



Wood Buffalo

2017 ECONOMIC IMPACTS OF NEW HOME CONSTRUCTION

The new home building industry is essential to Wood Buffalo's economic strength and prosperity.

1,625

New housing starts – a key to economic growth in our community.

3,436

On-site and off-site jobs in new home construction, a major source of employment in Wood Buffalo.

\$234

Million in wages – that show up in purchases across the entire local economy.

\$563

Million in investment value – the largest single wealth-builder for most families.

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