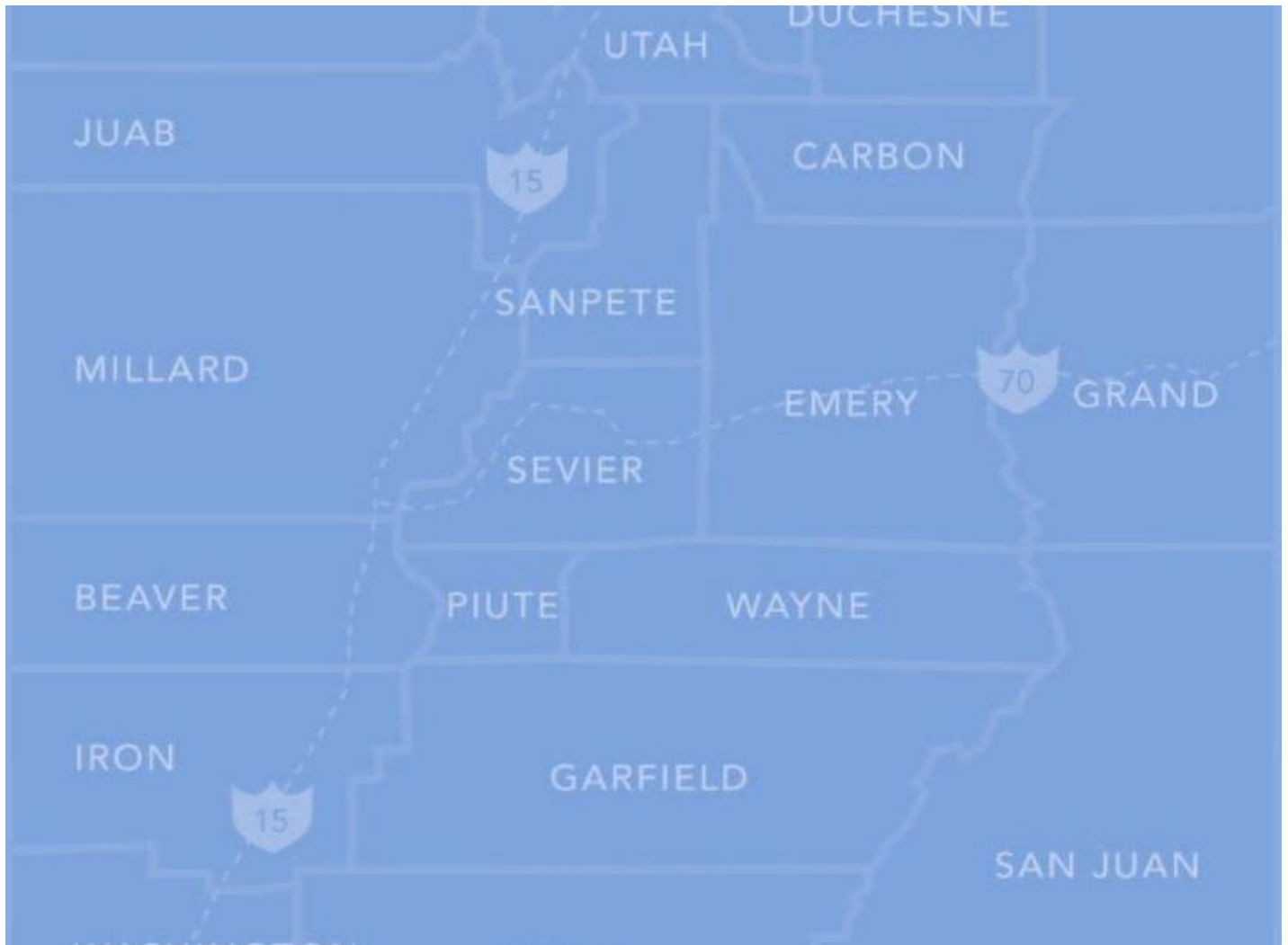


Millard County

COUNTY PROFILE

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Millard County Profile



Millard County is located on the central-western border of the state with Interstate 15 running through its eastern border. The largest city is Delta and the county seat is Fillmore.

POPULATION

	2009 Population	Housing Units
Delta	2,568	870
Fillmore	2,122	778
Millard County	11,873	4,166
State of Utah	2,835,864	877,904

Source: Decision Data Resources

MILLARD COUNTY DEMOGRAPHICS

	2000 Census	% Change	2009 Estimate	% Change	2014 Forecast	
Population	12,405	-4.4%	11,873	-0.4%	11,831	
Households	3,840	7.8%	4,166	3.9%	4,328	
Age	2000 Census	%	2009 Estimate	%	2014 Forecast	%
0 to 4	1,003	8.1%	834	7.0%	823	7.0%
5 to 14	2,601	21.0%	1,880	15.8%	1,640	13.9%
15 to 19	1,449	11.7%	1,112	9.4%	971	8.2%
20 to 24	568	4.6%	1,041	8.8%	1,084	9.2%
25 to 34	1,158	9.3%	1,261	10.6%	1,729	14.6%
35 to 44	1,685	13.6%	1,128	9.5%	986	8.3%
45 to 54	1,432	11.5%	1,644	13.8%	1,345	11.4%
55 to 64	980	7.9%	1,334	11.2%	1,498	12.7%
65 to 74	820	6.6%	864	7.3%	968	8.2%
75 to 84	535	4.3%	564	4.8%	569	4.8%
85+	174	1.4%	209	1.8%	213	1.8%
Median Age	29.9		33.0		32.5	
Ethnicity	2000 Census	%	2009 Estimate	%	2014 Forecast	%
Caucasian	11,653	93.9%	11,381	95.9%	11,309	95.6%
African American	13	0.1%	45	0.4%	80	0.7%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	163	1.3%	230	1.9%	297	2.5%
Asian or Pacific Islander	84	0.7%	98	0.8%	97	0.8%
Some Other Race	342	2.8%	83	0.7%	35	0.3%
Two or More Races	150	1.2%	36	0.3%	13	0.1%
Hispanic Population	2000 Census	%	2009 Estimate	%	2014 Forecast	%
Hispanic	891	7.2%	1,558	13.1%	1,956	16.5%
Household Income	2000 Census	%	2009 Estimate	%	2014 Forecast	%
\$0 - \$14,999	584	15.2%	448	10.8%	424	9.8%
\$15,000 - \$24,999	692	18.0%	573	13.8%	531	12.3%
\$25,000 - \$34,999	578	15.1%	581	13.9%	585	13.5%
\$35,000 - \$49,999	723	18.8%	699	16.8%	681	15.7%
\$50,000 - \$74,999	825	21.5%	917	22.0%	960	22.2%
\$75,000 - \$99,999	305	7.9%	543	13.0%	598	13.8%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	80	2.1%	299	7.2%	425	9.8%
\$150,000 +	53	1.4%	106	2.5%	124	2.9%
Average Household Income	\$42,689		\$50,814		\$52,131	

Source: Decision Data Resources

MAJOR RECENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

- On November 10, 2009, the state of Utah's biggest wind-energy generation facility operated by First Wind began commercial operation. Located in Millard and Beaver counties, the first phase of the Milford Wind Corridor project (<http://www.milfordwind.com/milford/>) uses 97 wind turbines to generate 203.5 megawatts of electricity. This is enough energy to power 45,000 homes. The first phase took just over a year to build, and generated nearly \$86 million in direct and indirect spending in Utah, including 250 development and construction jobs. The project is expanding north into Millard County and will eventually include 159 turbines. Total cost of the project is estimated at \$400.¹
- Magnum Gas Storage Project LLC is developing a natural gas storage project in Millard County, Utah. The Project will be located just north of Delta on Brush Wellman Road, adjacent to the Intermountain Power Plant. The Project entails the creation of storage caverns in a naturally occurring salt structure located 3300 feet below the ground. It is the first of a kind in the Rocky Mountain region and will provide storage services to power markets throughout the western United States. Development of the project will also provide the necessary infrastructure for the expansion of renewable resource development. Construction of the Project is planned to start in May 2010 and the facility will be operational by spring 2012.²
- Utah Dairy Farms is a Millard County dairy cooperative made up of small family dairies using healthy production practices such as no added hormones. Utah Dairy Farms has recently put their own brand of Egg Nog and Chocolate Milk on the shelves at all Smith's stores and selected Associated Stores. In a challenging economic time for most businesses in agriculture, Utah Dairy Farms is showing creativity and initiative in marketing of a local food product.³

MAJOR EMPLOYERS

Company Name	Number of Employees
Millard County School District	500 to 999
Intermountain Power Service	250 to 499
Federal Government	100 to 249
Great Lakes Cheese of Utah	100 to 249
Intermountain Health Care	100 to 249
Millard County	100 to 249
Mountainview Mushrooms	100 to 249
State of Utah	100 to 249

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services

¹ *Source: Millard County*

² *Source: Millard County*

³ *Source: Millard County*

MILLARD COUNTY NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT

Millard County has an unemployment rate of 5.6 % as of December 2009.

Industry	2009	2008	% Change	Numeric Change
Mining	85	98	-13.3%	-13
Construction	95	97	-2.1%	-2
Manufacturing	188	190	-1.1%	-2
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	1,267	1,310	-3.3%	-43
Information	16	18	-11.1%	-2
Financial Activities	71	70	1.4%	1
Professional & Business Services	310	336	-7.7%	-26
Education, Health & Social Services	321	324	-0.9%	-3
Leisure & Hospitality	363	390	-6.9%	-27
Other Services	77	84	-8.3%	-7
Government	1,092	1,124	-2.8%	-32
Totals	3,885	4,041	-3.9%	-156

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services, September 2008 to September 2009 data

TAXATION

Total Property Tax Rate – Fillmore*	0.010520
Millard County	0.003639
Millard County School District	0.005649
Fillmore	0.000920
Millard County Fire Service District	0.000312
State & Local Sales & Use Tax (Millard)	5.95%
State Corporate Franchise Tax	5.00%

*Primary residential property taxed at 55% of assessed value, commercial property taxed at 100% of assessed value.

Source: Utah State Tax Commission

CLIMATE – DELTA

Average Annual Precipitation	8.43 inches
Elevation	4,629 feet
Average July High Temperature	94 degrees
Average January Low Temperature	14 degrees

Source: Millard County

RECREATION

History	Visit Cove Fort or the territorial statehouse to get a feel for some of the history during early settlement of this area. The Veterans/Military monument honors the Millard County residents who defended our country.
Points of Interest	The Intermountain Power Project is one of the largest power plants in the country, burning over 5 million tons of coal a year.
Rock Hounding	Topaz Mountain, thirty miles outside of Delta, is an excellent source for various mineral deposits.
Off-Roading	The Little Sahara Recreation Area outside of Delta offers miles of fun for off-road enthusiasts in "the nation's sandbox." The Paiute ATV trail offers a 200-mile loop for ATV vehicles.
Water Recreation	Gunnison Bend Reservoir offers warm water that is great for sailing, waterskiing or other water recreation.

Source: Millard County

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF UTAH (EDCUtah)

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EDCUtah specializes in assisting companies considering Utah for a business relocation or expansion. The corporate recruitment team of EDCUtah coordinates all of the information key decision makers and economic development/site consultants need as they evaluate Utah as a site location.

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