CITIZENS' ADVISORY BUDGET COMMITTEE (CABC)

Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: May 2, 2023Time: 6:30PMLocation: Hybrid In-Person (AMC) and Teams Virtual MeetingNext Meeting: June 6, 2023Time: 6:30PMLocation: To be confirmed

MISSION STATEMENT: The mission of the Citizens' Advisory Budget Committee (CABC) is to study all phases of the budget of the City of Aurora and to make recommendations to City Council in regard to any and all budget matters.

The CABC accomplishes the mission by examining and evaluating needs and priorities as they relate to the budget and by making recommendations for action to the City Council.

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Name		Name		Name		Name
Mustafa Abdullah	A	Max Gimelshteyn	P	Michael Senich	P	COA Staff
Ericka Alfonso	Р	Debra Johnson	Р	JulieMarie Shepherd Macklin	Р	Greg Hays
Sunny Banka	Р	Danielle Lammon	Р	Janet Marlow	Р	Laura Perry
Tikneshia L. Beauford	E	Jim Mattson	Р	Katrice Traylor	A	Guests
Andris Berzins	Р	Omar Montgomery	E	Katrina Zerilli	Р	Brian Lewandowski
Marsha Berzins	Р	George Peck	P			Robert McNown
Reno Carollo	Р	David Rich	Р			Richard Wobbekind
Gretchen Dirks	Р	Jonathan Scott	P ⁺			

ATTENDANCE

Key: P=Present; P⁺ Present after roll call; E=Excused; A=Absent; R=Resigned; *New Member

HANDOUTS (Emailed to committee)

April Meeting Minutes (Sent April 28, 2023, via email) Map Meeting Agenda (Sent April 28, 2023, via email)

MEETING MINUTES

Chair Danielle Lammon called the meeting to order at 6:34pm	
Roll call was taken by and a quorum was established with 12 members present in-person and 4 members joining	
virtually.	
Chair Lammon introduced the May agenda for consideration.	
• With no changes or additions, the May agenda stands approved as presented.	
Deputy City Manager Laura Perry provided the Committee with an overview of the most current CIMP (capital improvement master plan) <i>see attachment</i>	
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a budget overview including discussion of macro/national economic trends, statewide implications, and details of the	
budget forecast. See attachment	
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• George Peck moved to adopt the March and April minutes as presented and the motion carried unanimously	
Greg Hays provided a brief monthly budget update:	
• This was another strong month – once again, beating inflation at 15.2% growth	
• Furniture, home furnishing, department stores, electronics all down – this is consistent with the last several	
months and likely to continue.	
Future meeting dates are listed on the agenda and the July budget workshop has been confirmed for 7/25 and 7/26 at	
5:30pm.	
With no further business, Chair Lammon adjourned the meeting at 8:40pm.	
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Capital Improvement Master Plan Update

CABC May Meeting May 2, 2023



Agenda

Recap of Winter/Spring Council Workshop and CIMP

Infrastructure Grant Opportunities

Capital Funding/Financing Next Steps

Arts and Entertainment Venue Study Update

Aurora's Capital Assets

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Assets the city owns and maintains

- More than 140 city facilities
- 99 developed parks
- 6 recreation centers
- 6 libraries
- 17 fire stations
- 3 police districts, 2 substations
- 4,313 lane miles
- 380 traffic signals
- 98 bridges/large box culverts



*Does not include Aurora Water assets



Annual and multi-year balancing of operating, capital and financial reserve demands with revenue performance is required.

To this end, the City will:

- Balance its budget every year.
- Use resources from taxpayers as efficiently and effectively as possible.
- Employ innovative ways to serve residents.
- Provide value in all programs and services we offer.
- Be good stewards of taxpayers' dollars.
- Pursue all existing financial options to address infrastructure priorities and offset the need for referring measures to voters.



City is taking a holistic approach to solve capital infrastructure funding needs. Included in our current toolbox:

- Annual Budget Capital Projects Fund
- Federal and State Grants
- Certificates of Participation (COP)
- Partnerships which offset costs, capitalize on economy of scale and create shared assets to benefit of the community
- Development Impact Fees

Recent Actions for Covering Our Infrastructure Needs



- New Transportation Maintenance Fund
- Residential streets paving in process
 - Funded via COP financing
- Pursuit of infrastructure grant funding
 - Successful DRCOG TIP application process
- Impact fees were increased in 2018-2020 to keep pace with the cost of construction
 - Transportation impact fees were not increased
- Recent policy directives push \$4.0 million in additional funds available to capital if available
 - General Fund Revenues appear to be coming in over projection and expenditures are close





Pursuit of capital grant funding opportunities with regular updates to City Council

Development of phase communications and public engagement plans

- Phase 1 COPS \$35M Roadway Maintenance Projects
- Phase 2 Education and public input on city needs and bonding as a solution

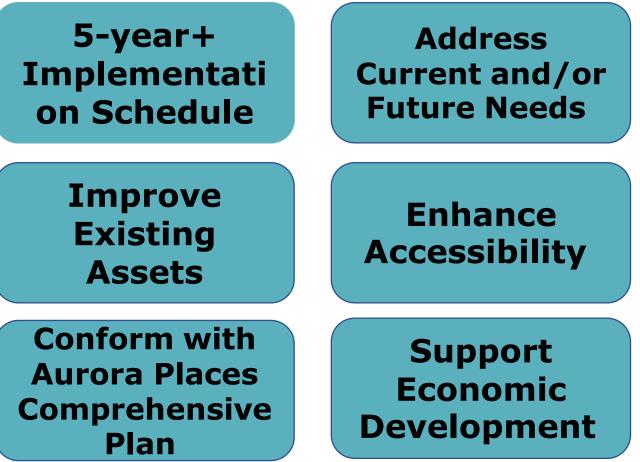
Develop plan for potential 2024 bond and associated financial options for Council's consideration.

CIMP Overview



Assessment of Capital Needs

- Draft capital plan summarizes city's prioritized infrastructure needs, from larger needs list, which address deferred maintenance, operational needs, and growing city
- Plan is iterative process to reflect Council priorities and community input
- Projects are classified into categories





CIMP

Revised Tiering of Projects Includes:

- Added third tier with tier 1 reflecting departments' top priorities
- Updated project costing which includes inflation/escalation
- Removed priority projects funded by ARPA and roadway maintenance

Project tiers are informed by:

- Inquiries presented by council and community
- Existing plans
- Geographic distribution
- Asset condition
- Initial feedback from poll completed December 2021
- Project status
- 5- to 7-year implementation feasibility

Total*: **\$711,844,300**

Tier 1:

\$189,689,000

Tier 2:

\$146,495,000

Tier 3:

\$375,660,300

*All project costs based on best available information in 2022 and subject to change.

Tier 1 Projects



Project	Ward	2024 Cost Estimate**	Project	Ward	2024 Cost Estimate**
Transportation		Parks, Recreation	and Op	en Space	
Peoria Bridge Reconstruction over Sand Creek*	Ward I	\$31,653,000	Park Renovations by Ward	Various	\$ 9,000,000
Gun Club Road Multimodal Gap			Libra	aries	
Project (Quincy to Aurora Parkway)*	Ward VI	\$29,858,000	Martin Luther King Jr. Library Renovations (Phase 2) ***	Ward I	\$ 2,886,000
Traffic Management Center (Fiber Optic Communications)*	Various	\$23,720,000	City Fa	cilities	
ADA compliance: Sidewalk gaps and/or Sidewalk Widening*	\$3m/Ward	\$18,000,000	City Facility ADA Improvements	Various	TBD
Public Safet	y Facilities		Tier 1 Total \$ 189	,689,000	(plus TBD)
Fire Station 8 Replacement	Ward III	\$21,105,000		\wedge	
New Police Evidence Storage Warehouse	TBD	\$53,467,000	Deferre	d roadw	
			maintena		

*Projects eligible for state or federal grant funding

All project costs based on best available information in 2022 and subject to change. * Net Portion covered by Congressional Earmark

Tier 2 Projects



Project	Ward	2024 Cost Estimate**	Project	Ward	2024 Cost Estimate**	
Transportation		Parks, Recreation and Open Space				
Bridge Widening: Alameda Over I-225*	Ward III	\$34,776,000	Utah Pool/Rec Center	Ward IV	\$46,282,000	
Public Safety	Facilitie	es	Beck Pool - Aquatics Renovation/Repair	Ward II	\$33,556,000	
Station 4 Property Acquisition	Ward IV	\$4,356,000	Librar	ies		
District Police Building Improvements	Various	\$10,000,000	Central Library Renovations	Ward III	\$17,525,000	
			Tier 2 Tota	I \$164	,495,000	

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Tier 3 Projects



Project	Ward	2024 Cost Estimate**		
Transpor	tation			
Arterial Construction: Tower 6th to Colfax*	Ward II	\$39,899,000		
Buckley Over Toll Gate Creek*	Ward V	\$31,781,000		
Quincy - Gun Club to Powhaton*	Ward VI	\$14,503,800***		
ADA compliance: Arterial Sidewalks*	Various	\$6,600,000		
Grade Separated Crossing of Rail Tracks Chambers North of Smith*	Wards I/II	\$61,957,000		
DRCOG TIP Grant Implementation- Havana Corridor*	Wards III/IV	\$8,500,000		
Public Sa	afety			
City of Aurora Public Safety Training Center (CAPSTC) Phase II Expansion	Ward VI	\$47,806,000		
Station 4 Replacement	Ward IV	\$15,660,000		
City Facilities				

New Animal Shelter Satellite Facility	Ward VI	\$24,898,400
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Project	Ward	2024 Cost Estimate**	
Parks, Recreation	n and Open	Space	
Court/Pickle Ball Special Use Park (Quincy and Buckley)	Ward V?	\$17,245,000	
Signature Park (Phase 1) (Alameda and Airport)	Ward II	\$50,000,000	
Aurora Reservoir Improvements	Ward VI	\$20,257,000	
Libr	aries		
Northeast Library	Ward II	\$27,124,400	
Mission Viejo Library Renovations	Ward V	\$4,042,700	
Tallyn's Reach Library Renovations	Ward VI	\$5,386,000	
Tier 3 Total	\$ 375,660	,300	

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*****Reflects city share of 50%. Arapahoe County responsible for remainder**



Construction Market Conditions

Front Range continues to experience increases in construction costs due to commodity pricing uncertainty, fuel surcharges, equipment lead times, construction volume, and labor market challenges.



Source: Turner Construction Market Conditions Colorado Q3 2022



Infrastructure Grant Opportunities

Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act

- Nov. 15, 2021: President Biden signed bipartisan "Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act" (H.R. 3684) to invest in nation's infrastructure (roads and bridges, transit, rail, energy, sustainability, water and broadband, among other priorities)
- Legislation provides \$1.2 trillion total spending over 5 years (including \$550 billion new spending, with several authorizing bills)
 - Bill consists of formula and competitive grant programs.
- Regional coordination and partnerships highly encouraged.
- HDR hired to support the city in reviewing NOFOs, project criteria, and grant writing to position projects for success.



Grant Strategy Development: Key Players

City Council Priorities



Infrastructure Grant Consultant (HDR)

Evaluation of IIJA federal funding programs (alignment criteria)
Objective review of project candidates (technical and financial)
Grant writing assistance

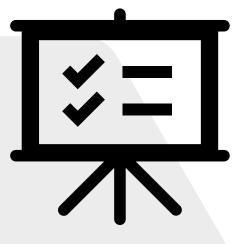
City Departments IIJA Grant Strategy Development and Recommendation Federal Lobbyist (Holland & Knight)

- Monitors federal legislation for funding opportunities
- Policy and strategic advice for city engagement
- Grant advocacy

Infrastructure Grant Evaluation Objectives



- Capital Improvement Master Plan as guiding document
- Pursue grant funding for projects best positioned for federal funding identified through objective analysis
 - Federalization pros and cons
 - Status of project development (i.e., design, environmental, etc.)
 - Administrative burden
- Local and regional partnership opportunities
- Understand local match requirements to make projects more competitive to inform financial planning
- Optimize window of opportunity exhaust all tools available to fund our growing infrastructure needs



Grant Evaluation: Grant and Project Eligibility



IIJA Funding Categories

• \$550 billion in new investments available nationwide over five years

 Federal Agency Grant Opportunities
 (Formula and Competitive)
 Over 400 funding opportunities evaluated
 37 city eligible competitive grants
 Majority transportation
 CIMP Project Candidates Applicability

Overall IIJA Grant Evaluation: Strongest Transportation Project Candidates

Project	Most Suited Funding Opportunity	2024 Cost Estimate	Local Match Requirement Range
Peoria Bridge Reconstruction over Sand Creek	Bridge Investment Program (small bridge award)	\$31.7M*	\$6 million - \$15 million
Montview Complete Streets (partnership project)	RAISE	\$34.9M	\$7 million - \$17.5 million
Havana Street Corridor	Neighborhood Access & Equity Grants	\$8.5M	\$1.7 million (No match requirement in a disadvantaged community; 20% competitiveness)
ADA Compliance: Sidewalk gaps and/or widening	Neighborhood Access & Equity Grants	\$24.6M	Depends on specific project definition
Bridge Replacement with Multimodal Improvements: Alameda over I-225	Bridge Investment Program (small bridge award)	\$34.78M	\$7 million - \$17 million (Potential CDOT partnership)
Gun Club Road Multimodal Gap Project (Quincy to Aurora Parkway)	RAISE	\$34M	\$7 million - \$17 million (Potential SARIA & Arapahoe County partnership)
	Total	\$168.48M	\$26.7 million - \$75.7 million

*2024 cost estimate includes scope for projects awarded DRCOG funding in recent cycles. Local match estimates may be less.



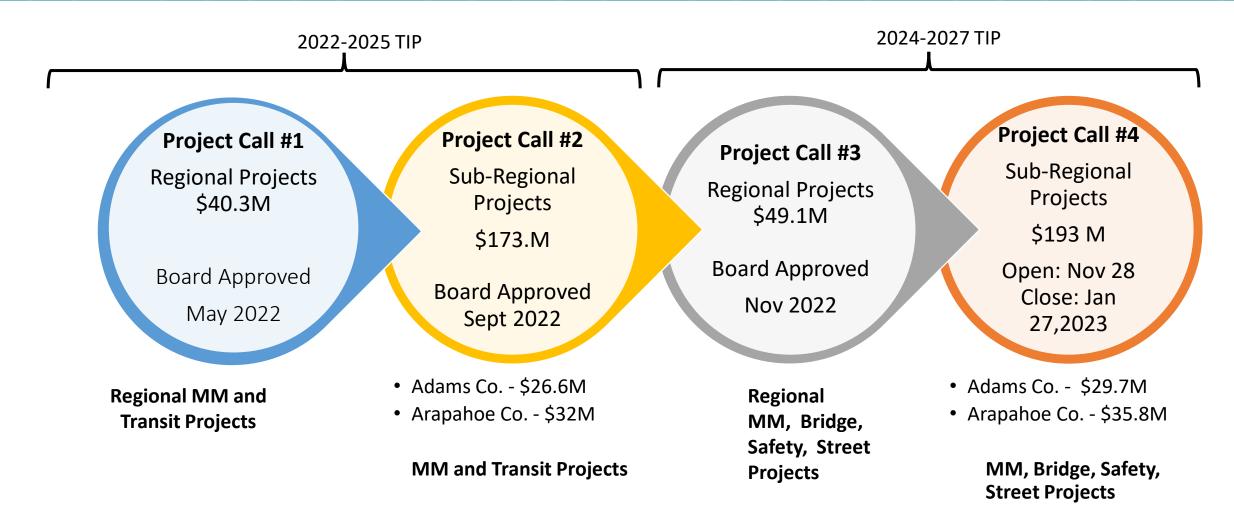
The 2023 budget set forth a plan to earmark funds annually to support opportunities to leverage grant funding for eligible and prioritized infrastructure needs.

	2023 Adopted	2024 Projected	2025 Projected	2026 Projected	2027 Projected	Total Amount Leveraged
CPF Planned	\$9,090,000	\$11,090,000	\$13,850,000	\$14,470,000	\$22,560,000	
DRCOG Awarded	(\$640,000)	(\$1,250,000)	(\$1,803,000)	\$0	\$0	\$14.2M
DRCOG Pending	\$0	(\$375,000)	(\$875,000)	(\$500,000)	(\$160,000)	\$18.35M**
Cumulative Allocation	(\$640,000)	(\$2,265,000)	(\$4,943,000)	(\$5,443,000)	(\$5,603,000)	\$32.55M
Cumulative Unallocated Remainder	\$8,450,000	\$8,825,000	\$8,907,000	\$9,027,000	\$16,957,000	

**Includes \$2.95M in partner matching funds

Project Development Efforts: DRCOG FY2022-2027 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)





Project Development Efforts DRCOG TIP 2022-2027 Application Successes to Date



Successful TIP Funding Awards (Project Calls 1-3)

- Citywide Multimodal Transportation Master Plan
- Sidewalk Multimodal Access Improvements (Final Design and Construction)
- Smith Road Bicycle/Pedestrian Multi-use Path between Peoria Station and Powhaton (NEPA and Final Design)
- Peoria Bridge over Sand Creek Replacement & multimodal improvements (NEPA and Final Design)

Pending TIP Funding Applications for Project Call 4

- 13th Avenue Multimodal Improvements (*NEPA and Design*)
- Alameda Bridge Over I-225 Enhanced Bridge Replacement (NEPA and Final Design)
- Gun Club Road Quincy to Aurora Parkway (*NEPA and Final Design*)
- Citywide Safety Action Plan (Partnership Adams County Submittal)
- High Line Canal Trail Underpass (Partnership Arapahoe and Adams County Submittal) (NEPA, Design and Construction Option)

Infrastructure Grant Opportunities Recommendation and Next Steps





 Focus IIJA grant application efforts on strongest transportation project candidates determined by grant/project evaluation, as presented.



•	Continue evaluation of digital access and climate/resiliency needs
	and funding opportunities.

Evaluate city financial capacity for local match funding



- Prioritize projects for grant applications for review by City Council (additional project phasing/scope refinement may be needed).
- Assess investment needed to make candidate projects more shovel ready/worthy



Continue pursuit of other project funding partnerships

Infrastructure Funding Next Steps



"Debt Fund" Creation Analysis (Sponsored by CM Zvonek)

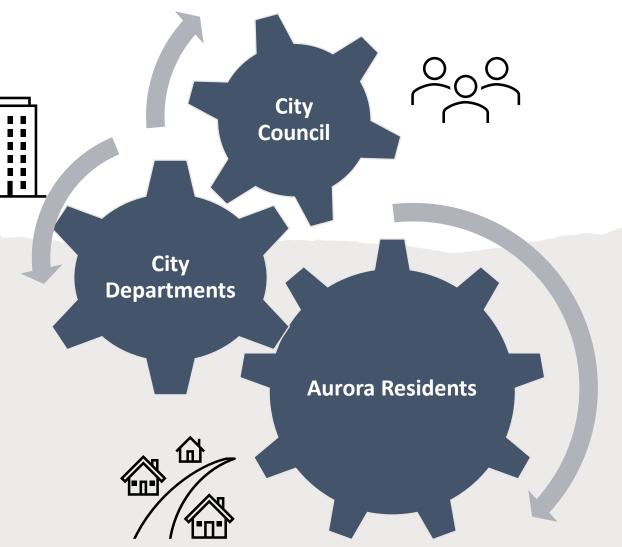
- Evaluating adding of ongoing funds to "Debt Fund" over time annually based on affordability
 - Dedication of future retired debt financial capacity
 - Will take fiscal restraint and prioritization
 - Will not cover all the needs, but is a positive step

• Next Step

- Staff to analyze possible ongoing financial options to support a future bond initiative and present options to M&F Policy Committee
- Pursuit of State and Federal grant opportunities

Capital Planning Inputs





Core Tenets of Capital Planning Process:

- 1. Project technical evaluation (scope, schedule, cost)
- 2. Build upon and leverage prior outreach and capital planning processes
- 3. Stakeholder engagement City Council, residents, and departments
- 4. Communication

Build Up Aurora Outreach

- ✓ Launched Build Up Aurora Engage Aurora webpage
- $\checkmark\,$ Produced, distributed posted fact sheets
 - ✓ Fiscal Responsibility & Stewardship, Funding Citywide Infrastructure Projects and Street Rehabilitation Treatments)
- $\checkmark\,$ Provided program intro at council town meetings
- $\checkmark\,$ Posted ongoing social media on BUA program and city's fiscal responsibility
- ✓ Promoted program in city newsletters
- ✓ Hosted kick-off media event (Denver 7, CBS4, KDVR, Denver Gazette, Sentinel Colorado and KOA coverage)
- ✓ Began building neighborhood champion relationships
- ✓ Project tracker website launching soon
- $\checkmark~$ Additional tactics in planning stages
 - ✓ Neighborhood/HOA meetings, ongoing news placements, social media posts, FAQ, web and polling updates)





Arts and Entertainment Venue Study Update



Alignment Phase

- Aligned goals and vision
- Needs identification
- Types of venues, audiences it would serve
- Comparable venues
- Definition of envisioned infrastructure
- Includes initial stakeholder input

Feasibility Analysis (2023-2024)

- Market analysis
- Economic impact
- Funding and financing analysis
- Site analysis
- Business plan
- Community engagement
- "Right Sizing"

• City Council



Arts and Entertainment Venue Study Update



Process to Date

- Market demographics review
 - Demand and spending potential
 - Venue and programming inventory (225 – 4,000 targeted)
- City Council Study Session (March 2023)
- Colorado non-profit/municipal venue operator expert panel
- Stakeholder workshop
- Stakeholder alignment session



1. Two important cultural, arts, and entertainment needs for Aurora today

Current arts and culture infrastructure needs – cultural equity across all wards

Larger entertainment and events facility (2,000 – 3,000 capacity range)

2. Brand presence and experience for Aurora (large venue as focus)

"Finally bring Aurora out of Denver's shadow"

Community pride and gathering

Tourism and destination appeal

Combine entertainment and events WITH sports and recreation

Economic engine



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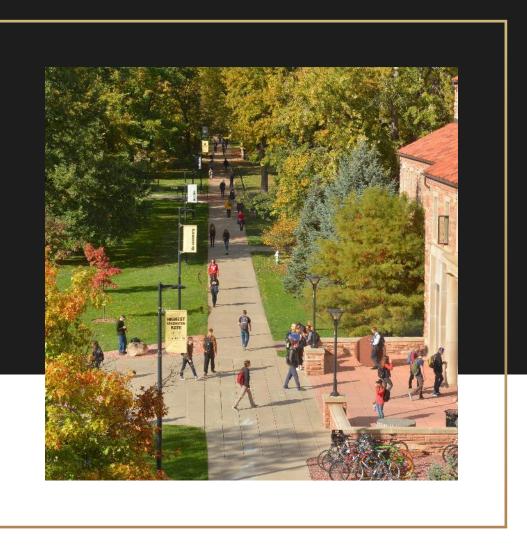
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Economic Outlook and Revenue Discussion Aurora Citizens' Advisory Budget Committee



Robert McNown Richard Wobbekind Brian Lewandowski Adam Illig Business Research Division University of Colorado Boulder

National Economy Mixed Signals

- GDP growth softened in Q1
 - Employment and income up
- ISM slipping
 - Confidence mixed
- Consumption up



- Interest rates expected to move higher
- Business confidence mixed



Debt recording strong growth

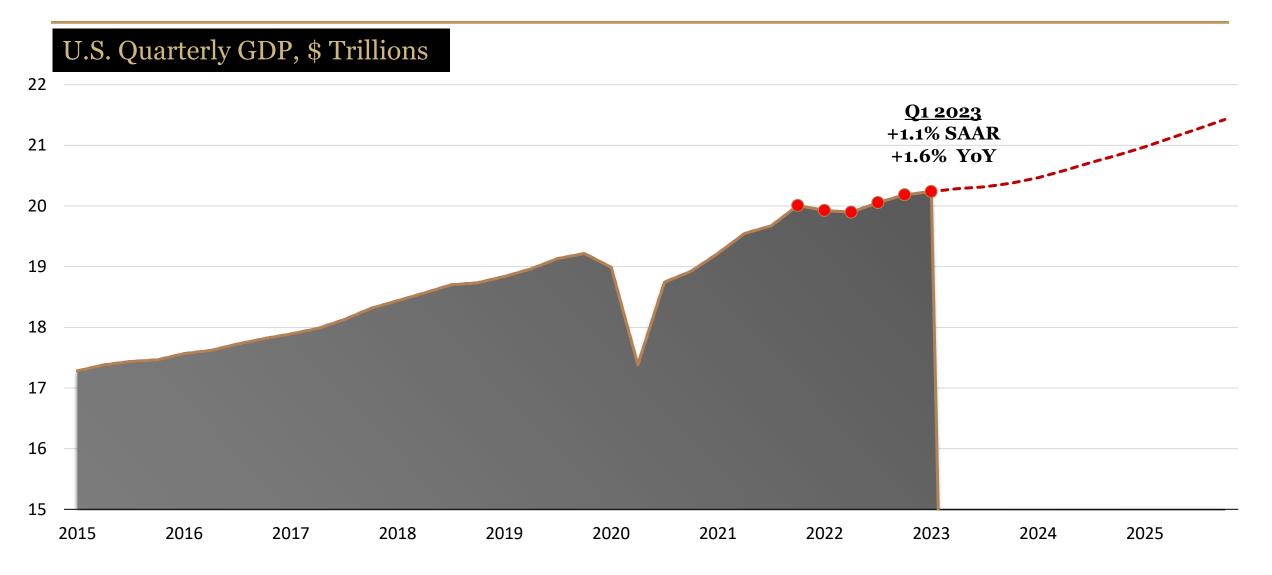








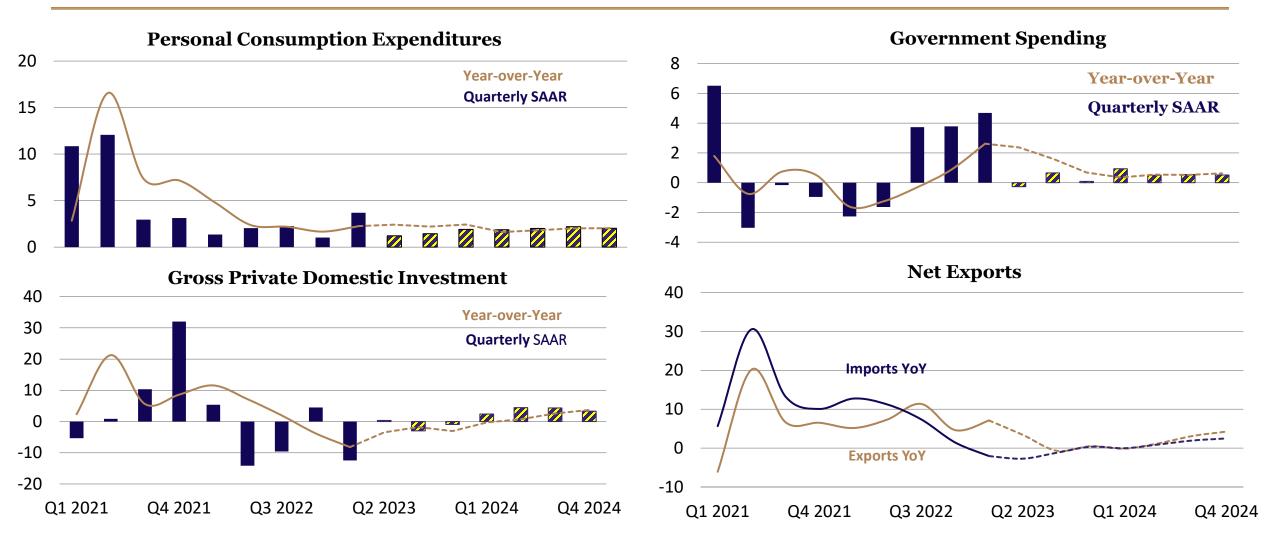
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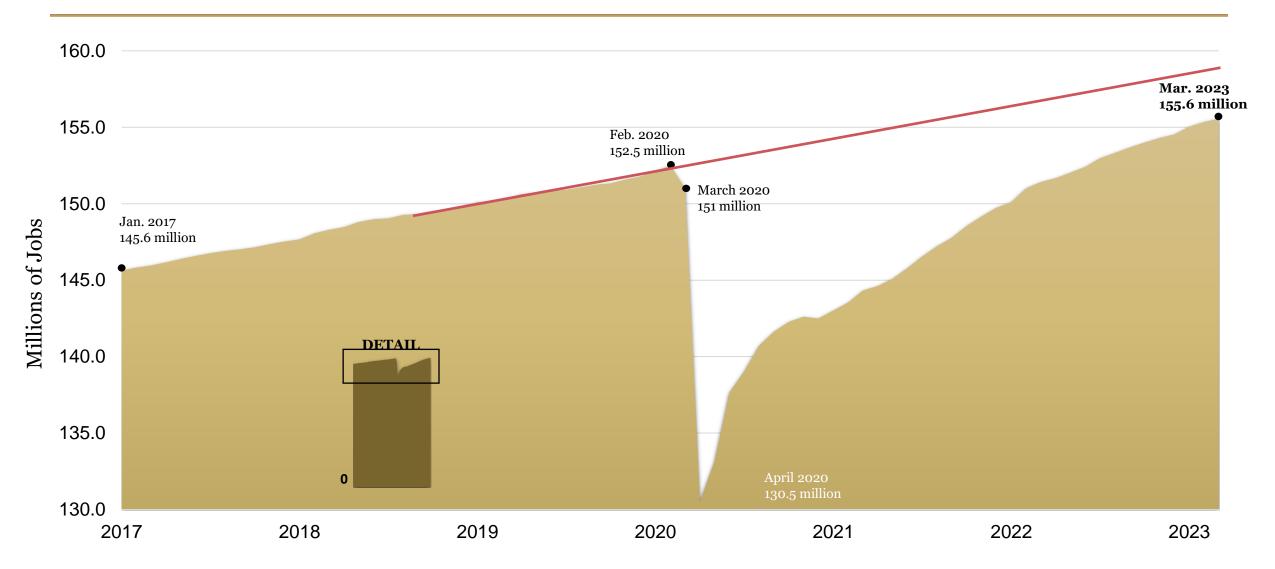
Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis and Moody's Analytics.

Economic Growth: C+I+G+X



Sources: Bureau of Economic Analysis, Moody's Analytics, and Consensus Forecasts

U.S Nonfarm Employment





Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, CES (Seasonally Adjusted).

Inflation

Consumer Price Index, Percent Change Year-Over-Year

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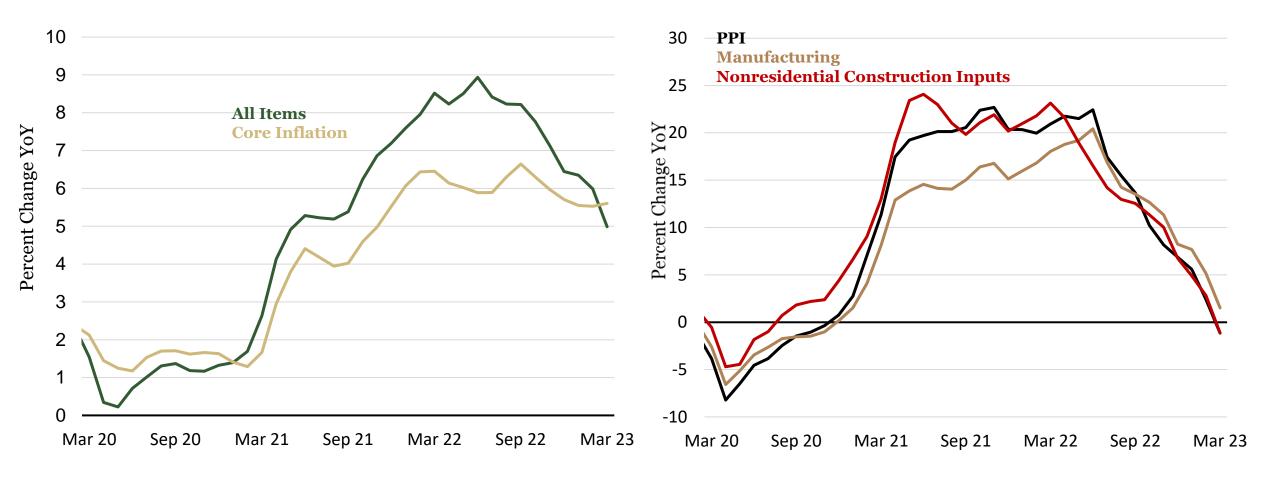
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Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics. U.S., Denver region and Mountain data through March.

Inflation

Consumer Price Index

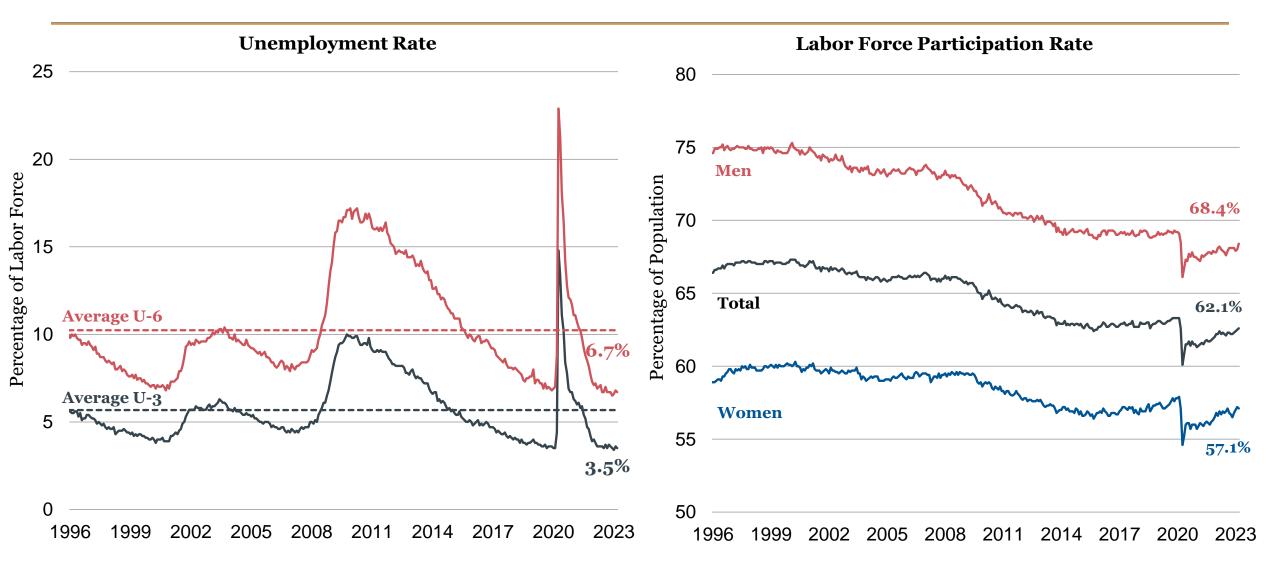
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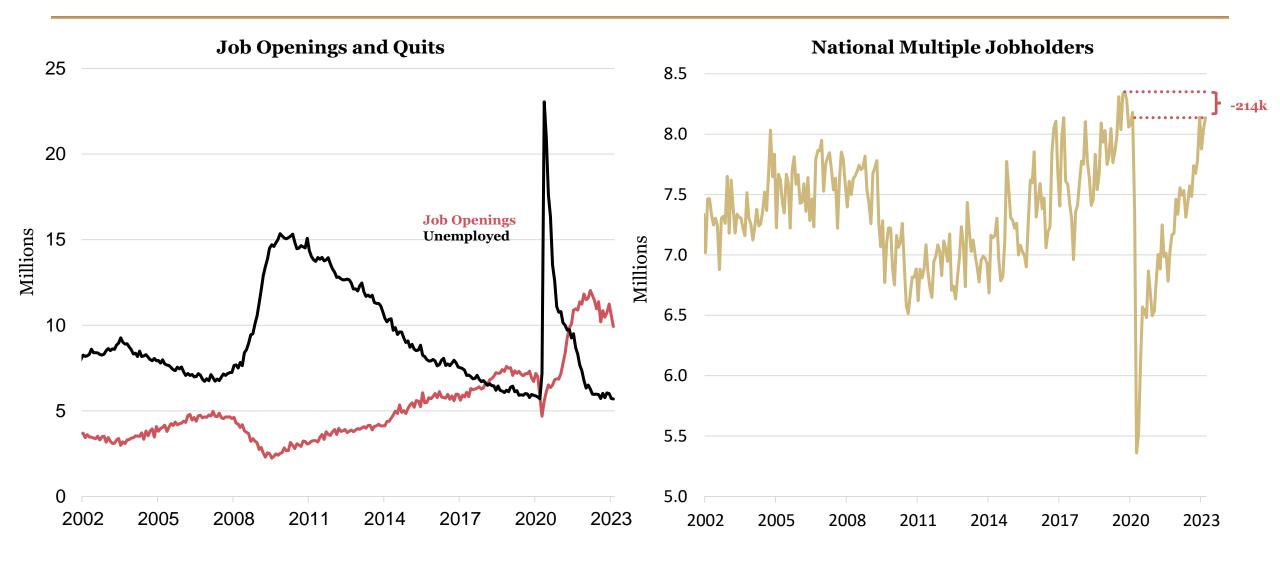
Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics. CPI Seasonally Adjusted, PPI Not Seasonally Adjusted.

Labor Underutilization and Participation





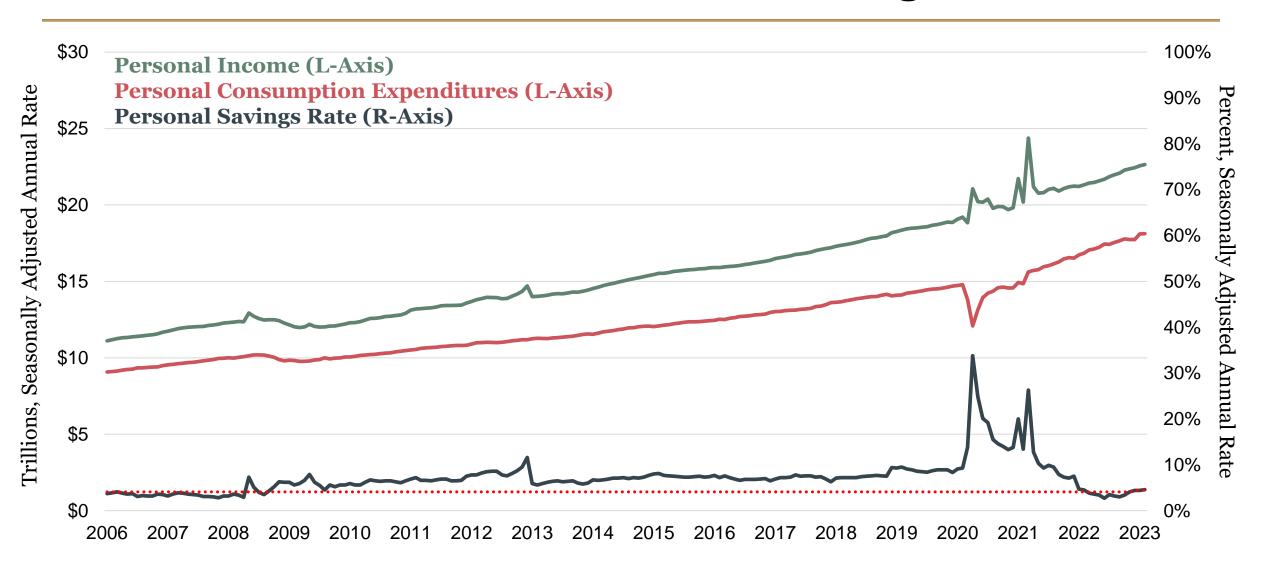
Labor Shortage



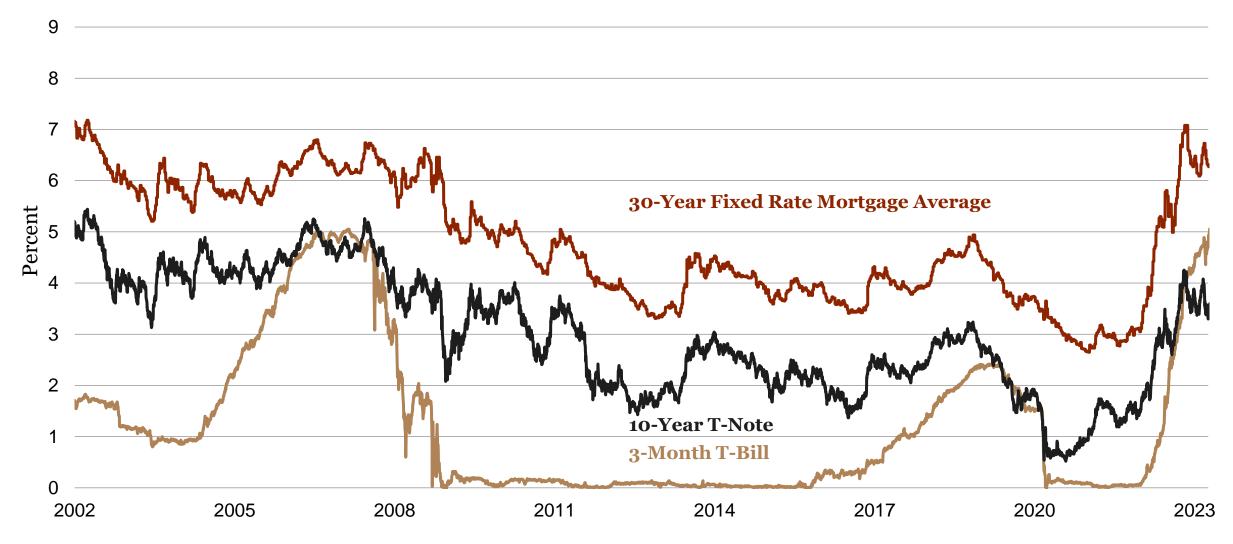


Sources: Bureau of Labor Statistics, JOLTS, and the Current Population Survey (NSA) .

Personal Income and Savings



Interest Rates





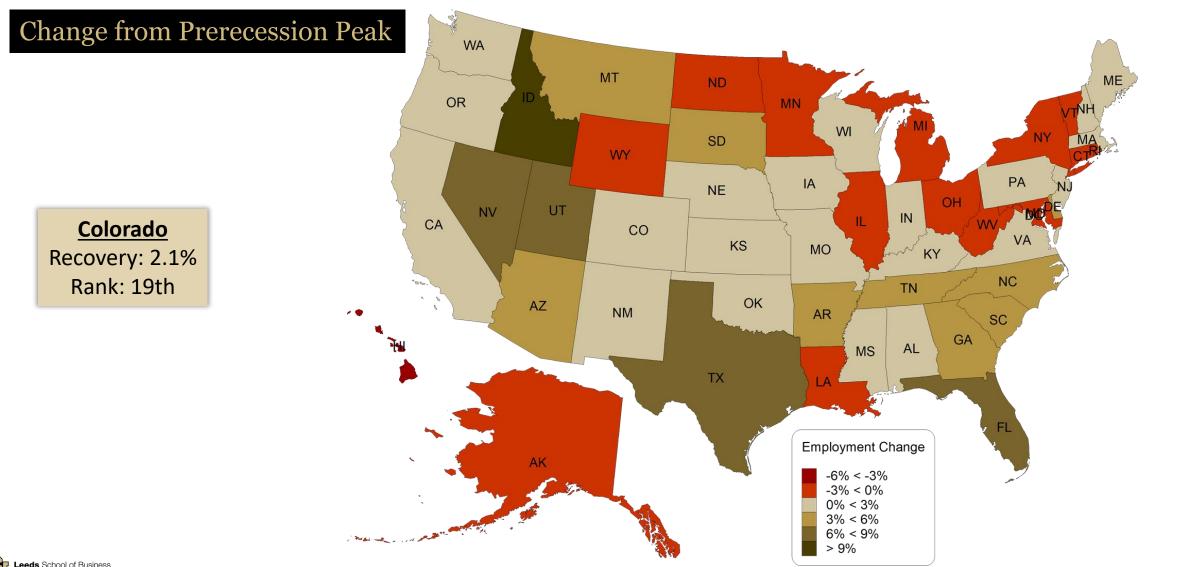
Sources: Federal Reserve, Freddie Mac, and Moody's Analytics.

Colorado Rank Among Other States

	1-Year Cha	ange/	
Metric	Current I	Level	1-Year Rank
Real GDP Growth	1-Year Change	1.7%	8
Employment Growth	1-Year Change	1.2%	49
Population Growth	1-Year Change	0.5%	19
Personal Income Growth	1-Year Change	5.9%	27
PCPI Growth	1-Year Change	5.3%	28
PCPI	Current Level	\$75,206	8
Average Hourly Wage % Growth	1-Year Change	5.0%	18
Average Annual Pay % Growth	1-Year Change	8.1%	11
Average Annual Pay	Current Level	\$72,076	8
Unemployment Rate	Current Level	2.8%	15
Labor Force % Growth	1-Year Change	0.7%	18
LFPR	Current Level	68.5%	4
FHFA Home Price Index Growth	1-Year Change	9.0%	39



Employment Recovery



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Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics (Seasonally Adjusted), as of March 2023.

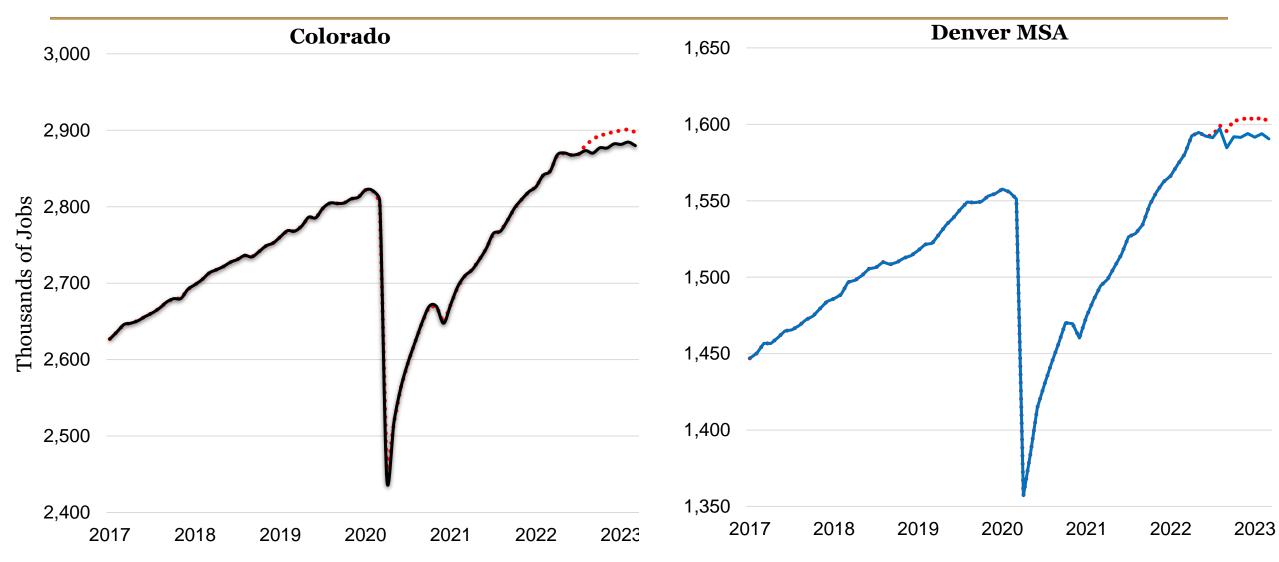
Employment Growth

Year-over-Year WA MT ND ME ID OR MN WI NY SD WY PA NE OH UT NV IN IL. CA CO **Colorado** VA KS MO KY Rate: 1.2% NC ΤN Rank: 49th OK ΑZ NM AR SC GA AL ΤХ IA Employment Change -2% < -1% -1% < 0% 0% < 1% 1% < 2% 2% < 3% > 3%



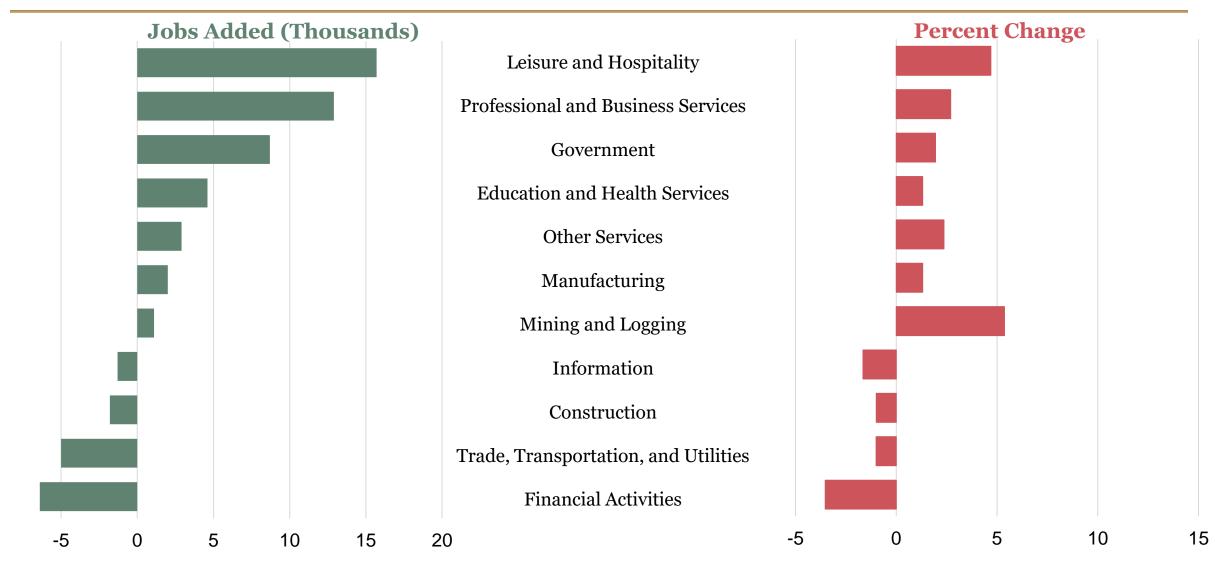
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Colorado and Denver MSA Employment





CO Employment Change, March Year-Over-Year

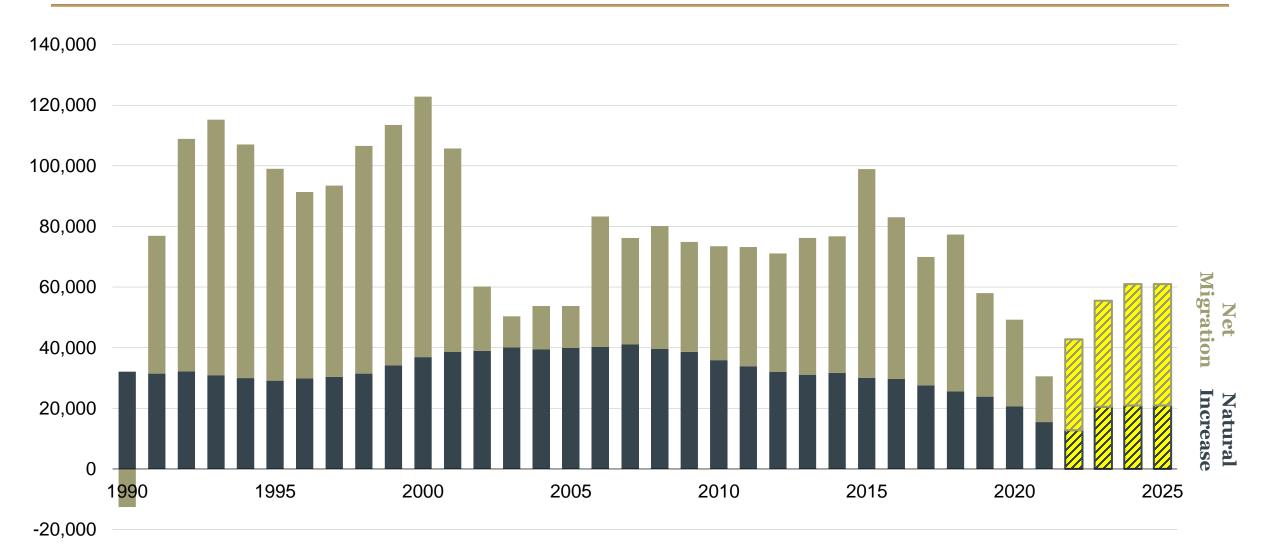


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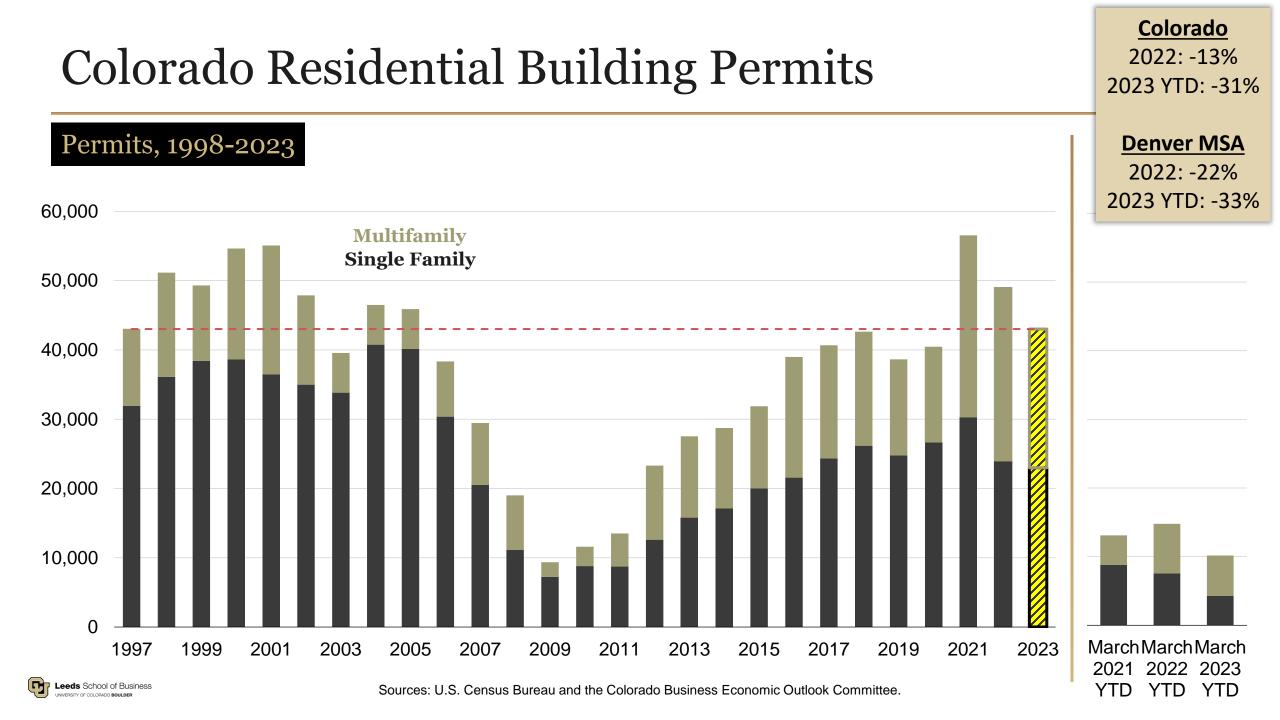
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Colorado Change in Population

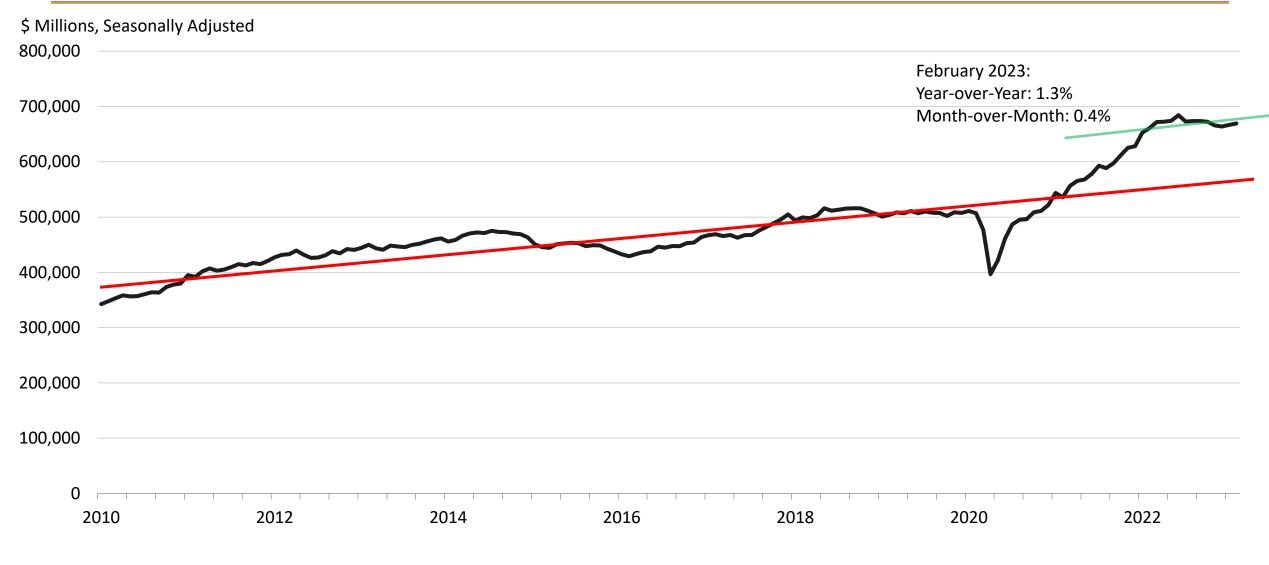


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Sources: Colorado Demography Office, U.S. Census Bureau, and the Business Research Division.



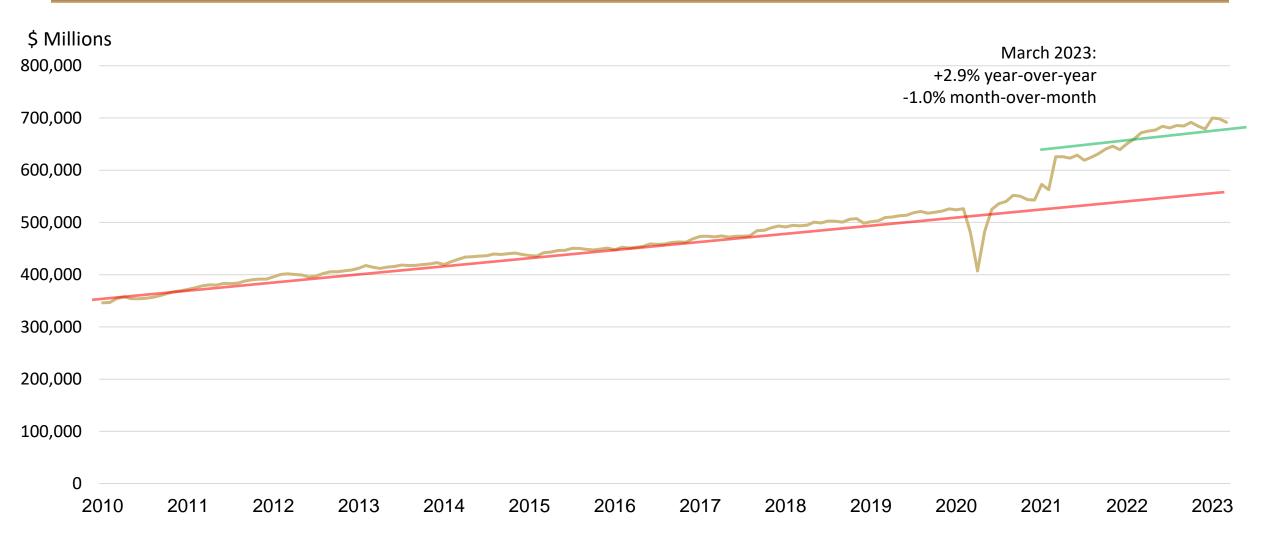
Wholesale Distribution Revenue





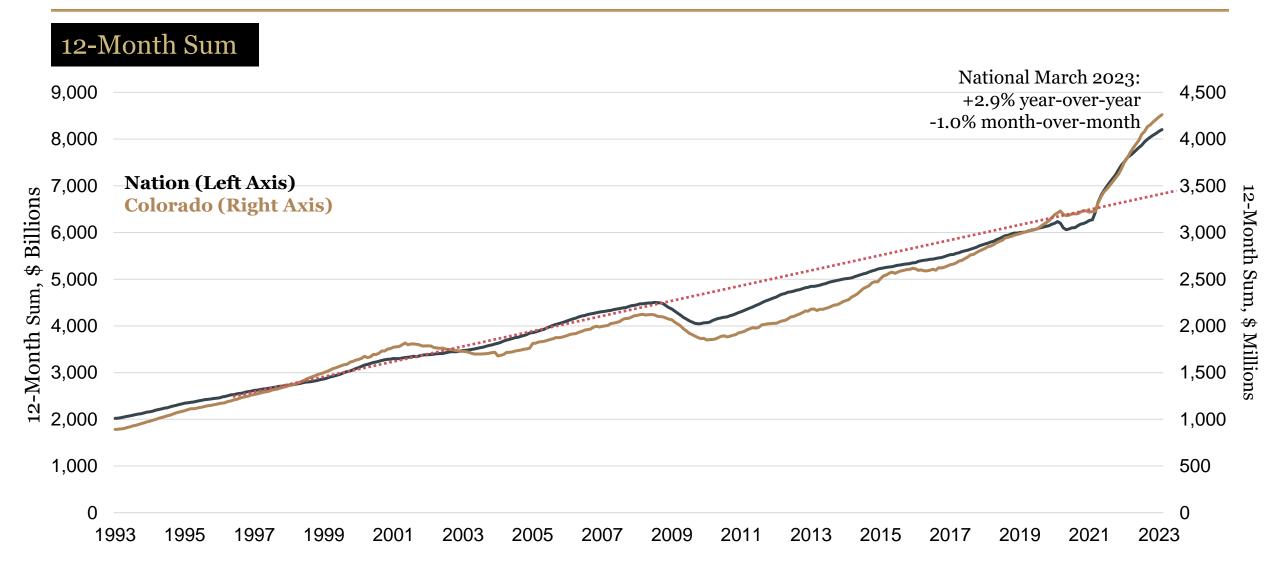
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Monthly Wholesale Trade; MDM Wholesale Distribution Economic Trends Report.

National Retail and Food Services Sales



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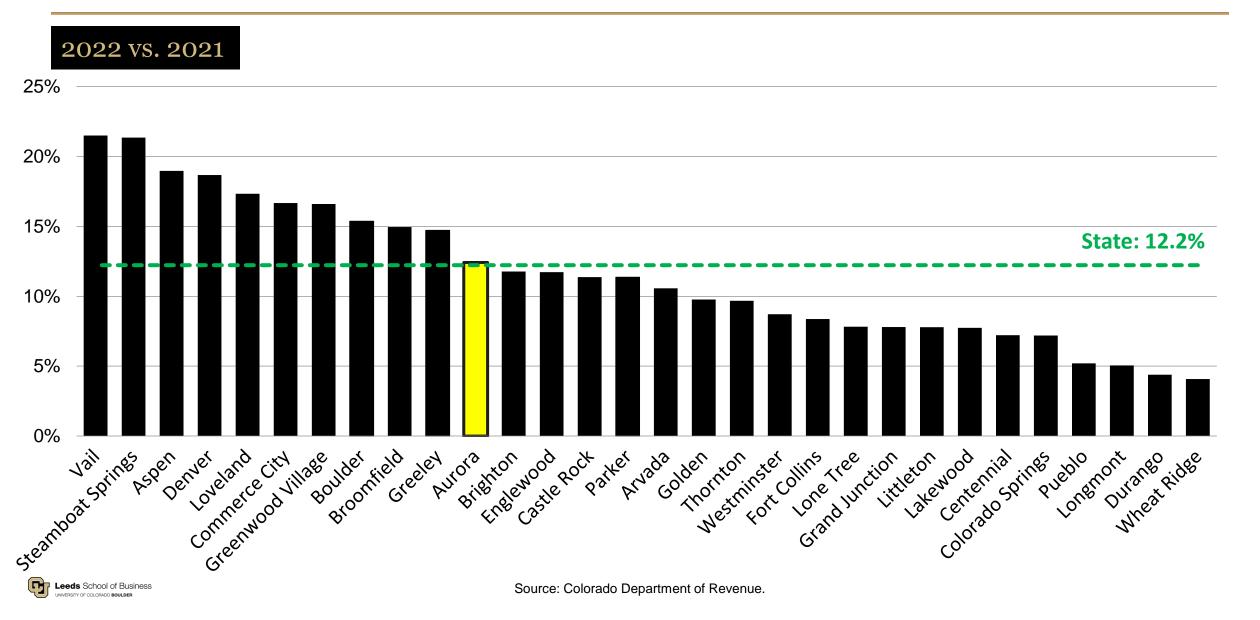
National Retail Sales vs. Colorado Sales Taxes





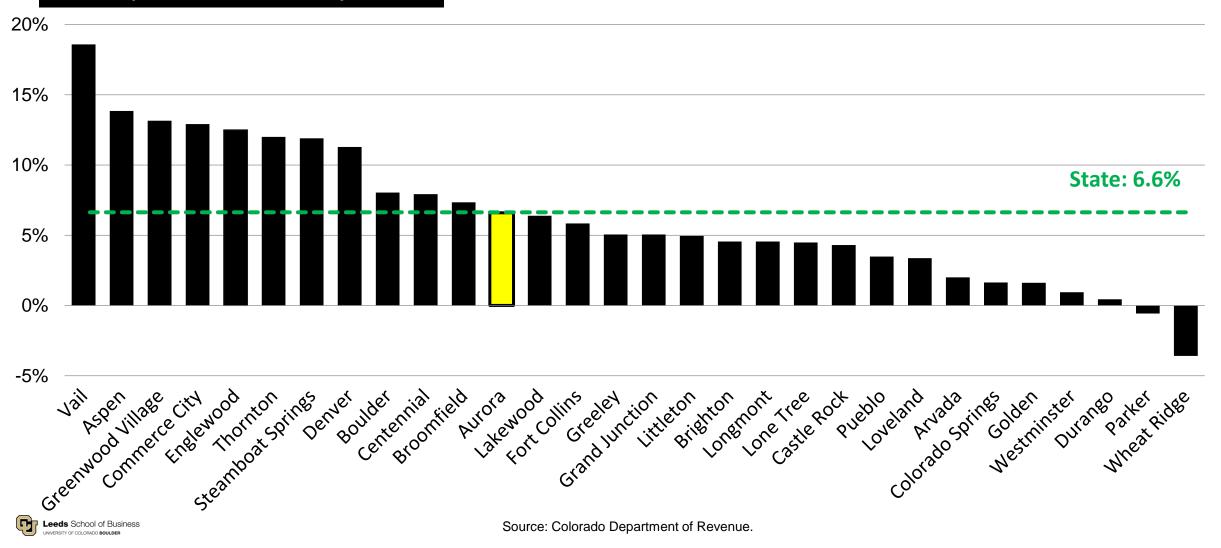
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Taxable Sales Growth – 30 Largest City Collections

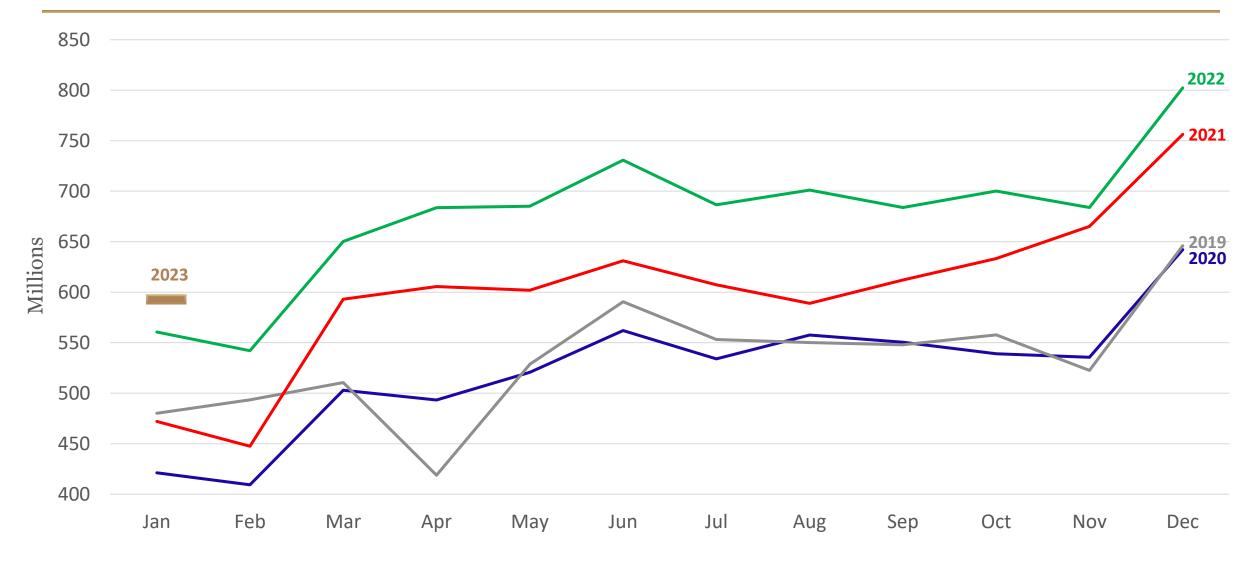


Taxable Sales Growth – 30 Largest City Collections

January 2023 vs. January 2022



State Taxable Sales: Aurora





City of Aurora Forecast

National Colorado Economy Colorado Long Aurora Long Aurora Aurora Aurora Use Tax Sales Tax Revenue Revenue

Data and Sources

Bureau of Economic Analysis (e.g., personal income, GDP) Bureau of Labor Statistics (e.g., employment, wages) U.S. Census Bureau (e.g., retail sales, population) Colorado State Demography Office (population, migration, age) Moody's Analytics (macroeconomic variables forecast) Colorado Department of Revenue (sales taxes) Office of the State Controller (taxes) City of Aurora (sales, use, property taxes)



Baseline U.S. Economy

Percent Change, Year-over-Year

YEAR	PERSONAL INCOME	RETAIL TRADE	REAL GDP	EMPLOYMENT	VEHICLE SALES	NONRESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION	CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
2018	5.0	4.4	2.9	1.6	1.4	4.6	2.4
2019	5.1	3.1	2.3	1.3	2.7	8.8	1.8
2020	6.7	0.6	-2.8	-5.8	-2.4	2.2	1.3
2021	7.4	19.8	5.9	2.9	22.7	-3.6	4.7
2022	24	97	21	43	33	73	8.0
2023	5.4	3.6	1.9	1.9	3.7	12.3	4.1
2024	4.9	2.8	1.9	0.4	6.2	2.9	2.4
2025	4.4	3.5	2.7	0.6	6.0	2.0	2.1
2026	4.5	3.3	2.6	0.3	4.4	4.1	2.0
2027	4.3	3.2	2.4	0.4	2.8	5.3	2.0
2028	4.2	3.3	2.4	0.5	2.7	5.4	2.1



Note: Baseline Forecast uses Moody's Baseline Scenario.

Baseline Colorado Economy

Percent Change, Year-over-Year

YEAR	PERSONAL INCOME	RETAIL TRADE	EMPLOYMENT	RES. PERMIT VALUE	NONRESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION	CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
2018	7.3	6.1	2.5	15.0	32.5	2.7
2019	7.4	3.4	2.3	-3.8	-36.7	1.9
2020	6.1	4.9	-4.9	13.6	8.3	2.0
2021	8.7	17.0	3.7	25.1	2.6	3.5
2022	6.1	9.4	4.1	-11.4	15.8	8.0
2023	6.8	5.1	1.6	-15.6	-4.3	4.3
2024	5.6	4.5	1.5	3.5	14.2	3.1
2025	5.3	4.8	1.3	9.7	3.1	2.7
2026	5.6	4.4	0.6	8.9	4.4	2.6
2027	5.5	4.4	0.8	3.9	8.5	2.6
2028	5.5	4.6	0.9	1.8	4.6	2.6



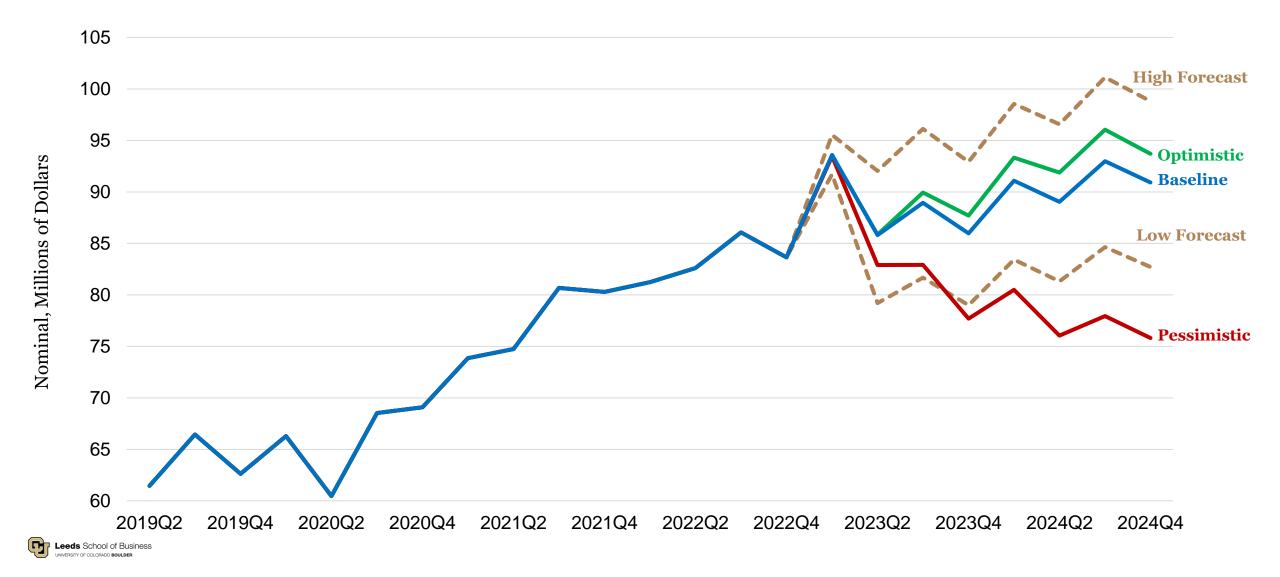
Baseline Revenue Forecast

Percent Change, Year-over-Year

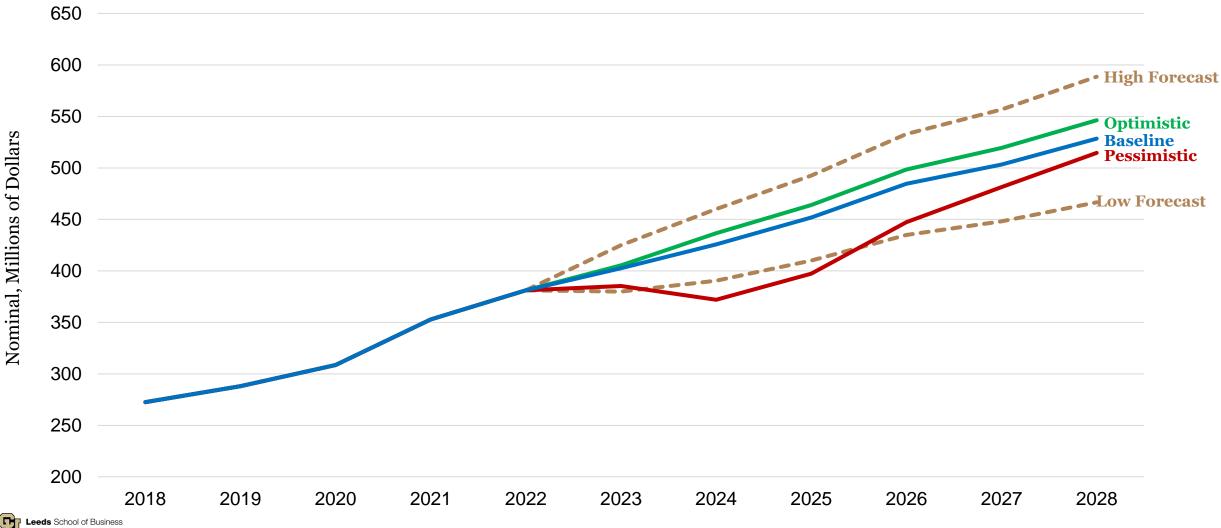
YEAR	GROCERY SALES	RESTAURANT SALES	AUTO SALES	MARKETPLACE FACILITATOR ORDINANCE SALES	BUILDING SALES	ALL OTHER SALES	SALES TOTAL	BUILDING MATERIAL USE TAX		OTHER USE	PROPERTY TAX	TOTAL
2019	7.8	5.7	6.1	0.0	8.7	9.5	8.7	-12.6	8.4	-7.8	2.2	5.8
2020	15.7	-8.5	-7.3	0.0	10.2	6.2	5.3	40.3	-3.9	-20.1	18.9	7.1
2021	0.0	25.2	14.2	267.0	7.9	10.0	14.9	28.4	31.9	9.0	-2.1	14.3
2022	3.1	10.4	19.6	13.0	12.0	8.3	9.4	-11.8	8.0	16.2	9.8	8.0
2023	14.7	9.6	4.2	4.6	-14.0	6.6	5.1	10.3	6.8	21.9	1.7	5.7
2024	5.0	5.4	7.3	6.5	-1.8	4.4	4.3	-25.5	9.1	6.4	27.7	5.7
2025	3.8	5.2	6.8	6.3	15.2	4.3	5.4	15.4	9.7	6.0	4.8	6.1
2026	4.6	4.1	6.0	5.1	11.1	4.1	4.7	11.1	8.1	3.1	18.5	7.2
2027	5.1	4.3	3.2	4.8	4.5	4.0	4.1	4.8	4.7	3.9	2.2	3.9
2028	5.0	4.4	2.9	5.6	0.8	4.2	3.9	0.1	4.2	4.5	11.6	5.0

Note: Baseline Forecast uses Moody's Baseline Scenario. **New revenue.

Short-Term Total Revenue Forecast



Medium-Term Total Revenue Forecast



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