

Montana

RESTAURANT INDUSTRY AT A GLANCE

Restaurants are a driving force in Montana's economy. They provide jobs and build careers for thousands of people, and play a vital role in local communities throughout the state.



2,831
Eating and drinking place
locations in Montana in 2018



\$2.3 billion
Estimated sales in Montana's
restaurants in 2018



57,200
Restaurant and foodservice jobs
in Montana in 2019 = 12% of
employment in the state

**AND BY 2029, THAT
NUMBER IS PROJECTED
TO GROW BY 7.9%**

= 4,500 additional jobs,
for a total of 61,700

**HOW DOES THE
RESTAURANT INDUSTRY
IMPACT THE
MONTANA ECONOMY?**

Every dollar spent in the tableservice segment
contributes \$1.72 to the state economy.

Every dollar spent in the limited-service segment
contributes \$1.53 to the state economy.



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Montana's Restaurants

JOBS AND ENTREPRENEURIAL OPPORTUNITIES IN EVERY COMMUNITY

U.S. SENATORS	EATING AND DRINKING PLACES:	
	Establishments in the state	Employees in the state*
Steve Daines (R)	2,831	40,300
Jon Tester (D)		
U.S. REPRESENTATIVES	EATING AND DRINKING PLACES:	
	Establishments in the state	Employees in the state*
Greg Gianforte (R)	2,831	40,300
TOTAL	2,831	40,300

*Montana's 40,300 eating-and-drinking-place jobs represent the majority of the state's total restaurant and foodservice workforce of 57,200 jobs, with the remainder being non-restaurant foodservice positions.



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Source: National Restaurant Association, based on data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics & U.S. Census Bureau, 2018