City of Boise
Principal Employers,
Current Year and 9 Years ago

	2006			1997		
Employer	Employees	Rank	Percentage of Total City Employment	Employees [1]	Rank[1]	Percentage of Total City Employment[1]
State of Idaho (Includes BSU)	14,300	1	5.36%	9,518	1	4.62%
Micron Technology	10,600	2	3.97%	7,500	2	3.40%
St Luke's Regional Medical Center	6,400	3	2.40%	2,591	6	1.16%
US Federal Government	5,250	4	1.97%			2.33%
Hewlett Packard	4,000	5	1.50%	4,000	3	1.94%
Boise School District	4,000	6	1.50%	3,500	4	2.62%
JR Simplot	3,500	7	1.31%			-
St Alphonsus Regional Medical Center	3,143	8	1.18%	2,500	7	1.08%
Meridian School District	2,875	9	1.08%			1.21%
Albertsons	2,730	10	1.02%	2,959	5	1.79%
Boise City				1,195	8	0.56%
Sears				1,250	9	
Ada County				1,047	10	
	56,798		21.29%	36,060		20.71%
Total Employment in Boise MSA [2]			266,803 as of December 2006			206,183 as of Dec 1996

Source:
1 - FY 1996 City of Boise Audit CAFR
2 - Federal Bureau of Labor Statistics - US Department of Labor