Citing the region's deep talent pool and low cost of hydropower, Massachusetts-based 1366 Technologies announced a \$700-million investment at the science and Technology Advanced Manufacturing Park (STAMP) in the Town of Alabama in northwest Genesee County. The company manufactures silicon wafers for solar cells. The project will create 600 new jobs over the next five years.

BY THE NUMBERS

Population (2015, estimate): 59,162

Educational Attainment*: 32.9%

Per Capita Personal Income: 39,064

County Labor Force (2014): 30,085

Unemployment rate (2014): 5.5%

