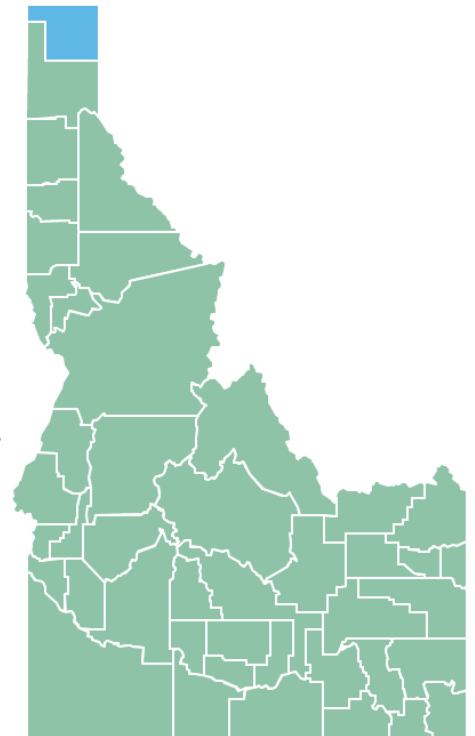


# Boundary County Labor Force And Economic Profile

Last Updated: June 2025

## Boundary County Economic Overview

Civilian Labor Force (May 2025)	5,953
Unemployment Rate (May 2025)	4.9%
Population (2024)	14,040
Median Household Income (2023)	\$62,438
Per Capita Personal Income (2023)	\$47,225
Poverty Rate (2023)	17.2%



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

	Boundary County	Boundary County (%)	State of Idaho (%)	United States (%)
<b>Total Population</b>	12,695	100.0%	1,893,296	332,387,540
<b>Race and Ethnicity</b>				
White alone, not hispanic	11,271	88.8%	83.3%	63.4%
Black or African American alone, not hispanic	94	0.7%	0.7%	12.4%
Native American alone, not hispanic	202	1.6%	1.1%	0.9%
Asian alone, not hispanic	215	1.7%	1.3%	5.8%
Hispanic, or Latino (of any race)	706	5.6%	13.3%	19.0%
<b>Gender</b>				
Male	6,493	51.1%	50.3%	49.5%
Female	6,202	48.9%	49.7%	50.5%
<b>Age</b>				
Median age	42.8	-	37.1	38.7
Under 18 years	2,962	23.3%	24.5%	22.2%
Over 18 years	9,733	76.7%	75.5%	77.8%
21 years and over	8,771	69.1%	65.7%	68.7%
Over 65 years	2,990	23.6%	16.6%	16.8%
<b>Educational Attainment (Population 25 years and Over)</b>				
Less than 9th grade	380	3.0%	2.1%	3.2%
High school graduate (with equivalencies)	2,856	22.5%	17.0%	18.0%
Some college, no degree	2,206	17.4%	16.3%	13.3%
Associate's degree	872	6.9%	6.4%	6.0%
Bachelor's degree	1,038	8.2%	13.7%	14.6%
Graduate or professional degree	679	5.3%	6.8%	9.4%
<b>Median Household Income</b>	\$62,438	-	\$74,636	\$78,538

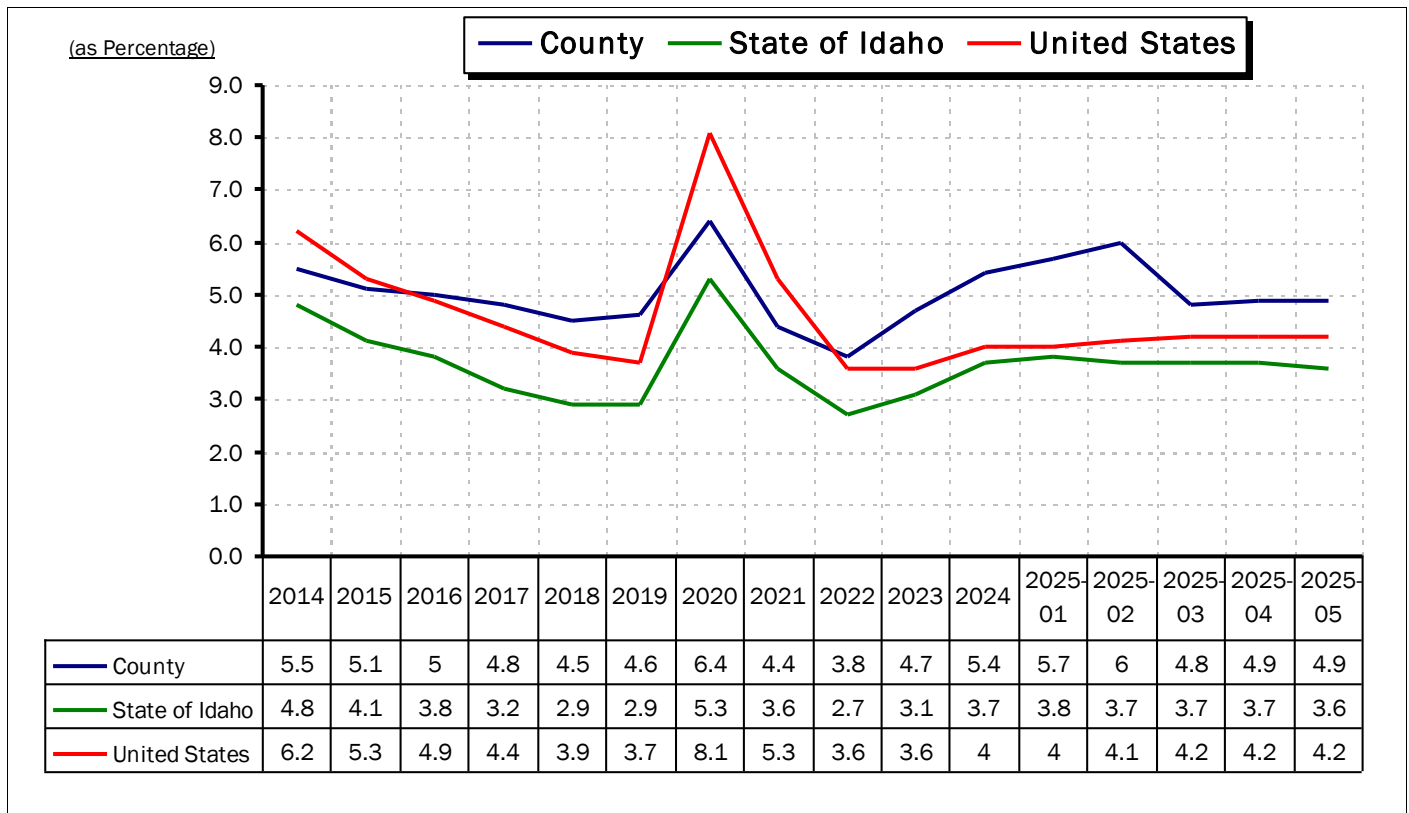
Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

## 2. Labor Force Growth, May 2024 to May 2025

	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
<b>May 2025</b>	5,953	5,659	294	4.9%
<b>May 2024</b>	5,863	5,560	303	5.2%
<b>YoY % Change</b>	1.5%	1.8%	-3.0%	-0.3%

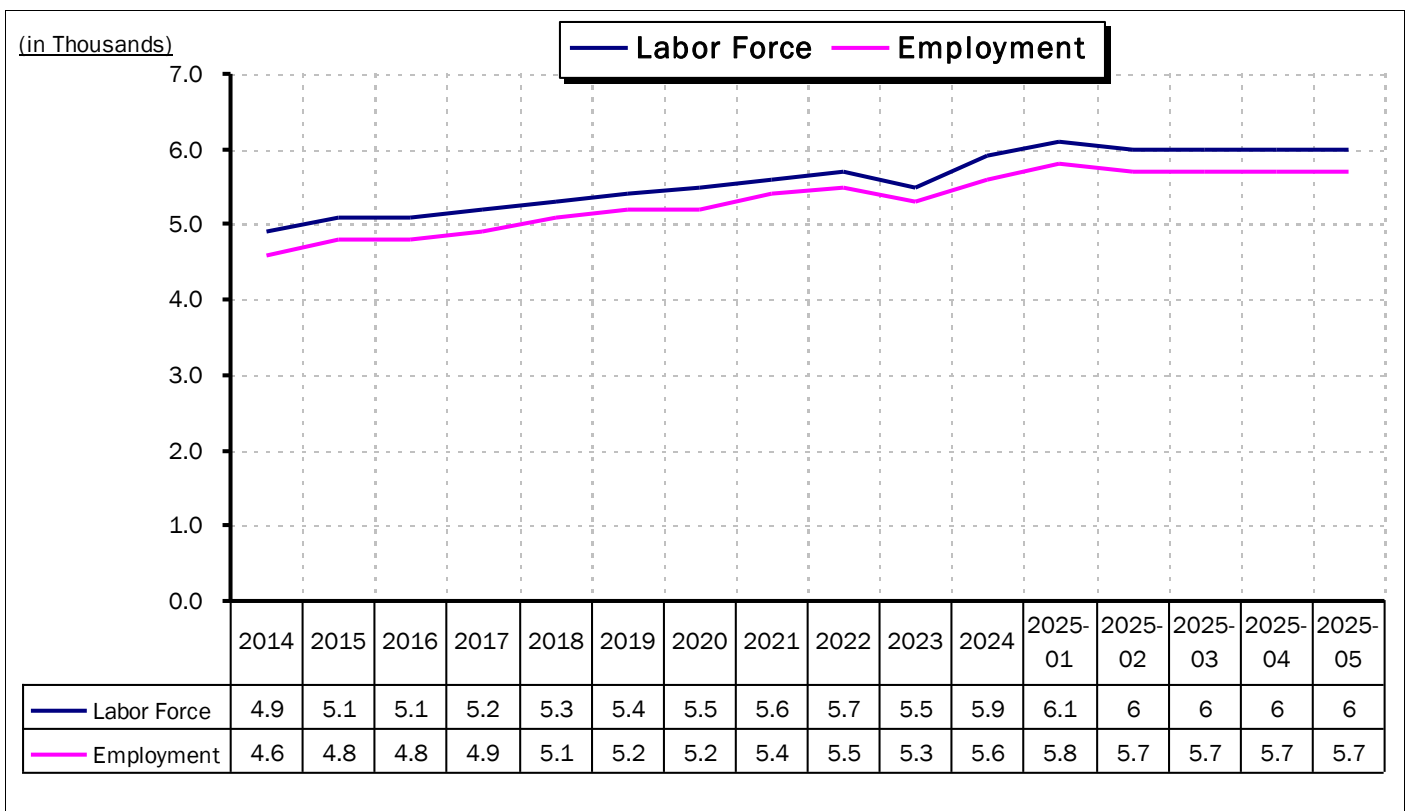
Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

### 3. Seasonally-Adjusted Unemployment Rate, 2014 to May 2025



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

### 4. Seasonally-Adjusted Labor Force and Employment, 2014 to May 2025



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	3,256	\$31,882	3,870	\$46,362	3,905	\$47,842
Natural Resources and Mining	294	\$36,776	328	\$44,414	307	\$49,911
Construction	185	\$28,922	368	\$53,422	345	\$48,228
Manufacturing	366	\$43,056	560	\$56,655	581	\$57,030
Trade,Transportation, and Utilities	588	\$26,000	679	\$43,737	688	\$45,877
Information	20	\$19,115	24	\$45,244	21	\$53,432
Financial Activities	74	\$39,569	82	\$47,771	82	\$42,361
Professional and Business Services	275	\$31,117	270	\$43,424	275	\$46,935
Education and Health Services	682	\$28,408	732	\$42,812	709	\$44,825
Leisure and Hospitality	277	\$16,256	314	\$23,640	345	\$25,826
Other Services	56	\$23,363	70	\$32,880	75	\$35,433
Public Administration	439	\$44,521	443	\$58,644	477	\$61,453

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

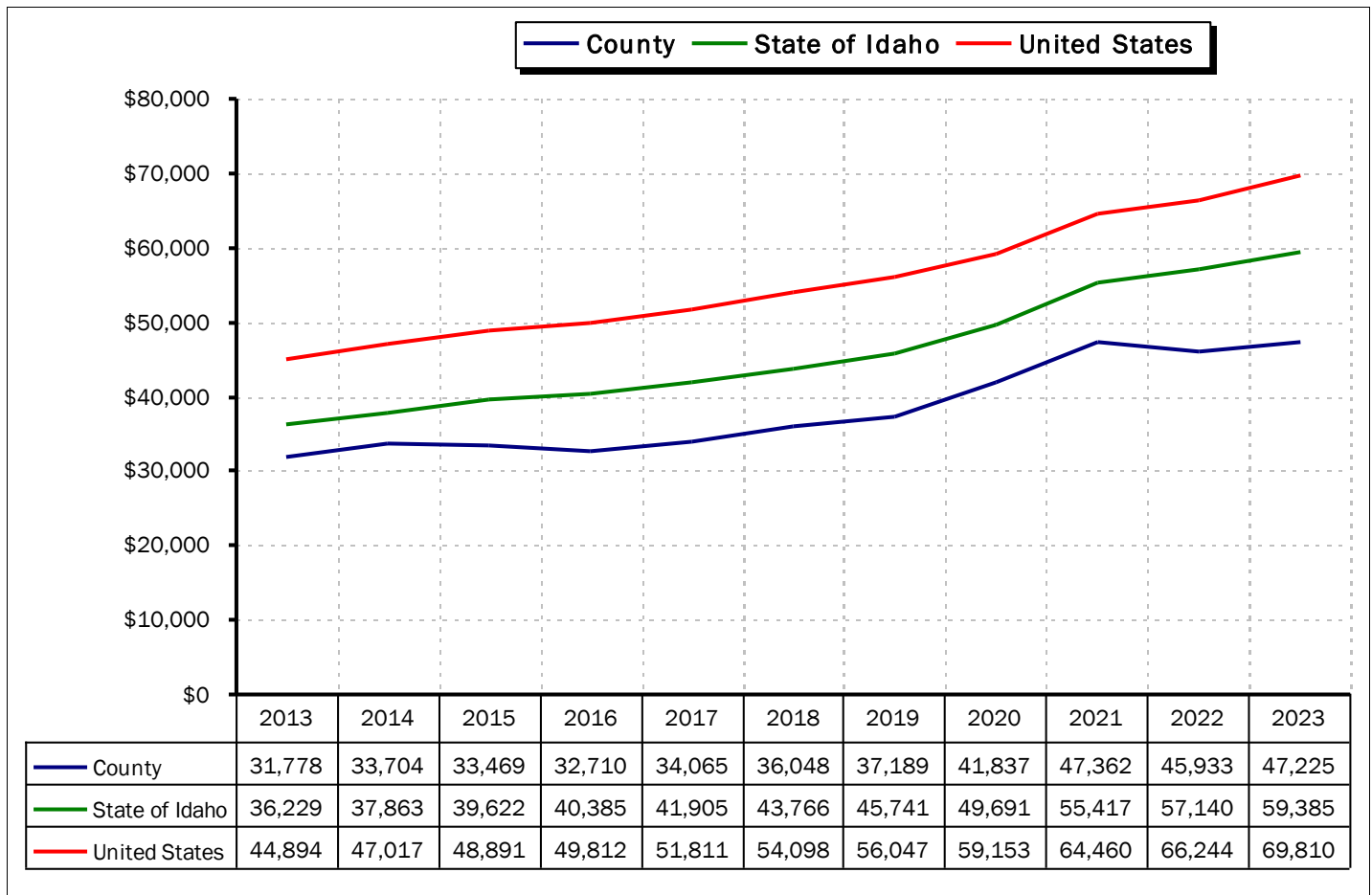
## 6. Top Employers, 2023

Employer	Ownership	Employment Range
Boundary County School District	Local Government	100 - 249
Kootenai Tribe Of Idaho	Local Government	100 - 249
Boundary Community Hospital	Local Government	100 - 249
Idaho Forest Group	Private	100 - 249
Boundary County	Local Government	100 - 249
Alta Forest Products	Private	100 - 249
Super 1 Foods	Private	050 - 099
Panhandle Doors	Private	050 - 099
U.S. Department Of Homeland Security	Federal Government	050 - 099
Safeway	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)

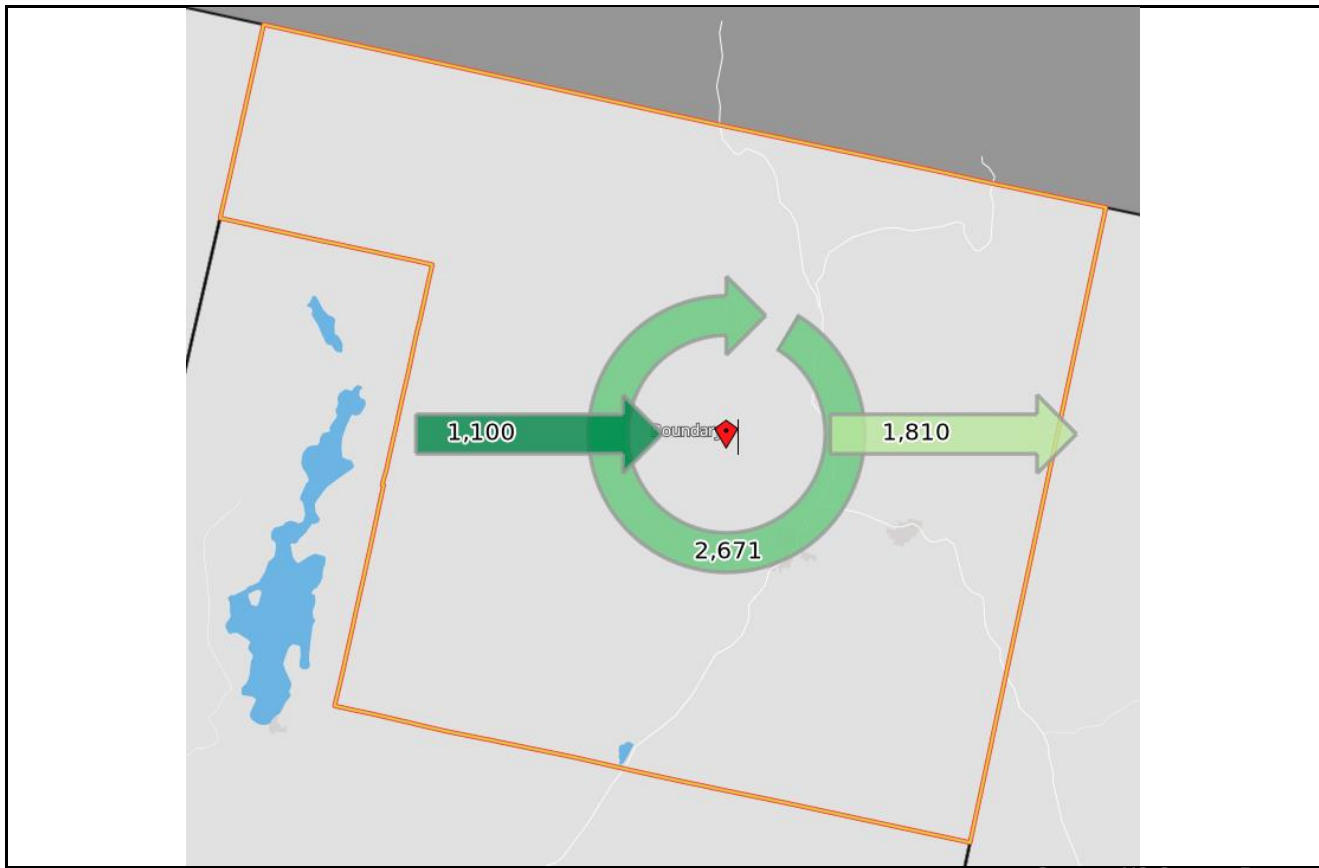
## 7. Real Per Capita Income, 2013 to 2023



Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

## 8. Labor Force Commuting Patterns, 2022

It is estimated that 2,671 workers lived and worked in Boundary County in 2022. Another 1,100 workers were employed in Boundary County but lived outside, while 1,810 workers commuted to other counties for work.



Source: US Census Bureau

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

City of Residence	Count of All Jobs	Percentage of Total Jobs
Bonn timers Ferry	593	15.7%
Moyie Springs	205	5.4%
Coeur d'Alene	105	2.8%
Sandpoint	73	1.9%
Post Falls	50	1.3%
Boise	30	0.8%
Meridian	28	0.7%
Hayden	22	0.6%
Nampa	17	0.5%
Rathdrum	16	0.4%

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 Boundary County Work, 2022**

City of Employment	Count of All Jobs	Percentage of Total Jobs
Bonn timer Ferry	1,303	29.1%
Sandpoint	303	6.8%
Coeur d'Alene	174	3.9%
Boise	138	3.1%
Moyie Springs	135	3.0%
Ponderay	111	2.5%
Spokane, WA	56	1.2%
Hayden	53	1.2%
Post Falls	49	1.1%
Lewiston	33	0.7%

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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