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Orange County is the **24th** largest multifamily market with **210,866** completed units and **40,377** units in development, **8,749** of which have already broken ground.

New lease asking **rents** are at \$2,622, up 19.6% ▲ from the previous year placing Orange County at 13th overall in year-over-year rent growth.

Multifamily housing **demand** has been rising with **4,572** ▲ net units absorbed over the past twelve months. This is down **-706** ▼ units from the previous year's gain of **5,278** ▲ absorbed units.

Employment in Orange County has grown by 5.5% ▲ over the past 12 months, while hourly wages have risen by 2.9% ▲ YoY to \$36.97 according to the *Bureau of Labor Statistics*.









