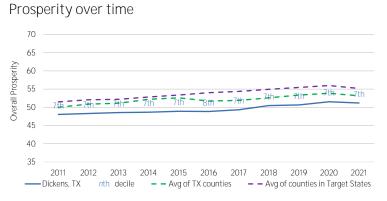
## Dickens, TX: Overall Prosperity 51.2 (7th decile\*)







Breakdown of performance	2011	Score 10-year trend	2021	Deciles - US Counties (1 to 10) 2021	10-year decile change	Ranks - TX (1 to 254) 2021
Overall Prosperity	48.0		51.2	7	-	120
Inclusive Societies	55.8	7	51.9	7	▼ 3	111
Safety and Security	86.9	~~	67.6	5	<b>▼</b> 3	98
Personal Freedom	39.9		42.5	9		230
Governance	57.1	~\_	51.4	6	<b>v</b> 2	1
Social Capital	39.4		46.3	7	<b>^</b> 2	95
Open Economies	41.1		48.6	6	<b>A</b> 3	178
Business Environment	38.6		48.3	5	<b>4</b>	136
Infrastructure	30.6	<b>///</b>	32.1	10		228
Economic Quality	54.1		65.2	1	<b>1</b>	69
Empowered People	47.2		53.1	7	<b>1</b>	81
Living Conditions	46.0	~~~	59.2	7	<b>^</b> 2	102
Health	49.0	^	51.9	6		73
<b>Education</b>	41.6		47.2	7	<b>1</b>	129
Natural Environment	52.2		54.0	5		96

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Dickens, TX (7th decile*): Pillar	and e	element	scores												
		2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	US 0	Counties De 10-yr dec	cile ile chng.	TX Rank 2021	Λ0.	ļ	Overall Prosperity 2011 10-yr trend	2021	US C 2021	ounties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	TX Rank 2021
Safety and Security	/	86.9	-V\_	67.6	5	•	3	98	Personal Freedom		39.9	42.5	9		230
Mass Killings and Injuries	15%	100.0		100.0	1	_		1	Agency	30%	54.3	56.7	6	<b>A</b> 1	1
Violent Crime	50%	85.8	~~	72.4	4	•	2	86	Freedom of Association and Speech	15%	39.0	36.6	5	<b>A</b> 1	1
Property Crime	35%	82.8	~~	46.9	7	▼	6	119	Absence of Legal Discrimination	25%	13.0	13.7	7		1
									Social Tolerance	30%	48.3	55.3	10		231
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		2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	US 0 2021	Counties De 10-yr dec	cile ile chng.	TX Rank 2021	220		Overall Prosperity 2011 10-yr trend	2021	US C 2021	ounties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	TX Rank 2021
Governance		57.1	~	51.4	6	▼	2	1	Social Capital	į	39.4	46.3	7	<b>^</b> 2	95
Political Accountability	30%	52.2	~	55.4	7	•	3	1	Personal and Family Relationships	25%	40.7	63.0	6	<b>△</b> 3	134
Rule of Law	35%	65.0		52.0	5	•	1	1	Social Networks	25%	21.7	28.1	7	<b>^</b> 2	45
Government Integrity	35%	53.3	1	47.4	6	▼	2	1	Institutional Trust	20%	62.1	62.1	4		39
					İ				Civic and Social Participation	30%	38.1	36.9	5		45
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<b>A</b>		2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	2021	Countles De 10-yr dec		TX Rank 2021	<b>冯</b>	İ	Overall Prosperity 2011 10-yr trend	2021	US C 2021	ounties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	TX Rank 2021
Business Environme	ent	38.6	<b>—</b>	48.3	5	^	4	136	Infrastructure		30.6	32.1	10		228
	40%	13.0	<u></u>	38.1	5	_	4	136	Communications	40%	0.4	0.4	10		235
	30%	49.8	<i>✓</i>	51.6	4	^	2	1		25%	48.2	54.4	6	<b>A</b> 1	91
-	10%	43.5	~/\_	37.1	4	_	-	1	Transport	35%	52.6	52.6	5		133
-	10%	74.4	~ ~ ~	74.2	2		-	1							
Price Distortions	10%	66.3		64.6	6	•	4	1							
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Date:			Overall Prosperity		USC	Counties De	cile	TX Rank							
Economic Quality		54.1	10-yr trend	65.2	2021	10-yr dec	ile chng.	2021 69							
Fiscal Sustainability	25%	49.0	~~~	62.4	3	_	1	148							
	25%	63.1		79.1	2	_		140							
	20%	79.2	The	76.7	1	_	-	3							
Labor Force Engagement :	30%	34.1	*/~/	48.3	6	_	1	117							
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		2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	US ( 2021	Counties De 10-yr dec		TX Rank 2021	$\sim$		Overall Prosperity 2011 10-yr trend	2021	US C 2021	ountles Decile 10-yr decile chng.	TX Rank 2021
Living Conditions		46.0	~~	59.2	7	_	2	102	Health	İ	49.0	51.9	6		73
Material Resources	25%	45.2	_/\^	47.0	9	-		219	Behavioral Risk Factors	15%	64.3	68.6	1	<b>A</b> 3	44
Nutrition	15%	31.1		44.9	10	-	1	201	Preventative Interventions	15%	31.6	36.8	8		46
Water Services	15%	78.7	V	82.4	5	•	1	43	Care Systems	15%	16.7	34.9	9		137
Shelter	15%	49.9		47.4	9	~	2	174	Mental Health	15%	67.8	58.7	5	▼ 1	187
Connectedness	15%	12.6		79.4	4	_	6	104	Physical Health	20%	47.9	44.8	6	<b>A</b> 1	65
Protection from Harm	15%	59.0	$\sim$	62.1	5	^	1	57	Longevity	20%	61.8	65.3	5		56
$\Diamond$			Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	2021			TX Rank 2021	(2)		Overall Prosperity 2011 10-yr trend	2021	2021	ounties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	TX Rank 2021
Education		41.6		47.2	7	^	1	129	Natural Environme	ent	52.2	54.0	5		96
Pre-Primary Education	5%	71.4	1	52.4	5	•	4	31	Emissions	25%	40.3	42.4	7	<b>^</b> 1	139
Primary Education 2	20%	58.9	~~	45.7	9	~	4	192		25%	77.0	77.9	2		36
-	25%	49.5	1	64.9	5		2	128		20%	38.8	44.1	7		164
-	25%	31.9	1 ~	33.7	8	-	-	206		20%	73.4	73.3	5	▼ 1	179
Adult Skills 2	25%	23.4		43.2	7	_	2	102	Preservation Efforts	10%	4.7	4.7	7		1
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15%   100.0   100.0   100.0   100.0   1   1   1   1   1   1   1   1   1								US Co	ounties			1			Italics: Indica	tor contain:		
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Second continue of the conti	Mass Killings and Injuries (1st)			15%	100.0		100.0	1	1	Violent Crime (4th)			50%	85.8	m	72.4	2	2
Source   S	Mass shooting deaths	GVA	/1,000,000	1.5	0.0		0.0	1	1	Murder	NACJD		1.5	0.0		0.0	1	
rorism deaths   GTD	Mass shooting injuries	GVA	injuries /1,000,000	1.0	0.0		0.0	1	1	Rape	NACJD	/100,000	1.0	0.0		0.0	1	
Torism injuries of 10	Terrorism deaths	GTD	/1,000,000	1.0	0.0000		0.0000	1	1	Aggravated assaults	NACJD	assaults /100,000 population	1.0	129.2	-W	497.5	5	10
Source	Terrorism injuries	GTD	injuries /1,000,000	0.5	0.0000		0.0000	1	1	Robbery	NACJD	/100,000	0.5	0.0		45.2	1	8
Source	Terrorism events	GTD	events /1,000,000	0.5	0.0		0.0	1	1									
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ntity theft FTC reports/100,000 o.5 495.4 — 495.4 8 7	Identity theft	FTC	reports /100,000	0.5	495.4		495.4	8	7									

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Appency (offs)  30% 54.3 56.7 7 6 Freedom of Association and Society Grammed divillance with production with production of the production		Source	Unit	Weight	2011		2021	Der	dle		Source	Unit	Weight	2011		2021	
Satewards death incorporation  NACC production  NACC prod	Agency (6th)			30%		lo-yi usu		1					15%		To-yr trend		
Statewide and incorporation   Statewide production   10   1300   1,0100   6   5   5   5   5   5   5   5   5   5	Fatal police shootings of unarmed civilians	WaPo		1.0	0.0		0.0	1	1	Statewide free speech in public places	Cato	coding, 0-3	1.0	0.0		0.0	2
Satewide trafficking	Statewide death row population	NAACP	number /100,000 population	1.0	1.31		0.79	7	7	Statewide right-to-work	NCSL	coding, 0-1	0.5	1.0		1.0	1
According   Company   Co	Statewide adult incarceration	BJS		1.0	1,130.0		1,010.0	6	5	Statewide press suppression	USPFT		0.5	0.010		0.034	3
Absence of Legal  25% 13.0 13.7 7 7 7 Social Tolerance (10th)  30% 48.3 55.3 10 11 22 Hate group concentration  Saltewide enginguise freedom restoration act case of a coding	Statewide youth incarceration	CJRP	/100,000 youth	0.5	86.7		46.2	2	4	Statewide invasive cell phone surveillance	ACLU	coding, 0-1	0.5	1.0		1.0	7
Absence of Legal Discrimination (7th)  Statewide religious freedom restoration act cato Cato O-1  10  0-1  10  0-5  0-5  11  21  10-yr trend 2011 2011 2011 2011 2011 2011 2011 201	Statewide trafficking	POL		1.0	3.1		3.7	7	6								
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statewide affirmative action in public services and only only only only only only only only	Statewide employment anti-discrimination law	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	0.0		0.0	6	6	Ethnic slur google traffic	Google	index, 0-100	1.0	23.0		23.0	4
sanned Cato 0-2 05 0.0 0.0 2 3 support PMI percentage 05 07.0 70.0 4 support Coding. 0-9 0.5 1.5 2.0 5 6	Statewide government discrimination based on sex prohibited	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	0.0		0.0	4	4	Statewide same sex marriage support	PRRI	percentage	0.5	48.0	/	68.0	5
recognition MAP 0.9 U.S 1.5 2.0 S	Statewide affirmative action in public services banned	Cato	coding, 0-2	0.5	0.0		0.0	2	3		PRRI	percentage	0.5	67.0	-	70.0	4
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Dec 2011	2021		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Decile 2011
Political Accountability (7th)			30%	52.2	V	55.4	4	7	Rule of Law (5th)			35%	65.0	7	52.0	4
Statewide Elections Performance Index	MIT	index score, 0-1	1.5	0.63	~	0.71	5	5	Statewide Justice Index	NCAJ	index rank 1-51	1.5	16.0		33.0	3
tatewide gender balance in legislatures	CAWP	percentage	0.5	21.0		26.5	7	7	Statewide judicial integrity	ATRF	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.5	-/\/	0.0	7
itatewide state campaign disclosure	NIMP	index, 0-1	1.0	1.0		0.8	1	6								
Statewide term limits	NCSL	coding. 0-1	0.5	0.0		0.0	4	4								
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Cou Dec	ile		!	!	!				!
Government Integrity (6th)			35%	53.3	10-yr trend	<sup>2021</sup> 47.4	2011	2021								
Statewide legal corruption perceptions	ICS	expert survey,	1.0	9.0		11.5	4	6								
		3-15 expert survey,			\											
Statewide illegal corruption perceptions	ICS	3-15	1.0	8.0	/\/_	7.0	5	4								
Statewide Corruption Reflection Index	ICS	index score, 0-1	0.5	0.3943	7	0.1966	5	4								
Statewide State Integrity Investigation	CPI	index rank, 1-50	1.0	27.0		39.0	5	8								
statewide public record request compliance	Cuillier	percentage	1.0	41.4		41.4	4	4								
Statewide Online Spending Transparency Index	USPIRG	index score, 0-100	0.5	91.0	_/	82.0	1	3								

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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Cou Deci 2011			Source	Unit	Weight		Value 10-yr trend		US Cou Deci 2011	
Personal and Family Relationships (6th)			25%	40.7	ممسم	63.0	9		Social Networks (7th)			25%	21.7		28.1	9	7
Statewide divorce	CDC	instances, /1,000 population	1.0	3.3	$\sim$	2.1	3	1	Favors between neighbors		percentage		29.8	—	29.8	5	5
Children in unmarried households	Census	percentage	1.0	41.3	1	22.8	10	3	Frequently talk with neighbors	0	percentage	1.0	48.9		48.9	8	
Teen births	CDC	instances /1,000 female 15-19 population	1.0	71.4		49.2	9	10	Trust in people in neighborhood		percentage	1.5	45.8		45.8	7	
Statewide parent's attendance of children's activities	NSCH	percentage	0.5	90.2		94.4	6	7	Statewide supportive neighborhood for a child	NSCH	percentage	1.0	46.8		54.7	8	4
Shared meals with household members		percentage		85.6		85.6	6	6	Statewide trust in people	ANES	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.5		0.5	8	8
Frequently hear from family and friends	0	percentage	1.0	85.6		85.6	4	5									
Close friends	0	average		5.7		5.7	6	6									
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Cou			Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Cou Deci	
Institutional Trust (4th)			20%	2011 62.1	10-yr trend	2021 62.1	2011	2021	Civic and Social Participation			30%	<sup>2011</sup> 38.1	10-yr trend	<sup>2021</sup> 36.9	2011	2021
									(5th)		instances,			1			
Confidence in corporations	0	percentage		64.3		64.3	7	7	Statewide volunteer rate	Census	/1,000 population	1.0	0.31	1	0.30	5	5
Confidence in the media	0	percentage	1.0	56.5		56.5	5	5	Statewide volunteering intensity	CNCS	hours, per capita	0.5	31.0	7	26.3	5	7
Statewide trust in federal government	ANES	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.4		0.4	1	1	Statewide volunteering intensity (microdata)	Census	hours, per capita	0.5	42.1	N.	64.3	2	2
									Statewide active in neighborhood	Census	percentage	1.0	20.7	1	17.8	5	7
									Statewide helping the community	CNCS	instances, /1,000	0.5	1.83	\	1.56	8	8
									Statewide helping the community (microdata)	Census	percentage	0.5	1.8		6.9	1	2
									(Non-religious) membership organizations	Census	number /1,000 population	1.0	0.278			7	
									Religious membership organizations	USRC	number /1,000 population	0.5	5.7		5.7	1	1
									Religious organization participation	0	percentage	0.5	20.2	—	20.2	6	
									Sport or recreation organization participation	0	percentage	0.5	10.9		10.9	4	
									School, neighborhood or community association participation		percentage	0.5	14.4		14.4	6	5

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Dickens, TX: Business Environm	ent (5th	decile*): Ele	ement ar	nd indic	ator score	S .							Heller 1 11		
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Italics: Indica		US Coun Decile
inancing Ecosystems (5th)			40%	13.0	10-yr trend	38.1	9 5	Domestic Market Contestability (4th)			30%	<sup>2011</sup> 49.8	10-yr trend	51.6	2011
enture capital invested	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	0.0		32.0	9 5	Statewide low-income licensed occupations	Inst Just	number	1.5	37.0		37.0	2
lumber of venture capital deals	NVCA	number /1,000,000	1.0	0.0		5.3	9 5	Statewide occupational licensing training cost	Inst Just	\$	1.0	253.0		253.0	6
ssets under management	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	0.0		39.1	9 4	Statewide occupational licensing training time	Inst Just	days	1.0	341.0		341.0	4
enture capital fundraising	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	0.0		4.5	6 5	Statewide age requirements for license	Inst Just	years	1.0	10.0		10.0	3
lew foreign direct investment	BEA	\$ /capita	1.0	820.4		720.8	2 2	Statewide regulation density index	Cato	index score	1.0	-0.028		-0.021	8
ank branch access	FDIC	number /square mile	1.5	0.001		0.001	10 10								
Durden of Denislation (4th)	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021	Labor Markot Flexibility (2nd)	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Cou Deci 2011
Burden of Regulation (4th) tatewide Federal Regulation and State			10%	43.5	w(_	37.1	4 4	Labor Market Flexibility (2nd)  Statewide collective bargaining agreement			10%	74.4	\ \ \ \ \ \ \	74.2	2
nterprise Index	QuantGov	index score	1.0	1.11	~/_	1.18	6 6	coverage	FI	percent	1.0	5.6	M	5.5	2
tatewide state regulation	QuantGov	percent	1.0	1.535	/\	1.539	3 3	Statewide employee health insurance cost	HJK	\$	0.5	4,251.0		5,455.0	6
								Workers Compensation Premium Rate	State OR	\$ per \$100	0.5	2.4		0.7	7
	Source	Unit	Unit	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021								
Price Distortions (6th)			10%	66.3	ン	64.6	2 6								
tatewide subsidies to the private sector	BEA	percent	1.0	0.12	N	0.08	1 1								
Statewide Corporate Tax Score	Tax Found	index score	1.0	4.68	V	3.95	6 8								

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Dickens, TX: Infrastructure (10	ith decile	"): Element a	ana inaid	cator s	cores											(	È
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Cor Dec			Source	Unit	Weight		Italics: Indica		US Cour Decil	nties le
Communications (10th)			40%	0.4	10-yr trend	0.4	10	10	Resources (6th)			25%	48.2	10-yr trend	54.4	2011 7	
Mean download speed	BBN	Mbps	1.5	15.1		15.1	10	10	Customers affected by electricity outages	Mukherjee	number /10,000 population	0.5	0.23	~~~	0.03	7	
Ultra-fast internet access	BBN	percent	1.0	0.0		0.0	8	8	Statewide net electricity generation	EIA	kWh /capita	1.0	0.0155	M	0.0166	4	
Fast internet access	BBN	percent	1.0	2.7		2.7	9	9	Water usage	USGS	Mgal /capita	1.0	1.448		1.322	3	
Internet providers (Business)	FCC	number	0.5	0.0		0.0	6	6	Electricity outage duration	EIA	minutes	1.0	88.0	-	111.2	3	
									Electricity outage frequency	EIA	per year	1.0	1.13	V	1.13	6	
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Cor Dec 2011										
Transport (5th)			35%	52.6	<b>-</b>	52.6	5	5									
Statewide number of airports	BTS	number /square mile	0.5	0.0		0.0	3	3									
Road condition	BTS	percent	1.5	0.0		0.0	1	1									
Statewide railroad length	AAR	miles /square mile	1.0	0.0		0.0	7	7									
Bus transit route mileage	BTS	miles /square mile	0.5	0.1		0.1	6	6									
Public road density	BTS	miles /square mile	1.0	0.2		0.2	9	9									

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BTS

Bridge condition

Distance to airport

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	Source				Value 10-yr trend					Source		Weight				
Fiscal Sustainability (3rd)			25%	49.0	\\\\	62.4	4	3	Productivity and Competitiveness (2nd)			25%	63.1	مر	79.1	2 2
Statewide government credit rating	Ballotpedia	rating	0.5	7.0		8.0	5	1	Export value (goods)	BIEM	\$ /capita	1.0	4,344.1	V	5,732.7	4 4
Statewide state reserves capacity	0	days	1.0	85.3	M	72.6	1	2	Export value (services)	BIEM	\$ /capita	0.5	571.6		555.1	7 8
Government revenue to expenditure ratio	Census	ratio	1.0	1.23		1.23	1	1	Labor productivity	BLS	\$ per hour	1.5	66.5	ر کرر	75.4	2 2
Statewide state budget balance	0	\$ /capita	1.0	-472.7	1	891.5	1	1								
Statewide state pension funding	FR	percent	1.0	58.3	W	51.2	2	4								
Debt-to-GDP ratio	Census	percent	1.0	######		######	9	9								
							110.00									UC Ossistas
	Source				Value 10-yr trend		US Cou Deci 2011	inties ile 2021		Source		Weight		Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021
Dynamism (1st)			20%	79.2	W	76.7	1	1	Labor Force Engagement (6th)			30%	34.1	~	48.3	7 6
Startup concentration	Kauffman	number /1,000 businesses	0.5	109.7	\-	90.9	4	1	Unemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	11.3		6.3	8 6
Startup early job creation	Kauffman	number /1,000 population	1.0	5.21	V_V	5.61	3	4	Youth unemployment	Census	percent	1.0	0.0		1.2	1 1
Startup early survival rate	Kauffman	percent	0.5	77.3		79.8	4	4	Employee Engagement	Gallup	percent	0.5	34.0	V	36.0	1 2
Opportunity-driven startups	Kauffman	percent	1.0	94.1	M/-	79.5	3	6	Statewide underemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	5.2	/	5.0	4 7
Rate of new entrepreneurs	Kauffman	number /100,000 population	1.5	608.5	$\mathbb{W}$	564.1	1	1	Labor force participation	Census	percent	1.5	42.6	1	46.4	10 10
Patent applications	USPTO	number /1,000	1.0	232,751.4		232,751.4	1	7								

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	Source	Unit	Weight		Value 10-yr_trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021		Source			2011	Value 10-yr trend		
Material Resources (9th)			25%	45.2	-1	47.0		Nutrition (10th)			15%	31.1		44.9	9 10
Low income	Census	percentage	1.0	31.4	1	34.4	7 9	Food security	FA	percentage	1.0	79.0		82.7	9 9
Poverty	Census	percentage	1.0	21.9	$\mathcal{N}$	19.7	9 8	Statewide borderline food security	USDA	percentage	1.0	93.6	~~/	95.1	8 8
Deep poverty	Census	percentage	1.0	9.05	-1	9.51	9 9	Fruit consumption	BRFSS	percentage		55.29	$-\sqrt{}$	56.55	7 7
Liquid asset poverty	Pros Now	percentage	1.0	43.0		45.9	8 9	Vegetable consumption	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	77.4	~~	75.2	4 9
Statewide high risk loans	Talk Pov	percentage	1.0	11.4		9.3	8 7								
							US Counties								US Counties
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021		Source			2011	Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021
Water Services (5th)			15%	78.7	V	82.4	4 5	Shelter (9th)			15%	49.9	~/\	47.4	7 9
Statewide clean and safe water	0	percentage	0.5	93.8	1	93.1	6 8	Homelessness	HUD	number / 10,000 population	0.5	15.3		7.0	7 6
Public drinking water violations	CHR	Score, 0 or 1	1.0	0.0	V	0.0	1 1	Unsheltered homeless rate	HUD	percentage	0.5	63.2		57.7	6 8
Complete kitchen and plumbing facilities	HUD	percentage	1.0	98.38	-/ \/ v	99.04	9 5	Households with overcrowding	HUD	percentage units / 100	1.0	1.39		3.49	4 8
								Availability of affordable housing	UI	extremely low income tenants	1.0	5.0		8.0	9 9
	Source	Unit	Unit				US Counties		Source	Unit	Weight				US Counties
(444)	Source	Oill		2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Decile 2011 2021	Destantian from House (FAb)	Source			2011	Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021
Connectedness (4th)			15%	12.6	<u></u>	79.4		Protection from Harm (5th)		number/	15%	59.0	~~~	62.1	6 5
Access to broadband	FCC	percentage	1.5	0.0		92.8	10 4	Fatalities from unintentional injuries	CDC	100,000 population number /	1.0	15.9	1		4 3
Households with a smartphone	Census	percentage	1.0	60.9	/	72.7	6 6	Traffic deaths	CDC	100,000 population	1.0	23.0	//~	21.7	7 8

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Preventative Interventions 31.6 **M** 68.6 15% 64.3 4 15% 36.8 8 (8th) Obesity Smoking CHR 1.5 14.7 20.2 2 Adult doctor visits BRFSS 69.2 percentage DUH Nat Srvy 7.0 4.8 8 Alcohol use disorder 0.5 DUH Nat Srvy 2.39 2.53 5 Illicit drug use disorder 0.5 Statewide child medical visits NSCH percentage 0.5 85.6 64.8 6 4.2 48.4 Pain reliever misuse 0.5 4.2 Statewide HPV immunizations NCIRD percentage 1.0 32.9 BRFSS 74.1 Statewide child immunization 1.0 58.6 67.8 Statewide child dentist visits NSCH 77.7 16.7 34.9 9 Mental Health (5th) 67.8 58.7 4 15% 15% NSCH 1.0 62.0 52.2 Statewide child mental health access deaths / 100,00 9.9 CHR 0.5 28.8 24.3 9 9.5 Adults with no health care coverage percentage 4.49 Serious mental illness 4.70 Statewide disability weighted prevalence from Hospital rating 81.6 79.3 IMHE 1.0 2,155.6 2,088.3 Preventable hospitalizations for medicare CHR 15,057.2 5,607.0 Self-reported mental health not good 14.8 Longevity (5th) 20% 47.9 44.8 7 20% 61.8 65.3 5 6 4.9 Diabetes CDC 1.0 9.0 Statewide disability weighted prevalence of years / 100,000 population deaths / 100,000 population 0.5 410.9 428.2 Maternal mortality 0.5 0.36 0.33 6 infectious diseases 52.6 Self-reported poor physical health CHR 10.4 14.7 Mortality risk 65-85 55.2

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Dickens, TX: Education (7th de	cile*): El	ement and ir	ndicator	scores									Hallanda India		M
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		us Counties Decile
Pre-Primary Education (5th)			5%	71.4	10-yr trend	52.4	2011 2021	Primary Education (9th)			20%	58.9	10-yr trend	<sup>2021</sup> 45.7	5 9
Pre-primary enrollment	Census	percentage	2.0	78.1	7	56.3		Math grade 4 level	SEDA	grade level	2.0	3.82	_ M	3.44	6 8
Statewide state pre-K quality	NIEER	index score,	1.0	2.0	7	3.0		Statewide science grade 4 score	NAEP	scale score,	1.5	147.6	- Y	154.7	7 5
,,		0-10						English, language and arts grade 4 level	SEDA	0-300 grade level	2.0	4.84	-	1.48	2 10
								Primary enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	96.0		100.0	5 1
													_/		
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile
Secondary Education (5th)			25%	<sup>2011</sup> 49.5	10-yr trend	2021	2011 2021 7 5	Tertlary Education (8th)			25%	<sup>2011</sup> 31.9	10-yr trend	<sup>2021</sup> 33.7	2011 2021 8 8
	050.				<del>-</del> /										
Math grade 8 level	SEDA	grade level scale score,	1.5	7.56	J	8.79		College enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	10.4	1/1	11.5	10 10
Statewide science grade 8 score	NAEP	0-500	1.0	150.5		156.2		Statewide college graduation rate  Statewide university quality for enrolled	NCES	percentage Legatum Institute	1.0	49.2	^	52.6	5 4
English, language and arts grade 8 level	SEDA	grade level	1.5	7.08	1	6.29	9 10	students	QS Rank	score	1.0	0.224	_/\	0.222	5 4
High school graduation rate	CHR	percentage	1.0	94.9	¥ ,—	96.0	1 2	Community college graduation rate	NCES	percentage	1.0	39.1		39.1	5 5
Secondary enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	91.3	$\checkmark$	100.0	9								
	Source		Unit	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021								
Adult Skills (7th)			25%	23.4	ارر	43.2	9 7								
Adult population with at least a high school diploma	Census	percentage	1.0	72.9	~/	84.4	9	,							
Adult population with bachelor's degree or higher	Census	percentage	1.0	12.7	~~/	18.5	8 6	5							
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Dickens, TX: Natural Environm															$\langle \mathcal{E} \rangle$
			1				US Counties						Italics: Indica	itor contain.	ns imputed values US Counties
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021			Unit	Weight		Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021
Emissions (7th)			25%	40.3	$\mathcal{M}$	42.4	8 7	Exposure to Air Pollution (2nd)			25%	77.0	7.	77.9	2 2
CO2 emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	2.0	0.58		0.54	8 6	Life expectancy loss from air pollution	JBEN	years	2.0	0.1		0.1	5 5
Nitrous oxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.37		0.42	9 9	PM2.5 emissions	EPA	ton / square mile	1.0	0.54		0.38	2 1
Carbon monoxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.48		0.57	8 7	Lead emissions	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.001		0.003	1 1
Sulfur dioxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.899	$\neg \bigvee$	0.895	4 5	Toxic air releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.00		0.00	1 1
Ozone emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.33		0.42	9 9								
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							US Counties								US Counties
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021			Unit	Weight		Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021
Forest, Land and Soil (7th)			20%	38.8		44.1	7 7	Freshwater (5th)			20%	73.4	<u> </u>	73.3	4 5
Toxic land releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.00		0.00	1 1	Statewide good quality rivers and streams	EPA	percentage	0.5	57.7		57.7	2 2
Statewide rural parks and wildlife areas	USDA	percentage	1.0	1.80		1.84	5 5	Statewide good quality lakes, resevoirs and ponds	EPA	percentage	0.5	56.4		56.4	3 3
Statewide compliant underground storage tanks facilities	EPA	percentage	1.0	72.0		84.0	3 1	Total freshwater withdrawals per capita	USGS	million gallons / 1,000 population	1.0	3.37		3.40	8 8
Statewide exposure to pesticides	CDC	number / 100,000 population	1.0	39.4	<i></i>	31.3	3 4	Toxic water releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.00		0.00	1 1
Tree canopy cover	NLCD	percentage	1.0	4.242		4.168	8 8								
Wetlands and deepwater habitats	USFWS	percentage	1.0	1.8		1.8	8 8	8							
							US Counties								<u> </u>
	Source		Unit	2011	Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021								
Preservation Efforts (7th)			10%	4.7		4.7	7 7	,							
Statewide GAP 1 protected areas	USGS	percentage	2.0	0.8		0.8	5 5								
Statewide GAP 2 protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.5	0.8		0.8	7 7								
Statewide GAP 3 protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.0	1.7		1.7	6 6								

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United States Department of Housing and Urban Development HJK HUD ICS IMHE Institute for Corruption Studies Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation Institute for Justice Inst Just Bennett et al. 2019. "Particulate matter air pollution and national and county life expectancy loss in the USA: A spatiotemporal analysis". Kauffman Foundation IBEN Kauffman MAP Movement Advancement Project MIT MIT Election and Data Science Lab coding of state policies Mukherjee Mukherjee et al. National Association for the Advancement of Colored People National Archive Of Criminal Justice Data NAACP NACJD NAEP National Assessment of Educational Progress National Center for Access to Justice NCAJ NCES National Center for Education Statistics NCIRD National Center for Immunization and Respiratory Diseases NCSL National Conference of State Legislatures NIEER National Institute for Early Education Research National Institute on Money in Politics NIMP NLCD National Land Cover Database National Survey of Children's Health NSCH NVCA National Venture Capital Association POL Pros Now Polaris Project Prosperity Now Scorecard PRRI Public Religion Research Institute OS Rank QS World University Rankings QuantGov QuantGov SEDA Stanford Education Data Archive Southern Poverty Law Center SPLC State OR State of Oregon Talk Pov Talk Poverty Tax Found Tax Foundation Urban Institute USDA United States Department of Agriculture United States Fish and Wildlife Service United States Geological Survey USFWS USGS USPFT United States Press Freedom Tracket United States Public Interest Research Group United States Patent and Trademark Office LISPIRG USPTO USRC United States Religious Census Washington Post WaPo