREN IN POVERTY	2013	+ 1.39%	2014	LAGGING	AVERAGE
ADULTS WITH HEALTH INSURANCE	2014	No Change	2015	AVERAGE	AVERAGE
OBESITY (ADULT)	2014	- 3.23%	2015	AVERAGE	STRONGER
SMOKING (ADULT)	2014	No Change	2015	LAGGING	LAGGING
EXCESSIVE DRINKING (ADULT)	2014	No Change	2015	LAGGING	LAGGING
HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA ONLY (INCLUDES EQUIVALENCY)	2013	- 0.36%	2014	AVERAGE	LAGGING
ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE	2013	+ 1.28%	2014	AVERAGE	LAGGING
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	2013	+ 1.67%	2014	AVERAGE	STRONGER
GRADUATE DEGREE	2013	+ 1.85%	2014	LAGGING	STRONGER
COMMUNITY COLLEGE GRADUATION RATE	2013	+ 12.5%	2014	STRONGER	STRONGER
COMMUNITY COLLEGE RETENTION RATE	2013	- 6.78%	2014	AVERAGE	AVERAGE
MEAN COMMUTE TIME	2013	+ 0.78%	2014	AVERAGE	AVERAGE
PERCENT CARPOOL DRIVERS	2013	- 2.04%	2014	LAGGING	STRONGER
MEDIAN HOME VALUE	2014	+ 6.35%	2015	LAGGING	STRONGER
VIOLENT CRIME PER 100,000 PEOPLE	2014	- 3.38%	2015	LAGGING	AVERAGE
STATE EQUALIZED VALUE (SEV)	2014	+ 5.51%	2015	LAGGING	STRONGER