

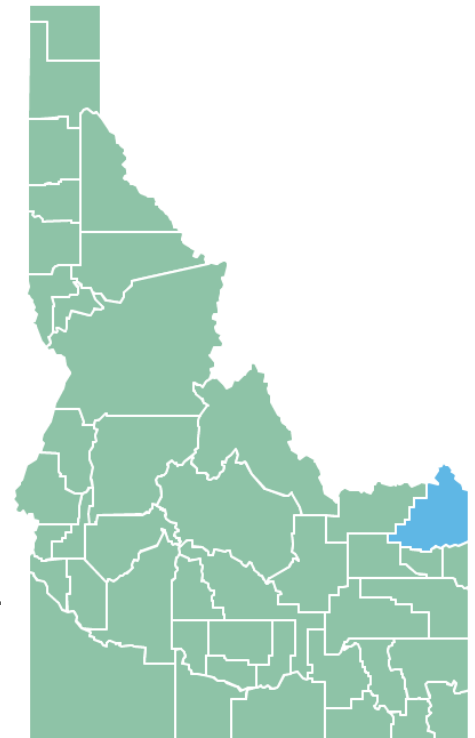


# Fremont County Labor Force And Economic Profile

Last Updated: January 2025

## Fremont County Economic Overview

|                                   |          |
|-----------------------------------|----------|
| Civilian Labor Force (Dec 2024)   | 8,160    |
| Unemployment Rate (Dec 2024)      | 3.0%     |
| Population (2023)                 | 14,196   |
| Median Household Income (2023)    | \$72,767 |
| Per Capita Personal Income (2023) | \$47,011 |
| Poverty Rate (2023)               | 9.8%     |



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## 1. Fremont County Demographic Characteristics, 2023 5-Year ACS

|  | Fremont<br>County | Fremont<br>County (%) | State of<br>Idaho (%) | United<br>States (%) |
|--|-------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| <b>Total Population</b>                                      | 13,701            | 100.0%                | 1,893,296             | 332,387,540          |
| <b>Race and Ethnicity</b>                                    |                   |                       |                       |                      |
| White alone, not hispanic                                    | 12,171            | 88.8%                 | 83.3%                 | 63.4%                |
| Black or African American alone, not hispanic                | 39                | 0.3%                  | 0.7%                  | 12.4%                |
| Native American alone, not hispanic                          | 155               | 1.1%                  | 1.1%                  | 0.9%                 |
| Asian alone, not hispanic                                    | 7                 | 0.1%                  | 1.3%                  | 5.8%                 |
| Hispanic, or Latino (of any race)                            | 1,656             | 12.1%                 | 13.3%                 | 19.0%                |
| <b>Gender</b>  |                   |                       |                       |                      |
| Male   | 7,095             | 51.8%                 | 50.3%                 | 49.5%                |
| Female   | 6,606             | 48.2%                 | 49.7%                 | 50.5%                |
| <b>Age</b>   |                   |                       |                       |                      |
| Median age   | 39.9              | -                     | 37.1                  | 38.7                 |
| Under 18 years   | 3,299             | 24.1%                 | 24.5%                 | 22.2%                |
| Over 18 years  | 10,402            | 75.9%                 | 75.5%                 | 77.8%                |
| 21 years and over  | 9,290             | 67.8%                 | 65.7%                 | 68.7%                |
| Over 65 years  | 2,438             | 17.8%                 | 16.6%                 | 16.8%                |
| <b>Educational Attainment (Population 25 years and Over)</b> |                   |                       |                       |                      |
| Less than 9th grade  | 356               | 2.6%                  | 2.1%                  | 3.2%                 |
| High school graduate (with equivalencies)                    | 2,955             | 21.6%                 | 17.0%                 | 18.0%                |
| Some college, no degree                                      | 2,344             | 17.1%                 | 16.3%                 | 13.3%                |
| Associate's degree   | 1,103             | 8.1%                  | 6.4%                  | 6.0%                 |
| Bachelor's degree  | 1,569             | 11.5%                 | 13.7%                 | 14.6%                |
| Graduate or professional degree                              | 452               | 3.3%                  | 6.8%                  | 9.4%                 |
| <b>Median Household Income</b>                               | \$72,767          | -                     | \$74,636              | \$78,538             |

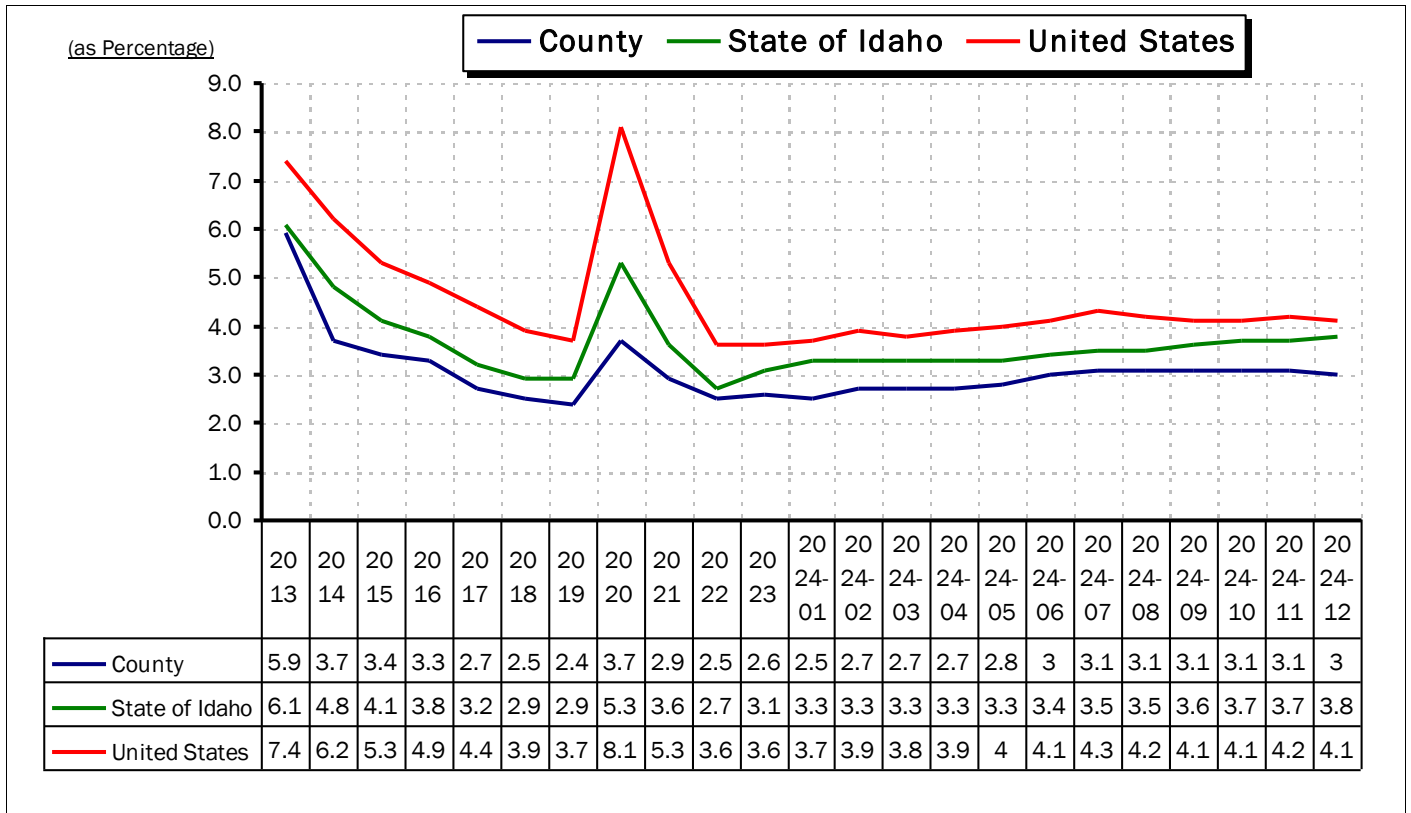
Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

## 2. Labor Force Growth, December 2023 to December 2024

|                      | Labor Force | Employment  | Unemployed   | Unemployment Rate |
|----------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------------|
| <b>December 2024</b> | 8,160       | 7,916       | 244          | 3.0%              |
| <b>December 2023</b> | 7,863       | 7,663       | 200          | 2.5%              |
| <b>YoY % Change</b>  | <b>3.8%</b> | <b>3.3%</b> | <b>22.0%</b> | <b>0.5%</b>       |

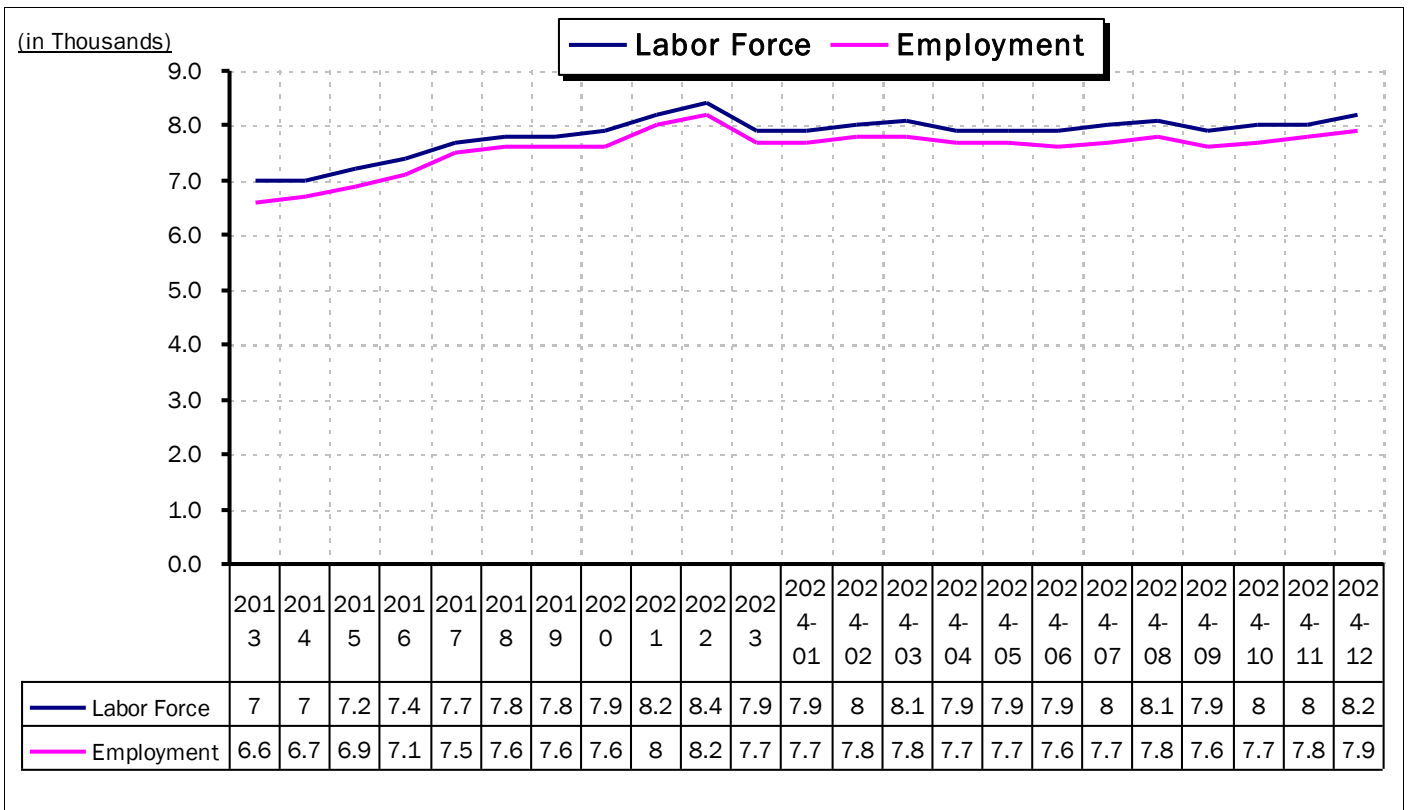
Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

### 3. Seasonally-Adjusted Unemployment Rate, 2013 to December 2024



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

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



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

## 5. Industry Employment and Wages, 2013, 2022, and 2023

| Supersector                          | 2013               |               | 2022               |               | 2023               |               |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------------|---------------|
|                                      | Average Employment | Average Wages | Average Employment | Average Wages | Average Employment | Average Wages |
| Total Covered Wages                  | 2,952              | \$29,682      | 3,408              | \$40,206      | 3,578              | \$42,452      |
| Natural Resources and Mining         | 399                | \$24,970      | 201                | \$39,789      | 230                | \$41,654      |
| Construction                         | 267                | \$37,833      | 338                | \$42,234      | 359                | \$45,761      |
| Manufacturing                        | 29                 | \$39,989      | 177                | \$33,131      | 173                | \$31,600      |
| Trade, Transportation, and Utilities | 520                | \$33,881      | 602                | \$48,425      | 662                | \$49,105      |
| Information                          | 22                 | \$26,815      | 34                 | \$37,739      | 35                 | \$45,774      |
| Financial Activities                 | 94                 | \$22,364      | 84                 | \$40,688      | 84                 | \$40,054      |
| Professional and Business Services   | 110                | \$30,476      | 185                | \$46,791      | 232                | \$49,425      |
| Education and Health Services        | 488                | \$26,328      | 620                | \$34,966      | 638                | \$35,666      |
| Leisure and Hospitality              | 288                | \$12,130      | 475                | \$22,194      | 487                | \$22,955      |
| Other Services                       | 82                 | \$26,528      | 114                | \$34,090      | 93                 | \$38,927      |
| Public Administration                | 653                | \$37,086      | 578                | \$52,366      | 585                | \$57,987      |

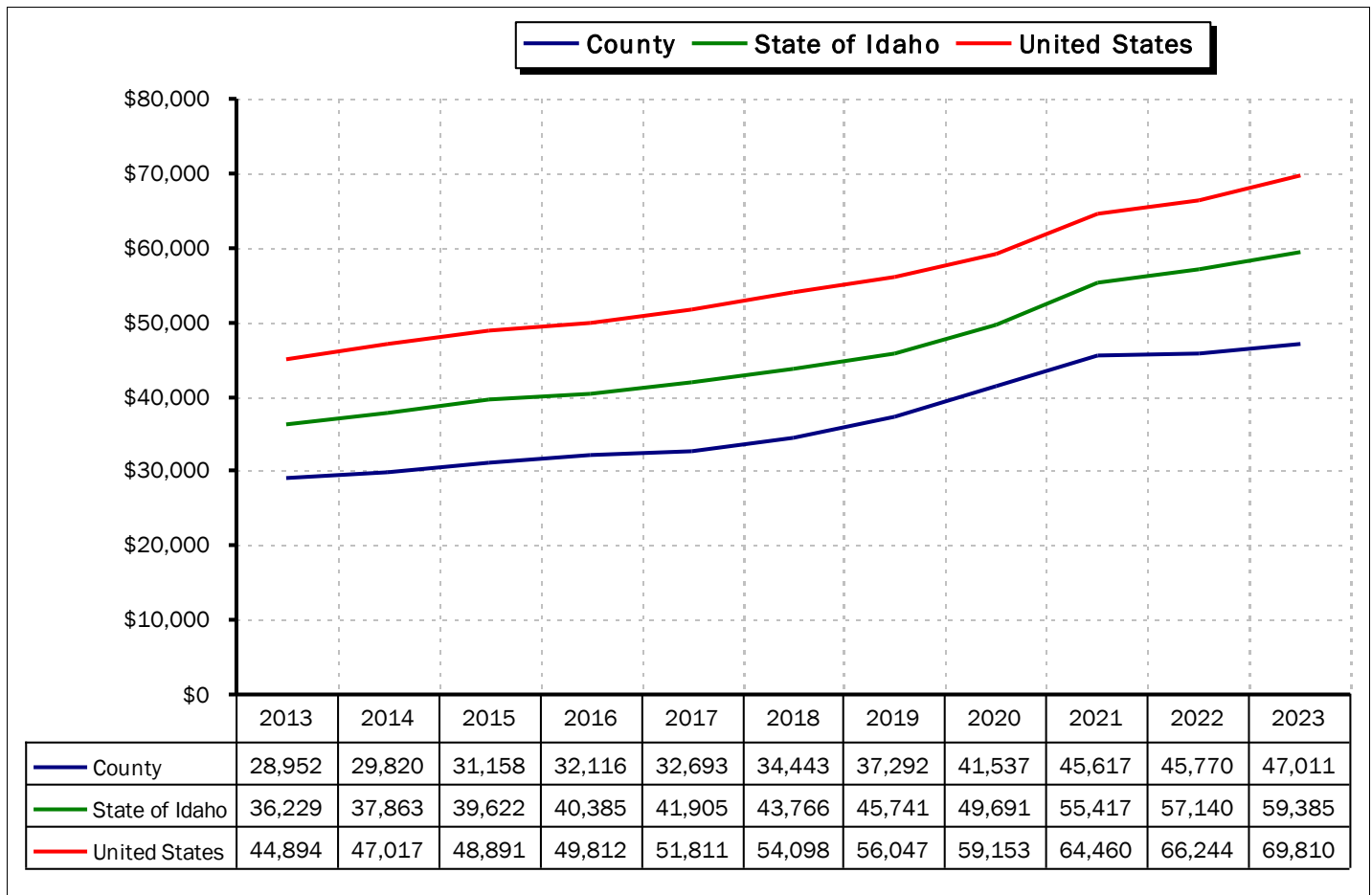
Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Quarterly Census of Employment Wages (QCEW)

## 6. Top Employers, 2023

| Employer                                | Ownership          | Employment Range |
|---|--------------------|------------------|
| Fremont County Joint School District    | Local Government   | 250 - 499        |
| Fremont County                          | Local Government   | 100 - 249        |
| Idaho Department Of Juvenile Correction | State Government   | 100 - 249        |
| Ashton Memorial                         | Private            | 050 - 099        |
| Idaho Department Of Corrections         | State Government   | 010 - 049        |
| Trouthunter                             | Private            | 010 - 049        |
| Fall River Rural Elec Coop              | Private            | 010 - 049        |
| Broulim's Foodtown                      | Private            | 010 - 049        |
| U.s. Forest Service                     | Federal Government | 010 - 049        |
| Sunroc Corporation                      | Private            | 010 - 049        |

NOTE: Only employers that have given the Department permission to release employment range data are listed.  
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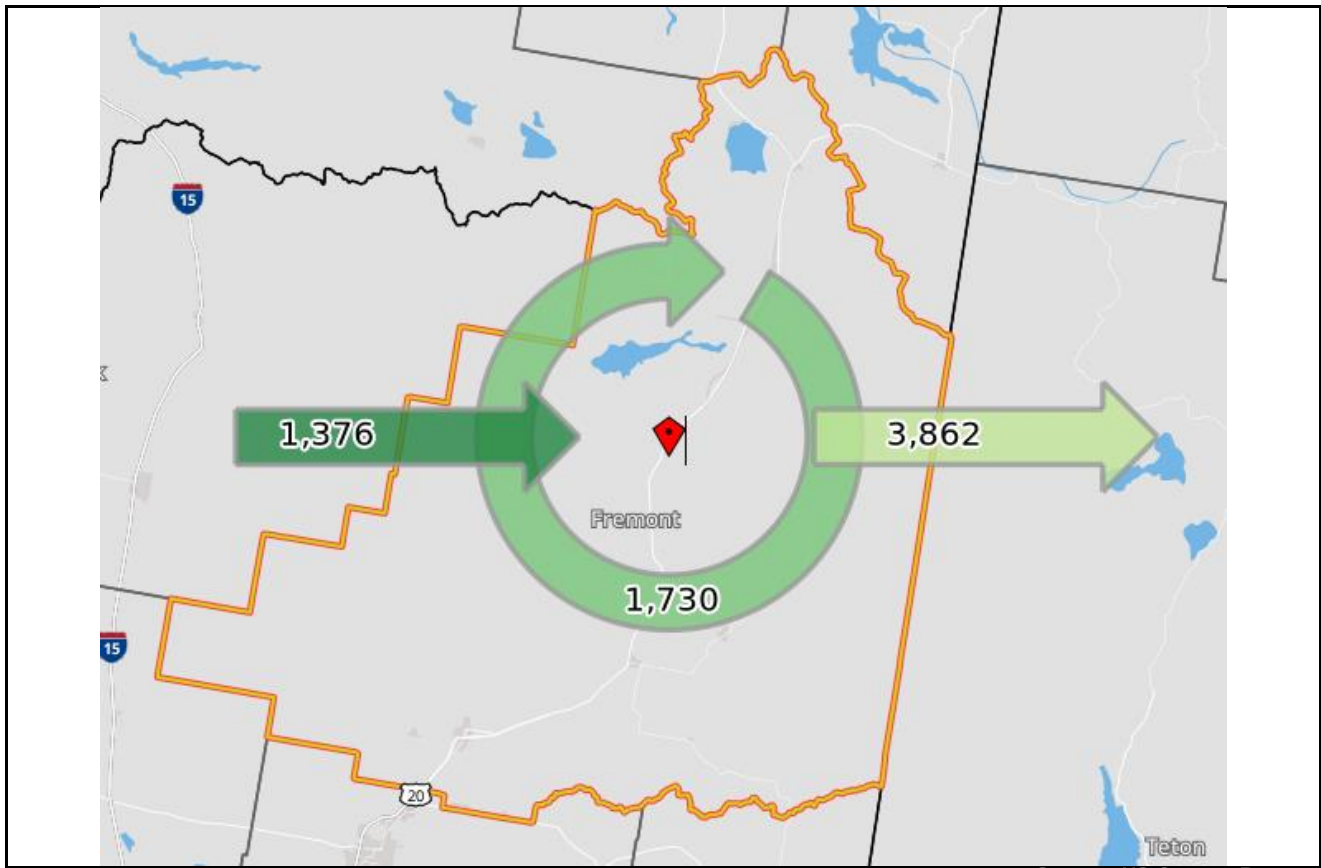
## 7. Real Per Capita Income, 2013 to 2023



Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

## 8. Labor Force Commuting Patterns, 2022

It is estimated that 1,730 workers lived and worked in Fremont County in 2022. Another 1,376 workers were employed in Fremont County but lived outside, while 3,862 workers commuted to other counties for work.



Source: US Census Bureau

## 9. Top 10 Cities Where People Who Work in Fremont County Live, 2022

| City of Residence | Count of All Jobs | Percentage of Total Jobs |
|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|
| Rexburg           | 1,068             | 34.4%                    |
| St. Anthony       | 667               | 21.5%                    |
| Idaho Falls       | 541               | 17.4%                    |
| Ashton            | 254               | 8.2%                     |
| Boise             | 178               | 5.7%                     |
| Sugar City        | 148               | 4.8%                     |
| Island Park       | 142               | 4.6%                     |
| Pocatello         | 121               | 3.9%                     |
| Jackson, WY       | 90                | 2.9%                     |
| Rigby             | 82                | 2.6%                     |

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 Fremont County Work, 2022

| City of Employment | Count of All Jobs | Percentage of Total Jobs |
|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|
| St. Anthony        | 468               | 8.4%                     |
| Rexburg            | 247               | 4.4%                     |
| Idaho Falls        | 118               | 2.1%                     |
| Ashton             | 114               | 2.0%                     |
| Teton              | 86                | 1.5%                     |
| Sugar City         | 45                | 0.8%                     |
| Ammon              | 36                | 0.6%                     |
| Island Park        | 35                | 0.6%                     |
| Newdale            | 35                | 0.6%                     |
| Boise              | 34                | 0.6%                     |

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)

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