



# Economic Characteristics for Esmeralda County, Nevada

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## JOBS BY OCCUPATION

<u>Occupation</u>	<u>2014</u>		<u>2020</u>	
Management	20	↑	28	
Protective Service	16	↑	22	
Construction and Extraction	116	↓	72	



## DAILY COMMUTING

Average daily commuters into and out of the county.

	<u>Inbound</u>	<u>Outbound</u>	<u>Net Commuters</u>
<b>2010</b>	183	31	152
<b>2016</b>	51	84	-33
<b>2021</b>	81	108	-27

## JOBS BY INDUSTRY



### Notable Increases

<u>Industry</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2021</u>
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, Hunting	24	34
Mining, Quarry, Oil/Gas	75	86
Construction	25	31



### Notable Decreases

<u>Industry</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2021</u>
Government	206	154
Retail Trade	21	12
Finance/Insurance	0	0

## TOTAL JOBS



<u>Year</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2021</u>
<b>Total Jobs</b>	422	398	350	397	416
<b>% Change From Prior</b>	N/A	-5.8%	-12.0%	13.4%	4.8%

**Overall decrease of -1.5% in jobs from 2013 to 2021.**

A full baseline data report, an economic impact report and additional infographics are available for this county. Full reports and infographics will be available for each county in Nevada. For more information, email us at EconDev@unr.edu, or call Buddy Borden at 702-257-5505 or Joe Lednicky at 702-948-5971. The Esmeralda/Northern Nye County Extension office is administered by Misha Allen, Extension Educator, who can be reached at 775-482-6794. Visit us online at <https://extension.unr.edu/neap>.

## PER CAPITA INCOME

Amounts shown in 2021 dollars.

### Esmeralda County

<u>Year</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2020</u>
<b>Per Capita Income</b>	\$29,857	\$23,032	\$24,863	\$26,357	\$24,091
<b>% Change From Prior</b>	N/A	-22.9%	7.9%	6.0%	-8.6%

### State of Nevada

<u>Year</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2020</u>
<b>Per Capita Income</b>	\$31,194	\$29,771	\$30,229	\$31,954	\$33,894
<b>% Change From Prior</b>	N/A	-4.6%	1.5%	5.7%	6.1%

## PERSONAL INCOME

Amounts shown in 2021 dollars.

### Personal Transfer Receipts

<u>Year</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2020</u>
<b>Amount</b>	\$9.5M	\$13.0M

**Personal Current Transfer Receipts** are the receipts of persons from government and business for which no current services are performed. This includes Social Security, medical, veterans' and unemployment benefits.



### Dividends, Interest and Rent

<u>Year</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2020</u>
<b>Amount</b>	\$7.2M	\$7.0M

**Dividends** are a form of property income received by shareholders in return for their investment in the equity of a corporation.



### Net Earnings by Place of Residence

<u>Year</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2020</u>
<b>Amount</b>	\$20.8M	\$19.5M

**Net Earnings by Place of Residence** is income plus an adjustment on a place-of-residence basis. A higher net earnings by place of residence means money from people living inside the county.



### Adjustment for Residence

<u>Year</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2020</u>
<b>Amount</b>	\$3.1M	\$4.5M

**Adjustment for Residence** is the net of the inflows and outflows to/from the county, based on place of residence. A higher number means higher inflow from dollars outside the county.



### Personal Income

<u>Year</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2020</u>
<b>Amount</b>	\$37.5M	\$39.5M

**Personal Income** is income received by individuals from all sources. It includes income received from participation in production as well as from government and business transfer payments.



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