

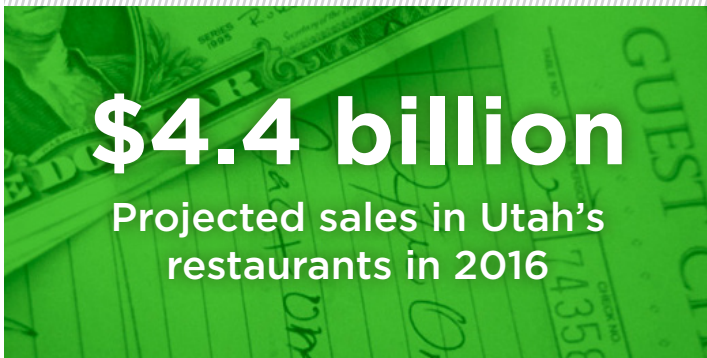
# Utah

## RESTAURANT INDUSTRY AT A GLANCE

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



**4,618**  
Eating and drinking place locations in Utah in 2014



**\$4.4 billion**  
Projected sales in Utah's restaurants in 2016



**120,700**  
Restaurant and foodservice jobs in Utah in 2016 = 10% of employment in the state

**AND BY 2026, THAT NUMBER IS PROJECTED TO GROW BY 13.3%**  
= 16,000 additional jobs, for a total of 136,700

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| <b>HOW BIG IS AMERICA'S RESTAURANT INDUSTRY?</b> | LOCATIONS  | <b>1 MILLION+</b> serving millions every day               |
|  | SALES      | <b>\$783 BILLION</b> = 4% of the U.S. GDP                  |
|  | EMPLOYMENT | <b>14.4 MILLION PEOPLE</b> = 10% of the nation's workforce |



**FOR MORE INFORMATION:** [Restaurant.org](http://Restaurant.org) • [UtahRestaurantAssociation.org](http://UtahRestaurantAssociation.org)

# Utah's Restaurants

JOBS AND ENTREPRENEURIAL OPPORTUNITIES IN EVERY COMMUNITY

## U.S. SENATORS

|                 | EATING AND DRINKING PLACES:    |                            |
|-----------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
|                 | Establishments<br>in the state | Employees<br>in the state* |
| Orrin Hatch (R) | <b>4,618</b>                   | <b>88,900</b>              |
| Mike Lee (R)    |                                |                            |

## U.S. REPRESENTATIVES

|                      | EATING AND DRINKING PLACES:    |                            |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
|                      | Establishments<br>in the state | Employees<br>in the state* |
| 1 Rob Bishop (R)     | 1,097                          | 21,109                     |
| 2 Chris Stewart (R)  | 1,549                          | 29,811                     |
| 3 Jason Chaffetz (R) | 998                            | 19,205                     |
| 4 Mia B. Love (R)    | 975                            | 18,775                     |
| <b>TOTAL</b>         | <b>4,618</b>                   | <b>88,900</b>              |

\*Utah's 88,900 eating-and-drinking-place jobs represent the majority of the state's total restaurant and foodservice workforce of 120,700 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, 2014