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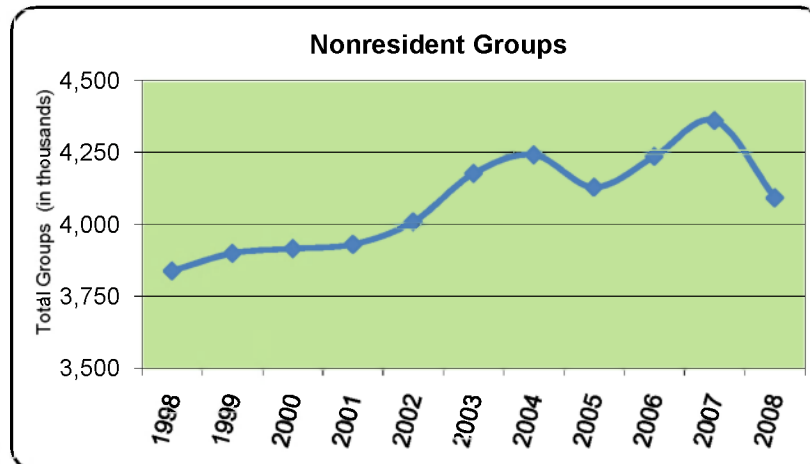
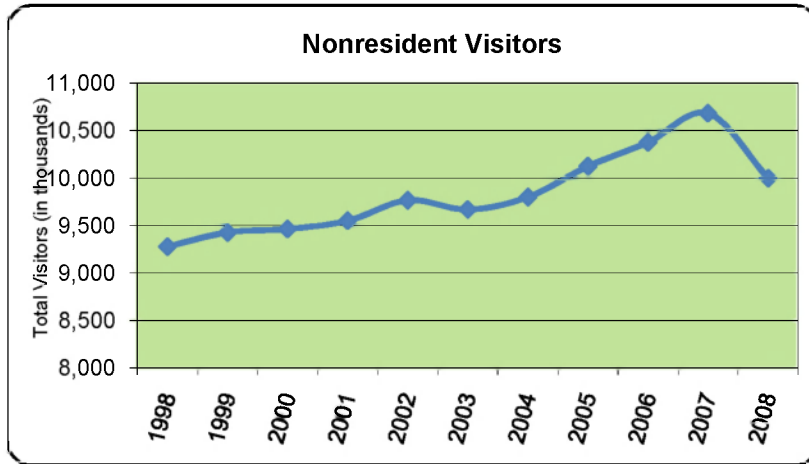
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Nonresident Visitation Trends	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	
Nonresident Visitors (in thousands)	9,280	9,428	9,465	9,552	9,767	9,670	9,800	10,126	10,378	10,684	10,000	
% Change from Previous Year		4.4%	1.6%	0.4%	0.9%	2.3%	-1.0%	1.3%	3.3%	2.5%	2.9%	-6.4%
% Change from 1997		4.4%	6.1%	6.5%	7.5%	9.9%	8.8%	10.2%	13.9%	16.8%	20.2%	12.5%
Nonresident Travel Groups (in thousands, 2.45 people per group)	3,839	3,900	3,916	3,931	4,009	4,177	4,241	4,129	4,236	4,360	4,092	
% Change from Previous Year		4.4%	1.6%	0.4%	2.0%	4.2%	1.5%	-2.6%	2.6%	2.9%	-6.1%	
% Change from 1997		4.4%	6.1%	6.5%	6.9%	9.0%	13.6%	15.3%	12.3%	15.2%	18.6%	11.3%