Omaha’s economy is well-positioned to maintain its steady pace of growth heading into a new decade. In each of the past two decades, the Omaha metro has added more than 85,000 people to its population. The annual income of Omaha residents, on average, has increased by more than $10,000 per decade.

Employment growth in Omaha has gained momentum in recent months. Job gains in key industries continue to support long-term growth in Omaha. An ongoing expansion in health care and gains in other service-based industries continue to drive growth.

Note: The Omaha metropolitan area includes five counties in Nebraska (Cass, Douglas, Sarpy, Saunders, Washington) and three in Iowa (Harrison, Mills, Pottawattamie).
The Omaha Branch is Nebraska’s connection to the nation’s central bank, serving as a link to our region through local relationships with businesses and communities that provide insight into regional economic conditions and concerns.

We provide ongoing analysis of Nebraska’s economy and lead agricultural research for the Kansas City Fed and the Federal Reserve System.

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