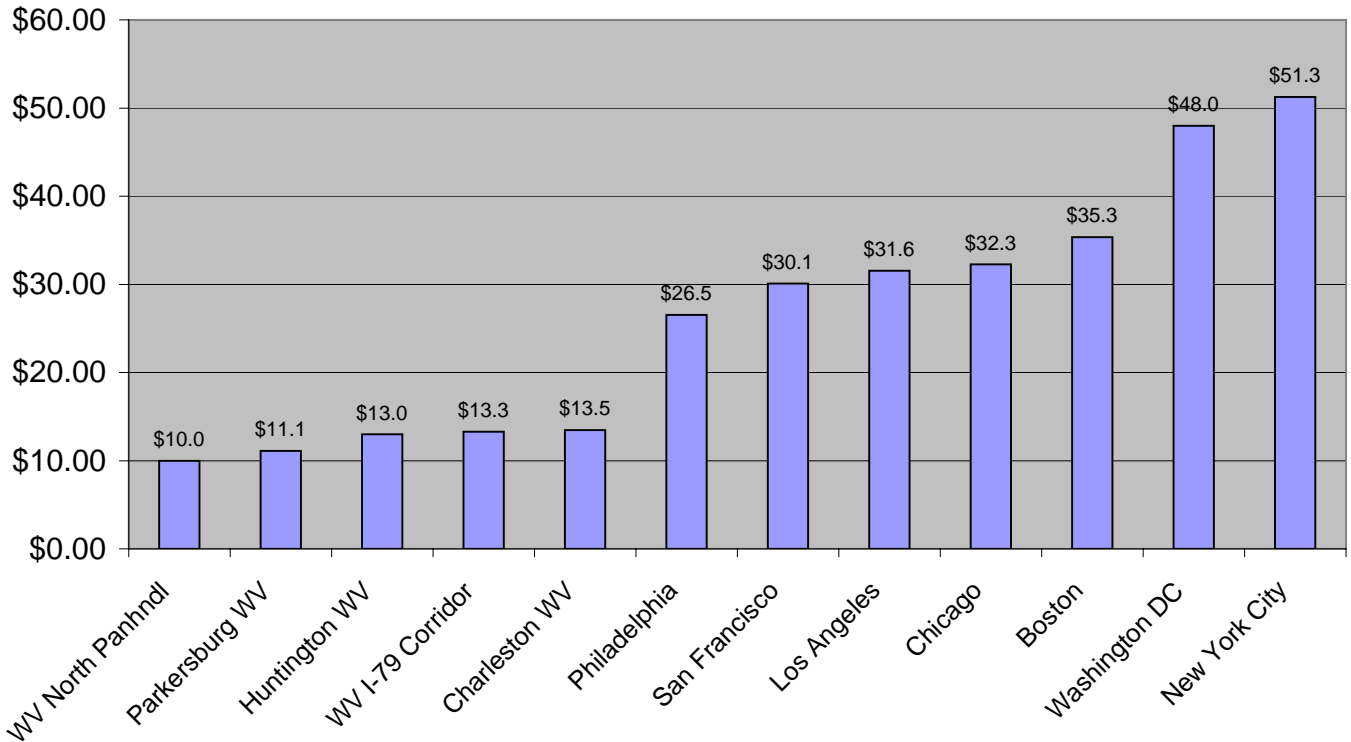


Affordable Office Space - A West Virginia Advantage

Average Cost of Class A Office Space, \$ Per Sq Ft

Sources: Society of Industrial & Office Realtors, West Virginia Development Office



Affordable Wages - A West Virginia Advantage

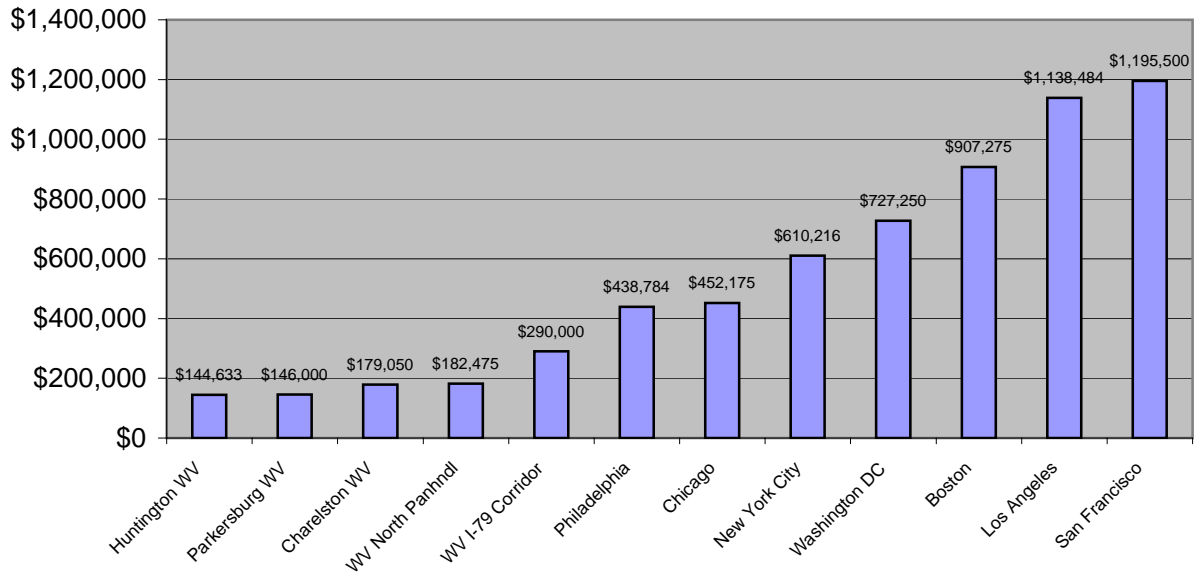
Average Annual Wages in 2004 for Occupations Important to the Business Services Industry

Occupation Title	Charleston WV	Huntington WV	WV Northern Panhandle	WV I-79 Corridor	Parkersburg WV	Washington DC	Philadelphia	New York City	Boston	Chicago	San Francisco	Los Angeles
Management Occupations	\$69,920	\$66,360	\$71,760	\$66,670	\$69,900	\$98,190	\$93,380	\$118,430	\$102,060	\$89,480	\$111,220	\$99,830
Accountants & Auditors	\$45,890	\$51,010	\$46,450	\$45,095	\$49,350	\$64,960	\$63,160	\$72,650	\$58,970	\$62,900	\$65,640	\$60,320
Insurance Underwriters	\$43,810	\$41,693	\$42,330	\$37,543	\$34,634	\$54,630	\$57,440	\$75,830	\$71,540	\$56,180	\$59,620	\$61,910
Computer Programmers	\$43,770	\$42,100	\$40,810	\$54,973	\$49,260	\$69,540	\$63,420	\$74,840	\$77,470	\$66,220	\$85,840	\$72,620
Database Administrators	\$40,670	\$38,740	\$44,147	\$41,074	\$47,590	\$71,350	\$62,800	\$78,810	\$73,880	\$64,650	\$81,840	\$67,290
Paralegals & Legal Assistants	\$34,370	\$30,750	\$28,360	\$28,470	\$28,730	\$47,210	\$41,560	\$49,080	\$48,670	\$44,260	\$54,480	\$50,470
Legal Support Workers, All Other	\$44,410	\$49,730	\$39,496	\$41,432	\$37,760	\$71,440	\$44,870	\$44,750	\$39,610	\$46,640	\$59,610	\$47,160
Customer Service Representatives	\$24,850	\$23,090	\$24,510	\$21,607	\$21,720	\$32,360	\$30,220	\$38,080	\$37,660	\$32,400	\$38,080	\$32,070
Interviewers, Except Loan	\$17,350	\$15,676	\$23,490	\$20,052	\$20,010	\$25,710	\$23,420	\$28,110	\$31,510	\$21,240	\$30,520	\$29,110

Sources: US Department of Labor and West Virginia Development Office

Affordable Housing - A West Virginia Advantage

Average Cost of a Single Family Home, 2,200 Sq Ft, 4 BR, 2.5 BA, 2 Car Garage
 Sources: Coldwell Banker "2005 Home Price Comparison Index" and Coldwellbanker.com



Low Cost of Living - A West Virginia Advantage

Compared to the US Average Cost of 100.0
 Source: ACCRA Cost of Living Index 2005:Q4

