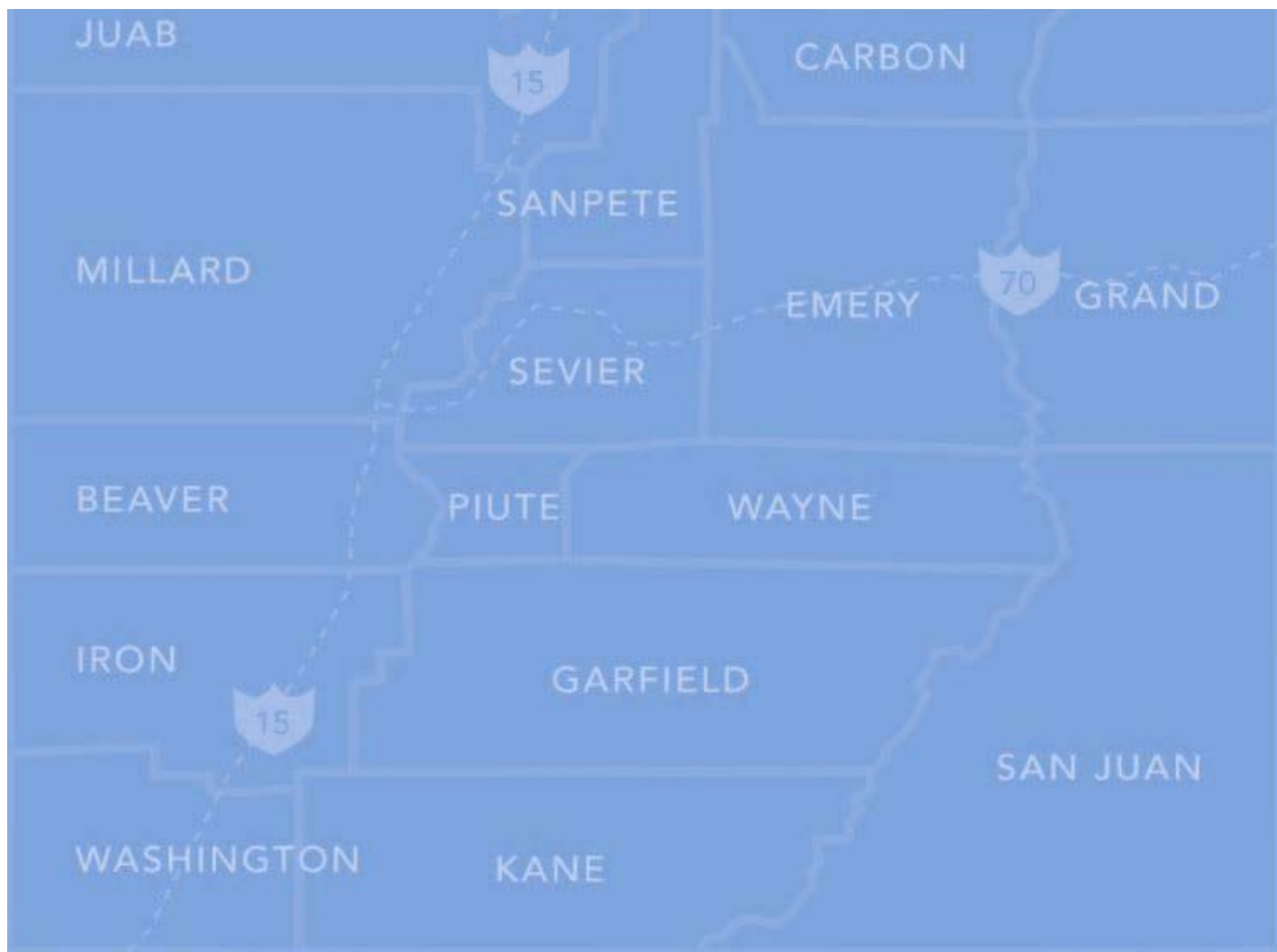


Wayne County

COUNTY PROFILE

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Wayne County is located in the south-central region of the state. It is most easily reached by Highway 24 and Highway 72, both of which branch off Interstate 70. Loa is the largest city and county seat of Wayne County.

POPULATION

	2010 Population	Housing Units
Loa	622	229
Wayne County	2,673	1,013
State of Utah	2,849,876	882,958

Source: Decision Data Resources

WAYNE COUNTY DEMOGRAPHICS

	2000 Census	% Change	2010 Estimate	% Change	2015 Forecast	
Population	2,509	6.54%	2,673	10.5%	2,953	
Households	890	13.82%	1,013	8.0%	1,094	
Age	2000 Census	%	2010 Estimate	%	2015 Forecast	%
0 to 4	221	8.8%	197	7.4%	215	7.3%
5 to 14	442	17.6%	394	14.7%	415	14.1%
15 to 19	208	8.3%	204	7.6%	221	7.5%
20 to 24	144	5.7%	199	7.4%	220	7.5%
25 to 34	261	10.4%	325	12.2%	400	13.5%
35 to 44	304	12.1%	281	10.5%	319	10.8%
45 to 54	336	13.4%	294	11.0%	296	10.0%
55 to 64	231	9.2%	335	12.5%	342	11.6%
65 to 74	187	7.5%	233	8.7%	295	10.0%
75 to 84	131	5.2%	143	5.3%	162	5.5%
85+	44	1.8%	68	2.5%	68	2.3%
Median Age	34.1		35.6		35.2	
Ethnicity	2000 Census	%	2010 Estimate	%	2015 Forecast	%
Caucasian	2,441	97.3%	2,605	97.5%	2,881	97.6%
African American	4	0.2%	5	0.2%	5	0.2%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	9	0.4%	6	0.2%	4	0.1%
Asian or Pacific Islander	6	0.2%	7	0.3%	9	0.3%
Some Other Race	31	1.2%	32	1.2%	35	1.2%
Two or More Races	18	0.7%	18	0.7%	19	0.6%
Hispanic Population	2000 Census	%	2010 Estimate	%	2015 Forecast	%
Hispanic	50	2.0%	81	3.0%	109	3.7%
Household Income	2000 Census	%	2010 Estimate	%	2015 Forecast	%
\$0 - \$14,999	182	20.4%	137	13.5%	133	12.2%
\$15,000 - \$24,999	149	16.7%	154	15.2%	151	13.8%
\$25,000 - \$34,999	148	16.6%	137	13.5%	132	12.1%
\$35,000 - \$49,999	180	20.2%	175	17.3%	188	17.2%
\$50,000 - \$74,999	132	14.8%	217	21.4%	238	21.8%
\$75,000 - \$99,999	63	7.1%	87	8.6%	107	9.8%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	24	2.7%	78	7.7%	104	9.5%
\$150,000 +	12	1.3%	28	2.8%	41	3.7%
Average Household Income	\$42,750		\$53,546		\$57,406	

Source: Decision Data Resources

MAJOR EMPLOYERS

Company Name	Number of Employees
Aspen Ranch	100-249
Wayne County School District	100-249
Brown Brothers Construction	20-49
Aspen Achievement Academy	50-99
Federal Government	50-99
Passages to Recovery	20-49
Royal's Market	20-49
State of Utah	20-49
Wayne Community Health Centers	20-49
Wayne County	20-49
Harward & Rees	10-19

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services

WAYNE COUNTY NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT

Wayne County has an unemployment rate of 9.3% as of December 2010.

Industry	2009	2010	% Change	Numeric Change
Mining	8	7	-12.5%	-1
Construction	105	76	-27.6%	-29
Manufacturing	13	12	-7.7%	-1
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	163	146	-10.4%	-17
Information	1	3	200.0%	2
Financial Activities	6	6	0.0%	0
Professional & Business Services	6	9	50.0%	3
Education, Health & Social Services	228	233	2.2%	5
Leisure & Hospitality	268	311	16.0%	43
Other Services	19	17	-10.5%	-2
Government	316	324	2.5%	8
Totals	1,133	1,144	1.0%	11

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services, September 2009 to September 2010 data

TAXATION

Total Property Tax Rate – Loa*	0.005807
Wayne County	0.001882
Wayne County School District	0.003694
Loa	0.000201
Wayne County Water Conservancy District	0.000030
State & Local Sales & Use Tax (Wayne)	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.

CLIMATE – LOA

Average Annual Precipitation	7.75 inches
Elevation	7,050 feet
Average July High Temperature	84 degrees
Average January Low Temperature	8 degrees

Source: Wayne County

RECREATION

Capital Reef National Park	Set aside as a national park to preserve the unique 100-mile wrinkle in the earth's crust known as monocline, this park provides scenery and many outdoor activities such as horseback riding, biking and camping.
Canyonlands National Park	Canyonlands National Park's beautiful sandstone, shaped by the Colorado River, rain and wind, provides many awe-inspiring views.

Source: Wayne County

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