

County average wages (effective until 6/30/2020)

*Average county wages are based on Census of Employment and Wages, MERIC.

*Updates to be made annually. Use 2,080 hours per year when converting from annual to hourly wages.

County	Average Annual Wage
ADAIR	\$31,710
ANDREW	\$33,459
ATCHISON	\$32,225
AUDRAIN	\$36,336
BARRY	\$39,548
BARTON	\$31,932
BATES	\$32,126
BENTON	\$28,149
BOLLINGER	\$29,588
BOONE	\$39,186
BUCHANAN	\$45,012
BUTLER	\$32,167
CALDWELL	\$33,494
CALLAWAY	\$45,239
CAMDEN	\$33,179
CAPE GIRARDEAU	\$40,625
CARROLL	\$33,712
CARTER	\$23,819
CASS	\$35,405
CEDAR	\$26,462
CHARITON	\$31,915
CHRISTIAN	\$32,150
CLARK	\$25,468
CLAY	\$48,500
CLINTON	\$34,115
COLE	\$41,270
COOPER	\$32,779
CRAWFORD	\$37,082
DADE	\$30,966
DALLAS	\$23,888
DAVISS	\$28,389
DEKALB	\$34,040
DENT	\$28,606
DOUGLAS	\$26,084
DUNKLIN	\$26,386
FRANKLIN	\$40,553
GASCONADE	\$29,687
GENTRY	\$34,470
GREENE	\$42,907

County	Average Annual Wage
GRUNDY	\$36,171
HARRISON	\$29,041
HENRY	\$34,320
HICKORY	\$24,416
HOLT	\$37,956
HOWARD	\$31,757
HOWELL	\$33,019
IRON	\$40,698
JACKSON	\$49,586
JASPER	\$39,816
JEFFERSON	\$37,287
JOHNSON	\$31,832
KNOX	\$28,283
LACLEDE	\$34,328
LAFAYETTE	\$32,518
LAWRENCE	\$36,541
LEWIS	\$33,189
LINCOLN	\$39,850
LINN	\$35,441
LIVINGSTON	\$33,704
MACON	\$31,423
MADISON	\$29,323
MARIES	\$32,009
MARION	\$37,700
MCDONALD	\$35,575
MERCER	\$35,769
MILLER	\$31,513
MISSISSIPPI	\$30,929
MONITEAU	\$35,203
MONROE	\$31,933
MONTGOMERY	\$35,055
MORGAN	\$28,551
NEW MADRID	\$35,359
NEWTON	\$40,758
NODAWAY	\$35,484
OREGON	\$23,861
OSAGE	\$36,821
OZARK	\$24,264
PEMISCOT	\$27,870

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PERRY	\$37,907
PETTIS	\$34,448
PHELPS	\$36,040
PIKE	\$32,366
PLATTE	\$46,961
POLK	\$30,965
PULASKI	\$28,066
PUTNAM	\$25,581
RALLS	\$45,761
RANDOLPH	\$37,693
RAY	\$36,223
REYNOLDS	\$35,798
RIPLEY	\$22,059
SALINE	\$35,921
SCHUYLER	\$26,499
SCOTLAND	\$26,168
SCOTT	\$36,892
SHANNON	\$24,432
SHELBY	\$30,823
ST CHARLES	\$45,889
ST LOUIS CITY	\$49,586
ST LOUIS CO	\$49,586
ST. CLAIR	\$25,269
ST. FRANCOIS	\$31,494
STE. GENEVIEVE	\$43,648
STODDARD	\$36,891
STONE	\$29,198
SULLIVAN	\$41,797
TANEY	\$30,760
TEXAS	\$28,863
VERNON	\$37,174
WARREN	\$38,415
WASHINGTON	\$26,605
WAYNE	\$23,686
WEBSTER	\$33,138
WORTH	\$26,834
WRIGHT	\$29,753
STATEWIDE	\$49,586

- Statewide average of \$49,586 applicable to any county over the statewide average when determining program eligibility. (Jackson, St. Louis County and City)
- The wage represents an average for all private industries.
- If a project is moving from one Missouri county to a county with a lower county average wage, the company must obtain endorsement from the governing body of the community where the jobs are located, or the higher county average wage will be used for calculations.