

Figures show how the county grew

There was growth in postal receipts, building permits and PG&E hookups in Santa Cruz County in 1987 over 1986, although some of the increases were modest.

The number of PG&E hookups increased 1.7 percent in the Santa Cruz area and 2.2 percent in South County.

Postal receipts increased 9.2 percent at the main Santa Cruz office, but only 0.7 percent in Watsonville.

Building permits jumped from \$8.6 million to \$19.9 million in Capitola, in large part because of the Capitola Mall expansion.

PG&E hookups

Santa Cruz area
 1986 — 64,554
 1987 — 65,654

Watsonville area
 1986 — 24,315
 1987 — 24,850

Postal receipts

Santa Cruz
 1986 — \$8,957,000
 1987 — \$9,780,000

Watsonville
 1986 — \$2,142,305
 1987 — \$2,159,246

Building permits Assessed valuation

Watsonville
 1986 (11 months) —
 \$17,415,400
 1987 (11 months) —

\$24,241,410
Capitola
 1986 — \$8,684,434
 1987 — \$19,850,300