

# Winnemucca and Humboldt County Nevada Facts 2011

## EMPLOYMENT (2006)

Industry	Employment	% by Sector
Total	7240	100%
Mining	1700	23.5%
Construction	420	5.8%
Manufacturing	320	4.4%
Trade Transport Utilities	1380	19.1%
Information	80	1.1%
Financial Activities	120	1.7%
Prof & Business Services	300	4.1%
Education and Health	260	3.6%
Leisure and Hospitality	1090	15.1%
Other Services	150	2.1%
Government	1410	19.5%

## TRANSPORTATION

### Highway System

Interstate 80 (East-West) Mileage from Winnemucca		
Westbound		
Reno	164 miles	
Sacramento	299 miles	
San Francisco	387 miles	
Eastbound		
Salt Lake City	369 miles	
Denver	886 miles	
Highway 95 (North-South) Mileage from Winnemucca		
Northbound		
Boise	267 miles	
Portland	528 miles	
Southbound		
Las Vegas	466 miles	
Phoenix	753 miles	
Los Angeles	661 miles	

### Electricity

Winnemucca & Paradise Valley  
[NV Energy](#)  
 500 West McArthur  
 Winnemucca, NV 89445  
 (775) 623-3667

McDermitt, Orovada & Denio  
[Harney Electric Cooperative](#)  
 1326 Hines Blvd.  
 Burns, OR 97720  
 (541) 272-3336

### Natural Gas

[Southwest Gas](#)  
 3294 Traders Way  
 Winnemucca, NV 89445  
 (775) 623-3642

### Water and Sewer

[City of Winnemucca](#)  
 90 West Fourth Street  
 Winnemucca, NV 89445  
 (775) 623-6340

### Industrial Parks

Airport Industrial Park  
 Contact: Steve West  
 (775) 623-6333

### Propane

[Americas](#)  
 3400 West Winnemucca Blvd.  
 Winnemucca, NV 89445  
 (775) 623-5055

[Western States Propane](#)  
 4105 West Winnemucca Blvd.  
 Winnemucca, NV 89445  
 (775) 623-9555

### Telephone

[AT&T](#)  
 1450 Vassar St..  
 Reno, NV 89520  
 (775) 333-4811

### Internet / ISPs

[AT&T](#)  
 1450 Vassar St..  
 Reno, NV 89520  
 (775) 333-4811

### [Performance Computing](#)

332 South Bridge Street  
 Winnemucca, NV 89445  
 (775) 623-2040  
[www.winnemucca.net](http://www.winnemucca.net)

### [The-Onramp.Net](#)

P.O. Box 789  
 Winnemucca, NV 89445  
 (775) 623-1223  
[www.the-onramp.net](http://www.the-onramp.net)

## MAJOR EMPLOYERS: (Mines Italicized)

Company	Employees
<a href="#">Newmont</a>	<b>567</b>
<a href="#">Humboldt County School District</a>	450
<a href="#">Tourquoise Ridge Joint Venture</a>	<b>302</b>
<a href="#">Wal-Mart</a>	300
<a href="#">Winners Hotel Casino</a>	250
<a href="#">Humboldt County</a>	180
<a href="#">Marigold Mining</a>	<b>178</b>
<a href="#">Humboldt Hospital</a>	170
<a href="#">Model T Hotel Casino</a>	165
<a href="#">Bureau of Land Management</a>	140
<a href="#">Red Lion Hotel Casino</a>	150
Winnemucca Farms	140
<a href="#">Sierra Pacific Power</a>	125
<a href="#">Carry-On Trailer</a>	100
<a href="#">Diamond Plastics</a>	100

### Motor Freight Companies

Motor Cargo  
 4855 West Winnemucca Blvd.  
 Winnemucca, NV 89445  
 (775) 623-2877

### Rail System

[Union Pacific Railroad](#) (800) 544-4130  
[Amtrak \(passenger\)](#) (800) 872-7245

### Airport

[Winnemucca Municipal](#) (775) 623-9847

Elevation	Runways	Communications
4308	7000'x100' (14/32)	FBO
	4800'x75' (2/20)	VOC & NDB

### Media

[Humboldt Sun - Newspaper](#)  
 1022 S. Grass Valley Road  
 Winnemucca, NV 89455  
 (775) 623-5011

[KWNA Radio](#)  
 5130 Weikel Drive  
 Winnemucca, NV 89445  
 (775) 623-5203

### Government

[Humboldt County](#)  
 50 West Fifth Street  
 Winnemucca, NV 89445  
 (775) 623-6300

### [City of Winnemucca](#)

90 West Fourth Street  
 Winnemucca, NV 89445  
 (775) 623-6338

### [CalNeva Broadband](#)

485 W Haskell St.  
 Winnemucca, NV 89445  
 (775) 625-1120

**For More Information Contact:**

[Humboldt Development Authority](http://www.hdanv.org)

50 West Fifth Street  
 Winnemucca, NV 89445  
 (775) 623-6300  
[www.hdanv.org](http://www.hdanv.org)

**PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

Location: North Central Nevada  
 Elevation: 4299 feet above sea level  
 Latitude: 40:58:23N Longitude: 117:44:05W

**CLIMATE**

Average Annual Preipitation	8"
Average Annual Snowfall	22"
Avg. Temperature in Jan	High 42 - Low 17
Avg. Temperature in July	High 93 - Low 51
Sunshine Days	225
Growing Season	124 days

**DEMOGRAPHICS:**

(Nevada State Demographer & U.S. Census)  
 County Seat : Winnemucca, Incorporated  
 Population:

	<u>2009 (est)</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>1990</u>
Humboldt County	18260	16197	13020
Winnemucca	7646	7175	6180

**Age Characteristics**

Under 5	1294	8.0%
5 to 14	2893	18.0%
15 to 24	2091	12.9%
25 to 34	2147	13.3%
35 to 44	2873	17.8%
45 to 54	2293	14.2%
55 to 64	1302	8.1%
65 to 74	708	4.4%
75+	505	3.1%
Male		52.9%
Female		47.1%

Humboldt County's Median Age: 33.4  
 Nation's Median Age: 35.3

**RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN (2000)**

White	13401	85.9%
Black	82	0.5%
Am. Indian, Eskimo or Aleut	647	4.2%
Asian or Pacific Islander	103	0.7%
Other Race	1375	8.8%
Hispanic Origin (of any race)	3040	23.1%

**EDUCATION DATA**

**Great Basin College**

Winnemucca Campus  
 5490 Kluncy Canyon  
 (775) 623-4824  
 Cost per Credit \$69.00  
 Winnemucca Enrollment 277

**Humboldt County School District**

310 East Fourth Street  
 Winnemucca, NV 89445  
 (775) 623-8100

Total Enrollment	3386
Number of students per teacher:	16
Average Salaries of Teaching Personnel:	\$49,000
MA Degree or Higher:	17.0%
Dropout Rate (9-12)	5.1%

**ACT & SAT Scores ( School Year 05-06)**

	County	Nevada	United States
SAT- Verbal	509	498	503
SAT- Math	518	508	518
ACT (Comp.)	22.4	21.5	21.1

	<u>Levels</u>	<u>Enrollment</u>
<b>Winnemucca Schools</b>		
Albert Lowry High	9-12	953
Winnemucca Junior High	7-8	475
French Ford Middle	5-6	498
Grass Valley	K-5	390
Sonoma Heights	K-5	506
Winnemucca Grammer	K-5	288
<b>Rural Schools</b>		
McDermitt Combined	K-12	156
Orovada	K-8	32
Denio	K-8	22
Kings River	K-8	19
Paradise Valley	K-8	46

**TAXES**

Corporate Income	None
Estate	None
Franchise	None
Gift	None
Inventory	None
Personal Income	None
Special Intangible	None
Unitary	None
Sales	6.5% (no sales tax on grocery items)
Property Tax - Assessment is 35% of full cash value	
Humboldt Co.	\$2.20 per \$100 assessed value
Winnemucca	\$3.17 per \$100 assessed value
Golconda	\$2.23 per \$100 assessed value
McDermitt	\$2.63 per \$100 assessed value