Q4 2021

TAMPA BAY



Underlying population and corporate growth trends favor Tampa Bay

Florida saw its population increase by nearly 1.0% in the first half of 2021 with Texas being the only state in the country to record a larger influx of new residents. As the impact of the pandemic is hopefully becoming more distant in the rearview mirror, the corporate migration and rapid population growth is not expected to let up. Unsurprisingly, investor interest in the area is bullish as reflected by the recent sale of Heights Union, a two-building, 294,000-square-foot (sf) complex located within the Tampa CBD submarket. Heights Union delivered in early 2021 and sold in October for \$492 per square foot (psf) - an astounding figure for the Tampa Bay market - to Atlanta-based REIT, Cousins Properties. Heights Union is a part of a mixed-use district anchored by Armature Works, a dynamic public market housed in a historic, fully renovated, former streetcar storage facility built in1910 that now offers multiple fine restaurants and event space, as well as outdoor food and recreational space.

Corporate confidence up despite slight dip in leasing activity

While quarterly leasing in Tampa Bay did not keep pace with the prior quarter's record-breaking figure of 1.3 msf, with 1.0 msf leased, it was on-par for typical Tampa Bay activity. Midtown Tampa, a new \$500 million, 22-acre mixed-use district secured several significant leases during the fourth quarter. One of Tampa Bay's largest public companies, Primo Water Corporation, will move its global headquarters to 44,000 sf at Midtown West in the district. Kforce, a publicly traded, Tampa-based staffing agency also announced a headquarters move to Midtown West with a 22,000-sf lease. In addition, Savills itself will relocate its Central Florida headquarters to Midtown West.

Availability ticks up but mostly due to new development projects

Tampa Bay's overall availability rate showed a slight 50 basis points (bps) increase, quarter over quarter, from 19.5% to 20.0%. The region's largest submarkets, Westshore and Tampa CBD, recorded opposite impacts to availability, with delivery of new inventory affecting Westshore's availability far more than that of Tampa CBD. Westshore Class A availability rates ticked up 140 basis points (bps), quarter over quarter, to 20.5% while in Tampa CBD availability saw a slight drop of 130 bps to 16.4%. When compared quarterly, Class A asking rental rates increased 0.6% in Westshore to \$37.12 psf and Tampa CBD average asking rate at \$36.57 psf posted a 3.8% decrease.

Outlook

- The Tampa Bay Economic Development Council reported that over the past five years nearly 60 new companies have either relocated or expanded operations to Tampa Bay creating more than 8,000 jobs and \$876 million in capital investment
- Zillow named the Tampa metro area as the hottest housing market for 2022 and the record buyer demand is only expected to continue throughout the year
- The Westshore business district is not only Tampa Bay's largest office submarket but also a major transportation hub for the entire region; massive road infrastructure projects are underway to create a more efficient transportation system









MAJOR TRANSACTIONS

31.8%

of major transactions were **relocations** by square footage

36.7%

of large transactions occurred in the **Westshore** submarket by square footage

22.6%

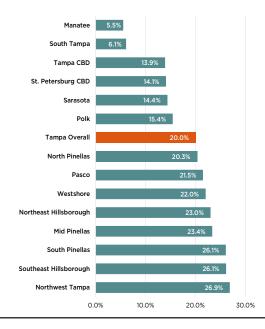
Manufacturing sector tenants represented 22.6% of major transactions by square footage

| Tenant | Square feet | Address | Transaction type | Submarket | Industry |
|---|-------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Coca-Cola Beverages Florida | 63,000 | 10117 Princess Palm Avenue | Renewal and Expansion | Southeast Hillsborough | Manufacturing |
| Primo Water Corporation | 44,464 | 1150 Assembly Drive | Relocation | Westshore | Retail |
| Quintairos, Prieto, Wood & Boyer, P.A. | 35,598 | 1410 N Westshore Boulevard | Renewal | Westshore | Legal Services |
| Kforce | 22,232 | 1150 Assembly Drive | Relocation | Westshore | Professional Services |
| Kimley-Horn and Associates | 21,893 | 201 N Franklin Street | Relocation | Tampa CBD | Engineering |
| Second Avenue | 20,000 | 401 E Jackson Street | New Location | Tampa CBD | Real Estate |
| Merrill Lynch | 19,361 | 1819 Main Street | Renewal | Sarasota | Financial Services |
| Maxim Healthcare | 18,391 | 4631 Woodland Corporate Boulevard | New Location | Northwest Tampa | Healthcare |
| Provest LLC | 17,898 | 7702 Woodland Center Boulevard | New Location | Northwest Tampa | Legal Services |
| WSP | 15,582 | 5411 SkyCenter Drive | New Location | Tampa CBD | Engineering |

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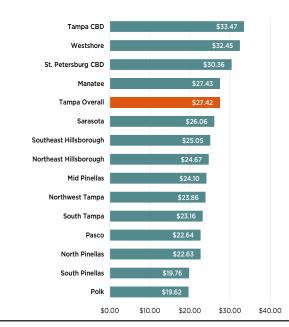
AVAILABILITY RATE COMPARISON

Tampa Bay Submarkets



RENTAL RATE COMPARISON (\$/SF)

Tampa Bay Submarkets



Unless otherwise noted, all rents quoted throughout this report are average asking gross (full service) rents per square foot. Statistics are calculated using both direct and sublease information. Current and historical availability and rent data are subject to change due to changes in inventory.

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