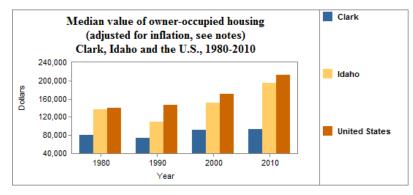
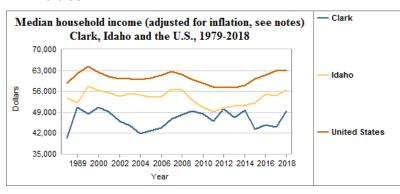
# Housing

- ♦ The median value of owner-occupied housing (adjusted for inflation) was \$94,583 between 2014 and 2018, compared to \$195.784 in Idaho and \$208.613 in the US.
- The median value was the 44th highest out of Idaho's 44 counties between 2014 and 2018.
- ♦ The number of housing units increased by 6.5% from 2000 to 2018, compared to an increase of 34.8% in Idaho.



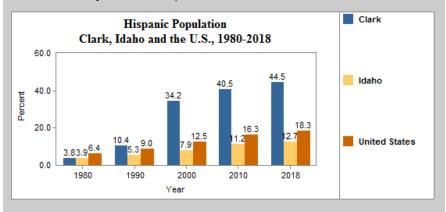
## **Income**

- The county's per capita income in 2018 (adjusted for inflation) was \$40,122, compared to the state average of \$44,696 and the national average of \$55,433.
- Per capita income increased by 27.8% from 2008 to 2018, compared to an increase of 15.3% in Idaho and an increase of 14.1% in the US.
- The median household income (adjusted for inflation) was \$49,349 in 2018 compared to \$56,530 in Idaho and \$63,059 in the US.



# **Hispanic Population**

Clark County had 379 Hispanic residents in 2018.



# **Age Structure**

- ♦ 23.2% of Clark County's population was under 18 in 2018, in contrast to 25.5% in Idaho and 22.4% in the US.
- ♦ In 2018, 59.0% of the population was 18 to 64 years old, compared to 58.7% in Idaho and 61.5% in the US.
- Clark County's median age in 2018 was 37.9 compared to 36.6 in Idaho and 38.2 in the US.

**Note:** The Consumer Price Index (CPI) is a measure of inflation. Using the CPI to put dollar values in "real" terms makes it easier to see "inflation-free" change over time. Our base year is 2019, which means all dollar values are in terms of 2019 dollars.

For more information, see https://www.bls.gov/cpi/home.htm

#### Sources:

Please see the Indicators Idaho website (indicatorsidaho.org) for data sources and additional information about your county.

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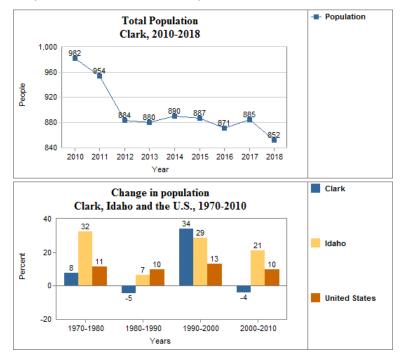
## **COUNTY HIGHLIGHTS**

- ◆ Clark County's total population in 2018 was 852.
- ♦ In 2018, the median household income was \$49,349.
- ◆ Clark County's average annual unemployment rate was 3.0% in 2018.
- ♦ In 2018, Hispanic residents made up 44.5% of the population, compared to 12.7% in Idaho and 18.3% in the US.

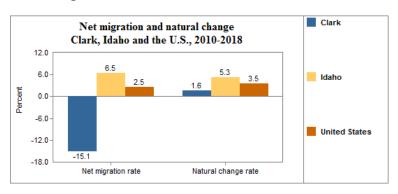


# **Population Change**

- Clark County had 852 residents in 2018, 130 less than 2010.
- Population decreased by 13.2 percent between 2010 and 2018, compared to an increase of 11.9 percent in Idaho as a whole.



- Clark County was the 44th fastest growing county out of Idaho's 44 counties between 2010 and 2018.
- ♦ Since 1970, Clark County has gained 111 residents.
- ♦ Clark County had migration & natural change rates that were below the state average between 2010 and 2018.

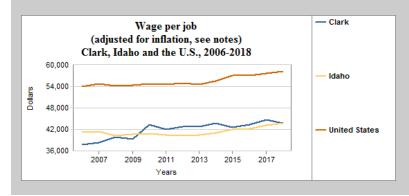


# **Employment**

- The average annual unemployment rate in 2018 was 3.0%, compared to 2.8% for Idaho and 3.9% for the US. Clark County ranked 22nd—from highest to lowest—out of Idaho's 44 counties.
- ◆ The largest number of jobs in 2018 were provided by government and farming.
- ♦ The number of jobs was 614 in 2018, compared to 488 in 1969—a 26% increase.

Employment by Industry			
	2010	2014	2018
Total Employment	528	608	614
Farm	23.5%	20.9%	22.0%
Construction	NA	NA	NA
Manufacturing	NA	NA	NA
Retail trade	NA	NA	NA
Professional and technical services	NA	NA	2.0%
Educational services	NA	NA	0.8%
Health care and social assistance	NA	NA	NA
Accommodation and food services	NA	NA	NA
Government	31.3%	21.2%	22.1%
Other	NA	NA	NA

- ♦ In 2018, the self-employment rate was 26.5%, compared to 25.7% for Idaho and 23.1% for the US.
- ♦ The average wage per job in 2018 (adjusted for inflation) was \$43,714, up from \$39,935 a decade earlier. The average was \$43,659 in Idaho and \$58,304 in the US.



# **Social Trends**

## **Educational Attainment**

In Clark County on average between 2014-2018...

- ♦ 39.2% of the population 25 years and older had no high school diploma, compared to 9.4% in Idaho and 12.3% in the US.
- ◆ 15.5% had a bachelor's degree or higher, compared to 26.9% in Idaho and 31.5% in the US.

## **Poverty**

- ◆ Clark County's overall poverty rate decreased from 16.5% in 2008 when the recession began to 15.5% in 2018.
- ♦ Statewide, the overall poverty rate in 2018 was 11.7% and the US rate was 13.1%.
- Clark County's child poverty rate (for people under 18) decreased from 25.9% in 2008 when the recession began to 20.8% in 2018.
- ♦ On average between 2014 and 2018, the poverty rate for people 65 and over was 7.2 percent.

## **Clark County Youth**

- ♦ The teen birth rate in 2017 was NA per 1,000, compared to 6 per 1,000 in Idaho and 8 per 1,000 in the US.
- On average between 2014 and 2018, teens who were not working, looking for work, and not in school made up 20.3% of all youth aged 16-19, compared to 6.8% in Idaho and 6.8% in the US.

### Crime and Law Enforcement

In Clark County in 2016...

- ◆ The total number of crimes reported was 129 per 10,000 population, compared to 198 in Idaho and 245 in the US.
- ♦ The number of sworn police officers per 1,000 population was 1.4, compared to 1.5 in Idaho and 2.0 in the US.