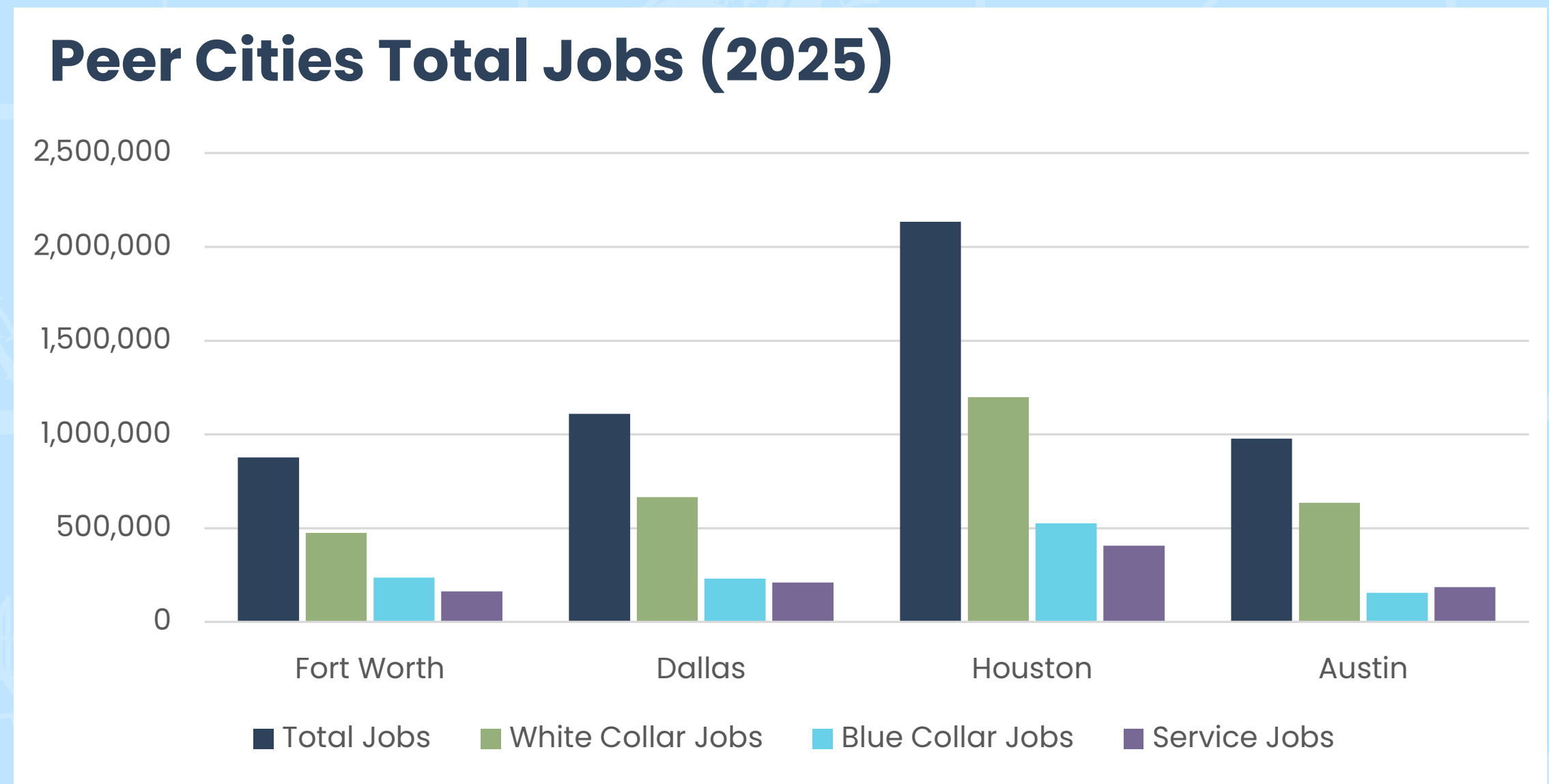


2050 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

Our Missing “Top Tier” of Jobs and Industries



Even with rapid job growth, Fort Worth has **fewer jobs overall** than peer cities—and the **fewest white-collar jobs**.



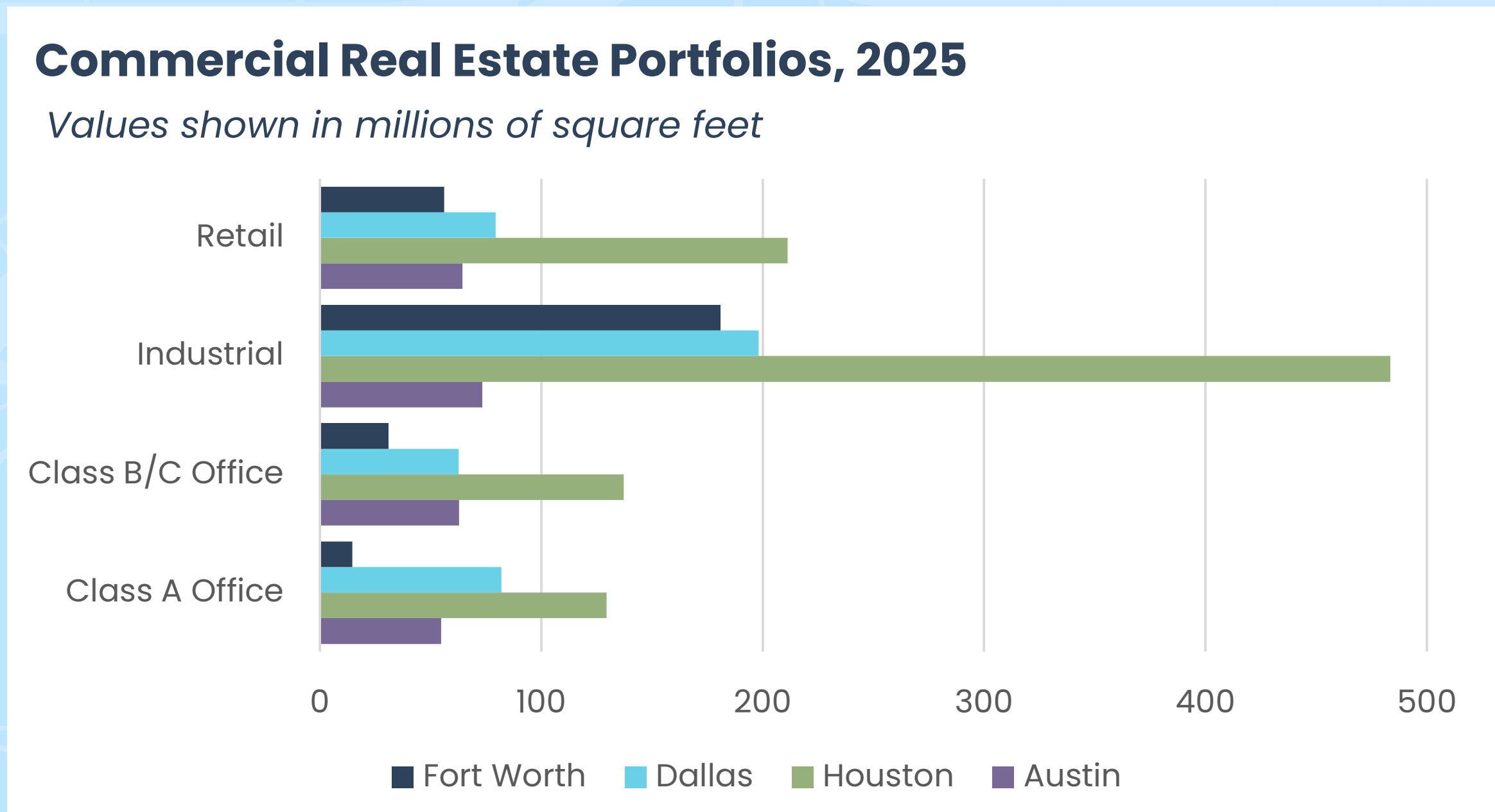
Fort Worth has **fewer premier industry sectors and anchor employers**, compared to peer cities.



City	# of Premier Industry Sectors	Avg. Earnings at Large Companies
Fort Worth	1	\$64,000
Dallas	5	\$81,000
Austin	4	\$99,000
Houston	3	\$88,000

Dallas, Austin, and Houston each have 3-5 premier sectors that drive their economies – **Fort Worth has just 1** (Management sector).

Fort Worth has a **low supply of high-quality office space** (Class A office), limiting the ability to attract top-tier companies.



Fort Worth also has **less retail to support vibrant, walkable districts**.

These types of amenity-rich environments are increasingly important for attracting and retaining top-tier talent.