Liberty County Profile

Liberty County is located in East Central Texas and is one of 13 counties in the Gulf Coast Region. Liberty County's 2013 population estimate was 76,907. Liberty is the county seat. Other towns include Cleveland and Dayton. The Manufacturing, Trade, Service, and Local Government Sectors fuel county employment. Liberty County is one of the original counties established in Texas in 1836. The average unemployment rate in Liberty County for 2013 was 8.1 percent.
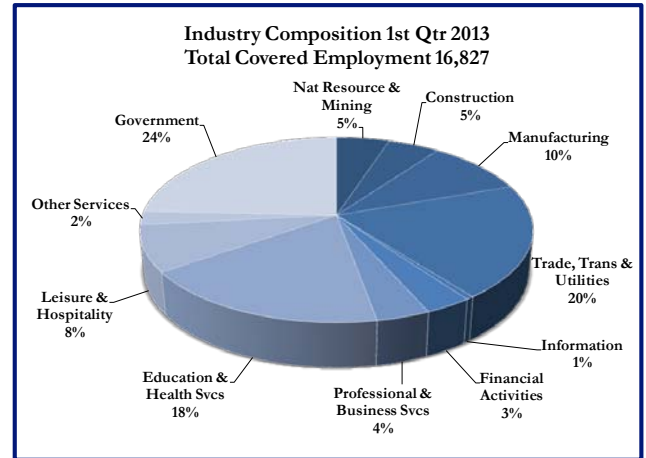
Per Capita Personal Income (2012)

$35,067 ranking 155th in the State and was 82 percent of the State average, $42,638. The compound annual growth rate over the past 10 years was 4.3 percent as compared to 3.8 percent for the State and 3.2 percent for the nation.

Total Personal Income (2012)

$2,685,134,000 ranking 49th in the State with a compound annual growth rate over the past 10 years of 4.7 percent as compared to 5.7 percent for the State and 4.1 percent for the nation.
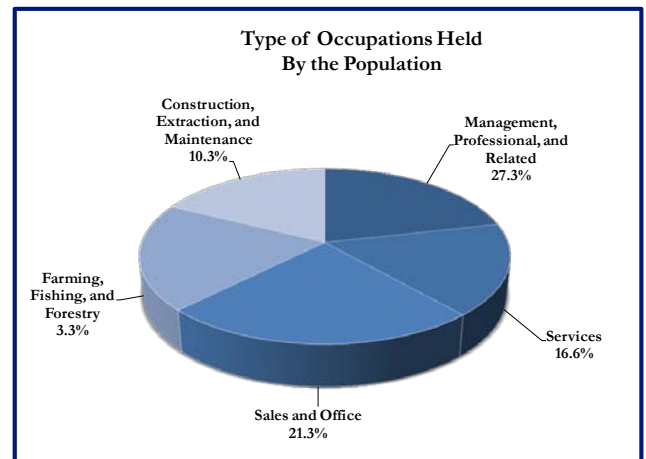
Median Household Income (2012)

$48,408

Major Employers

Boomerang
Brookshire Brothers
Campbell Concrete & Materials
Cleveland ISD
Dayton ISD
Liberty County
Liberty ISD
Texas Dept of Criminal Justice
Texas Home Health of America Inc
Wal-Mart Associates Inc

Size Class of Employers (2012)

Employers per Firm	Number of Firms
Total	1,046
1-19	928
20-99	107
100-499	10
>499	1

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Bureau of Economic Analysis and Texas Workforce Commission
*Hispanic Persons are of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban or South American or some other Spanish Origin.

Industry Composition 1st Qtr 2013
Total Covered Employment 16,827

Nat Resource & Mining 5%
Construction 5%
Manufacturing 10%
Trade, Trans & Utilities 20%
Information 1%
Financial Activities 3%
Professional & Business Svcs 4%
Education & Health Svcs 18%
Leisure & Hospitality 8%
Other Services 2%
Government 24%

Type of Occupations Held
By the Population

Construction, Extraction, and Maintenance 10.3%
Management, Professional, and Related 27.3%
Services 16.6%
Sales and Office 21.3%
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry 3.3%

Race Statistics of the Population 2010

Total Population	75,643	100.0%
White, Not Hispanic	52,321	69.2%
Black or African American, Not Hispanic	8,074	10.7%
American Indian, Not Hispanic	312	0.4%
Asian, Not Hispanic	337	0.4%
Some other Race, Not Hispanic	120	0.2%
Two or More Races, Not Hispanic	877	1.2%
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)*	13,602	18.0%