

June 2010 Employment Data

Month over Month Employment

Unemployment

- **Wyoming's unemployment rate fell in June from 7.0% to 6.8%.**
- The U.S. unemployment rate decreased in June from 9.7% to 9.5%.

Total Employment

- Total employment increased by 7,400 jobs in June, which is consistent with normal seasonal patterns.

Employment by Industry

- The month over month increases were in:
 - Leisure & Hospitality (5,000 jobs, 16.0%)
 - Professional & Business Services (1,100 jobs, 6.4%)
 - Natural Resources & Mining (800 jobs, 3.2%)
 - Retail Trade (600 jobs, 2.0%)
 - Transportation & Utilities (400 jobs, 2.9%)
 - Financial Activities (200 jobs, 1.8%)
 - Other Services (200 jobs, 1.9%)
 - Manufacturing (200 jobs, 2.1%)
 - Educational & Health Services (100 jobs, 0.4%)
 - Government fell by 800 jobs, a decline of 1.1%
 - Construction fell by 400 jobs, a decline of 1.8%
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Year over Year Employment

Total Employment

- **Since June 2009, total employment in Wyoming has fallen by 1,800 jobs or -0.6%. The U.S. has decreased by 69,000 jobs or -0.1% over the same period.**
- **Wyoming's annual employment decline of -0.6% (June 2010 over June 2009) rose from #47 to #37 in June.**
- Other Mountain states posted growth/decline in June as follows:
 - Utah +1.0%
 - Idaho - 0.2%
 - Arizona - 0.3%
 - Montana - 0.4%
 - Colorado - 1.4%
 - New Mexico - 1.8%
 - Nevada - 2.3%

Employment by Industry

- Year over year increases by industry include:
 - Government (1,400 jobs, 1.9%)
 - Natural Resources & Mining (900 jobs, 3.6%)
 - Education & Health Services (700 jobs, 2.7%)
 - Manufacturing (600 jobs, 6.7%)
 - Professional & Business Services (500 jobs, 2.8%)
 - Transportation & Utilities (200 jobs, 1.4%)

- Employment has fallen in six industries since June 2009
 - Construction (-3,700 jobs, -14.6%)
 - Other Services (-1,200 jobs, -9.8%)
 - Leisure & Hospitality (-500, -1.4%)
 - Financial Activities (-300 jobs, -2.6%)
 - Retail Trade (-300 jobs, -1.0%)
 - Information (-100 jobs, -2.5%)

- Employment has remained unchanged in one industry since June 2009
 - Wholesale Trade

*Sources: Wyoming Department of Labor, Research & Planning
U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics*

Wyoming Total Employment (Jan 2000 - June 2010)

