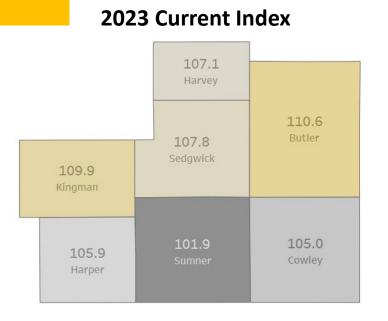
## **Economic Index Update**

# Healthy-Wealthy-Wise

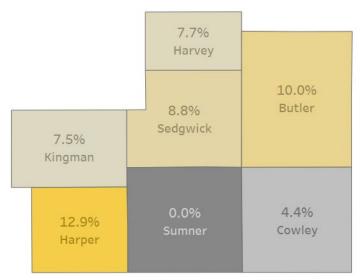
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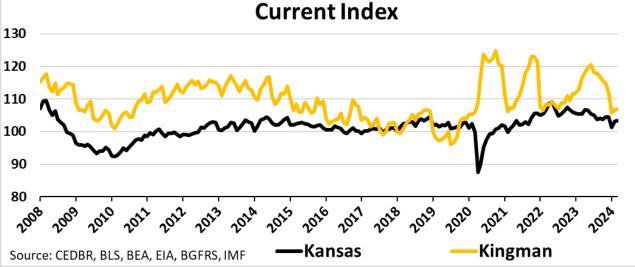
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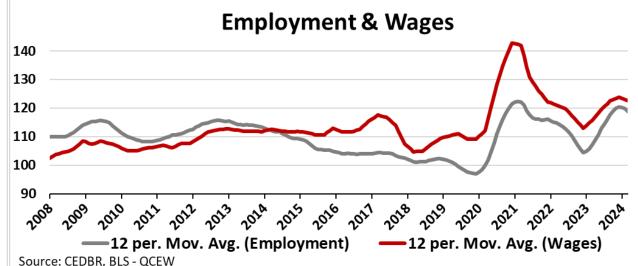


#### Y/Y Current Index Growth – 2022-23



- Regionally, all counties are better off than in 2018 (the base year)
- Kingman County jumped out of its post-2011 decline during the pandemic, but it has been volatile
- Employment and wages remain above their pre-pandemic levels
- Real wages have fallen back in line with employment trends







Low Birthweight (1/3)

Obesity (1/3)

Preventable Hospitalizations (1/3)

#### Wealthy 1/3

GINI Index (1/3)

Household Income (1/3)

Poverty (1/3)

# Wise 1/3

Associate's (1/3)

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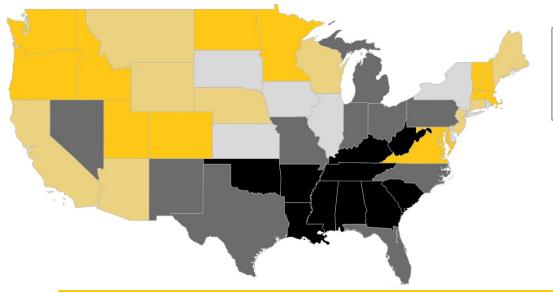
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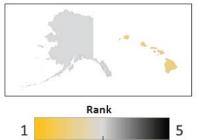




# Healthy, Wealthy, and Wise — Kansas ranks near the national median

#### U.S. Healthy-Wealthy-Wise Index, 2024





- **Healthy** Near Median
  - High obesity
  - Low birthweights
- Wealthy Near Median
  - Low wealth polarization
  - Lagging incomes
- Wise Above Median
  - Associate and Bachelor

#### Kansas Healthy-Wealthy-Wise Index 2024

		Rank	Value
	Obesity Rate	4	35.8%
Healthy	Low Birthweight Rate	2	7.2%
	Preventable Hospitalization Rate	3	2.7%
	Gini Coefficient	2	0.46
Wealthy	Median Household Income	4	\$69,747
	Poverty Rate	3	11.6%
	Associate Degrees	2	31.4%
Wise	Bachelor Degrees	2	21.7%
	Advanced Degrees	3	13.0%

Neighboring State Ranks												
State	HWW Index	Healthy	Wealthy	Wise								
Colorado	1	2	1	1								
Kansas	3	3	3	2								
Missouri	4	4	4	4								
Nebraska	2	3	2	2								
Oklahoma	5	4	4	5								

#### **Midwest Region**

- Colorado and Nebraska lead
- Missouri and Oklahoma lag





# Kingman County ranked in the top 20% in household conditions

Healthy-Wealthy-Wise 2024											
Healthy- County Wealthy-Wise Healthy Wealthy Wis Index											
Butler	1	3	1	1							
Cowley	4	4	5	2							
Harper	5	2	5	5							
Harvey	1	3	1	1							
Kingman	1	2	1	3							
Sedgwick	3	2	4	2							
Sumner	3	2	2	4							

Healthy: Above Median

Wealthy: Top 20%

- Household conditions vary across the region
- Kingman County has very strong households, even for the region
- Very strong regional labor force interconnection



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• Wise: Near Median



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### Household health impacts the economy in many ways



### People



- •Time Off Work
- Lower Job Security
- •Lost Advancement Opportunities

#### **Poorer Quality of Life**

• Mental and Physical Health

#### **Higher Personal Costs**

- Out-of-pocket health costs
- Medications



#### **Productivity Issues**

#### **Higher Employer Costs**

• Insurance and Healthcare

#### **Tighter Labor Markets**

• Higher Demand for Labor

### Discouraged Investment

- Firms May Relocate or Close
- Deterred Investors



#### Government

## Burden on Public Systems

• Healthcare and Social Services

#### **Decreased Revenue**

- Less Productive Workforce
- Loss of Firms
- Difficulty Attracting Investment

**Economic Stagnation** 





## Healthy – Kingman ranks above the state median

Low	/ Birthw	eight	Rate			Preventable Hospitalizations Rate					
	2018	2022	Growth		2018	2022	Growth		201	8 2022	Growth
Kansas	7.0%	7.2%	0.2%	Kansas	32.4%	35.8%	3.4%	Kansas	5.1%	<b>2.7</b> %	-2.4%
Kingman	5.7%	6.6%	0.9%	Kingman	32.1%	37.5%	5.4%	Kingman	7.7%	<b>2.8</b> %	-4.9%
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5.9% Harper	6.8 Sum	4000	7.7% Cowley	36.9% Harper		.3% <sub>mner</sub>	<b>39.1%</b> Cowley	3.7% Harper	_	2.8% Sumner	2.1% Cowley





Healthy 1/3

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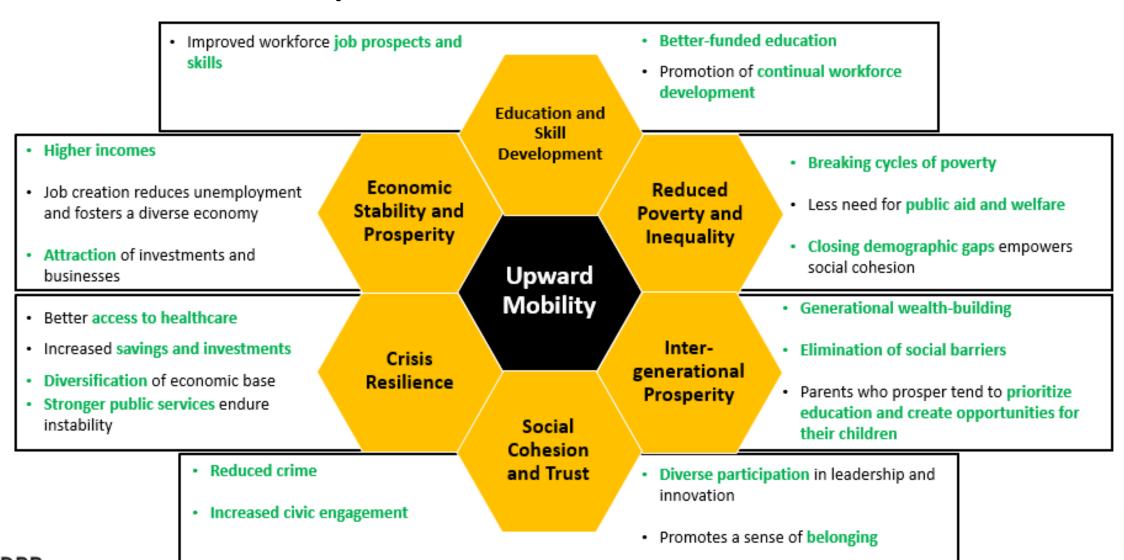
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# Upward mobility promotes a strong community, key for an economy to flourish



# Wealthy – Kingman County ranks in the top 20%, but wage and poverty trends show risk

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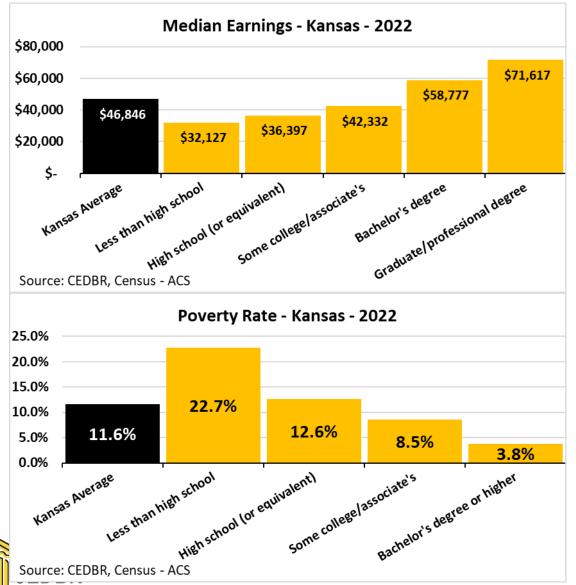








### Educational Attainment Drives...



Increased Productivity, Innovation, and Resilience

Attraction of Higher-Paying Jobs and Industries

Higher Incomes and Wages

Reduced Unemployment and Underemployment

Reduced Poverty and Inequality

Increased Local Spending and Economic Activity





# Wise — Remains concentrated in technical and associate degrees, but overall educational attainment is falling

<b>Total Education</b>	2018	2022	Growth
Kansas	64.7%	66.1%	1.4%
Kingman	62.2%	60.0%	-2.2%

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