LINCOLN COUNTY DEMOGRAPHICS

POPULATION

	<u>2000</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>1980</u>	<u>1970</u>
County	4,420	3,775	3,732	2,557

Source: Nevada State Demographer (www.nsbdc.org/demographer)

POPULATION PROJECTIONS

	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>
County	4,261	4,264	4,266	4,269

Source: Nevada State Demographer (www.nsbdc.org/demographer)

AGE (2000)

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0-17	33.6%
18-34	19.2%
35-44	10.7%
45-54	11.4%
55-64	9.2%
65-74	8.7%
75 and over	7.3%
Lincoln County's Median Age:	32.7 (2000)
Source: Nevada State Demographer (www.n	sbdc.org/demographer)

RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN (2000)

White	89.1%
Black	1.7%
American Indian, Eskimo, or Aleut	1.6%
Asian or Pacific Islander	0.3%
Hispanic	5.3%
Other	2.0%

Source: Nevada State Demographer (www.nsbdc.org/demographer)

LABOR (DEC. 2001) — NON-AGRICULTURAL

		Avg. Wkly.	Avg. Wkly.
		Wage	Wage
<u>Industry</u>	Employment	Lincoln County	Statewide
Total	1,430	\$658	\$661
Mining	20	794	1,224
Const.	20	391	782
Mfg.	10	593	824
TCPU	70	606	695
Trade	240	213	504
FIRE	50	353	871
Service	400	1,000	627
Gov't	620	651	771
Unemployment Figures: 6.3% (2Q02)			

Per Capita Income: \$21,358 (1999)

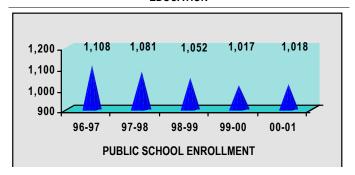
Source: Nevada Department of Employment, Training & Rehabilitation (www.detr.state.nv)

MAJOR EMPLOYERS

E & G Special Projects, Inc.	400 employees
Grover C. Dils Medical Center	100 employees
Nevada Bank & Trust Company	100 employees
Christian Enterprises, Inc.	100 employees
Tillies, Inc.	100 employees
Wilkin Mining & Trucking, Inc.	100 employees
Nevada Rural Water Association	100 employees
Stewart Brothers Company	100 employees
Lincoln County School District	200 employees
Caza Drilling, Inc.	100 employees

Source: Nevada Department of Employment, Training & Rehabilitation (www.detr.state.nv)

EDUCATION



ACT & SAT SCORES (2000-2001)

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Comparison	Lincoln County	United States
SAT (Verbal)	N/A	505
SAT (Math)	N/A	514
ACT (Composite) Source: U.S. Dept. of Education Nevada Dept. of Education	19.5 (http://nces.ed.gov) (www.nde.state.nv.us)	21.0
Secondary Schools:	Lincoln County High Pahranagat Valley	9-12 9-12
Middle Schools:	Meadow Valley Pahranagat Valley	6 - 8 6 - 8
Elementary Schools:	Caliente Pahranagat Valley Panaca Pioche	K - 6 K - 5 K - 6 K - 6

Other Public Schools: C.O. Bastian Youth Center Special Ed.

Number of Students per Teacher: 12:1

Average Salaries of Teaching Personnel: \$41,577

Dropout Rate in Lincoln County (9-12): 4.0%

Source: Nevada Dept. of Education (www.nde.state.nv.us)

COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF SOUTHERN NEVADA

Location(s):	Caliente Las Vegas (Main Campus)
Cost per credit:	\$44.00 (Fall 2001)
Total CCSN Enrollment:	33,464 (Fall 2001)
Job Training Programs:	Yes
Contact:	Community College of Southern Nevada Caliente Center City Hall 100 Depot Avenue Caliente, NV 89008 (775) 726-3870

Source: Nevada Dept. of Education (www.nevada.edu)



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TRANSPORTATION

Highway System

Interstate 15 via 93

Southbound

Las Vegas 146 miles Los Angeles 431 miles

Interstate 15 via Nevada 319

Northbound

Salt Lake City 363 miles Denver 694 miles

U.S. 93

Northbound

Ely 108 miles Boise 511 miles

Southbound

Phoenix 436 miles

Motor Freight Companies

Regional and national carriers with daily service to 80 percent of the 11 state western region.

Rail System (East/West)

Union Pacific Railroad (800) 322-6946 Amtrak (Passenger) (800) 872-7245

Airport

Lincoln County Airport—General and Charter Aviation

Elevation 4,800 Runway Lighted

Communications

PUBLIC UTILITIES

Electricity: Lincoln County Power District No.1

HC 74, Box 101 Pioche, NV 89043 Phone: (775)962-5122

Telecommunications: Lincoln County Telephone

P.O. Box 150 Pioche, NV 89043 Phone: (775) 962-5131

Water & Sewer: Caliente Public Utilities

Panaca Farmstead Pioche Public Utilities Alamo Sewer & Water

TAX STRUCTURE

Sales and Use Tax	6.5% (None on grocery items)
Property Tax	Assessment is 35% of full cash value
Lincoln County	\$2.71 per \$100 assessed value
Personal Income Tax	NONE
Corporate Income Tax	NONE
Unitary Tax	NONE
Inventory Tax	NONE
Franchise on Income Tax	NONE

Source: Nevada Department of Taxation (http://tax.state.nv.us/)

QUALITY OF LIFE

Few places offer the rich mix of scenic and historic locations found in Lincoln County which lies at the very heart of Nevada's "Pioneer Territory"— a retreat from the large population centers. Historic landmarks and colorful pasts epitomize the small towns scattered throughout Lincoln County. Lincoln County is home to five state parks and an endless variety of recreational opportunities.