

# What's Ahead for 2019

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## Economy

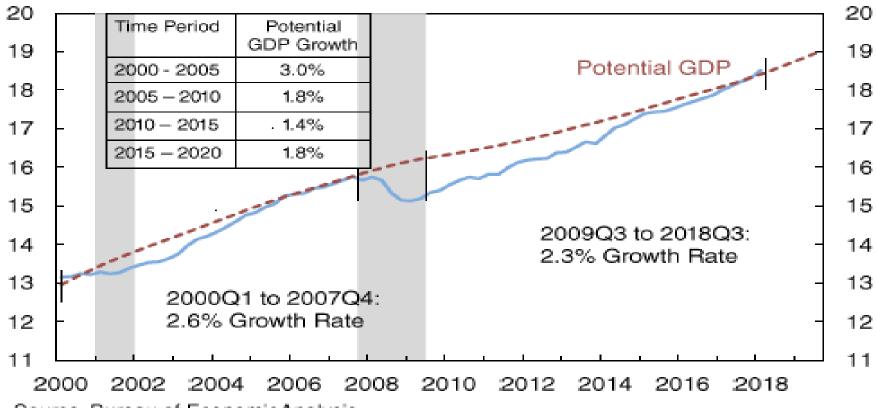
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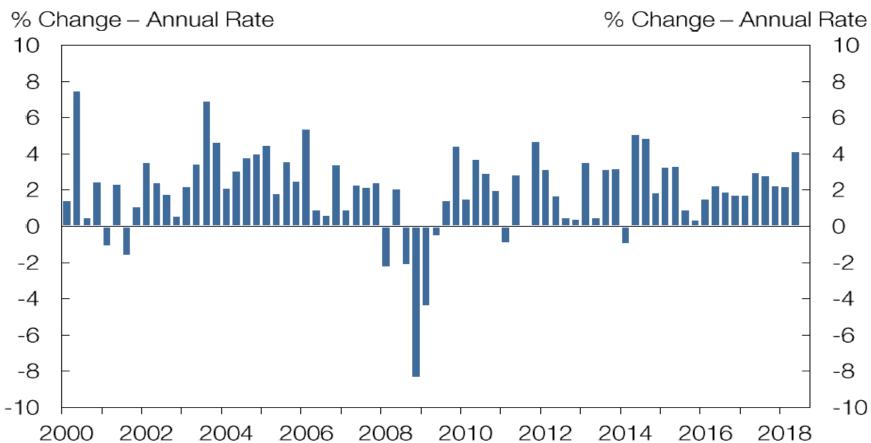


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## **GDP Growth**



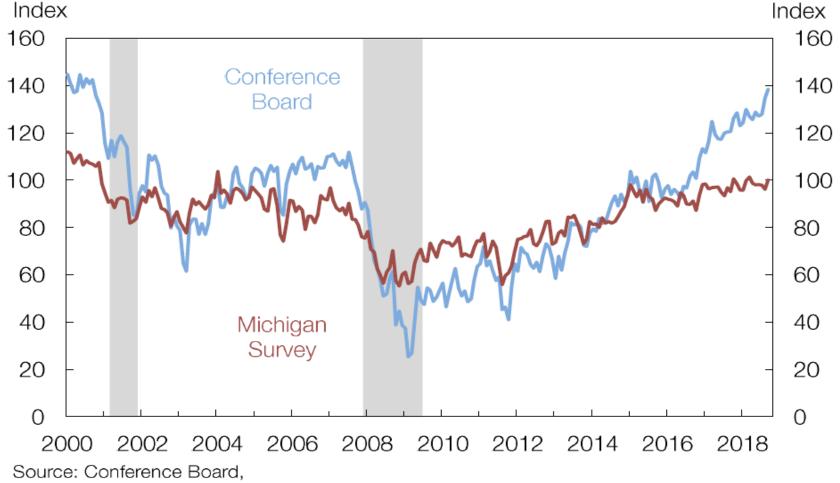


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### **Consumer Confidence**





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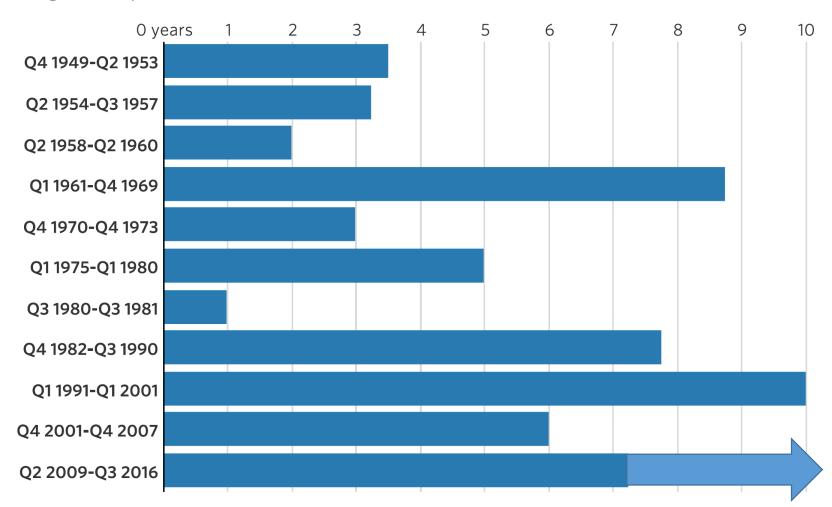
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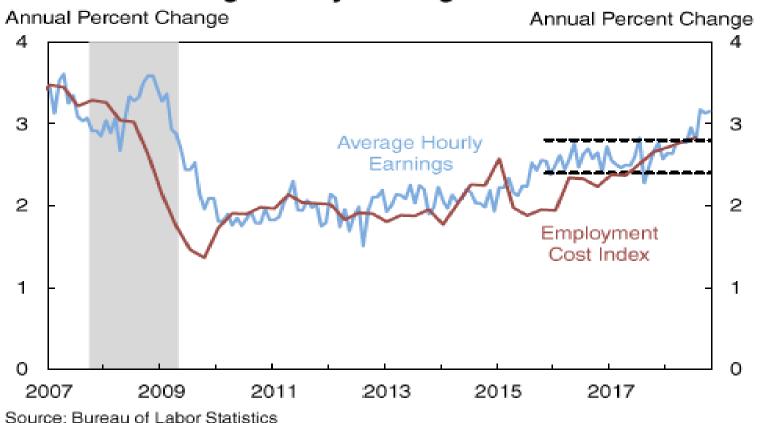
Length of expansions since 1949



Source: Commerce Department



#### **Growth of Average Hourly Earnings and ECI**

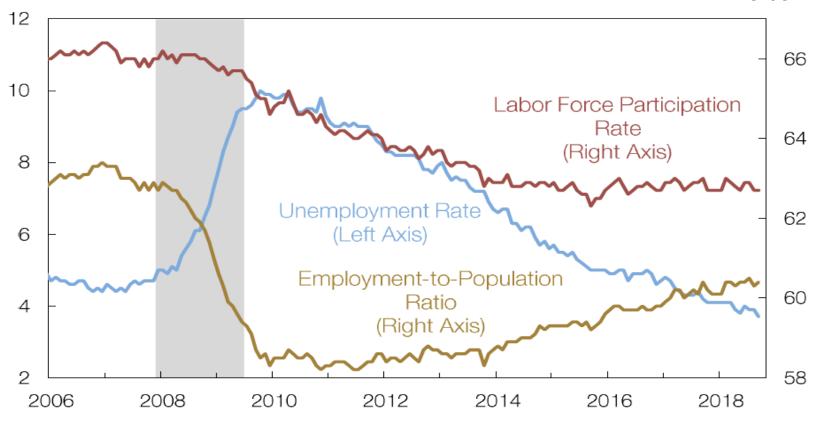


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#### **Labor Market Indicators**



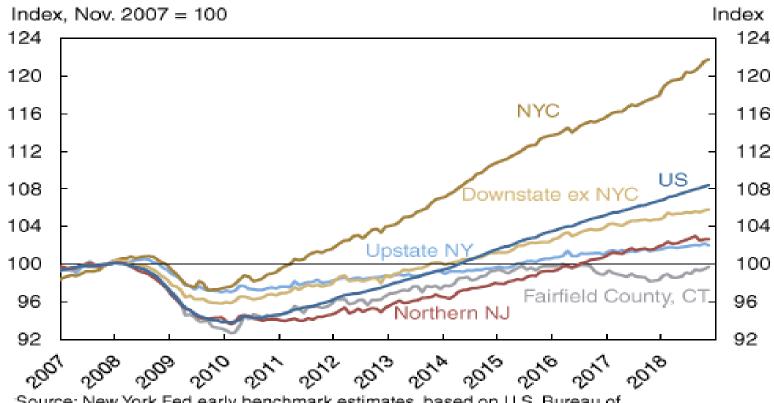




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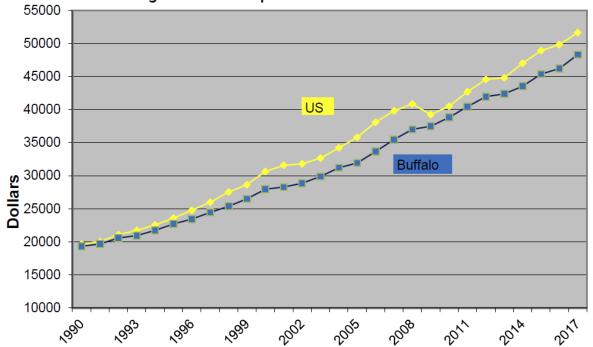
#### **2<sup>nd</sup> District Employment Trends**



Source: New York Fed early benchmark estimates, based on U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics data accessed through Moody's Economy.com





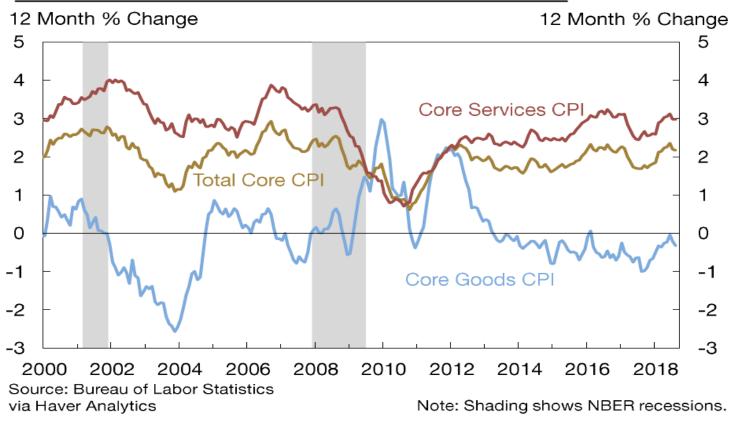


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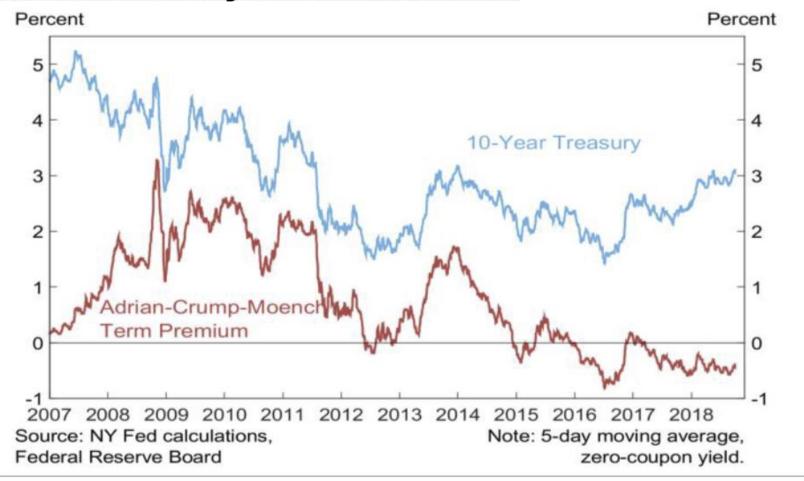
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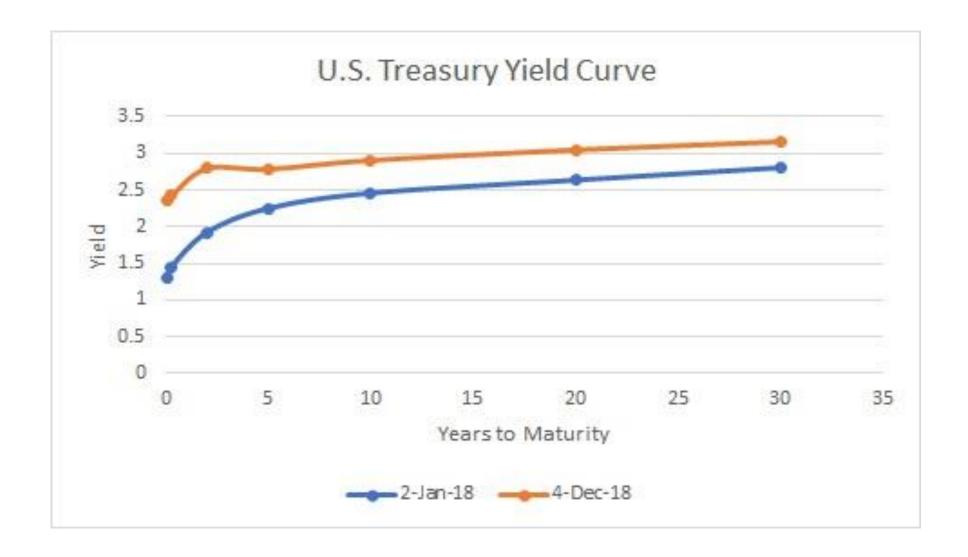
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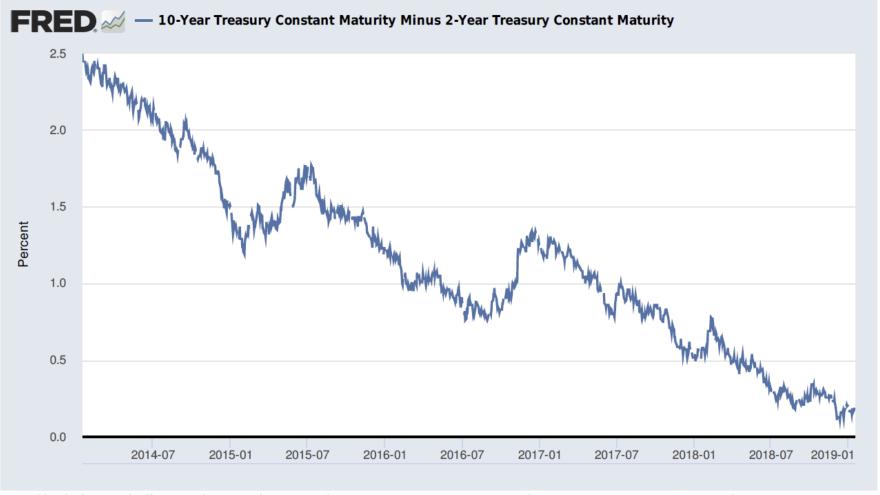
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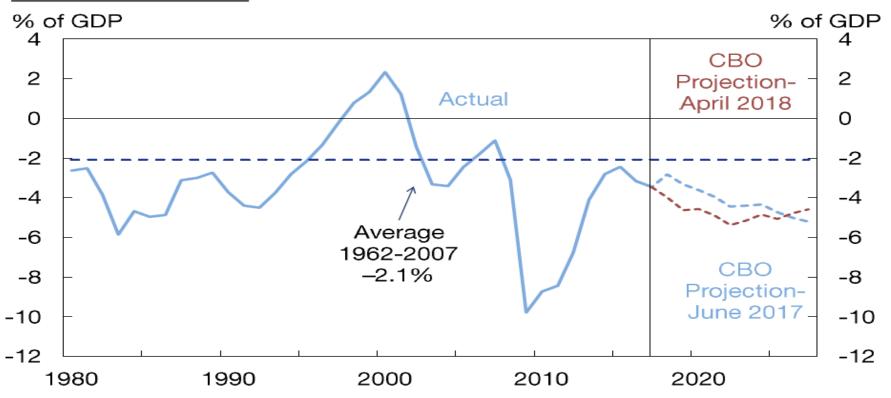


Shaded areas indicate U.S. recessions Source: Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis

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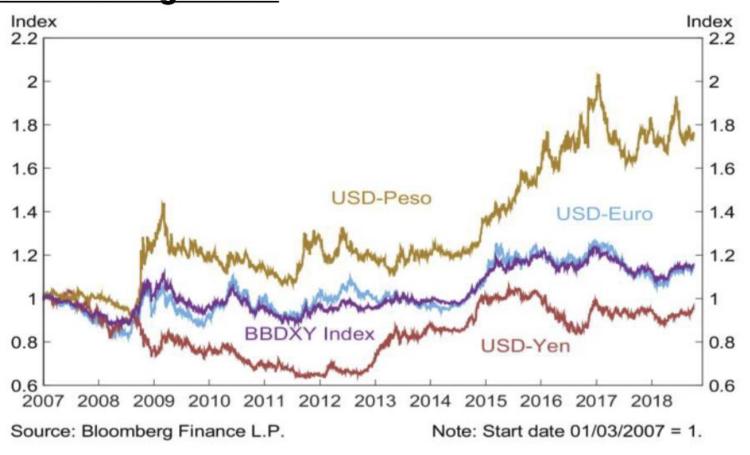
#### **Federal Deficit**



Source: Congressional Budget Office, FRBNY staff calculations



#### **USD Exchange Rates**

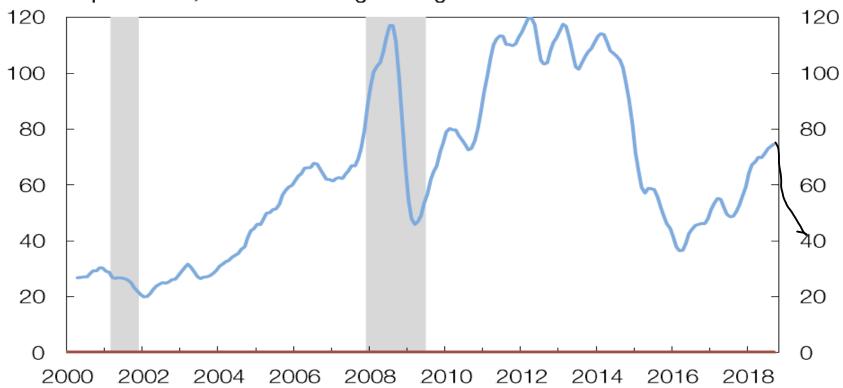


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#### **Crude Oil Prices**

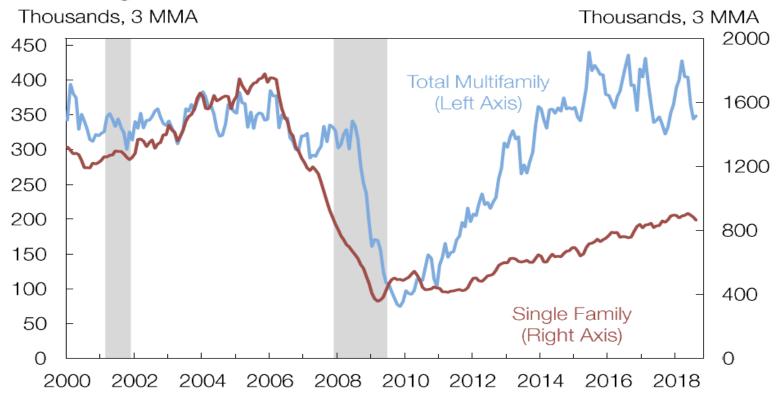
Dollars per Barrel, 4-Week Moving Average



Source: Energy Information Administration via Haver Analytics



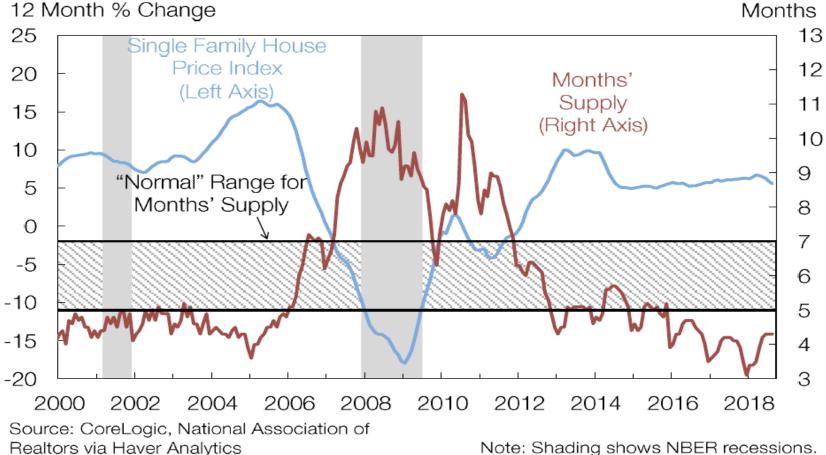
#### **Housing Starts**



Source: Census Bureau via Haver Analytics

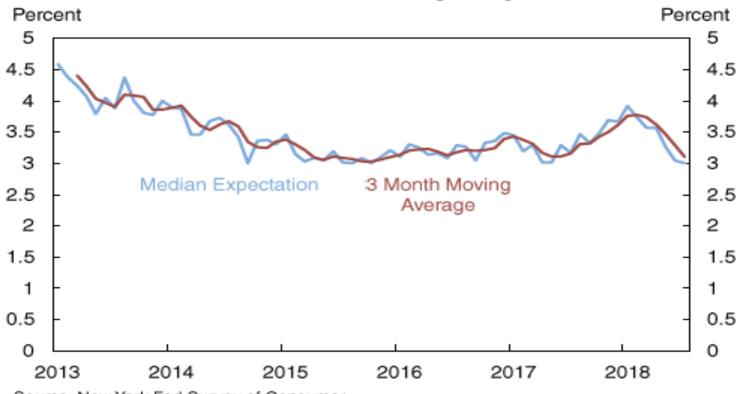
#### **Single Family Housing Market**







### 1-Year Ahead Home Price Change Expectations

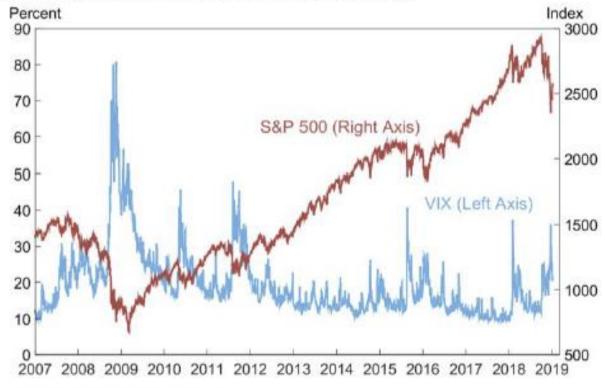


Source: New York Fed Survey of Consumer

Expectations (SCE)



### **U.S. Equity Market Index and Volatility**



Source: Bloomberg Finance L.P.



#### **Real Government Consumption and Gross Investment**

