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Montana is the 116th largest multifamily market with 15,516 completed units and 7,802 units in development, 2,505 of which have already broken ground.

New lease asking **rents** are at \$1,413, up 15.3% ▲ from the previous year placing Montana at 29th overall in year-over-year rent growth.

Multifamily housing **demand** has been rising with **125** ▲ net units absorbed over the past twelve months. This is down -604 ▼ units from the previous year's gain of **729** ▲ absorbed units.

Employment in Montana has grown by 3.2% ▲ over the past 12 months, while hourly wages have risen by 3.2% ▲ YoY to \$27.63 according to the *Bureau of Labor Statistics*.



