Sunrise County Economic Council

Update on Washington County’s Economy

March 22, 2023
Washington County Population by Age

- Under 5 years
- 5 to 17 years
- 18 to 24 years
- 25 to 44 years
- 45 to 64 years
- 65 years and over

Data from the U.S. Census Bureau, Decennial Census & American Community Survey
Relative Population Change, Observed and Projected

Calais LMA
Ellsworth LMA
Machias LMA
Greater Milbridge
Passamaquoddy Reservations

Data from the State of Maine, former Office of Policy & Management
Data from the Maine Department of Labor
Washington County Civilian Labor Force by Industry

- Educational services, and health care and social assistance: 3443
- Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining: 3582
- Retail trade: 1679
- Manufacturing: 1372
- Construction: 1058
- Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services: 868
- Other: 874

Data from the U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey (2013-2017)
Washington County Employment (number of jobs)

Data from the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis
Washington County Individuals in Poverty

Data from the U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey
Washington County Families in Poverty

Data from the U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey
Washington County Families with Female Householder, No Husband Present

Data from the U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey
Washington County Personal Income in 2021 Dollars

Data from the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis and the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics
Washington County Personal Income from Government Transfers in 2021 Dollars

Data from the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis and the U.S Bureau of Labor Statistics
Medical Benefit Payments on Behalf of Washington County Residents in 2021 Dollars

Data from the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis and the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics
Data from the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis and the U.S Bureau of Labor Statistics
Washington County Annual Restaurant and Lodging Taxable Sales in nominal dollars

Data from Maine Revenue Services
Port of Calais: Inbound Personal Vehicle Passengers

Data from U.S. Department of Transportation
Port of Calais: Inbound Trucks

Data from U.S. Department of Transportation
Washington County Landings in 2018 Dollars

Data from the Maine Department of Marine Resources
and the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Missing 2014 Washington County Elver Landing Data
Washington County Lobster Landings in 2021 Dollars

Data from the Maine Department of Marine Resources and the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics
Data from the Maine Department of Marine Resources
Maine Farmed Atlantic Salmon Production Value in 2018 Dollars

Data from the Maine Department of Marine Resources and the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics
Exports of Wood Products from the Port of Eastport in 2020 Dollars

Data from the U.S. Census Bureau and the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics
Wood Processed in Maine from Washington County in Green Tons

Data from the Maine Forest Service
Maine Blueberry Harvest Farmgate Value in 2021 Dollars

Data from the U.S. Department of Agriculture
2018 Aggregate Value of Washington County Housing Stock ($1,554,801,500)

Data from American Community Survey, U.S. Census Bureau
Washington County Two-Bedroom Fair Market Rent as a Percentage of Average Weekly Wage

Maine Department of Labor and U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
Washington County Single Family Home Sales

Data from the Maine Association of Realtors
Data from the Maine Association of Realtors and the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics
A Living Wage is “the minimum employment earnings necessary to meet a family’s basic needs while also maintaining self-sufficiency.”

- Incorporates cost of food, childcare, health insurance, housing, transportation and other basic necessities
- Includes expenditures for entertainment and leisure within “Civic Engagement”
- Does not include savings for emergencies, purchase of a home, higher education, retirement or any other purpose
- Assumes work & pay for 40 hours per week, 52 weeks per year

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Washington County Household Costs
(2 adults working full time)

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Washington County Household Costs (2 adults with 1 working full time)

## Living Wage 2 Adults (1 Working Full Time) in Washington County

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Washington County Household Costs (1 adult working full time)

- Food
- Child Care
- Medical
- Housing
- Transportation
- Civic
- Other
- Taxes

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Washington County Full Time, Year Round Workers with Earnings in 2020
(Living Wage of $48,110: 2 adults working full time, 2 minor children)

Data from American Community Survey, U.S. Census Bureau
Washington County Full Time, Year Round Workers with Earnings in 2020
(Living Wage of $83,387: 1 adult working full time; 2 minor children)
2020 Median Earnings by Sex for Washington County Civilian Employed Population 16 Years and Older with Earnings (2020 dollars)

Data from American Community Survey, U.S. Census Bureau
2020 Median Earnings by Sex for Washington County Full Time, Year-Round Civilian Employed Population 16 Years and Older (2020 Dollars)

Data from American Community Survey, U.S. Census Bureau
Washington County Employment in Industries with Average Weekly Wages at or Above a Living Wage ($925 per week; 2 adults working full time, 2 minor children)

Data from Maine Department of Labor & U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics
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