

Impact of the Federal Government on the District of Columbia Economy

In 2024 there were an estimated **73,905** federal employees living in the District of Columbia, representing **19.0%** of the civilian workforce with an average salary of **\$144,642**.

Top Federal Agency Employers:

Homeland Security, Justice, State

NTEU-Represented Agencies:

Bureau of Engraving & Printing (BEP); Bureau of the Fiscal Service (BFS); Bureau of Land Management (BLM); Customs & Border Protection (CBP); Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (CFPB); Commodity Futures Trading Commission (CFTC); Department of Defense (DOD); Department of Energy (DOE); Environmental Protection Agency (EPA); Federal Communications Commission (FCC); Food & Drug Administration (FDA); Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC); Federal Election Commission (FEC); Federal Housing Finance Agency (FHFA); Federal Law Enforcement Training Centers (FLETC); USDA Food & Nutrition Service (FNS); Federal Trade Commission (FTC); Department of Health & 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 & Trademark Office (PTO); Securities & Exchange Commission (SEC); Tax & Trade Bureau (TTB)

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Impact on the District of Columbia Economy

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



Federal awards (FY2024)



\$61.0 Billion

State expenditures (FY2023)



\$18.7 Billion

FY2024 Local Financial Impact

