

Building Permits Approved

(total for both single family and multiple family units)

1950 – 5,542
1951 – 5,393
1952 – 6,686
1953 – 11,280
1954 – 18,695
1955 – 25,889
1956 – 16,532
1957 – 13,745
1958 – 18,723
1959 – 26,260
1960 – 21,277
1961 – 29,109
1962 – 33,205
1963 – 37,367
1964 – 28,504
1965 – 17,448
1966 – 12,581
1967 – 12,134
1968 – 23,520
1969 – 32,794
1970 – 23,408
1971 – 31,246
1972 – 35,664
1973 – 28,271
1974 – 18,011
1975 – 15,438
1976 – 30,511
1977 – 27,504
1978 – 19,631
1979 – 17,558
1980 – 10,809
1981 – 9,409
1982 – 5,269
1983 – 12,890
1984 – 16,425
1985 – 20,265
1986 – 23,683
1987 – 24,663
1988 – 23,455
1989 – 16,537
1990 – 11,051
1991 – 6,731
1992 – 5,957

1993 – 6,344
1994 – 12,636
1995 – 8,193
1996 – 10,173
1997 – 12,261
1998 – 9,704
1999 – 12,278
2000 – 12,532
2001 – 8,585
2002 – 11,815