

# West Virginia

## RESTAURANT INDUSTRY AT A GLANCE



Restaurants in West Virginia are a driving force in the state's economy. Their sales generate tremendous tax revenues. They provide jobs and build careers for thousands of people. They also provide healthful options for their guests, give back to their communities, and work to reduce their impact on the environment. Visit [www.restaurant.org](http://www.restaurant.org) for more information.



In 2012, West Virginia's restaurants are projected to register **\$2.1 billion** in sales.



Every \$1 spent in West Virginia's restaurants generates an additional **\$.67** in sales for the state economy.



In 2010, there were **3,148** eating and drinking places in West Virginia.



Every extra \$1 million spent in West Virginia's restaurants generates an additional **28.2** jobs in the state.

## America Works Here™

### In 2012

Restaurants in West Virginia employ **72,900** people  
(10% of employment in West Virginia)

### In 2022

Restaurants in West Virginia are projected to employ **77,400** people  
(6.2% job growth — 4,500 new jobs)

Source: National Restaurant Association. (Includes all restaurant and foodservice occupations. Employment figures are projected.)

## HOW BIG IS AMERICA'S RESTAURANT INDUSTRY?

970,000

LOCATIONS

Serving 130 million  
Americans per day



12.9 million

PEOPLE

10% of workforce



\$632 billion

IN SALES

4% of U.S. GDP



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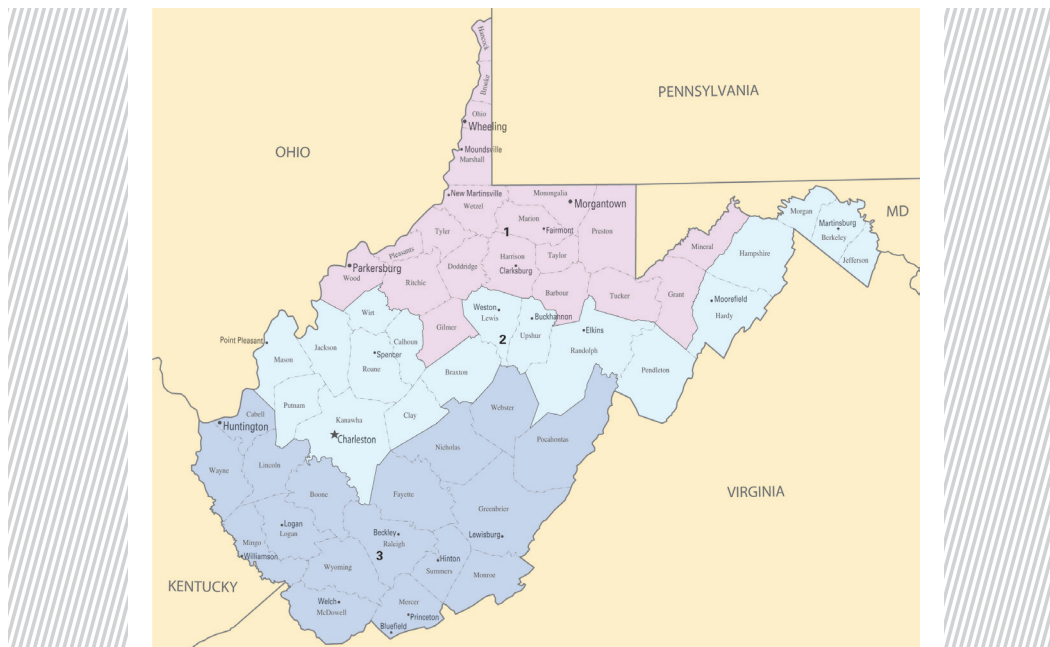
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# West Virginia's Restaurants

**JOBS AND ENTREPRENEURIAL OPPORTUNITIES IN EVERY COMMUNITY**



**U.S. SENATORS** **EATING AND DRINKING PLACES:**  
**Establishments** **Employees**  
in the state\* in the state\*

Joe Manchin III (D)	<b>3,148</b>	<b>51,200</b>
John D. Rockefeller IV (D)		

**Cong. district** **U.S. REPRESENTATIVES** **EATING AND DRINKING PLACES:**  
**Establishments** **Employees**  
per district\* per district\*

1	David B. McKinley (R)	1,235	20,083
2	Shelley Moore Capito (R)	996	16,200
3	Nick J. Rahall II (D)	917	14,917
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3,148</b>	<b>51,200</b>



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\*Includes only eating-and-drinking places with payroll employees. Eating and drinking place employment represents about three-fourths of the total restaurant and foodservice workforce. | **Districts Map:** National Atlas of the United States of America  
**Source:** National Restaurant Association, based on data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics & U.S. Census Bureau, 2010