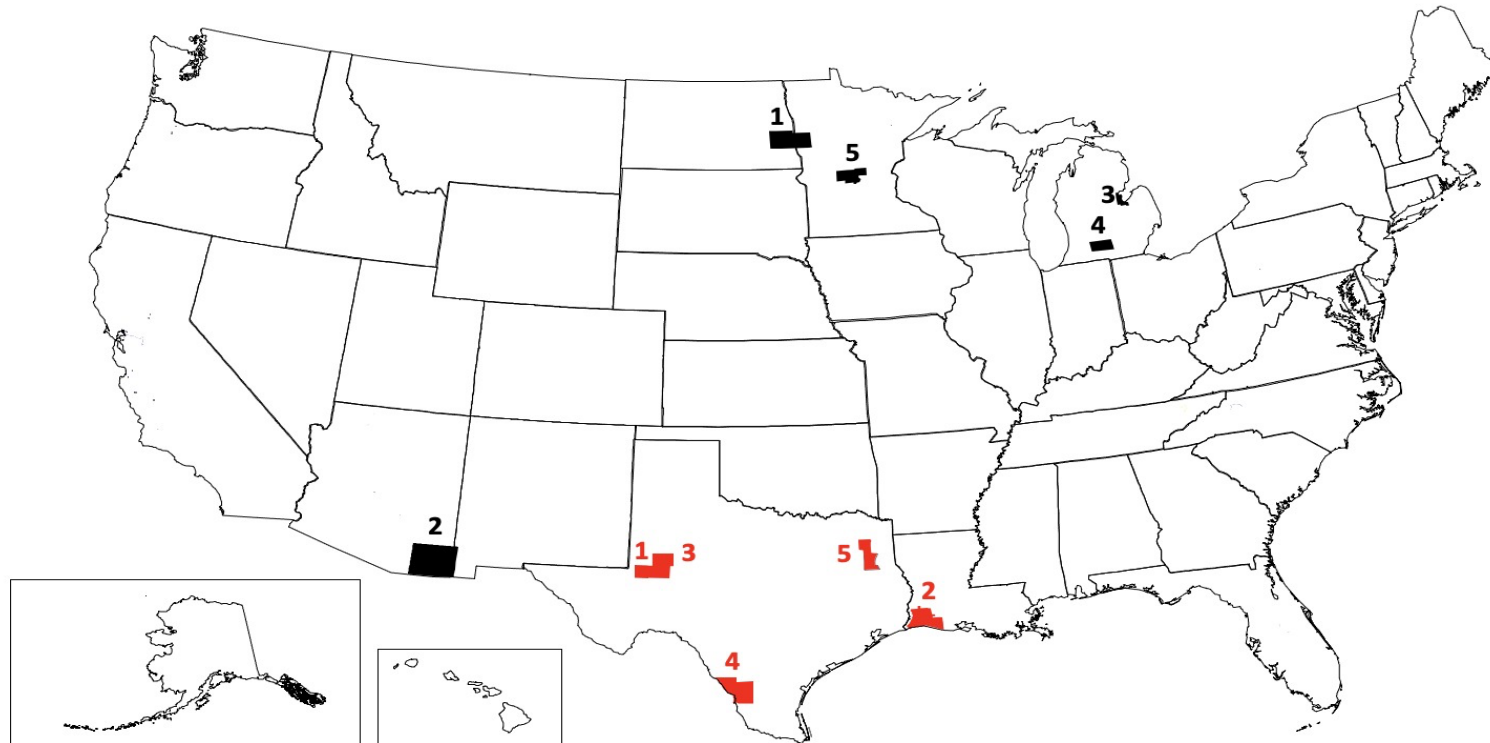


### Metro Areas with Largest Percent Changes in Construction Employment, February 2020–July 2021



**Top 5 Areas**

1 Fargo, ND-MN	49%
2 Sierra Vista-Douglas, AZ	48%
3 Bay City, MI	45%
4 Battle Creek, MI	40%
5 St. Cloud, MN	39%

**17-month % change**

**Bottom 5 Areas**

1 Odessa, TX	-39%
2 Lake Charles, LA	-33%
3 Midland, TX	-24%
4 Laredo, TX	-23%
5 Longview, TX	-22%

**17-month % change**