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Lafayette is the **114th** largest multifamily market with **16,480** completed units and **2,405** units in development, **810** of which have already broken ground.

New lease asking **rents** are at \$1,086, up 8.9% ▲ from the previous year placing Lafayette at 100th overall in year-over-year rent growth.

Multifamily housing **demand** has been rising with **331** ▲ net units absorbed over the past twelve months. This is down **-287** ▼ units from the previous year's gain of **618** ▲ absorbed units.

Employment in Lafayette has grown by 4.0% ▲ over the past 12 months, while hourly wages have risen by 6.7% ▲ YoY to \$25.80 according to the *Bureau of Labor Statistics*.









