

Economic and Financial Update: Q1 FY 2021-22

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TODAY'S PRESENTATION

- Economic update
- Financial update



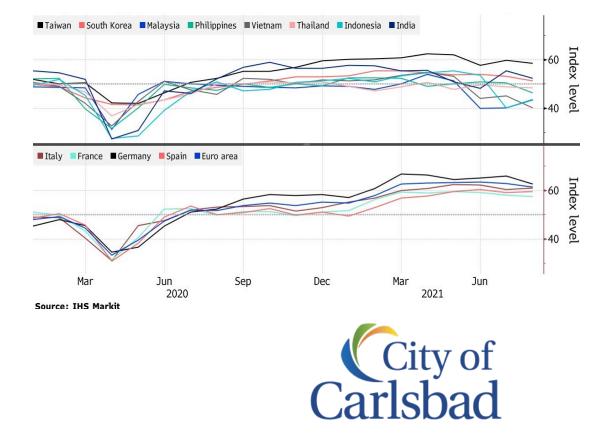
ECONOMIC UPDATE

- Timeframe analyzed
 - First quarter FY2021-2022 (June Sep. 2021)
- Macro Trends
- Local Impact

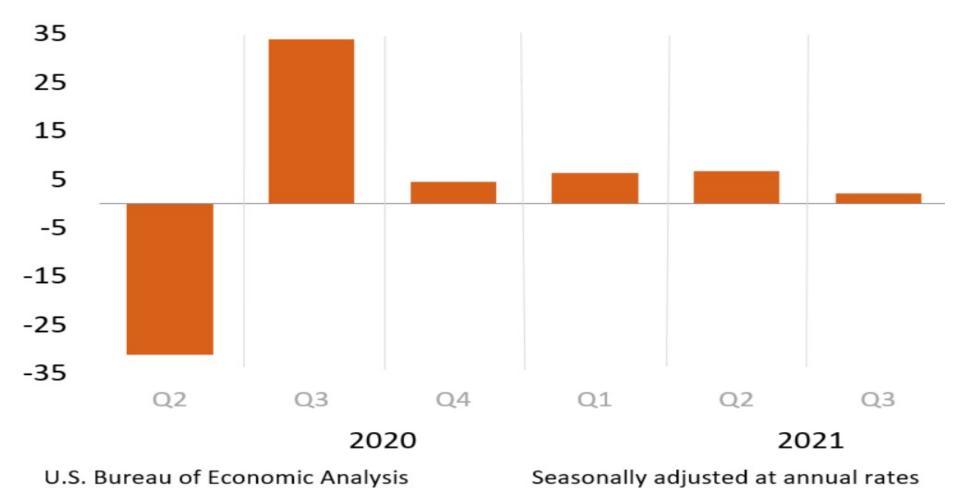


MACRO TRENDS

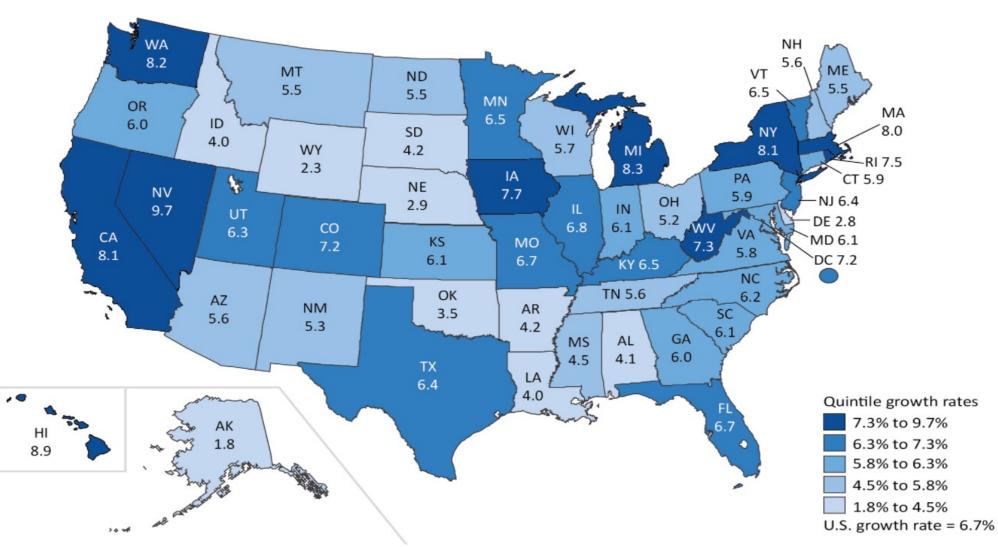
- Delta surge subsiding but continues to have impact
 - Areas with higher vaccine rates (like San Diego) fared better
- Supply chain issues are hurting productivity
- Increased costs in some categories are raising inflation concerns



Global Manufacturing Production Index



Real GDP: Percent change from preceding quarter



Real GDP: Percent Change at Annual Rate, 2021:Q1–2021:Q2



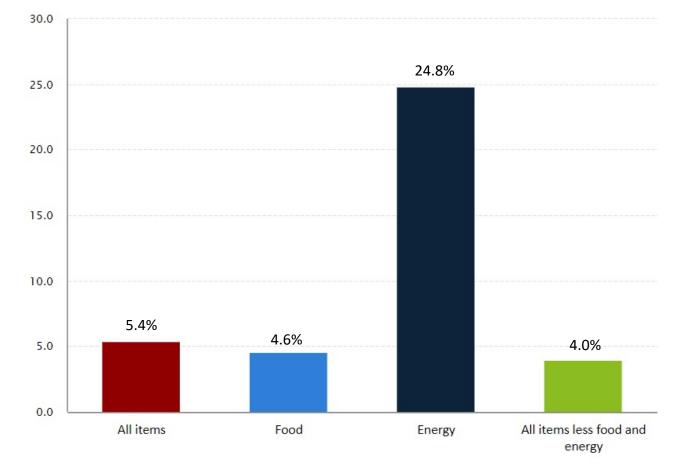




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Note: Shaded area represents recession, as determined by the National Bureau of Economic Research. Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.







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ECONOMIC RECOVERY

- Despite Delta surge, high vaccine rates and continued mitigations have blunted some impacts
- Most sectors are continuing in their recovery
- Innovation economy sectors, like life-sciences, tech, and manufacturing are continuing to expand





CARLSBAD ECONOMY

- Carlsbad's GRP was \$15.3 billion in 2020
- GRP did not grow between 2019 and 2020
- Certain industry clusters, like life sciences continue to do well

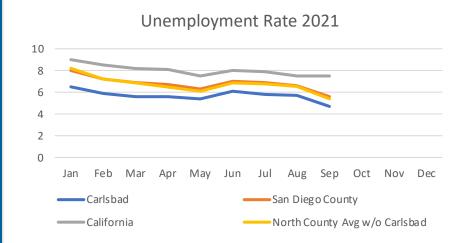


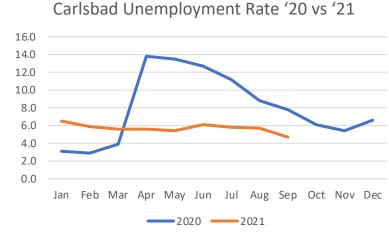




CARLSBAD UNEMPLOYMENT *September 2021*

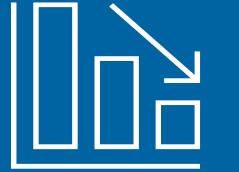
- California unemployment rate 7.5%
- County unemployment rate 5.6%
- Carlsbad unemployment rate 4.7%





CARLSBAD JOBS

- June through September saw 13,246 unique job postings
- Increase of 800 postings from previous quarter
- Six consecutive quarters of increased hiring demand
 - Manufacturing
 - Administrative Services
 - Professional, Scientific & Technical
- Median posting duration increased 13%
- Employers in Accommodation and Food Services continue noting trouble filling jobs



CARLSBAD TOURISM

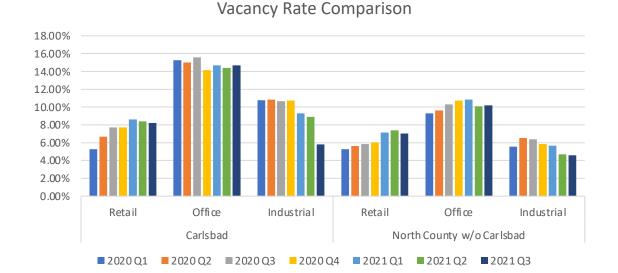
- Robust recovery for individual and family travel
- Peaked in the summer months (June August)
- Steeper than usual decline in the fall
- Room rates have surpassed 2019 levels





COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE

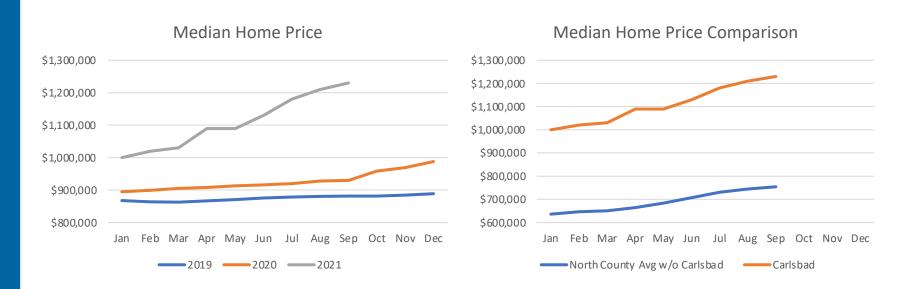
- Vacancy rates for industrial properties are 5.7%
- Vacancy rates for office properties are 14.7%
- Vacancy rates for retail properties are up to 8.2%





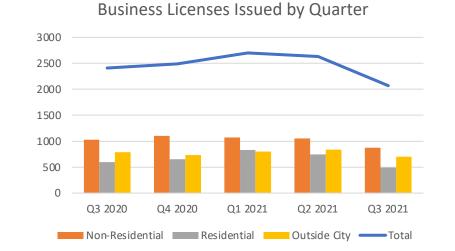


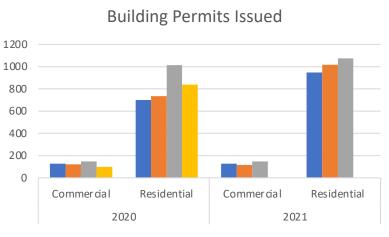
- Median home values now at \$1.23 million
- Median home values have risen 32% over the past year
- The continued rise in home values is partially attributed to constrained supply, low interest rates, and a strong demand in the region



NEW DEVELOPMENT & BUSINESS ACTIVITY

- Business licenses issued dropped in the last quarter
- Overall, fewer businesses lost during the pandemic than during the preceding 18-month period
- Home builder optimism is rising





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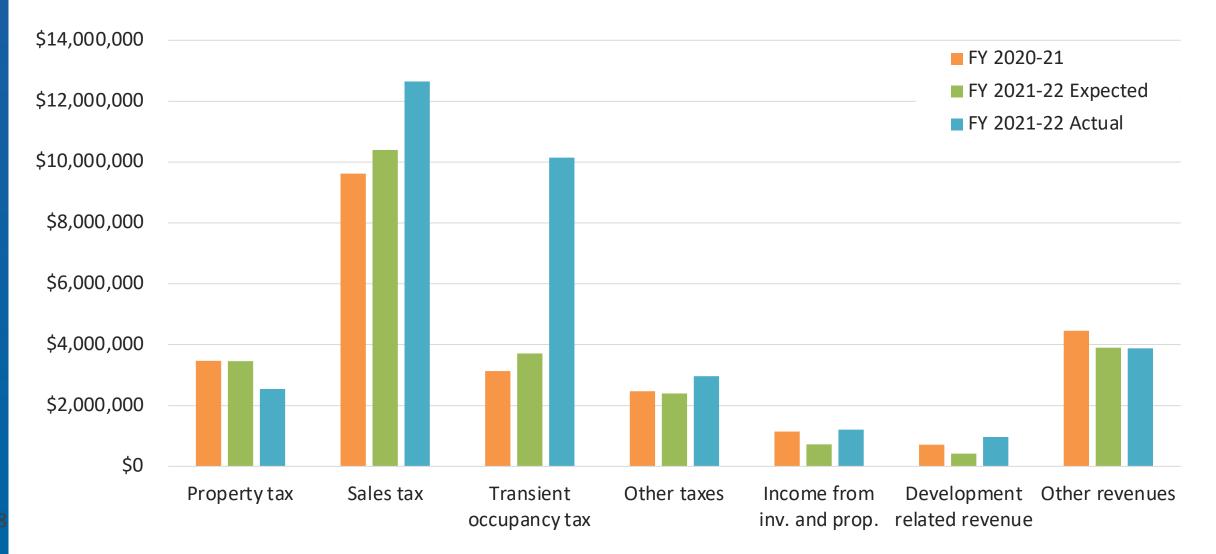
KEY TAKEAWAYS

- Carlsbad's diverse economy has proven resilient
- Innovation industries like life sciences and tech have excelled
- Some employers, especially small businesses and tourism continue to be impacted
- Supply chain issues hampering productivity
- Some concern over potential inflation



GENERAL FUND REVENUES

(first quarter of fy 2021-22)



GENERAL FUND REVENUES

(in millions)

Revenue category	Actual FY 2020-21	Actual FY 2021-22	\$ difference	% difference
Property tax	\$3.5	\$2.5	-\$0.9	-27%
Sales tax	9.6	12.7	3.0	31%
Transient occupancy tax	3.1	10.1	7.0	224%
Other taxes	2.5	3.0	0.5	20%
Income from inv. and property	1.1	1.2	0.1	5%
Development related revenue	0.7	1.0	0.3	36%
Other revenues	4.5	3.9	-0.6	-13%
Total	\$25.0	\$34.4	\$9.4	37%

PROPERTY TAX

- Majority of property taxes collected in Dec. and April
- Assessed values in Carlsbad increased by 3.14%
- Decrease in property tax revenue due to:
 - Timing differences
 - Receipts of prior year taxes
 - Aircraft taxes



SALES TAX

- Majority of receipts are from Q2 2021, the start of the pandemic rebound
- Key gains seen in amusement parks, automobile dealers, clothing stores, restaurants and traveler accommodations



TRANSIENT OCCUPANCY TAX

- Revenues to date represent June, July and August stays
- Increase of \$7 million or 224% compared to prior year
- Average occupancy during the last 12 months has been
 59% compared to 51% for the same period in the prior year
- The majority of TOT collected to date is from tourists versus group events



OTHER TAXES

- Business license tax revenues are up due to onetime payments of overdue renewals and penalties
- Franchise taxes are flat and the majority comes in April from SDG&E
- Transfer taxes are down due to the timing of receipts



INCOME FROM INVESTMENTS AND PROPERTY

- Revenue increased by 5% from Q1 of prior year
- Biggest driver: income from property and rentals
- Investment income continues decline
 - Yield of city's portfolio is 1.16% versus 1.55% in the prior year
 - Cash balance has increased, helping to offset decrease



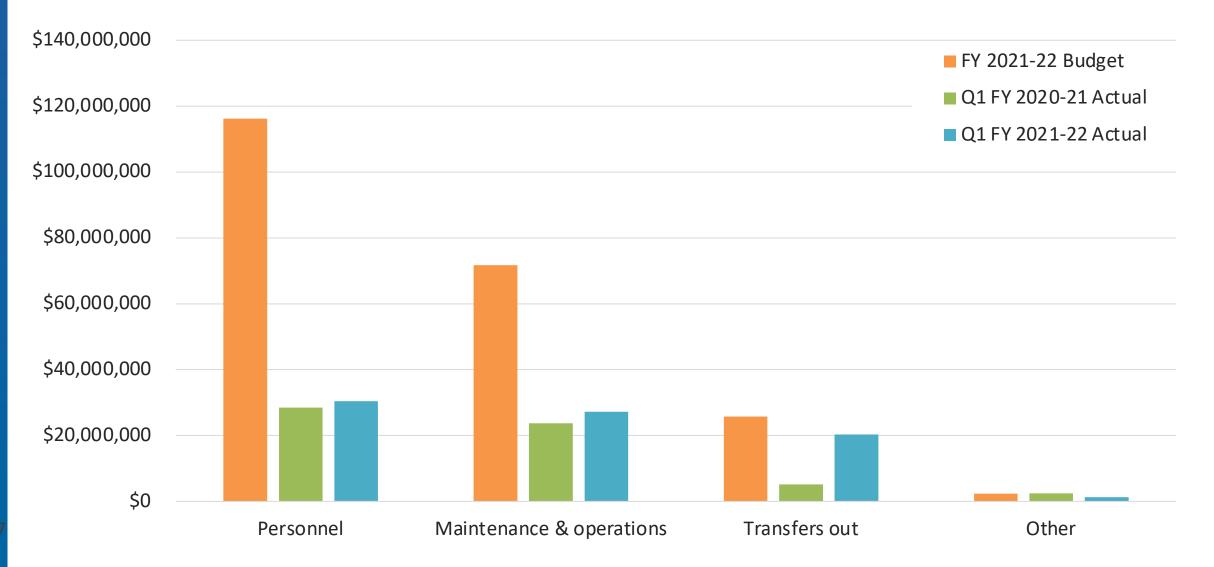
OTHER REVENUES

- Ambulance fees, fines and forfeitures, interdepartmental charges, recreation fees, reimbursements, and a variety of other revenues are included in other revenues
 - Other reimbursements decreased
 - Recreation fees continue to increase



GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES & ENCUMBRANCES

(first quarter of fy 2021-22)



WATER AND WASTEWATER

- Water revenues are up 0.3% and expenses are up 0.4%
- Wastewater revenues are up 8% and expenses are up 6%

(Compared to Q1 of the prior fiscal year)



GOLF COURSE

- Operating income +\$240,000 above expectations
- Driven by continued demand for golf and strong food & beverage sales



NEXT STEPS

- Monitor revenues and expenditures
- Publish economic and financial status reports: <u>carlsbadca.gov/doingbusiness</u> <u>carlsbadca.gov/departments/finance/financial-reports</u>
- Provide update to the City Council after conducting midyear review in early 2022

