

STATE OF CHARLOTTE SMALL BUSINESS

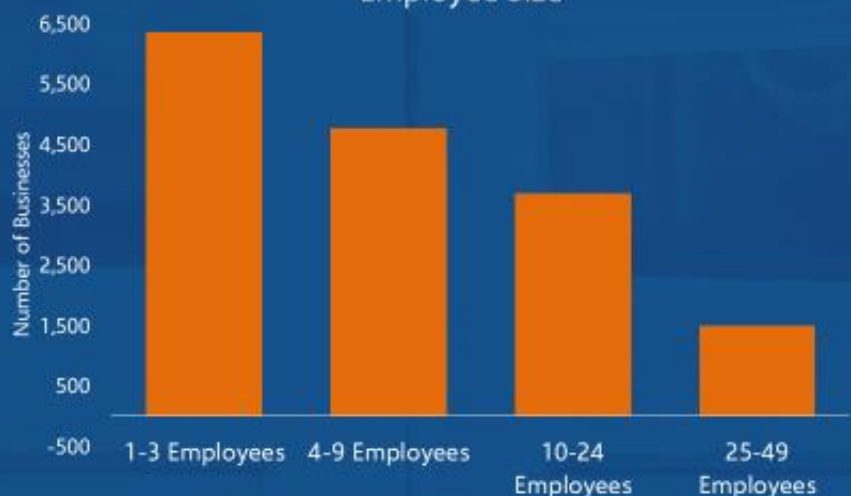


93% of businesses in Charlotte are small businesses with less than 50 employees



Small businesses support 40% of the jobs in Charlotte

Number of Small Businesses in Charlotte by Employee Size

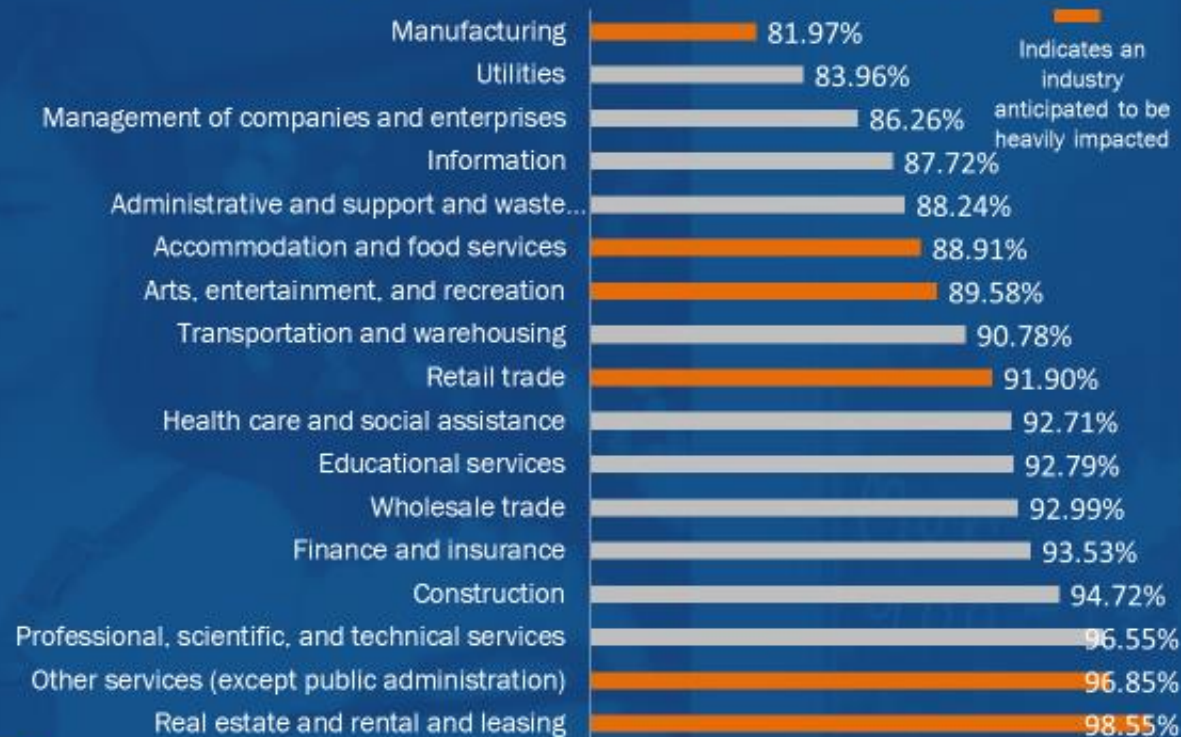


The average size of Charlotte small businesses is 7 employees

63% of small businesses are single site or HQ operations

The remaining 37% are branches of national chains

% of Companies in each Industry with <50 Employees



CHARLOTTE BUSINESS INCLUSION COMPANIES

