## Zions Bank Economic Overview

Associated Taxpayers of Idaho 2017 Conference

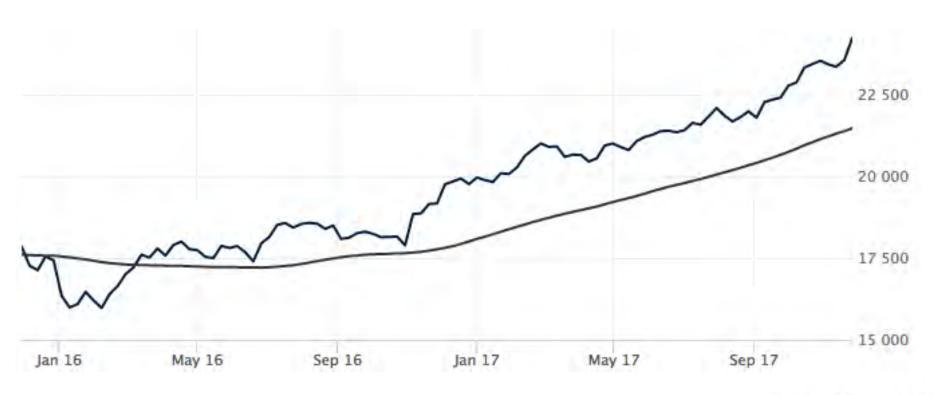
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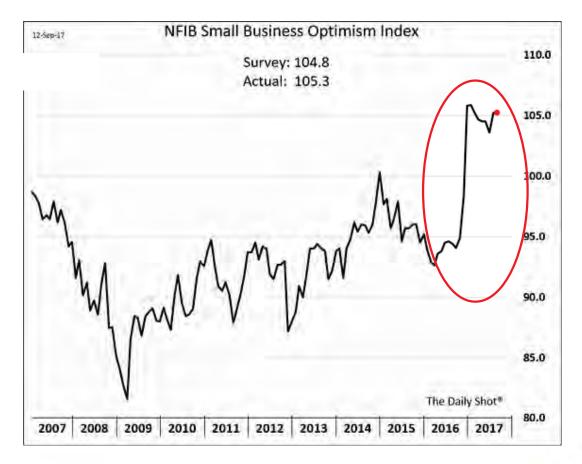
## National Economic Conditions

## Dow Breaks 24,000 – The Trump Bump

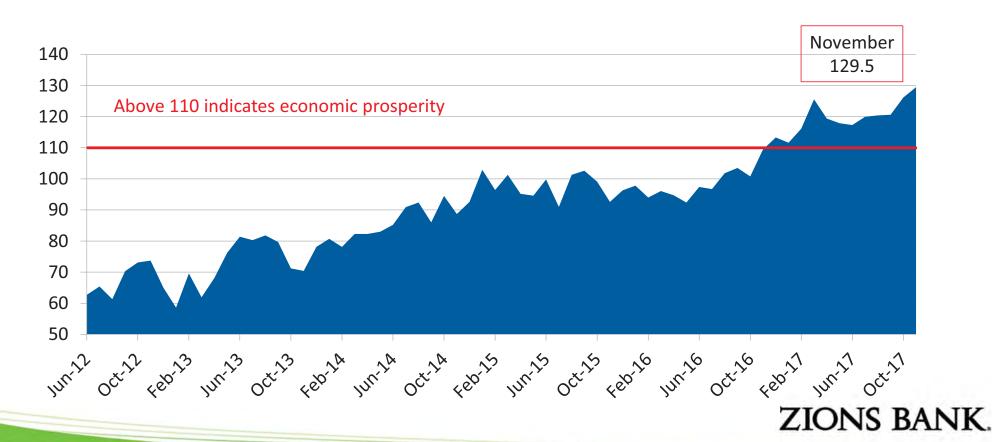
Dow Reaches New Heights Following U.S. Presidential Election



## Business Optimism Booms Post Election



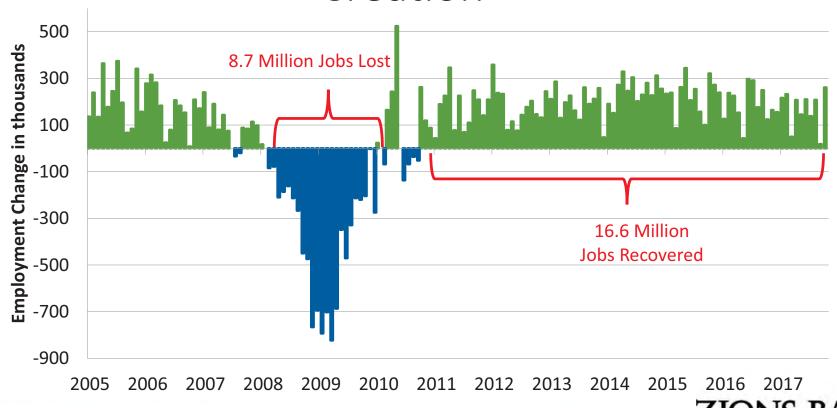
## Consumer Confidence at 17-Year High



# Trumponomics

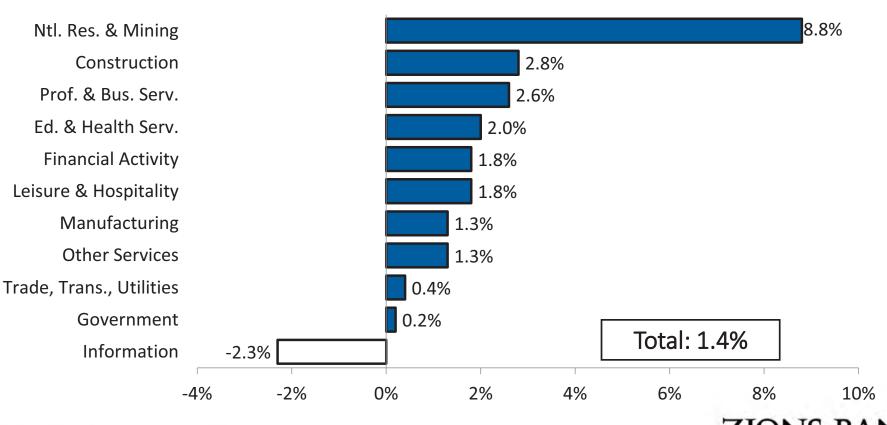
- Repeal and replace the Affordable Care Act
- Cut corporate and income taxes
- Increase spending on infrastructure and military
- Reduce government regulations
- Renegotiate trade deals
- But can they get it done...?

## October Marks 85 Straight Months of Job Creation

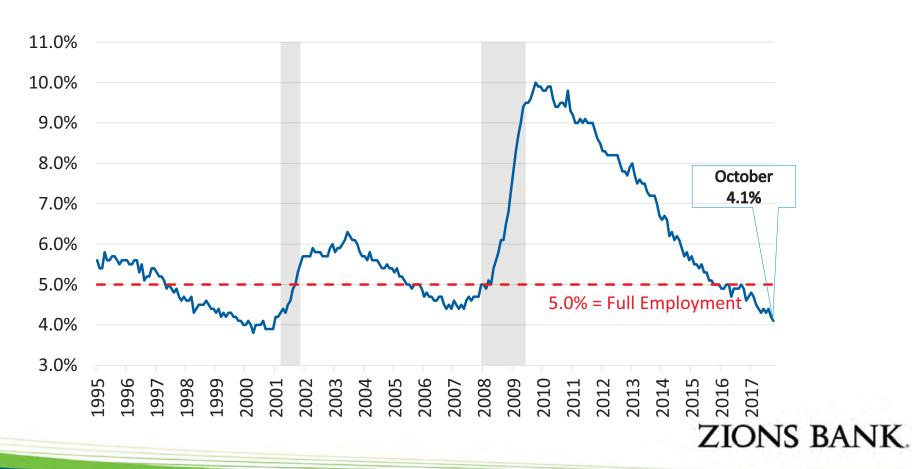


## National Employment Change

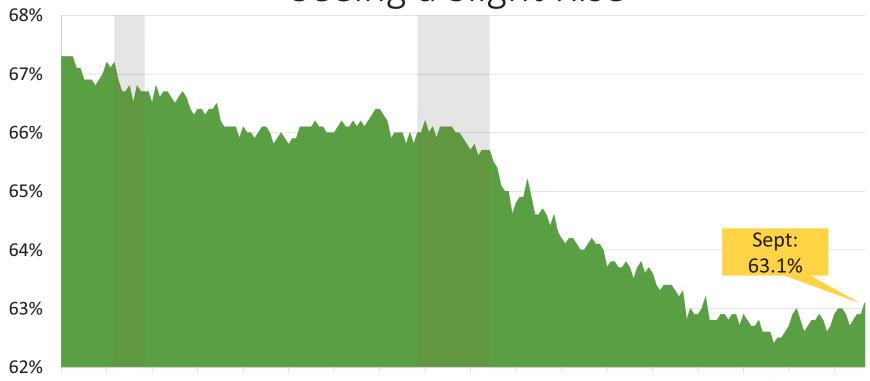
Percent Change in National Employment by Industry: October 2016 to October 2017



## **Unemployment Continues Lower**



## Labor Force Participation Seeing a Slight Rise

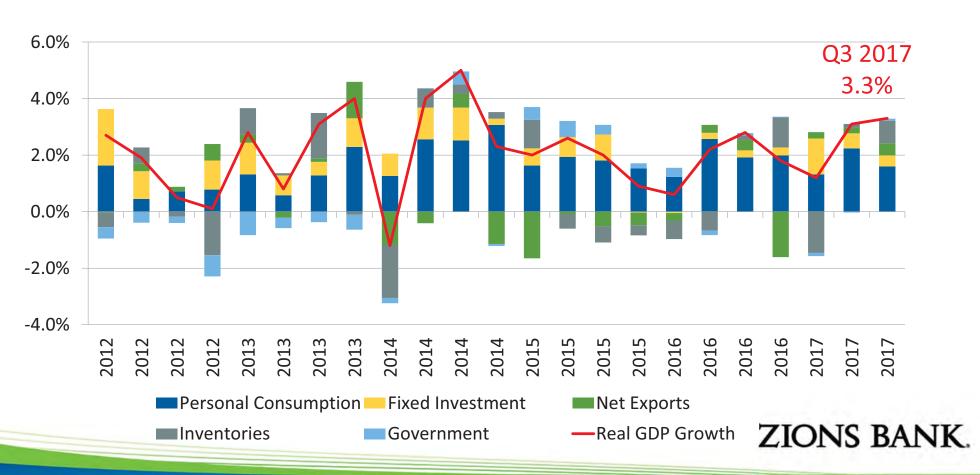


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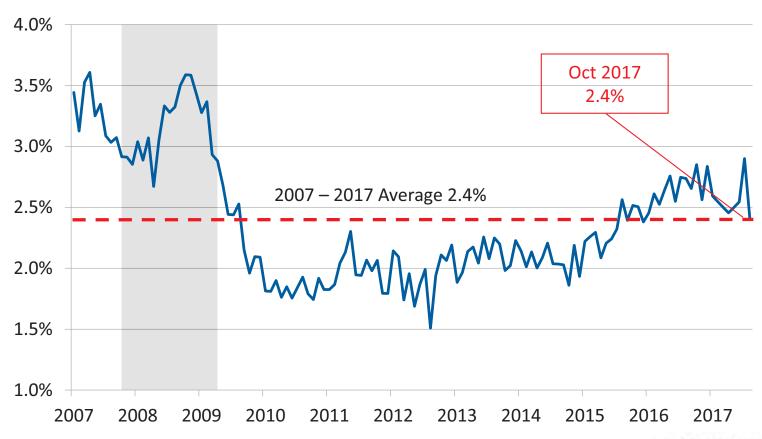
#### Fewer Unemployed Workers Per Job Opening



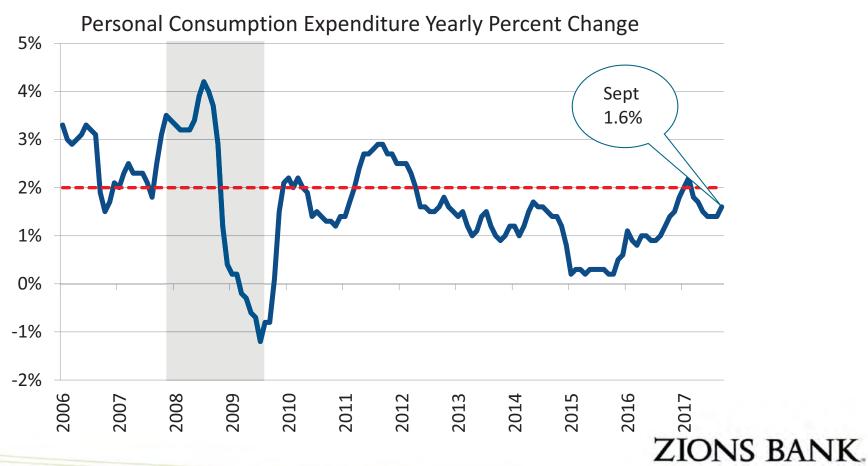
#### Real GDP Growth



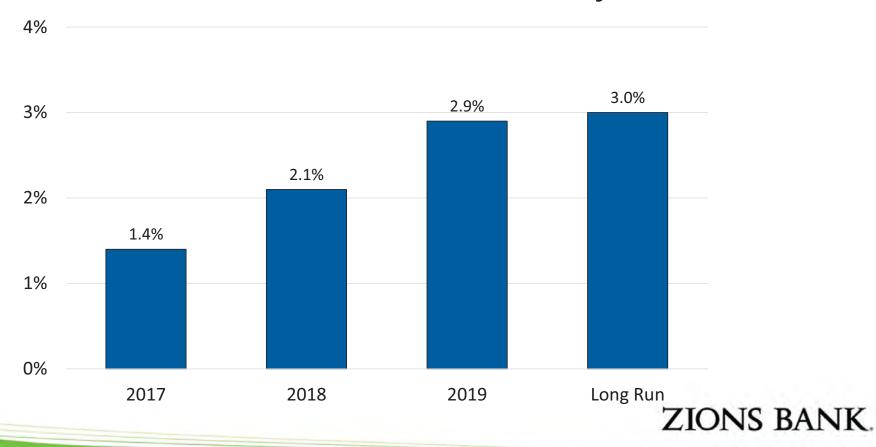
## Wage Growth Disappoints



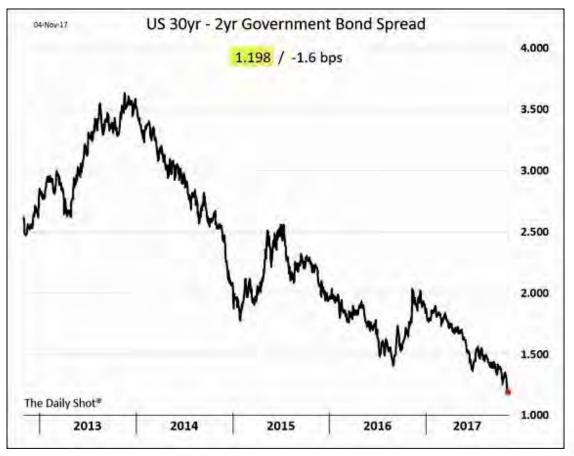
## Growth in Consumer Spending Under Par



## Federal Reserve Rate Increase Projections

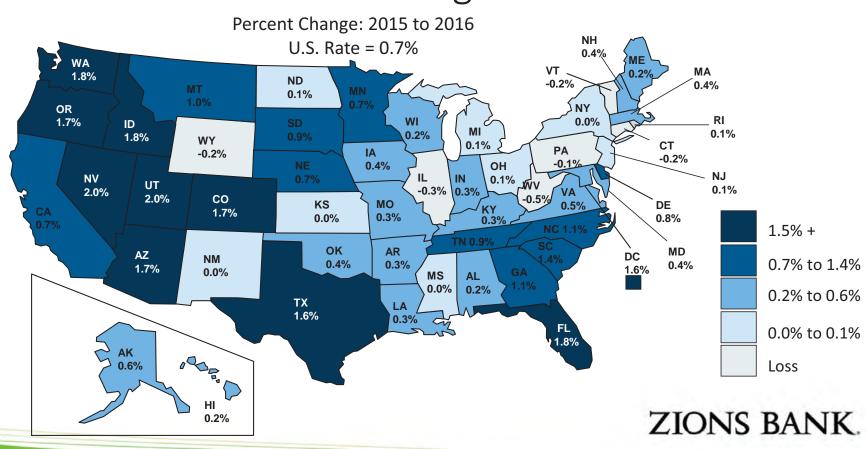


## **Bond Spreads Tightening**

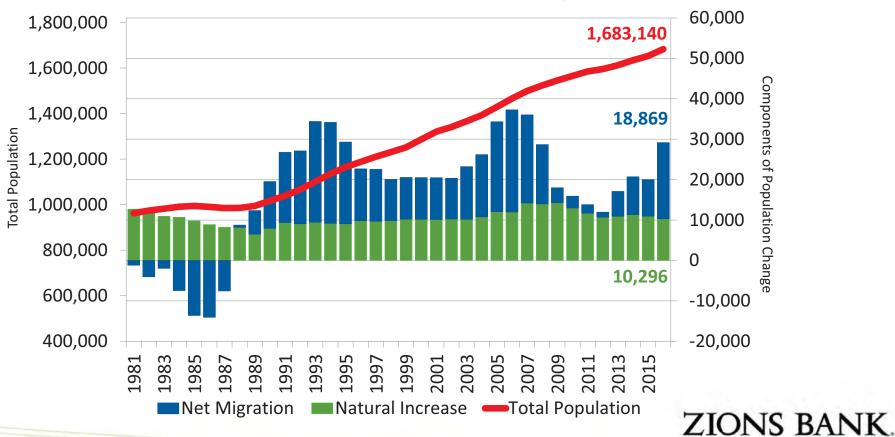


# Idaho Economic Conditions

## Idaho Population 3<sup>rd</sup> Fastest Growing in U.S.

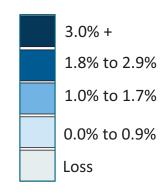


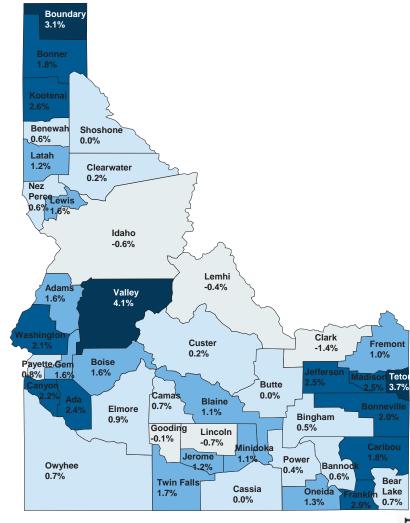
## Idaho Population and Components of Change



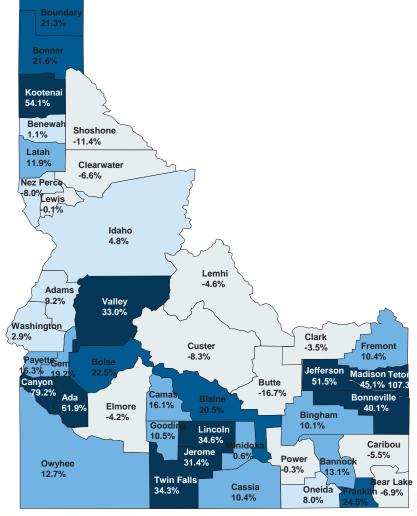
## Idaho Population Growth Rates By County 2015 to 2016

State Average = 1.8%



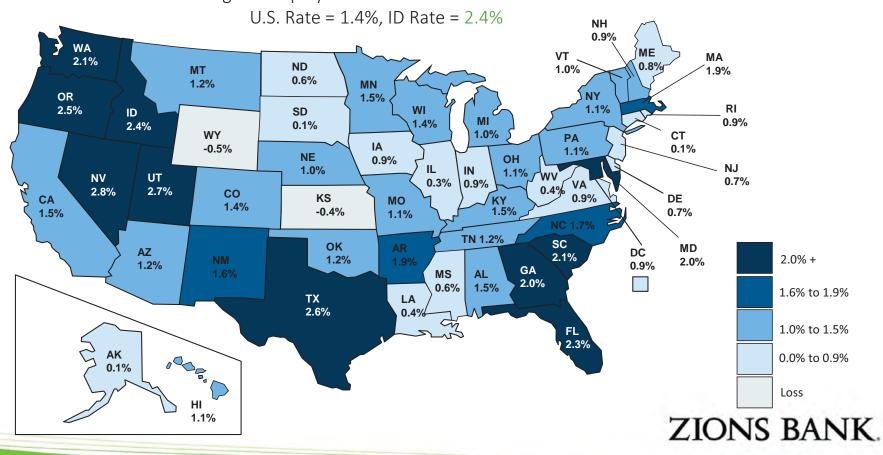


Idaho Population Change Rates By County 1997 to 2016 Population Growth= 39% 30% or more 20% to 29% 10% to 19% 0% to 9% Loss



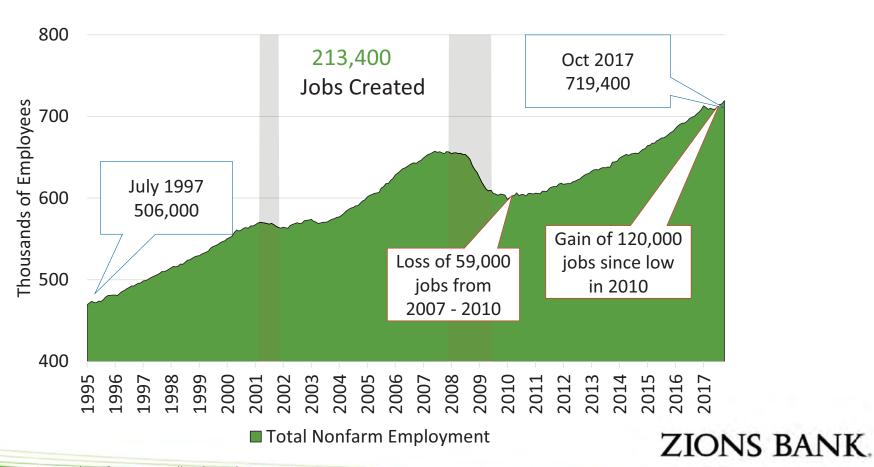
## Idaho Employment Growth 5th in the Nation





Note: Seasonally Adjusted Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

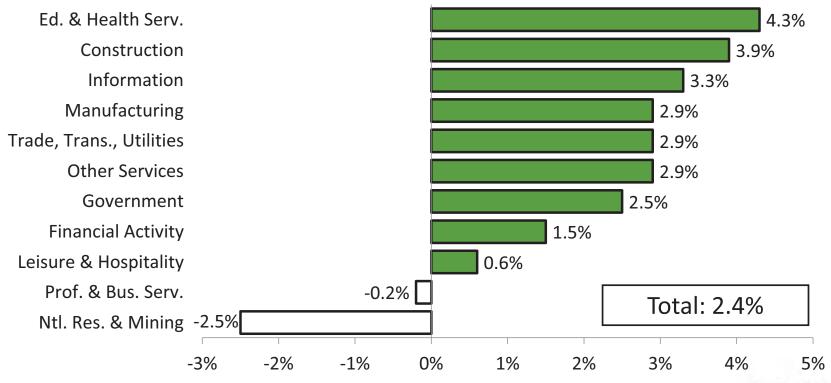
#### Idaho Total Employment at New Highs



Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Total nonfarm seasonally adjusted Note: Numbers rounded to nearest thousand

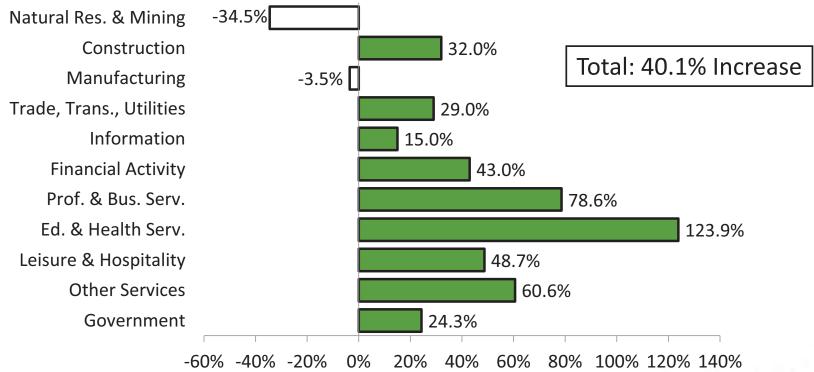
## Idaho Employment Gains and Losses By Industry

Percent Change in Idaho Employment by Industry: October 2016 – October 2017

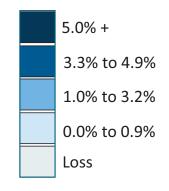


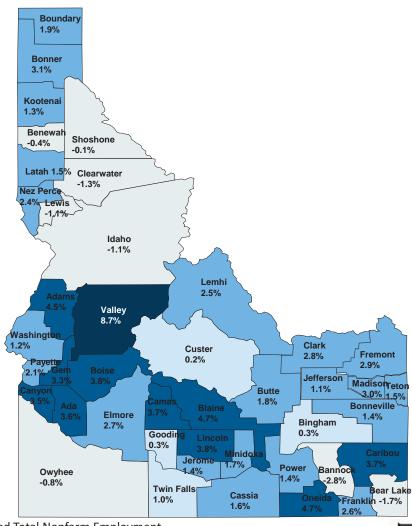
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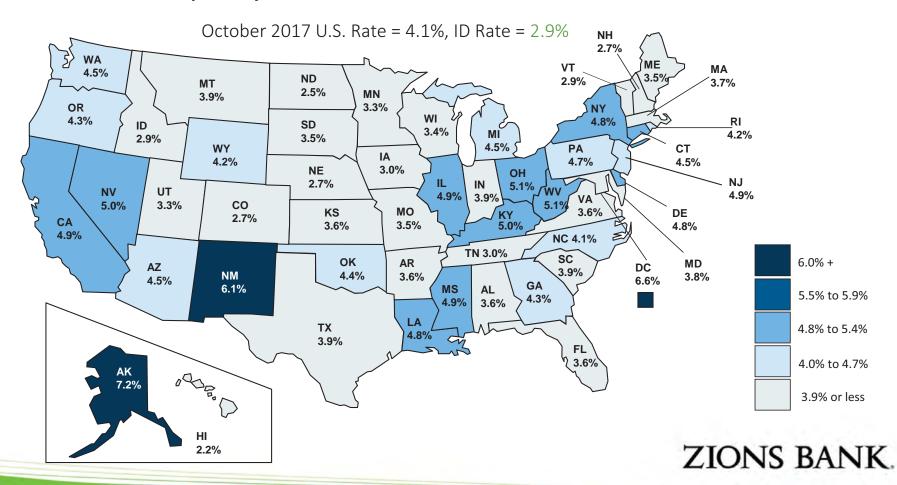
Idaho Employment
Change Rates
By County
October 2016 to
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State Rate = 2.0%



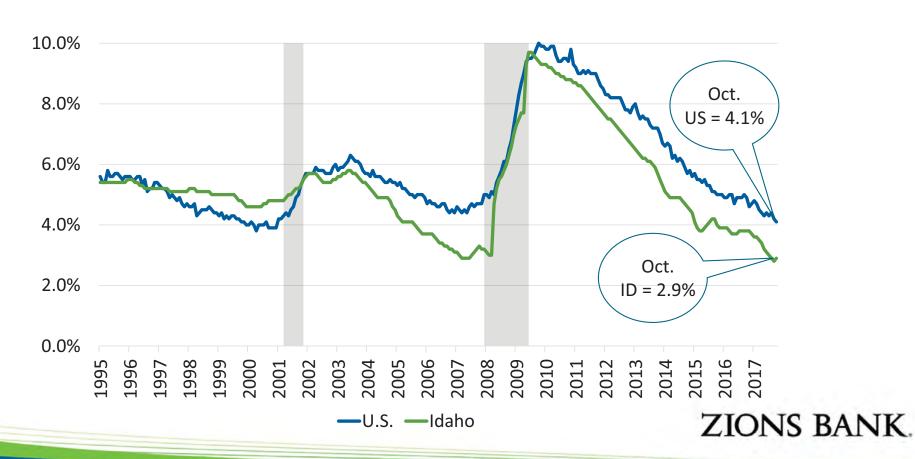


Source: Idaho Department of Labor, Seasonally Adjusted Total Nonfarm Employment

## Idaho Unemployment 6th lowest in the Nation



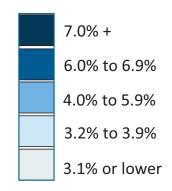
#### ID Unemployment Lower than the Nation

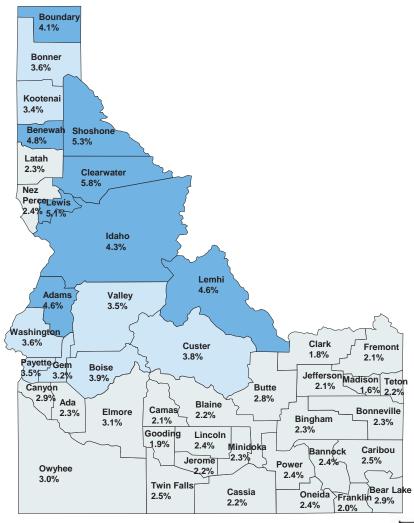


## Idaho Unemployment Rates By County

August 2017

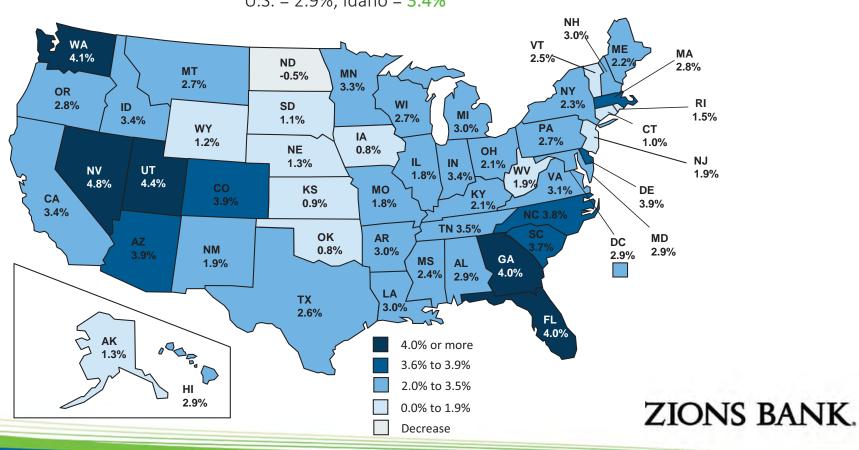
State Rate = 2.9%





## Idaho Personal Income Growth 14th Highest in the Nation

Percent Change in Personal Income : 2016 Q2 -2017 Q2 U.S. = 2.9%; Idaho = 3.4%



Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis

#### **Economic Overview**

## <u>Positives</u>

- Strong consumer and business confidence
- Trumponomics pro growth agenda
- The Western US has:
  - Strong population growth
  - Strong employment growth
  - Low unemployment
  - Strong income growth

## <u>Negatives</u>

- National and international uncertainty
- Trumponomics success?
- Unsure inflation outlook
- Skills mismatch
- Low productivity growth
- Overregulation from Washington

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