



# Q3 2019 Market Report //////// Orange County Office



# MARKET REPORT

# Office 2019 Orange County



#### MARKET ACTIVITY



Direct Vacancy





13.2%



**Under Construction** 

**√** 560,824 SF



3.6%



Net Absorption





Gross Absorption

**№** 2,055,697 SF



Rental Rates (FSG)

\$2.70



### **KEY TAKE AWAYS**

#### MARKET

- Vacancy Rate: Experienced minimal increase of 10 BPS in Q3 to a rate of 13.2%.
- Net Absorption: Slipped back into negative territory.
- Office Supply: YTD 2019 over 1.2M SF has been delivered. Over 560K SF remains under construction.
- Sales: Pricing down slightly with the median price PSF of \$236.20 in Q3. Volume up over 19%.
- Asking Rents: Down from Q2.

#### **ECONOMIC OUTLOOK**

- Interest Rates: The yield curve remained inverted in Q3. In Q3, the 10-2 Spread inverted as well for the 1st time since 2007. The Fed cut rates twice in Q3, both by 25 BPS. An additional rate cut could transpire in Q4, if economy weakens.
- Trade: The trade dispute with China continues with no end in sight. Talks between the two most powerful economies are set to resume in Oct.
- Stock Market: The Dow and S&P posted minimal gains of 1.2% in Q3. NASDAQ finished negative.
- Oil: Crude Oil was down 6.7% in Q3.

#### **ECONOMIC OUTLOOK**



U.S. Employment



3.7%



U6 Rate



7.2%

%

Interest Rate





Changing GDP



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2.1%



Port Traffic Y/Y A 1.1%



NYSE Performance



0.9%



Inflation Change





10 Yr. - 2 Yr. Spread



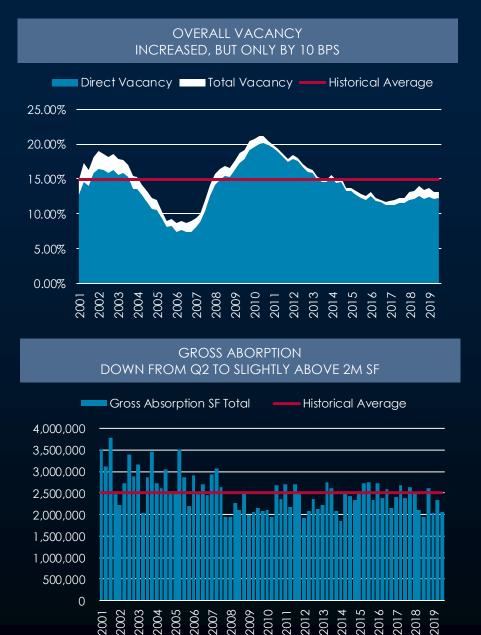
**EXPERIENCE IN A CHANGING MARKET** 

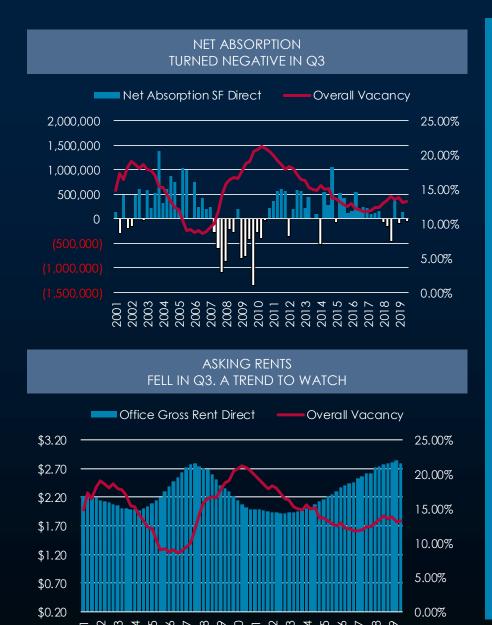
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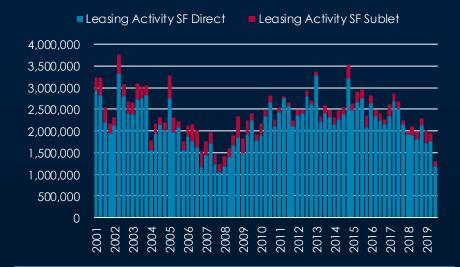




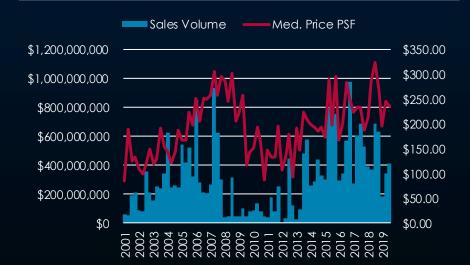




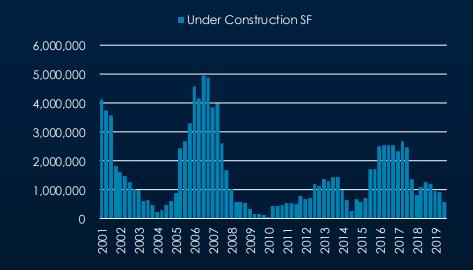
## LEASING ACTIVITY DOWN OVER 30% FROM Q2 TO BELOW 1.5M SF



# SALES MEDIAN PRICE PSF FOR Q3 WAS \$236.20. VOLUME UP OVER 19%



# CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY YTD 2019 OVER 1.2M SF DELIVERED. OVER 550K SF REMAINS UC

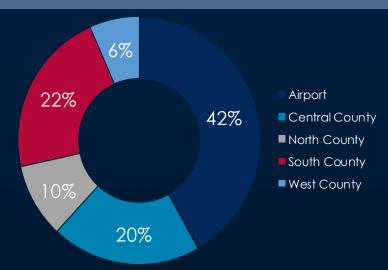


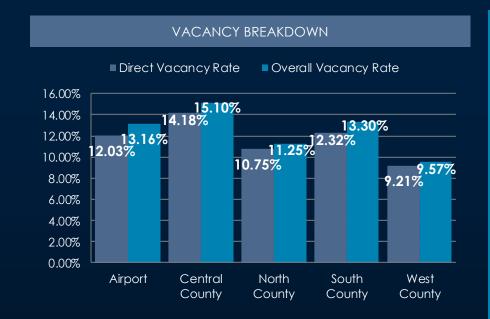












#### **AVERAGE RENT PSF** Average Office Rent FSG \$3.50 \$3.00 \$3.06 \$3.06 \$2.50 \$2.42 \$2.35 \$2.00 \$2.23 \$1.50 \$1.00 \$0.50 \$0.00 **Airport** North South West County Central County County County









# Economic Overview



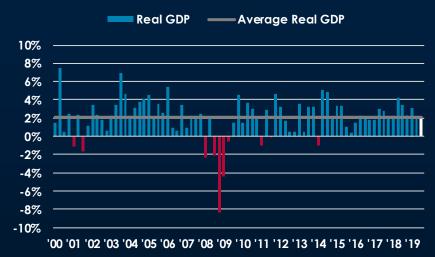
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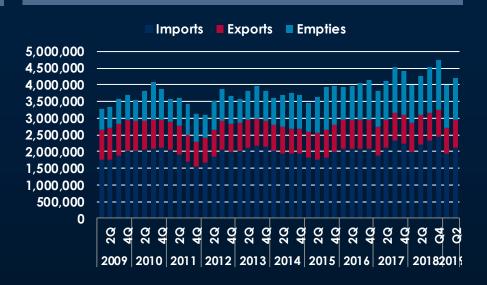


#### GDP IN Q2 FINISHED AT 2.0%, Q3 ESTIMATE IS 2.1%



\*2.1% for 3Q19 based on Fed Reserve Bank of Atlanta "GDP Now" Forecast

#### PORT ACTIVITY INCREASED IN Q2 BY 5.6% FROM Q1



#### UNEMPLOYMENT CONTINUES DOWNWARD TREND



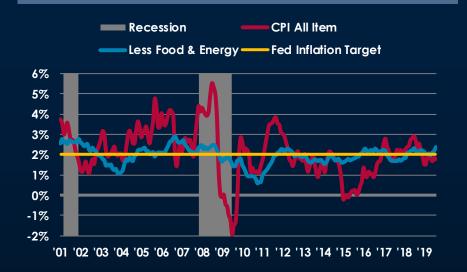
#### MOST INDUSTRY SECTORS CONTINUE TO SEE GROWTH



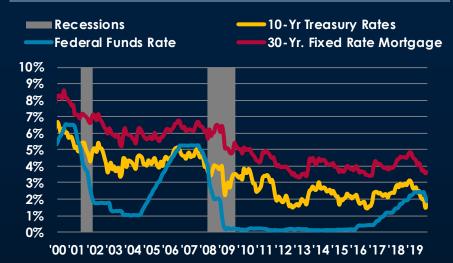




#### CPI JUST BELOW 2% TARGET



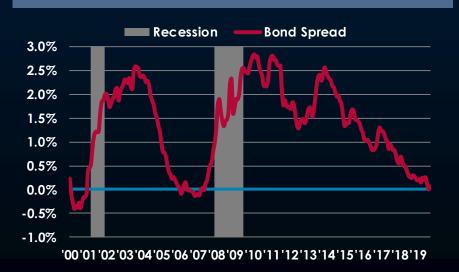
#### THE YIELD CURVE REMAINS INVERTED



#### VOLATILE Q3 FOR INDEXES, DOW & S&P UP 1.2%, NASDAQ DOWN



#### 10-2 YEAR BOND SPREAD INVERTED IN Q3





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# METHODOLOGY & TERMINOLOGY

#### Methodology

Non-Owner occupied, multitenant office buildings that are 30,000 square feet & greater.

#### **Direct Vacant SF**

Space that is vacant and ready for occupancy by a user. The space is being offered for lease or sale directly from the landlord.

#### Total Vacant W/ Sublet SF

Space that is vacant and ready for occupancy by a user. The space is being offered for lease or sale by the landlord or for sublease by the current tenant.

#### **Direct Vacancy Rate**

Total vacant direct space (vacant space for lease or sale from the landlord or owner) divided by the total rentable square footage for existing buildings only.

#### Vacancy W/ Sublet Rate

Total vacant direct space and sublease space divided by the total rentable square footage for existing buildings only.

#### **Gross Absorption**

The total change in occupied space over a given period of time, counting space that is occupied but not space that is vacated by tenants. Gross absorption differs from leasing activity, which is the sum of all space leased over a certain period of time.

#### **Net Absorption**

The net change in occupied space over a given period of time, calculated by summing all the positive changes in occupancy (move ins) and subtracting all the negative changes in occupancy (move outs).

#### **Under Construction**

Planned buildings for which construction has started but have not yet been granted a Certificate of Occupancy. Planned buildings are not included.

#### Completed in 2019

New buildings with original construction completed in the year 2019 and granted a Certificate of Occupancy. Renovated buildings are not included



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