

Impact of the Federal Government on the Alabama Economy

Dedicated federal employees serve the American public from coast to coast. The federal employees who live in work in Alabama are part of the 85% of federal workers who live and work outside of the Washington D.C. area.

In 2024 there were an estimated **95,601** federal employees living in Alabama, representing **4.1%** of the civilian workforce, with an average salary of **\$105,043**.

Top Federal Agency Employers:

Veterans Affairs, Social Security Administration, National Aeronautics And Space Administration

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NTEU-Represented Agencies:

Bureau of the Fiscal Service (BFS); Customs and Border Protection (CBP); Environmental Protection Agency (EPA); Food and Drug Administration (FDA); Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC); USDA Food and Nutrition Service (FNS); Farm Production and Conservation Business Center (FSA); Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); Internal Revenue Service (IRS); National Credit Union Administration (NCUA); National Park Service (NPS); Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC); Office of the Comptroller of the Currency (OCC); Social Security Administration Office of Hearings Operations (OHO); Patent and Trademark Office (PTO); Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC)

Impact on the Alabama Economy

Reducing federal employment can ripple through local economies, affecting housing, retail, services, and more.



Federal awards (FY2024)

\$66.3 Billion

State expenditures (FY2023)

\$40.6 Billion

FY2024 Local Financial Impact

