

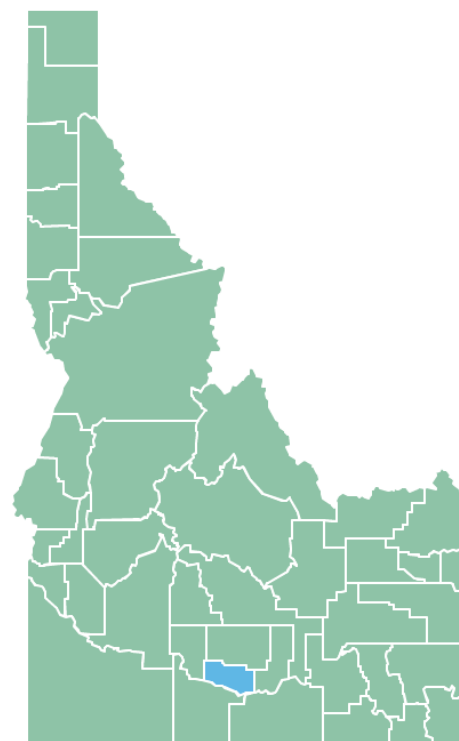


Jerome County Labor Force And Economic Profile

Last Updated: April 2024

Jerome County Economic Overview

Civilian Labor Force (Mar 2024)	11,787
Unemployment Rate (Mar 2024)	3.3%
Population (2023)	25,479
Median Household Income (2022)	\$67,347
Per Capita Personal Income (2022)	\$45,665
Poverty Rate (2022)	14.7%



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1. Jerome County Demographic Characteristics, 2022 5-Year ACS

	Jerome County	Jerome County (%)	State of Idaho (%)	United States (%)
Total Population	24,474	100.0%	1,854,109	331,097,593
Race and Ethnicity				
White alone, not hispanic	17,833	72.9%	84.9%	65.9%
Black or African American alone, not hispanic	7	0.0%	0.7%	12.5%
Native American alone, not hispanic	159	0.6%	1.2%	0.8%
Asian alone, not hispanic	96	0.4%	1.3%	5.8%
Hispanic, or Latino (of any race)	9,271	37.9%	13.1%	18.7%
Gender				
Male	12,576	51.4%	50.4%	49.6%
Female	11,898	48.6%	49.6%	50.4%
Age				
Median age	33.0	-	36.9	38.5
Under 18 years	7,332	30.0%	24.5%	22.1%
Over 18 years	17,142	70.0%	75.5%	77.9%
21 years and over	15,020	61.4%	65.4%	68.4%
Over 65 years	3,115	12.7%	16.3%	16.5%
Educational Attainment (Population 25 years and Over)				
Less than 9th grade	2,002	8.2%	2.1%	3.2%
High school graduate (with equivalencies)	4,288	17.5%	17.2%	18.0%
Some college, no degree	3,376	13.8%	16.4%	13.5%
Associate's degree	1,677	6.9%	6.5%	6.0%
Bachelor's degree	1,311	5.4%	13.2%	14.3%
Graduate or professional degree	657	2.7%	6.6%	9.2%
Median Household Income	\$67,347	-	\$70,214	\$75,149

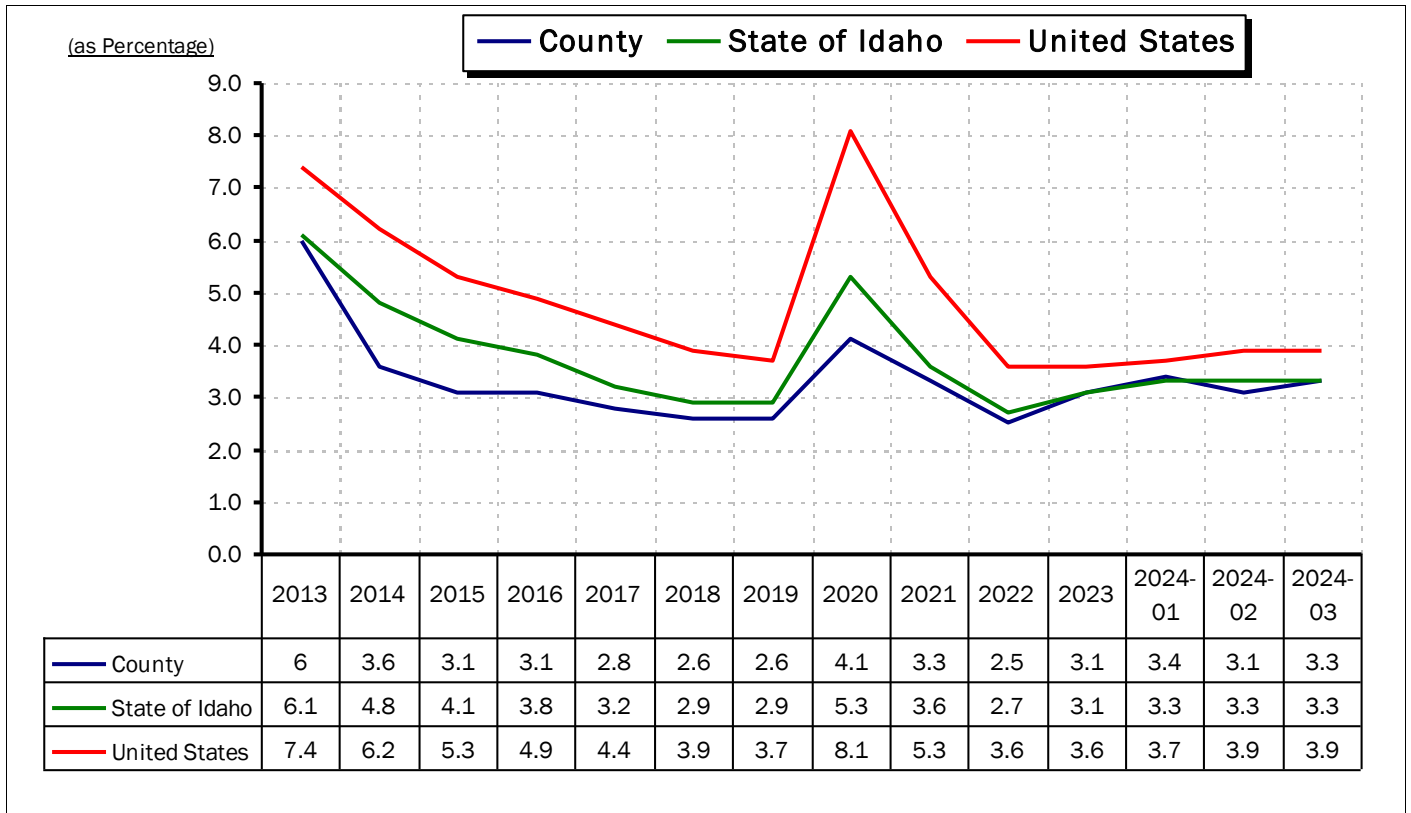
Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

2. Labor Force Growth, March 2023 to March 2024

	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
March 2024	11,787	11,396	391	3.3%
March 2023	11,842	11,493	349	2.9%
YoY % Change	-0.5%	-0.8%	12.0%	0.4%

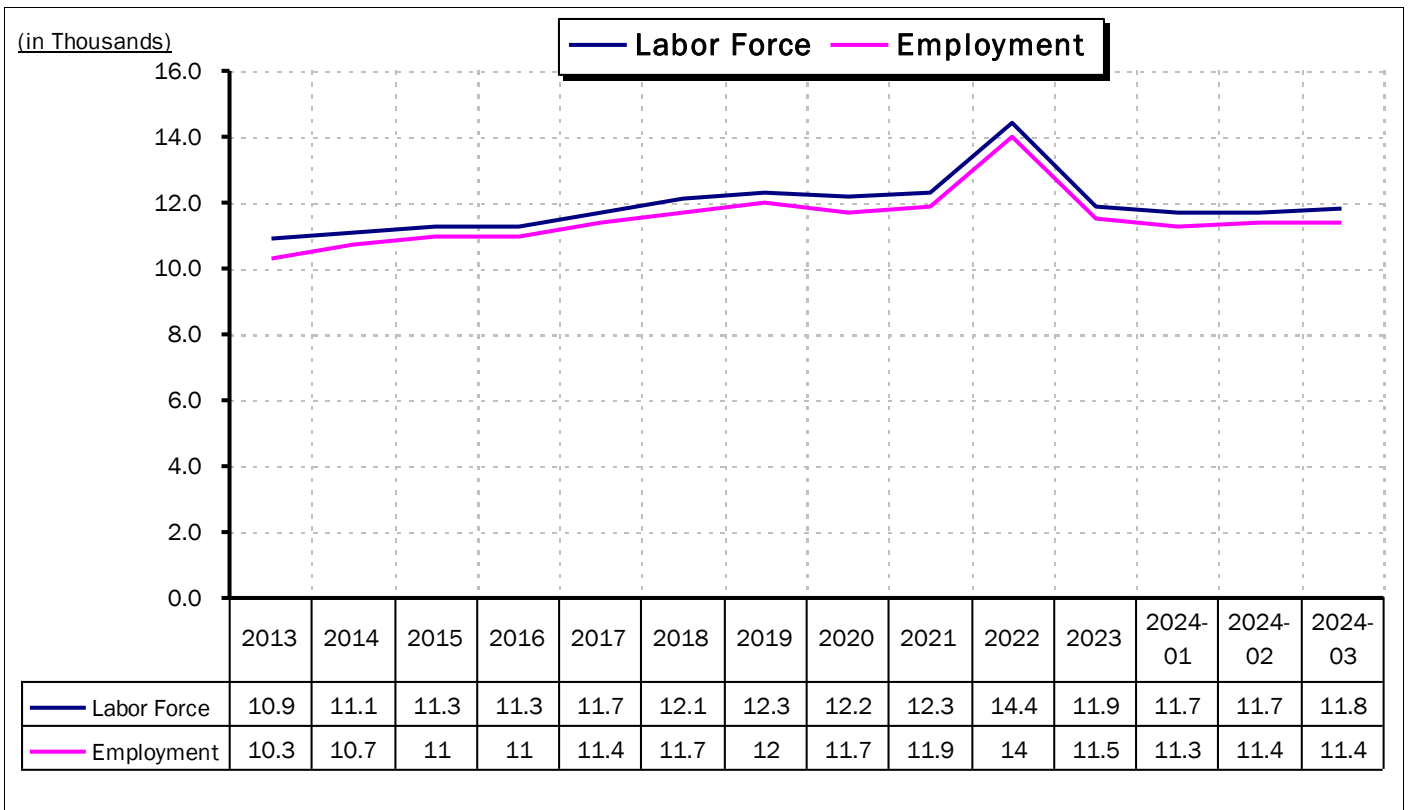
Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

3. Seasonally-Adjusted Unemployment Rate, 2013 to March 2024



Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

4. Seasonally-Adjusted Labor Force and Employment, 2013 to March 2024



Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

5. Industry Employment and Wages, 2012, 2021, and 2022

Supersector	2012		2021		2022	
	Average Employment	Average Wages	Average Employment	Average Wages	Average Employment	Average Wages
Total Covered Wages	8,686	\$32,541	10,977	\$43,617	11,052	\$47,989
Natural Resources and Mining	2,241	\$29,617	2,904	\$41,346	2,828	\$43,826
Construction	270	\$43,600	514	\$46,644	554	\$54,490
Manufacturing	1,442	\$36,717	1,859	\$52,171	1,996	\$57,029
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	2,233	\$36,291	2,571	\$46,385	2,534	\$51,392
Information						
Financial Activities	198	\$30,157	149	\$37,408	177	\$38,267
Professional and Business Services	238	\$39,443	543	\$47,275	554	\$55,435
Education and Health Services	977	\$30,552	1,140	\$41,710	1,154	\$44,686
Leisure and Hospitality	401	\$14,102	575	\$18,721	547	\$21,344
Other Services	181	\$26,595	218	\$34,410	217	\$38,750
Public Administration	420	\$29,133	446	\$42,320	438	\$45,993

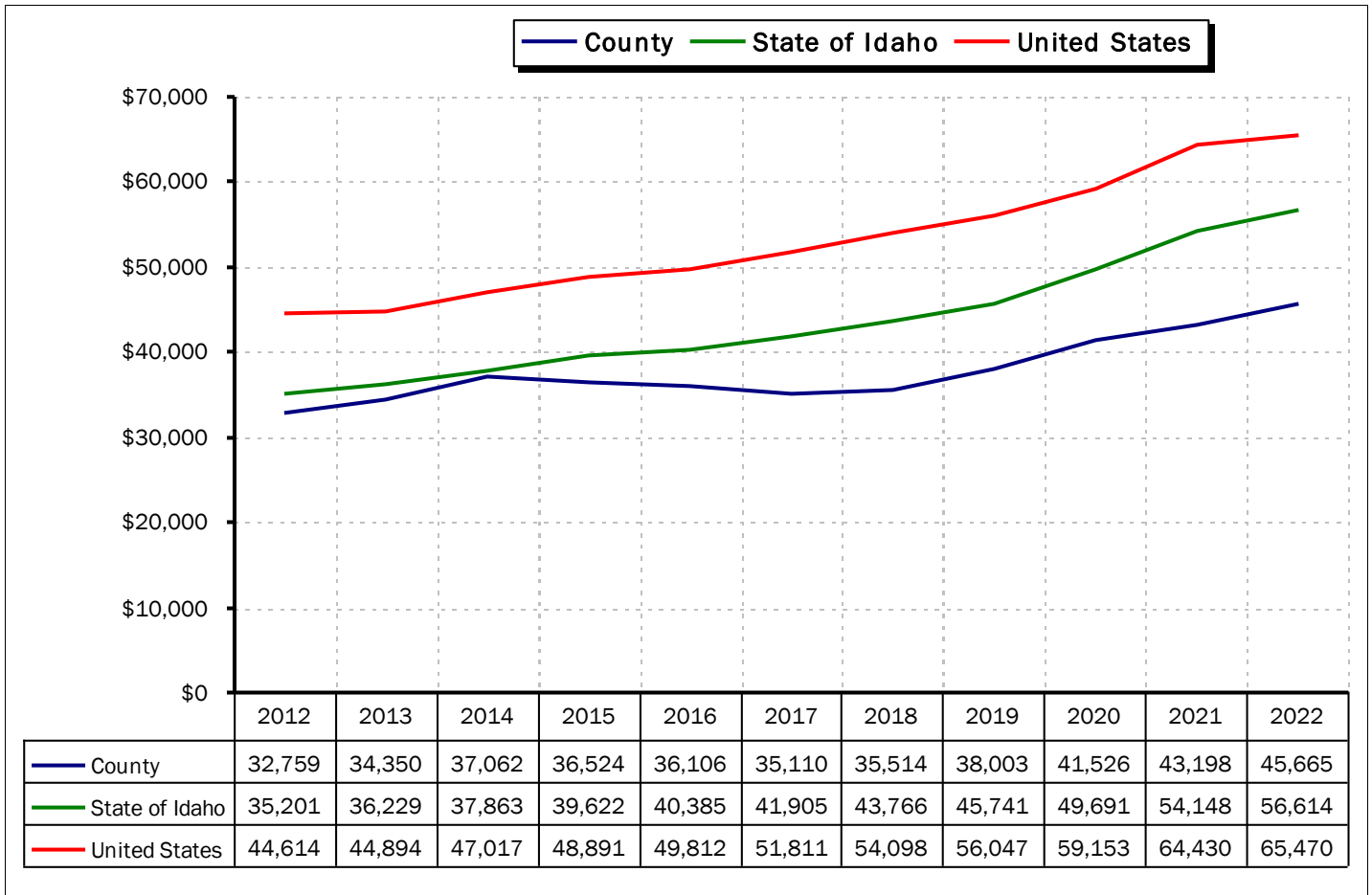
Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Quarterly Census of Employment Wages (QCEW)

6. Top Employers, 2022

Employer	Ownership	Employment Range
Jerome Joint School District	Local Government	500 - 999
Rite Stuff Foods	Private	250 - 499
Wal-mart	Private	250 - 499
Hilex Poly	Private	100 - 249
St. Luke's Magic Valley Regional Medical Center	Private	100 - 249
Commercial Creamery	Private	100 - 249
Jerome County	Local Government	100 - 249
Bettencourt Dairies	Private	100 - 249
City Of Jerome	Local Government	100 - 249
Fiber Care Baths	Private	050 - 099

NOTE: Only employers that have given the Department permission to release employment range data are listed.
 Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Quarterly Census of Employment Wages (QCEW)

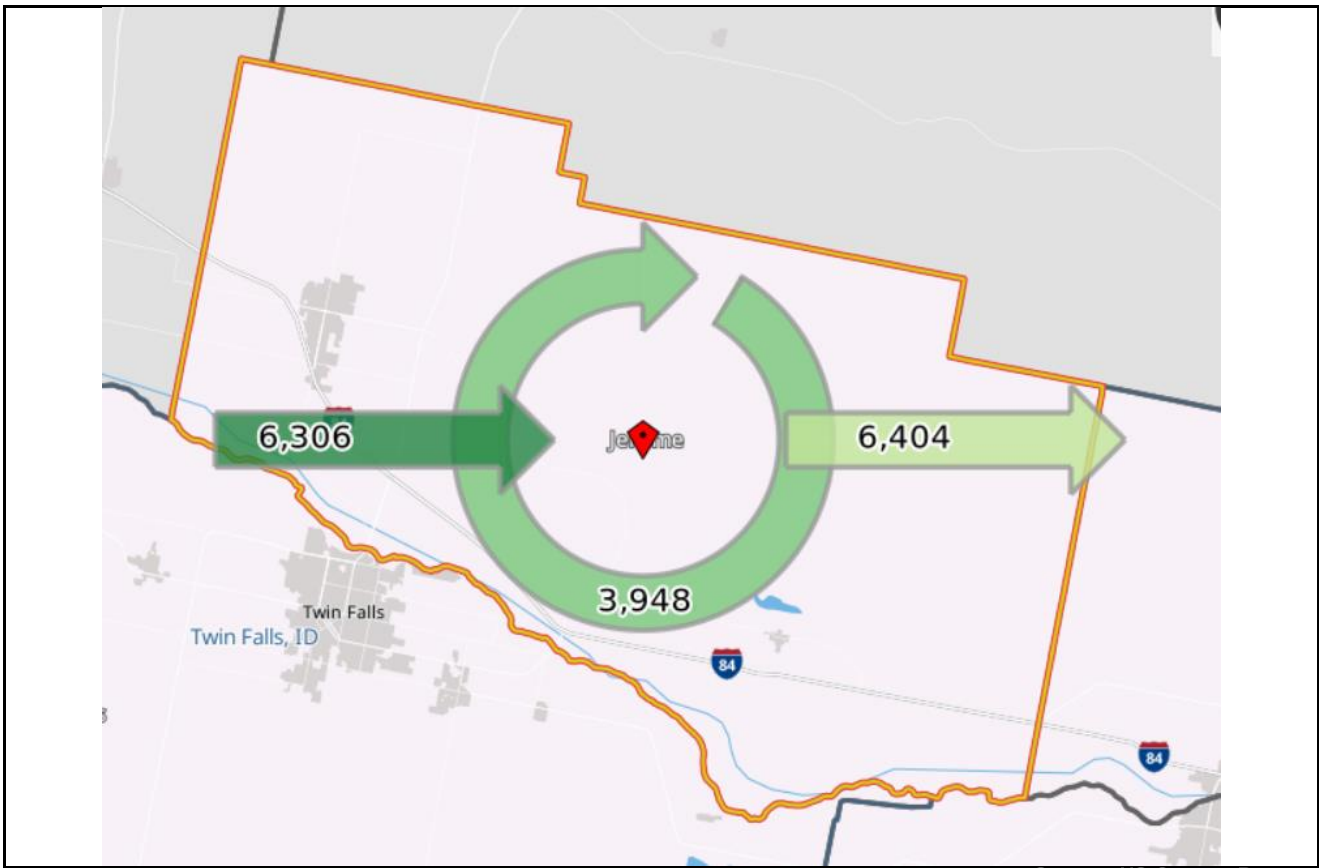
7. Real Per Capita Income, 2012 to 2022



Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

8. Labor Force Commuting Patterns, 2021

It is estimated that 3,085 workers lived and worked in Jerome County in 2021. Another 5,467 workers were employed in Jerome County but lived outside, while 5,441 workers commuted to other counties for work.



Source: US Census Bureau

9. Top 10 Cities Where People Who Work in Jerome County Live, 2021

City of Residence	Count of All Jobs	Percentage of Total Jobs
Twin Falls	1,645	19.2%
Jerome	1,616	18.9%
Wendell	179	2.1%
Buhl	126	1.5%
Boise City	114	1.3%
Gooding	113	1.3%
Kimberly	103	1.2%
Hazelton	93	1.1%
Burley	81	0.9%
Hagerman	70	0.8%

Note: "All Jobs" includes private and public sector jobs. It also includes a count of workers with multiple jobs. Source: US Census Bureau- Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics (LEHD)

10. Top 10 Cities Where People Who Live in Jerome County Work, 2021

City of Employment	Count of All Jobs	Percentage of Total Jobs
Twin Falls	1,998	23.4%
Jerome	1,366	16.0%
Boise City	381	4.5%
Burley	172	2.0%
Wendell	128	1.5%
Meridian	123	1.4%
Nampa	112	1.3%
Pocatello	105	1.2%
Idaho Falls	91	1.1%
Kimberly	91	1.1%

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