

Waller County Profile

Waller County is located in East Central Texas and is one of 13 counties in the Gulf Coast Workforce Region. Walker County's 2018 population estimate was 49,987. Hempstead is the county seat. Other towns include Brookshire, Prairieview and Waller. The Trade, Services, State and Local Government and Manufacturing Sectors fuel county employment. Waller County is home to Prairie View A & M University. The average unemployment rate in Waller County in 2019 was 3.7 percent.

Per Capita Personal Income (2018)

\$39,995 ranking 151st in the State and was 79 percent of the State average, \$50,335. The compound annual growth rate over the past 10 years was 2.0 percent as compared to 2.5 percent for the State and 2.9 percent for the nation.

Total Personal Income (2018)

\$2,124,793,000 ranking 63rd in the State and accounted for 0.1 percent of the state total.

Median Household Income (2017)

\$55,224

Major Employers

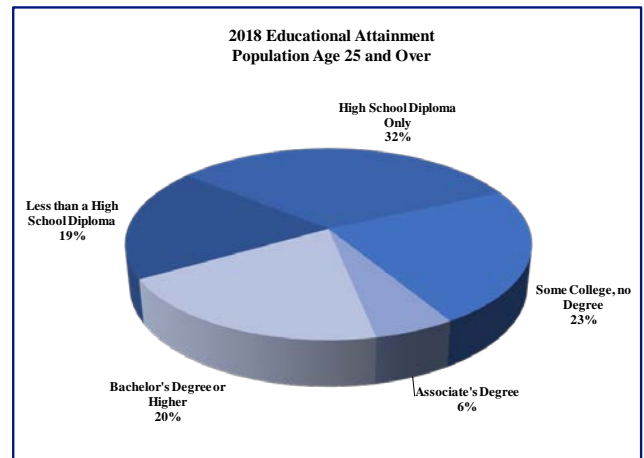
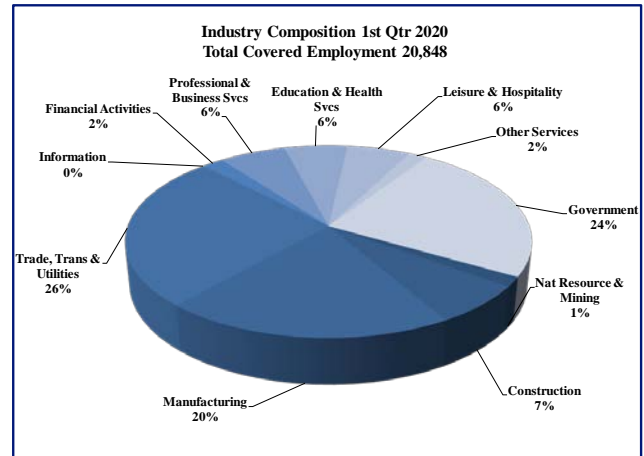
Briarwood-Brookwood Inc
 Creekside Nursery
 Hempstead ISD
 Igloo
 PBS of Central Florida
 Prairie View A & M University
 Royal ISD
 Waller ISD
 Wal-Mart Associates Inc

Size Class of Employers (2017)

Total	810
Establishments with less than 5 employees	426
Establishments with 5 to 9 employees	146
Establishments with 10 to 19 employees	94
Establishments with 20 to 49 employees	93
Establishments with 50 to 99 employees	33
Establishments with 100 to 249 employees	14
Establishments with 250 to 499 employees	4
Establishments with 500 to 999 employees	0
Establishments with 1,000 employees or more	0

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.



Race Statistics of the Population 2018

Total Population	49,987	
Not Hispanic or Latino	35,084	70.2%
Hispanic or Latino	14,903	29.8%
Total Population	49,987	
White alone	30,385	60.8%
Black or African American alone	12,280	24.6%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	392	0.8%
Asian alone	487	1.0%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	24	0.0%
Some other race alone	5,380	10.8%
Two or more races:	1,039	2.1%