

# EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

JULY 2019

## WASATCH FRONT



### Utah Employment Trends

#### Unemployment Rate - County

Cache.....	2.3%	National Unemployment Rate <b>3.7%</b>
Davis.....	2.7%	
Salt Lake.....	2.8%	
Utah.....	2.6%	
Washington.....	3.2%	
Weber.....	3.2%	

#### Employment Increase - County (Month)

Cache.....	-837	National Total Non-Farm Employment Increase Month over Month <b>247,000</b>
Davis.....	1,033	
Salt Lake.....	3,156	
Utah.....	-129	
Washington.....	-1,229	
Weber.....	-370	

#### Employment Increase - County (Year)

Cache.....	1,967	National Total Non-Farm Employment Increase Year over Year <b>1,413,000</b>
Davis.....	2,499	
Salt Lake.....	15,764	
Utah.....	9,676	
Washington.....	2,619	
Weber.....	2,889	

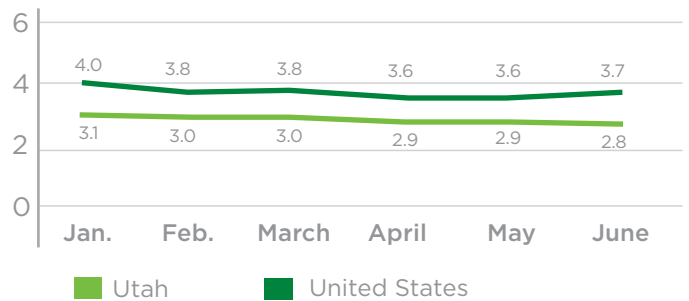
Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

The Wasatch Front continues to show some of the nation's lowest unemployment rates, with Cache County on the low end with 2.3 percent, and Washington and Weber counties at the high end with 3.2 percent.

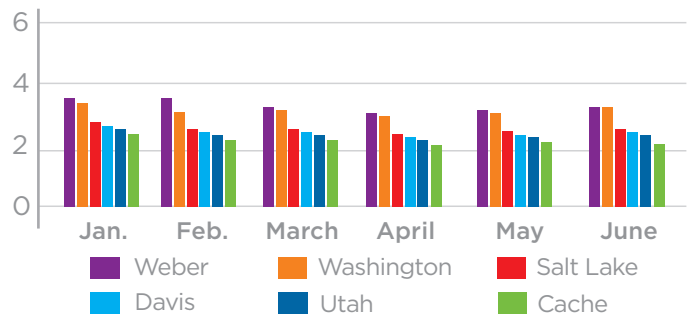
### Workforce Insights

- ▶ Utah continues to have one of the nation's best labor markets, according to Zion's Bank, with a 2.9-percent unemployment rate and every major industry adding jobs over the past year. (UtahPolicy.com)
- ▶ Utah's robust economy, a large number of millennials and lack of affordable housing to meet the needs of the region's growing workforce have created a housing construction boom. (Utah Business)

### Unemployment Rate (Utah vs. U.S.)



### Unemployment Rates for Utah Counties



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