

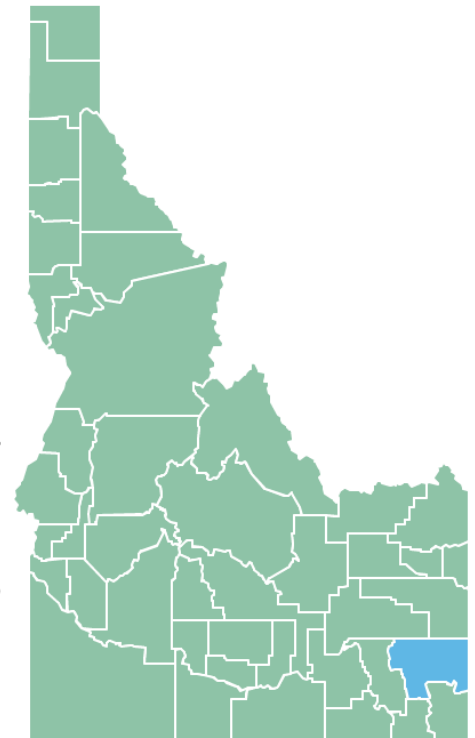


Caribou County Labor Force And Economic Profile

Last Updated: September 2023

Caribou County Economic Overview

Civilian Labor Force (Aug 2023)	4,294
Unemployment Rate (Aug 2023)	3.1%
Population (2022)	7,190
Median Household Income (2021)	\$65,528
Per Capita Personal Income (2021)	\$47,740
Poverty Rate (2021)	6.7%



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1. Caribou County Demographic Characteristics, 2021 5-Year ACS

	Caribou County	Caribou County (%)	State of Idaho (%)	United States (%)
Total Population	7,003	100.0%	1,811,617	329,725,481
Race and Ethnicity				
White alone, not hispanic	6,761	96.5%	86.5%	68.2%
Black or African American alone, not hispanic	5	0.1%	0.7%	12.6%
Native American alone, not hispanic	84	1.2%	1.3%	0.8%
Asian alone, not hispanic	94	1.3%	1.4%	5.7%
Hispanic, or Latino (of any race)	470	6.7%	12.9%	18.4%
Gender				
Male	3,558	50.8%	50.4%	49.5%
Female	3,445	49.2%	49.6%	50.5%
Age				
Median age	37.5	-	36.8	38.4
Under 18 years	1,994	28.5%	25.3%	22.5%
Over 18 years	5,009	71.5%	74.7%	77.5%
21 years and over	4,462	63.7%	65.4%	68.3%
Over 65 years	1,166	16.7%	15.8%	16.0%
Educational Attainment (Population 25 years and Over)				
Less than 9th grade	161	2.3%	2.2%	3.3%
High school graduate (with equivalencies)	1,286	18.4%	18.7%	18.2%
Some college, no degree	1,367	19.5%	16.4%	13.4%
Associate's degree	506	7.2%	7.0%	6.1%
Bachelor's degree	579	8.3%	14.0%	14.7%
Graduate or professional degree	264	3.8%	7.3%	9.5%
Median Household Income	\$65,528	-	\$63,377	\$69,021

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

2. Labor Force Growth, August 2022 to August 2023

	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
August 2023	4,294	4,160	134	3.1%
August 2022	4,180	4,067	113	2.7%
YoY % Change	2.7%	2.3%	18.6%	0.4%

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	3,150	\$49,480	3,484	\$58,665	3,477	\$64,915
Natural Resources and Mining	474	\$57,710	709	\$72,889	670	\$80,625
Construction	348	\$52,976	290	\$66,794	320	\$72,466
Manufacturing	709	\$88,514	744	\$88,962	776	\$99,098
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	408	\$33,889	486	\$41,912	450	\$48,184
Information	19	\$20,089	17	\$10,992	18	\$7,533
Financial Activities	108	\$40,109	53	\$38,023	51	\$38,560
Professional and Business Services	138	\$34,177	188	\$55,910	189	\$62,030
Education and Health Services	533	\$25,741	597	\$38,283	605	\$39,636
Leisure and Hospitality	162	\$11,125	109	\$12,740	127	\$15,038
Other Services	54	\$22,394	59	\$26,230	53	\$28,782
Public Administration	196	\$37,292	224	\$36,960	216	\$39,477

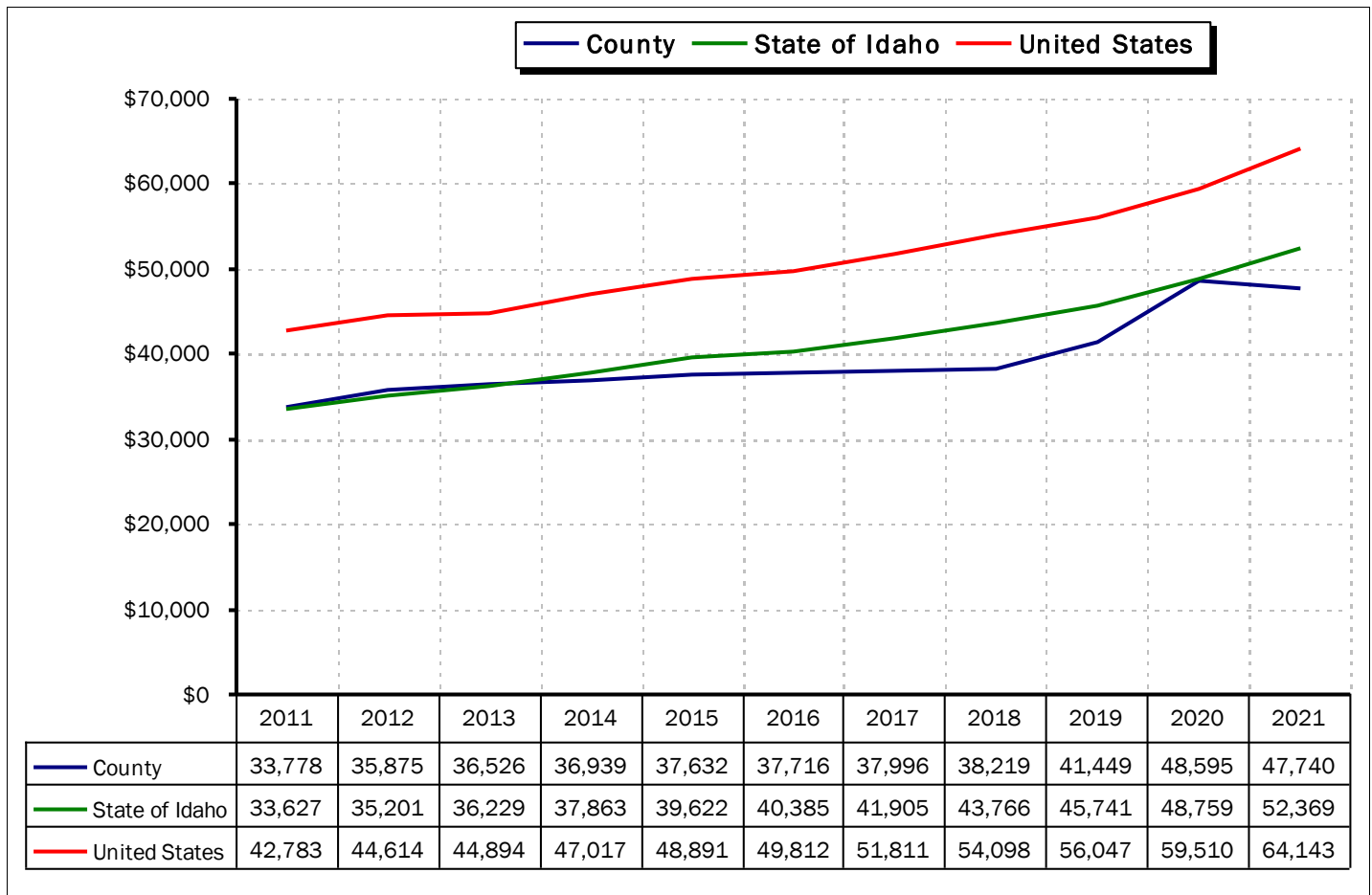
Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Quarterly Census of Employment Wages (QCEW)

6. Top Employers, 2022

Employer	Ownership	Employment Range
G & A Outsourcing	Private	250 - 499
J R Simplot	Private	100 - 249
Caribou Medical Center	Private	100 - 249
Soda Springs School District	Local Government	100 - 249
Caribou County	Local Government	100 - 249
N A Degerstrom	Private	100 - 249
Grace Joint School District	Local Government	100 - 249
Broulim's Foodtown	Private	050 - 099
North Gem School District	Local Government	050 - 099
Airgas	Private	010 - 049

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)

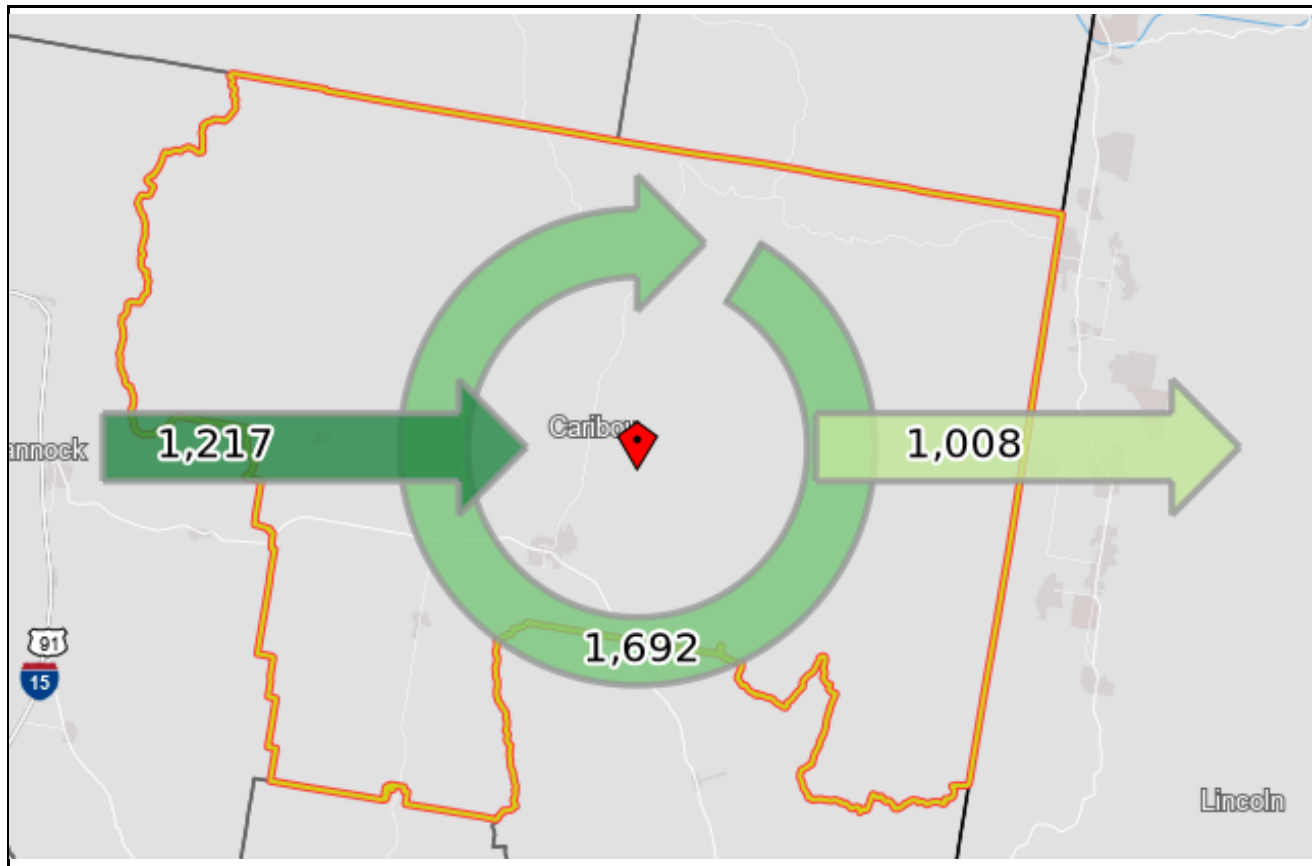
7. Real Per Capita Income, 2011 to 2021



Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

8. Labor Force Commuting Patterns, 2020

It is estimated that 1,692 workers lived and worked in Caribou County in 2020. Another 1,217 workers were employed in Caribou County but lived outside, while 1,007 workers commuted to other counties for work.



Source: US Census Bureau

9. Top 10 Cities Where People Who Work in Caribou County Live, 2020

City of Residence	Count of All Jobs	Percentage of Total Jobs
Soda Springs	735	25.3%
Grace	225	7.7%
Montpelier	128	4.4%
Pocatello	125	4.3%
Bancroft	68	2.3%
Idaho Falls	41	1.4%
Preston	34	1.2%
Chubbuck	31	1.1%
Boise City	25	0.9%
Paris	22	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 Caribou County Work, 2020

City of Employment	Count of All Jobs	Percentage of Total Jobs
Soda Springs	986	36.5%
Pocatello	188	7.0%
Grace	150	5.6%
Boise City	68	2.5%
Bancroft	63	2.3%
Idaho Falls	61	2.3%
Preston	45	1.7%
Rexburg	31	1.1%
Twin Falls	29	1.1%
Lava Hot Springs	26	1.0%

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