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Construction starts in the Houston region totaled \$1.530 billion in June, a 4.5 percent decrease from \$1.603 billion in June '16, according to the latest report from Dodge Data & Analytics. Residential starts fell 26.8 percent while nonresidential starts rose 38.0 percent.

JUNE CONSTRUCTION STARTS, METRO HOUSTON*			
	June (\$ millions)		% Change
	'17	'16	
Nonresidential	761.2	551.8	+38.0
Residential	768.7	1,050.8	-26.8
Total Building	1,529.9	1,602.6	-4.5

* includes Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Fort Bend, Galveston, Harris, Liberty, Montgomery, San Jacinto and Waller Counties.

Source: Dodge Data & Analytics

Note: Numbers may not sum due to rounding.

For the 12 months ending June '17, starts totaled \$15.9 billion, down 7.3 percent from \$17.1 billion for the corresponding period in '16. The 12-month total peaked at \$30.9 billion in February '15, the height of the chemical plant construction boom, and has trended down since.

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