

RESIDENTIAL BUILDING PERMITS

Units Authorized

State of Washington and Counties, Monthly

COUNTY	OCT 02		NOV 02		DEC 02		OCT 03		NOV 03		DEC 03		% Change	
	TOT	ONE	TOT	ONE	TOT	ONE	TOT	ONE	TOT	ONE	TOT	ONE	TOT	ONE
ADAMS														
ASOTIN														
BENTON	110	94	294	66	85	69	134	94	76	68	69	64	-42.9%	-1.3%
CHELAN	30	30	26	26	25	23	47	34	25	25	28	16	23.5%	-5.1%
CLALLAM	33	33	26	24	21	21	49	45	31	31	20	20	25.0%	23.1%
CLARK	365	252	221	198	333	184	309	274	168	166	236	172	-22.4%	-3.5%
COLUMBIA														
COWLITZ	47	36	39	27	30	22	27	25	21	21	21	19	-40.5%	-23.5%
DOUGLAS	14	14	10	10	12	7	12	12	12	12	6	6	-16.7%	-3.2%
FERRY														
FRANKLIN	48	48	36	36	32	32	87	87	59	59	75	75	90.5%	90.5%
GARFIELD														
GRANT	39	11	8	8	8	8	20	18	13	13	7	7	-27.3%	40.7%
GRAYS HARBOR	15	15	11	11	19	19	27	27	26	26	8	8	35.6%	35.6%
ISLAND	45	43	35	35	48	40	51	51	41	41	52	52	12.5%	22.0%
JEFFERSON	22	22	12	12	18	18	19	19	28	28	22	22	32.7%	32.7%
KING	939	513	775	439	455	317	679	486	508	397	569	471	-19.0%	6.7%
KITSAP	128	126	94	94	99	83	143	132	88	85	109	109	5.9%	7.6%
KITTITAS	35	30	20	20	26	20	59	35	33	23	22	22	40.7%	14.3%
KLICKITAT	8	8	2	2	5	5	13	13	6	6	1	1	33.3%	33.3%
LEWIS	20	20	11	11	12	12	23	23	17	17	17	17	32.6%	32.6%
LINCOLN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A
MASON	40	38	25	25	27	25	47	45	34	32	30	28	20.7%	19.3%
OKANOGAN	11	11	5	5	4	4	15	15	2	2	11	11	40.0%	40.0%
PACIFIC	5	5	4	4	3	3	13	13	8	8	8	8	141.7%	141.7%
PEND OREILLE	6	6	2	2	1	1	6	6	5	5	4	4	66.7%	66.7%
PIERCE	561	488	465	372	413	351	425	393	239	232	309	268	-32.4%	-26.3%
SAN JUAN	18	18	12	12	8	8	15	15	7	7	11	11	-13.2%	-13.2%
SKAGIT	92	52	51	31	46	34	89	58	45	43	58	51	1.6%	29.9%
SKAMANIA														
SNOHOMISH	427	378	473	296	329	263	455	358	409	309	417	324	4.2%	5.8%
SPOKANE	155	117	152	116	113	79	215	209	168	147	154	134	27.9%	57.1%
STEVENS	10	10	11	11	10	6	21	21	10	10	4	4	12.9%	29.6%
THURSTON	114	112	118	118	146	117	183	177	112	110	147	145	16.9%	24.5%
WAHKIAKUM														
WALLA WALLA	5	5	4	4	4	4	7	7	5	5	5	5	30.8%	30.8%
WHATCOM	200	104	113	76	107	70	220	138	325	81	136	101	62.1%	28.0%
WHITMAN	138	6	8	8	8	8	4	4	61	1	3	3	-55.8%	-63.6%
YAKIMA	37	35	40	34	25	17	43	37	24	22	36	29	1.0%	2.3%
Statewide	3,717	2,680	3,103	2,133	2,472	1,870	3,457	2,871	2,606	2,032	2,595	2,207	-6.8%	6.4%

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce

- Notes:
1. Percentage change is based on equivalent reports.
 2. TOT refers to total building permits, both single-family and multifamily.
 3. ONE refers to building permits for single-family homes only.