

Idaho

RESTAURANT INDUSTRY AT A GLANCE

Restaurants are a driving force in Idaho's economy. They provide jobs and build careers for thousands of people, and play a vital role in local communities throughout the state.

3,238

Eating and drinking place locations in Idaho in 2016

69,300

Restaurant and foodservice jobs in Idaho in 2018 = 9% of employment in the state

AND BY 2028, THAT NUMBER IS PROJECTED TO GROW BY 12.8%

= 8,900 additional jobs, for a total of 78,200

\$2.3 billion

Estimated sales in Idaho's restaurants in 2017

HOW BIG IS AMERICA'S RESTAURANT INDUSTRY?

LOCATIONS

1 MILLION+ serving millions every day

SALES

\$800 BILLION = 4% of the U.S. GDP

EMPLOYMENT

15.1 MILLION PEOPLE = 10% of the nation's workforce



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Idaho's Restaurants

JOBS AND ENTREPRENEURIAL OPPORTUNITIES IN EVERY COMMUNITY

U.S. SENATORS		EATING AND DRINKING PLACES:	
		Establishments in the state	Employees in the state*
Mike Crapo (R)		3,238	53,000
James Risch (R)			
U.S. REPRESENTATIVES		EATING AND DRINKING PLACES:	
		Establishments in the state	Employees in the state*
1	Raúl R. Labrador (R)	1,674	27,397
2	Michael K. Simpson (R)	1,564	25,603
TOTAL		3,238	53,000

*Idaho's 53,000 eating-and-drinking-place jobs represent the majority of the state's total restaurant and foodservice workforce of 69,300 jobs, with the remainder being non-restaurant foodservice positions.



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Source: National Restaurant Association, based on data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics & U.S. Census Bureau, 2016