

# State and Local Government Employees and Pay, 2007

## Fire Protection Total\*

State	Full-Time (FT) Employees	Monthly FT Pay (dollars) (a)	Average Annual Pay of FT Employees (b)	FT Government Employees Per 10,000 Population	Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) Employees (c)	Total Monthly Pay (dollars)	Average Annual Pay of FTE Employees (b)	FTE Government Employees Per 10,000 Population
US Total	319,361	\$1,709,193,259	\$64,223	10.6	336,693	\$1,748,644,037	\$62,323.03	11.2
Alabama	5,433	\$20,210,815	\$44,640	11.7	5,602	\$20,519,907	\$43,955.53	12.1
Alaska	688	\$4,767,046	\$83,146	10.1	760	\$4,910,027	\$77,526.74	11.2
Arizona	7,889	\$46,244,177	\$70,342	12.4	8,187	\$46,879,722	\$68,713.41	12.9
Arkansas	2,510	\$8,742,326	\$41,796	8.9	2,665	\$9,047,983	\$40,741.39	9.4
California	33,900	\$296,638,281	\$105,005	9.3	35,050	\$299,924,267	\$102,684.49	9.6
Colorado	5,634	\$30,705,013	\$65,399	11.6	5,793	\$31,111,262	\$64,445.91	12.0
Connecticut	4,396	\$25,281,297	\$69,012	12.6	4,546	\$25,738,912	\$67,942.57	13.0
Delaware (d)	10	\$31,067	\$37,280	0.1	11	\$32,023	\$34,934.18	0.1
DC	1,885	\$11,334,564	\$72,156	32.1	1,885	\$11,334,564	\$72,156.38	32.1
Florida	27,672	\$145,034,942	\$62,895	15.2	28,004	\$145,797,101	\$62,475.55	15.4
Georgia	12,110	\$45,420,035	\$45,007	12.7	12,444	\$46,132,073	\$44,486.09	13.1
Hawaii	1,864	\$9,509,451	\$61,220	14.6	1,866	\$9,514,401	\$61,185.86	14.6
Idaho	1,148	\$5,286,417	\$55,259	7.7	1,302	\$5,597,873	\$51,593.30	8.7
Illinois	14,902	\$83,427,445	\$67,181	11.6	16,871	\$87,948,205	\$62,555.77	13.2
Indiana	7,154	\$29,588,918	\$49,632	11.3	7,413	\$30,085,659	\$48,702.00	11.7
Iowa	1,853	\$8,241,973	\$53,375	6.2	2,034	\$8,630,292	\$50,916.18	6.8
Kansas	3,143	\$13,890,783	\$53,035	11.3	3,271	\$14,176,412	\$52,007.63	11.8
Kentucky	3,792	\$14,895,945	\$47,139	9.0	4,003	\$15,351,375	\$46,019.61	9.4
Louisiana	5,485	\$19,164,776	\$41,928	12.5	5,559	\$19,291,109	\$41,642.98	12.7
Maine	1,218	\$4,750,803	\$46,806	9.3	1,798	\$5,727,570	\$38,226.27	13.7
Maryland	6,769	\$37,901,423	\$67,191	12.0	6,853	\$38,154,588	\$66,810.89	12.2
Massachusetts	12,444	\$66,752,897	\$64,371	19.2	12,921	\$67,970,812	\$63,125.90	20.0
Michigan	6,243	\$30,443,444	\$58,517	6.2	7,854	\$34,062,348	\$52,043.31	7.8
Minnesota	1,940	\$10,429,275	\$64,511	3.7	2,479	\$11,485,613	\$55,597.97	4.8
Mississippi	3,174	\$9,549,265	\$36,103	10.9	3,286	\$9,757,694	\$35,633.70	11.2
Missouri	6,479	\$29,425,626	\$54,500	11.0	6,776	\$30,014,609	\$53,154.56	11.5
Montana	650	\$2,725,535	\$50,318	6.8	676	\$2,795,742	\$49,628.56	7.1
Nebraska	1,302	\$6,691,720	\$61,675	7.4	1,330	\$6,745,817	\$60,864.51	7.5
Nevada	2,771	\$21,962,704	\$95,111	10.8	2,847	\$22,179,405	\$93,485.37	11.1
New Hampshire	1,598	\$7,658,644	\$57,512	12.2	1,876	\$8,237,474	\$52,691.73	14.3
New Jersey	8,236	\$52,137,352	\$75,965	9.5	8,738	\$53,651,092	\$73,679.69	10.1
New Mexico	2,307	\$8,125,873	\$42,267	11.7	2,329	\$8,159,330	\$42,040.34	11.9
New York	23,857	\$129,984,181	\$65,382	12.3	24,372	\$131,768,364	\$64,878.56	12.5
North Carolina	7,927	\$28,585,679	\$43,273	8.8	8,185	\$29,076,625	\$42,629.14	9.1
North Dakota	319	\$1,278,804	\$48,105	5.0	333	\$1,308,893	\$47,167.32	5.2
Ohio	13,583	\$69,372,123	\$61,287	11.8	16,775	\$76,222,184	\$54,525.56	14.6
Oklahoma	4,135	\$18,770,884	\$54,474	11.5	4,229	\$18,969,692	\$53,827.45	11.7
Oregon	3,533	\$21,256,490	\$72,199	9.5	3,683	\$21,688,526	\$70,665.85	9.9
Pennsylvania	5,978	\$30,772,655	\$61,772	4.8	6,167	\$31,168,952	\$60,649.82	5.0
Rhode Island	2,234	\$10,653,721	\$57,227	21.2	2,315	\$10,822,173	\$56,097.66	22.0

South Carolina	4,716	\$14,459,183	\$36,792	10.7	4,843	\$14,699,762	\$36,423.11	11.0
South Dakota	413	\$1,687,176	\$49,022	5.2	418	\$1,702,424	\$48,873.42	5.3
Tennessee	7,094	\$27,094,597	\$45,832	11.5	7,287	\$27,528,298	\$45,332.73	11.9
Texas	23,399	\$110,187,381	\$56,509	9.8	23,791	\$111,024,128	\$55,999.73	10.0
Utah	1,903	\$9,280,671	\$58,522	7.1	2,204	\$9,871,081	\$53,744.54	8.3
Vermont	269	\$1,104,643	\$49,278	4.3	354	\$1,252,243	\$42,448.92	5.7
Virginia	9,903	\$49,823,674	\$60,374	12.9	10,035	\$50,166,630	\$59,989.99	13.0
Washington	7,836	\$50,640,309	\$77,550	12.1	8,325	\$51,726,597	\$74,560.86	12.9
West Virginia	1,008	\$3,165,376	\$37,683	5.6	1,035	\$3,202,047	\$37,125.18	5.7
Wisconsin	4,259	\$22,309,883	\$62,859	7.6	4,873	\$23,591,828	\$58,096.03	8.7
Wyoming	396	\$1,795,997	\$54,424	7.6	440	\$1,888,329	\$51,499.88	8.4

\* **Fire protection** – Applies to local government fire protection and prevention activities plus any ambulance, rescue, or other auxiliary services provided by a fire protection agency. Volunteer firefighters, if remunerated for their services on a "per fire" or some other basis, are included as part-time employees.

(a) Gross payroll amounts for the one-month period of March for full-time employees. Gross payrolls includes all salaries, wages, fees, commissions, and overtime paid to employees before withholdings for taxes, insurance, etc. It also includes incentive payments that are paid at regular pay intervals. It excludes employer share of fringe benefits like retirement, Social Security, health and life insurance, lump sum payments, and so forth.

(b) Calculated by annualizing the monthly average.

(c) Full-time equivalent is a computed statistic representing the number of full-time employees that could have been employed if the reported number of hours worked by part-time employees had been worked by full-time employees. It is calculated by BEA.

(d) The 2007 Census of Government Employment does not contain firefighter or other fire employment data for Delaware.

Source: Tax Foundation calculations based on 2007 Census of Government Employment total pay and total employment by function data.