



# Long County



## Area Labor Profile

Updated: Dec 2016

### Labor Force Activity - 2015

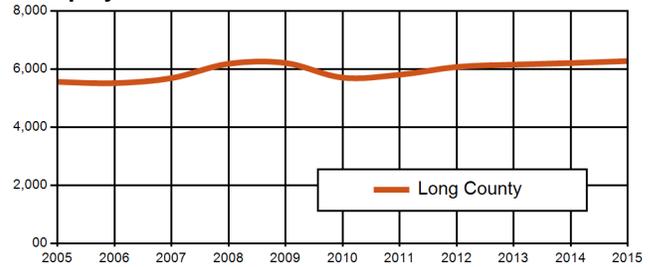
#### 2015 ANNUAL AVERAGES

	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate
Long	6,668	6,273	395	5.9%
Liberty	25,338	23,741	1,597	6.3%
McIntosh	5,947	5,568	379	6.4%
Tattnall	9,348	8,788	560	6.0%
Wayne	11,373	10,538	835	7.3%
<b>Long Area</b>	<b>58,674</b>	<b>54,908</b>	<b>3,766</b>	<b>6.4%</b>
Georgia	4,770,873	4,490,931	279,942	5.9%
United States	157,129,917	148,833,417	8,296,333	5.3%

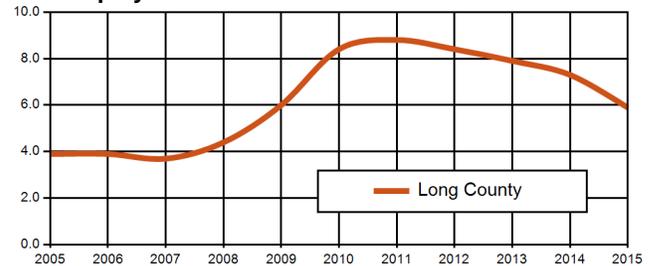
Note: This series reflects the latest information available. Labor Force includes residents of the county who are employed or actively seeking employment.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor; U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

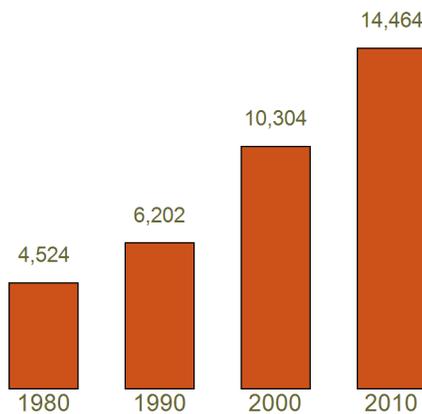
#### Employment Trends



#### Unemployment Rate Trends



#### Population Estimates



#### Population

	2010 Census	2015 Rank	2015 Estimate	% Change 2000-2015	2025 Projected*	% Change 2010-2025
<b>Long</b>	<b>14,464</b>	<b>231</b>	<b>17,731</b>	<b>22.6</b>	<b>21,993</b>	<b>52.1</b>
City of Ludowici	1,703					
<b>Long Area</b>	<b>147,869</b>		<b>148,930</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>165,108</b>	<b>11.7</b>
Georgia	9,687,653		10,214,860	5.4	11,538,707	19.1
United States	308,745,538		321,418,820	4.1	349,439,199	13.2

Source: Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau, \*Governor's Office of Planning and Budget.

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# Industry Mix - 2nd Quarter of 2016

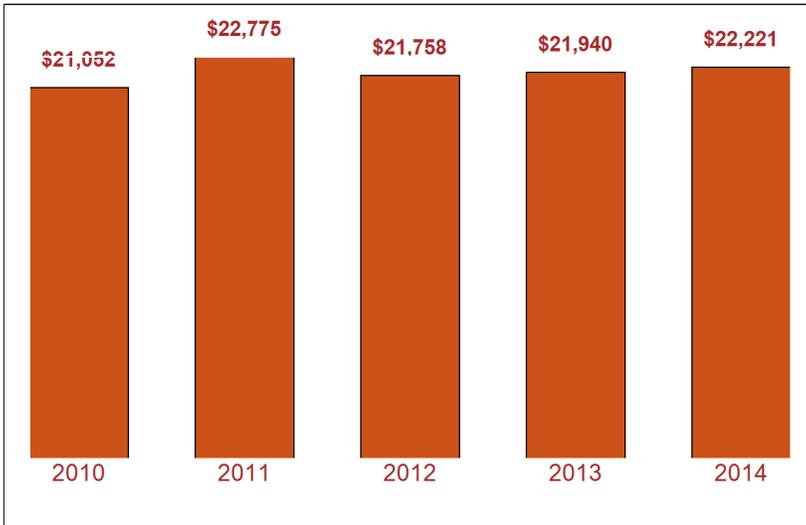
INDUSTRY	Long				Long Area			
	NUMBER OF FIRMS	EMPLOYMENT NUMBER	PERCENT	WEEKLY WAGE	NUMBER OF FIRMS	EMPLOYMENT NUMBER	PERCENT	WEEKLY WAGE
<b>Goods-Producing</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>8.2</b>	<b>706</b>	<b>378</b>	<b>5,558</b>	<b>16.2</b>	<b>972</b>
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	4	28	3.0	884	90	1,019	3.0	638
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	1	*	*	*	2	*	*	*
Construction	15	36	3.9	477	212	1,262	3.7	773
Manufacturing	1	*	*	*	74	3,271	9.5	1,153
Nonmetallic Mineral Product	1	*	*	*	6	129	0.4	823
Textile Product Mills	0	0	0.0	0	1	*	*	*
Beverage and Tobacco Product	0	0	0.0	0	1	*	*	*
Petroleum and Coal Products	0	0	0.0	0	1	*	*	*
Chemical	0	0	0.0	0	1	*	*	*
Miscellaneous	0	0	0.0	0	2	*	*	*
Textile Mills	0	0	0.0	0	2	*	*	*
Transportation Equipment	0	0	0.0	0	3	*	*	*
Food	0	0	0.0	0	3	5	0.0	606
Apparel	0	0	0.0	0	5	49	0.1	356
Printing and Related Support Activities	0	0	0.0	0	6	28	0.1	464
Wood Product	0	0	0.0	0	7	208	0.6	766
Furniture and Related Product	0	0	0.0	0	12	80	0.2	557
Fabricated Metal Product	0	0	0.0	0	12	338	1.0	963
Paper	0	0	0.0	0	12	1,387	4.0	1,394
<b>Service-Providing</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>18.3</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>1,620</b>	<b>16,179</b>	<b>47.2</b>	<b>557</b>
Utilities	0	0	0.0	0	14	320	0.9	1,157
Wholesale Trade	1	*	*	*	47	541	1.6	627
Retail Trade	8	48	5.2	265	399	3,910	11.4	459
Transportation and Warehousing	2	*	*	*	68	1,229	3.6	782
Information	0	0	0.0	0	27	252	0.7	833
Finance and Insurance	3	8	0.9	683	96	750	2.2	748
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	5	14	1.5	595	86	403	1.2	593
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	4	4	0.4	1,225	117	646	1.9	826
Management of Companies and Enterprises	0	0	0.0	0	9	190	0.6	811
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	5	*	*	*	86	730	2.1	697
Educational Services	0	0	0.0	0	12	234	0.7	652
Health Care and Social Assistance	4	24	2.6	696	203	2,699	7.9	690
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	0	0	0.0	0	15	60	0.2	306
Accommodation and Food Services	3	45	4.9	216	212	3,326	9.7	263
Other Services (except Public Administration)	3	*	*	*	159	781	2.3	484
<b>Unclassified - industry not assigned</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>591</b>
<b>Total - Private Sector</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>26.6</b>	<b>524</b>	<b>1,998</b>	<b>21,737</b>	<b>63.4</b>	<b>663</b>
<b>Total - Government</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>675</b>	<b>73.4</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>12,526</b>	<b>36.6</b>	<b>763</b>
Federal Government	3	12	1.3	887	74	4,318	12.6	947
State Government	5	*	*	*	57	1,921	5.6	639
Local Government	3	590	64.1	585	81	6,287	18.3	676
<b>ALL INDUSTRIES</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>920</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>573</b>	<b>2,210</b>	<b>34,262</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>700</b>
<b>ALL INDUSTRIES - Georgia</b>					<b>298,099</b>	<b>4,257,675</b>		<b>930</b>

Note: \*Denotes confidential data relating to individual employers and cannot be released. These data use the North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS) categories. Average weekly wage is derived by dividing gross payroll dollars paid to all employees - both hourly and salaried - by the average number of employees who had earnings; average earnings are then divided by the number of weeks in a reporting period to obtain weekly figures. Figures in other columns may not sum accurately due to rounding. All figures are 2nd Quarter of 2016.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor. These data represent jobs that are covered by unemployment insurance laws.

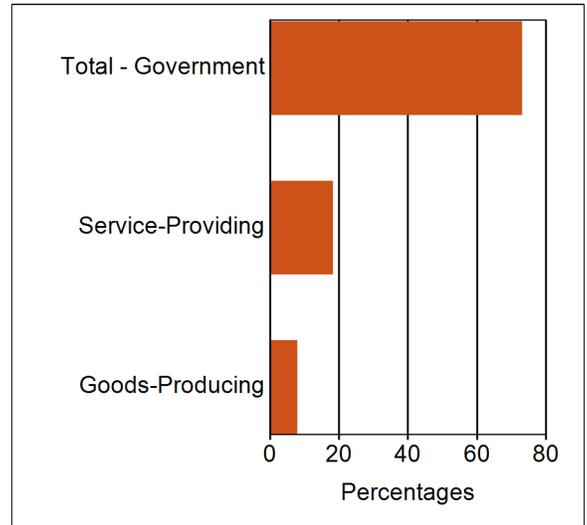
## Long Per Capita Income

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis



## Long Industry Mix 2016

Source: See Industry Mix data on Page 2.



## Top Ten Largest Employers - 2015\*

### Long

Coastal Ga Area Community Action Authority  
 Dairy Queen  
 Evergreen Electrical Services, Inc.  
 Flash Foods, Inc.  
 Flatwoods Forestry, Inc.  
 Foster Logging, Inc.  
 Georgia Department of Corrections  
 Huddle House  
 Kenny Watsons Collision Center, Inc.  
 Ludowici IGA, Inc.

\*Note: Represents employment covered by unemployment insurance excluding all government agencies except correctional institutions, state and local hospitals, state colleges and universities. Data shown for the Third Quarter of 2015. Employers are listed alphabetically by area, not by the number of employees.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor

### Long Area

Georgia Department of Corrections  
 Rayonier Performance Fibers, LLC  
 Rayonier, Inc.  
 Rotary Corp  
 SNF Holding Company  
 Target  
 Tattnall Hospital Company, LLC  
 Tsay F-W Joint Venture  
 Walmart  
 Walmart

### COUNTY

Tattnall  
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## Commuting Patterns

### EMPLOYED RESIDENTS OF

#### Long

COUNTY WHERE EMPLOYED	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
Liberty, GA	2,606	48.4
Long, GA	963	17.9
Chatham, GA	431	8.0
Wayne, GA	351	6.5
Tattnall, GA	326	6.1
Bryan, GA	231	4.3
Evans, GA	175	3.2
Glynn, GA	138	2.6
Other	165	3.1
<b>Total Residents:</b>	<b>5,386</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### PERSONS WORKING IN

#### Long

COUNTY OF RESIDENCE	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
Long, GA	963	64.8
Tattnall, GA	156	10.5
Liberty, GA	153	10.3
Wayne, GA	121	8.1
Clay, FL	41	2.8
Evans, GA	29	2.0
Bibb, GA	11	0.7
Bryan, GA	9	0.6
Other	2	0.1
<b>Total Residents:</b>	<b>1,485</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Note: Other category represents employment from U.S. counties only.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010 County-To-County Worker Flow Files.

# Education of the Labor Force

## Long Area

	PERCENT OF TOTAL	PERCENT DISTRIBUTION BY AGE				
		18-24	25-34	35-44	45-64	65+
Elementary	5.6%	3.1%	4.1%	3.2%	4.6%	16.9%
Some High School	14.1%	20.9%	11.2%	11.6%	12.3%	17.4%
High School Grad/GED	39.3%	42.4%	33.8%	37.8%	41.6%	40.0%
Some College	22.9%	28.4%	31.3%	21.7%	19.9%	11.8%
College Grad 2 Yr	6.5%	2.4%	7.1%	10.4%	7.4%	3.2%
College Grad 4 Yr	7.8%	2.8%	9.2%	10.7%	8.3%	6.6%
Post Graduate Studies	3.9%	0.1%	3.3%	4.7%	5.9%	4.1%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Note: Totals are based on the portion of the labor force between ages 18 - 65+. The "Some College" category represents workers with less than two years of college and no degree.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2010 Decennial Census.

## High School Graduates - 2015

	PUBLIC SCHOOLS	PRIVATE SCHOOLS*	TOTAL
Liberty	585	--	585
Long	148	--	148
McIntosh	109	--	109
Tattnall	208	--	208
Wayne	274	--	274
<b>Long Area</b>	<b>1,324</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>1,324</b>



Note: Public schools include city as well as county schools systems.

\* Private schools data is not available for 2015 from Georgia Independent School Association.

Source: The Governor's Office of Student Achievement of Georgia.

## Colleges and Universities

### Long Area

#### Wayne

Altamaha Technical College [www.altamahatech.edu](http://www.altamahatech.edu)

#### Liberty

Fort Stewart Campus (Satellite campus of Savannah Technical College) [www.savannahtech.edu](http://www.savannahtech.edu)

Liberty Campus (Satellite campus of Savannah Technical College) [www.savannahtech.edu](http://www.savannahtech.edu)

#### Tattnall

Glennville Campus (Satellite campus of Southeastern Technical College) [www.southeasterntech.edu](http://www.southeasterntech.edu)

Tattnall-Reidsville Center (Satellite campus of Southeastern Technical College) [www.southeasterntech.edu](http://www.southeasterntech.edu)

Note: The colleges and universities listed include public and private institutions. This list is updated periodically as information becomes available.

Source: Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS).

## Technical College Graduates - 2015\*

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2013	2014	2015	2013-2014	2014-2015
Accounting Technology/Technician and Bookkeeping°	99	108	205	9.1	89.8

# Technical College Graduates - 2015\*

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2013	2014	2015	2013-2014	2014-2015
Administrative Assistant and Secretarial Science, General°	90	91	174	1.1	91.2
Airframe Mechanics and Aircraft Maintenance Technology/Technician°	87	78	195	-10.3	150.0
Allied Health and Medical Assisting Services, Other°	315	291	470	-7.6	61.5
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician°	48	46	70	-4.2	52.2
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician°	477	381	600	-20.1	57.5
Barbering/Barber	14	22	39	57.1	77.3
Business Administration and Management, General°	56	83	130	48.2	56.6
CAD/CADD Drafting and/or Design Technology/Technician°	25	20	72	-20.0	260.0
Carpentry/Carpenter°	19	20	26	5.3	30.0
Child Care and Support Services Management°	11	16	25	45.5	56.3
Child Care Provider/Assistant°	64	66	253	3.1	283.3
Clinical/Medical Laboratory Technician	21	13	16	-38.1	23.1
Computer Installation and Repair Technology/Technician°	81	54	137	-33.3	153.7
Construction Management°	17	9	39	-47.1	333.3
Cosmetology/Cosmetologist, General°	248	178	459	-28.2	157.9
Criminal Justice/Police Science°	26	55	18	111.5	-67.3
Criminal Justice/Safety Studies°	176	173	396	-1.7	128.9
Culinary Arts/Chef Training	23	21	53	-8.7	152.4
Data Entry/Microcomputer Applications, General°	50	80	147	60.0	83.8
Data Processing and Data Processing Technology/Technician°	100	106	219	6.0	106.6
Dental Assisting/Assistant	16	12	22	-25.0	83.3
Dental Hygiene/Hygienist	22	27	30	22.7	11.1
Drafting and Design Technology/Technician, General°	11	12	38	9.1	216.7
Early Childhood Education and Teaching°	58	41	128	-29.3	212.2
Electrical and Power Transmission Installation/Installer, General°	1	6	4	500.0	-33.3
Electrical, Electronic and Communications Engineering Technology/Technician°	6	1	13	-83.3	1200.0
Electrical/Electronics Equipment Installation and Repair, General°	32	28	62	-12.5	121.4
Electrician°	199	135	209	-32.2	54.8
Electromechanical and Instrumentation and Maintenance Technologies/Technicians,°	3	9	12	200.0	33.3
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic)°	136	143	227	5.1	58.7
Fire Prevention and Safety Technology/Technician°	3	2	2	-33.3	0.0
Fire Science/Fire-fighting°	19	9	24	-52.6	166.7
Fire Services Administration	2	1	1	-50.0	0.0
Food Preparation/Professional Cooking/Kitchen Assistant°	51	38	85	-25.5	123.7
General Office Occupations and Clerical Services°	35	43	93	22.9	116.3
Health Services/Allied Health/Health Sciences, General°	22	20	110	-9.1	450.0

# Technical College Graduates - 2015\*

PROGRAMS	TOTAL GRADUATES			PERCENT CHANGE	
	2013	2014	2015	2013-2014	2014-2015
Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation and Refrigeration Maintenance Technology <sup>°</sup>	261	238	361	-8.8	51.7
Hospitality Administration/Management, General <sup>°</sup>	7	11	9	57.1	-18.2
Human Resources Management/Personnel Administration, General <sup>°</sup>	29	45	73	55.2	62.2
Industrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology <sup>°</sup>	21	51	61	142.9	19.6
Legal Assistant/Paralegal	9	8	21	-11.1	162.5
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training	169	195	309	15.4	58.5
Lineworker <sup>°</sup>	36	40	88	11.1	120.0
Machine Shop Technology/Assistant <sup>°</sup>	27	18	51	-33.3	183.3
Marketing/Marketing Management, General	12	12	17	0.0	41.7
Mechanic and Repair Technologies/Technicians, Other	7	1	2	-85.7	100.0
Mechanical Drafting and Mechanical Drafting CAD/CADD <sup>°</sup>	7	19	37	171.4	94.7
Medical Insurance Coding Specialist/Coder <sup>°</sup>	46	76	66	65.2	-13.2
Medical Office Assistant/Specialist <sup>°</sup>	88	65	144	-26.1	121.5
Medical/Clinical Assistant	57	44	83	-22.8	88.6
Nail Technician/Specialist and Manicurist <sup>°</sup>	4	5	2	25.0	-60.0
Network and System Administration/Administrator <sup>°</sup>	80	49	130	-38.8	165.3
Nursing Assistant/Aide and Patient Care Assistant/Aide <sup>°</sup>	403	564	1,036	40.0	83.7
Pharmacy Technician/Assistant	12	7	11	-41.7	57.1
Phlebotomy Technician/Phlebotomist <sup>°</sup>	58	37	80	-36.2	116.2
Professional, Technical, Business, and Scientific Writing <sup>°</sup>	33	20	41	-39.4	105.0
Respiratory Care Therapy/Therapist	8	9	9	12.5	0.0
Solar Energy Technology/Technician <sup>°</sup>	16	14	38	-12.5	171.4
Surgical Technology/Technologist <sup>°</sup>	54	59	94	9.3	59.3
Surveying Technology/Surveying <sup>°</sup>	6	6	12	0.0	100.0
Truck and Bus Driver/Commercial Vehicle Operator and Instructor <sup>°</sup>	274	310	588	13.1	89.7
Web Page, Digital/Multimedia and Information Resources Design <sup>°</sup>	4	7	1	75.0	-85.7
Welding Technology/Welder <sup>°</sup>	552	510	995	-7.6	95.1

Definition: All graduates except those listed as technical certificates(<sup>°</sup>) are diploma and degree graduates. Diploma and degree programs are one to two years in length. Technical certificates are less than a year in length. Duplication may occur due to graduates with multiple awards.

Source: Technical College System of Georgia

\*Data shown represents Annual 2013, 2014, and 2015.

Note: Please visit TCSG website for any college configuration changes.

## Active Applicants - Georgia Department of Labor

	TOTAL	Mgt.	Bus. and Finance	Comp. and Arch. Math	and Eng.	Life and Soc. Svcs.	Comm. and Svcs	Legal	Ed. and Training	Arts and Design	Health Prac.	Health Support
Liberty	962	72	195	27	28	18	53	11	151	38	171	198
Long	211	54	25	10	3	10	32	0	3	14	5	55
McIntosh	154	16	42	1	1	0	0	0	5	13	59	17
Tattnall	142	25	2	16	16	36	2	0	13	5	12	15
Wayne	206	11	26	11	0	2	11	0	14	21	56	54
Subtotal Area	1,675	178	290	65	48	66	98	11	186	91	303	339

## Active Applicants - Georgia Department of Labor (cont.)

	TOTAL	Protect. Svcs.	Food Prep.	Ground Cleaning	Personal Care	Sales	Office Support	Farm. and Forestry	Construction	Installation Main.	Prod.	Trans. and Moving
Liberty	5,315	320	396	122	83	464	1,666	24	273	510	749	708
Long	1,383	37	63	5	10	174	416	6	42	158	254	218
McIntosh	1,158	1	61	6	44	96	256	1	24	107	267	295
Tattnall	1,154	26	31	15	16	155	514	21	23	28	145	180
Wayne	1,921	15	35	19	45	169	485	17	139	193	365	439
Subtotal Area	10,931	399	586	167	198	1,058	3,337	69	501	996	1,780	1,840

Note: For current applicant data available for a specific occupation, contact the nearest Georgia Department of Labor Career Center.

Source: Georgia Department of Labor (active applicants as of October 2016).

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