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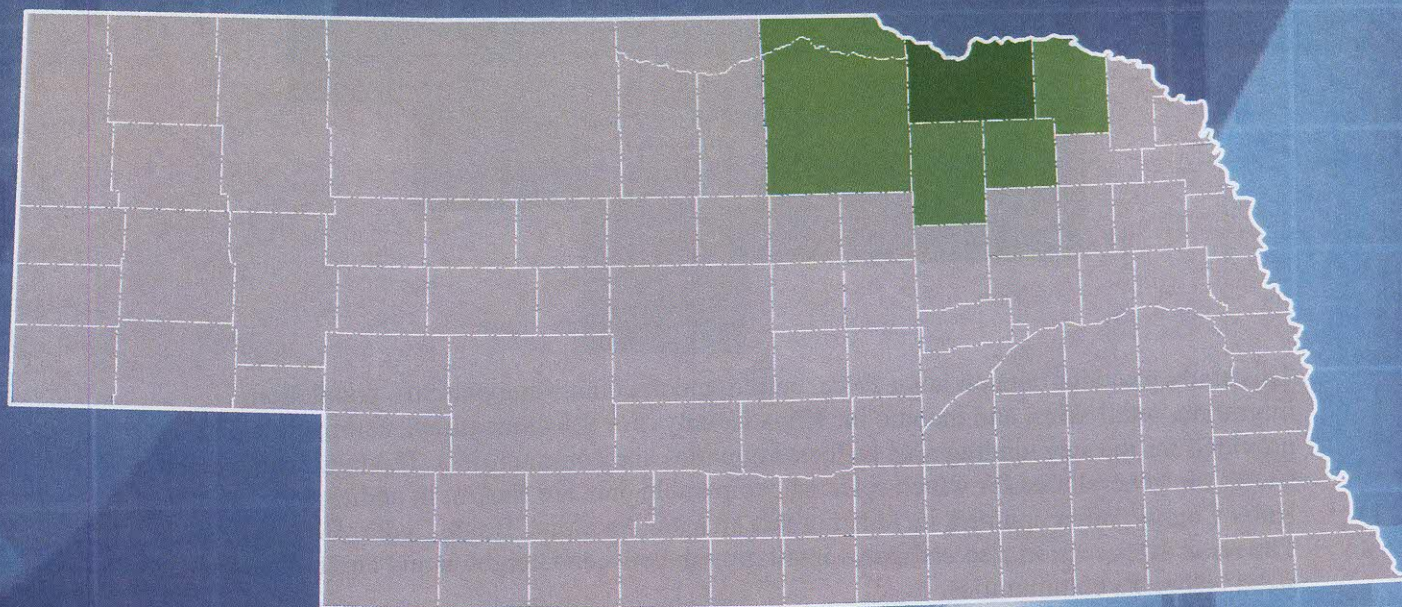


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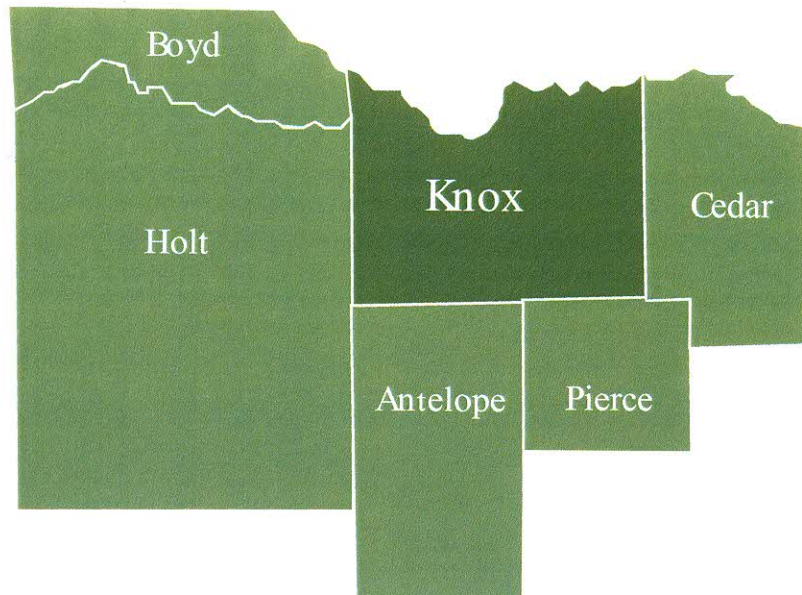


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ECONOMIC AND DEMOGRAPHIC TRENDS IN **Knox County** AND THE SURROUNDING AREA



This study provides data on labor force, employment, commuting patterns, population, migration, retail sales, and income for Knox County. For select measures, comparable data are provided for the surrounding area (selected counties and communities). The map featured above shows the general area for which selected comparable data are shown. In addition to Knox County, other counties included in this area are Antelope, Boyd, Cedar, Holt and Pierce. The retail sales section also compares retail growth between Creighton and eight other similarly sized Nebraska communities.

LABOR FORCE AND EMPLOYMENT

Table 1 and Charts 1–5 (next pages) present nonfarm wage and salary data for Knox County for the period 2009–2019. Nonfarm employment is broken down into 11 sectors as defined by the Bureau of Labor Statistics and which are compliant with the North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS).

Nonfarm wage and salary employment consists of the following 11 sectors:

- Natural Resources & Mining
- Construction
- Manufacturing
- Trade, Transportation & Utilities
- Information
- Financial Activities
- Professional & Business Services
- Education & Health Services
- Leisure & Hospitality
- Other Services (except Public)
- Government

