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**Central New Jersey** is the **38th** largest multifamily market with **139,176** completed units and **47,688** units in development, **7,024** of which have already broken ground.

New lease asking **rents** are at **\$2,117**, up **7.6%** ▲ from the previous year placing Central New Jersey at **7th** overall in year-over-year rent growth.

Multifamily housing **demand** has been positive with **3,518**▲ net units absorbed over the past twelve months. This is up **1,423**▲ units from the previous year's gain of **2,095**▲ absorbed units.

Employment in Central New Jersey has grown by 3.8% ▲ over the past 12 months, while hourly wages have risen by 3.1% ▲ YoY to \$36.70 according to the *Bureau of Labor Statistics*.







