CHARLOTTE FAST FACTS

POPULATION & MIGRATION

2.6M

POPULATION OF CHARLOTTE MSA

1.35M

REGIONAL LABOR FORCE

100

PEOPLE MOVE TO THE CHARLOTTE **AREA EACH DAY**

AVERAGE AGE

COST of DOING BUSINESS

2.5%

CORPORATE TAX RATE

(phasing to 0% by 2030)

4.99%

INCOME TAX RATE

(phasing to 3.99% by 2027)

AVERAGE OFFICE RENT PER SQUARE FOOT

> (compared to \$38.67 national average)

LOWER COST OF LIVING THAN THE NATIONAL **AVERAGE AVERAGE AGE**

CONNECTIVITY & INFRASTRUCTURE

5th

BUSIEST AIRPORT IN THE WORLD

(by aircraft movements)

700

DAILY FLIGHTS FROM CLT AIRPORT

≥3HR

FLIGHTS TO ATLANTA. **WASHINGTON DC. NEW** YORK, CHICAGO & DALLAS

INLAND PORT & 1-DAY TURNAROUND TO WILMINGTON PORT



















LABOR **AVERAGE PROJECTED** INDUSTRY/ GROWTH **AVAILABILITY** WAGE **OPERATION** (5 YEARS) 12% Financial Services 90.500 \$127.300 Tech & Innovation Economy 56,500 \$95,400 8% **Fintech** 9,900 \$97,400 15% Health Care 102,800 \$68,300 4% Life Sciences 24,800 \$62,900 13% Manufacturing & Industry 4.0 105,700 8% \$63,200 Logistics & Distribution 70,100 \$61,100 16%

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- Strategic Connections
- Relocation Assistance
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