

Table 449. City Government Employment and Payroll—Largest Cities: 2000 to 2006

[In thousands, (458.1 represents 458,100), except as noted. As of March. See footnote 4, Table 439, for those areas representing city-county consolidated governments. See headnote, Table 448 for full-time equivalent employment definition]

Cities ranked by 2005 population ¹	Total employment (1,000)			Full-time equivalent employment		Payroll (mil. dol.)			Average monthly earnings for full-time employees (dol.)	
	2000	2005	2006	2000	2006	2000	2005	2006	2000	2006
New York, NY	458.1	443.4	446.4	429.3	416.6	1,708.8	1,958.4	2,006.9	4,150	4,957
Los Angeles, CA	49.4	53.5	53.8	48.4	52.1	230.1	303.6	319.7	4,793	6,161
Chicago, IL	41.3	42.6	42.6	40.7	42.1	171.3	171.3	178.3	4,239	4,268
Houston, TX	25.2	21.9	21.3	24.9	20.9	75.2	73.6	75.6	3,037	3,633
Philadelphia, PA	31.1	31.4	30.9	30.0	30.0	109.2	127.4	131.4	3,637	4,390
Phoenix, AZ	13.0	14.3	15.0	12.7	14.7	50.3	67.1	71.3	4,024	4,951
San Antonio, TX	16.9	17.3	17.4	15.7	16.2	48.0	61.8	61.3	3,160	3,877
San Diego, CA	12.3	11.7	11.5	11.4	10.9	46.9	57.7	56.4	4,201	5,290
Dallas, TX	15.6	14.8	14.8	15.2	14.4	50.4	61.7	62.8	3,332	4,416
San Jose, CA	7.6	9.4	7.3	6.9	6.5	36.3	52.4	44.5	5,569	7,213
Honolulu, HI	9.8	9.7	9.8	9.1	9.1	30.9	36.7	38.5	3,435	4,318
Detroit, MI	40.7	37.4	14.9	36.1	14.7	132.1	142.9	54.5	3,693	3,731
Indianapolis, IN	12.4	17.1	17.6	12.0	16.1	36.7	53.9	57.6	3,115	3,536
Jacksonville, FL	10.1	11.4	10.1	9.7	9.8	35.6	45.6	42.0	3,815	4,377
San Francisco, CA	27.7	29.2	27.7	27.7	27.7	141.6	191.3	184.4	5,112	6,659
Columbus, OH	9.1	8.4	8.5	8.8	8.2	30.1	35.1	36.3	3,478	4,479
Louisville, KY	4.6	8.4	8.3	4.3	7.7	11.8	25.9	26.7	2,844	3,476
Austin, TX	10.6	12.4	12.4	10.1	12.0	31.2	47.8	51.3	3,128	4,327
Memphis, TN	28.2	28.9	27.8	26.9	25.5	80.3	90.4	92.3	3,024	3,736
Boston, MA	23.3	22.4	23.1	22.0	21.1	80.2	97.0	100.2	3,734	4,801
Baltimore, MD	30.8	27.2	28.3	29.2	26.5	95.3	102.5	108.2	3,361	4,163
Ft. Worth, TX	6.1	6.4	6.6	5.7	6.2	18.9	24.1	26.0	3,394	4,351
Charlotte, NC	5.2	6.0	6.3	5.1	6.1	17.1	23.4	25.2	3,408	4,148
El Paso, TX	5.9	5.7	5.9	5.8	5.7	15.6	16.4	18.0	2,701	3,189
Milwaukee, WI	7.9	8.0	8.0	7.7	7.9	28.5	31.9	32.9	3,706	4,158
Nashville, TN	20.6	22.2	22.3	19.6	21.2	62.3	76.3	79.2	3,235	3,808
Seattle, WA	11.4	12.8	14.3	10.3	12.3	48.3	57.1	62.8	4,726	5,239
Denver, CO	14.5	12.4	13.4	13.7	12.7	47.3	53.0	56.8	3,534	4,474
Washington, DC	37.7	37.6	37.5	36.5	36.2	139.4	164.6	173.8	3,863	4,972
Las Vegas, NV	2.6	3.0	3.1	2.5	2.9	11.2	16.6	17.7	4,681	6,215
Portland, OR	6.2	6.2	6.3	5.4	5.4	23.4	27.5	28.5	4,416	5,367
Oklahoma City, OK	5.1	4.9	5.0	4.8	4.6	16.0	19.5	20.6	3,457	4,767
Tucson, AZ	7.1	6.8	6.6	5.8	6.1	16.0	24.1	26.0	2,787	4,559
Albuquerque, NM	7.1	6.9	7.2	6.6	6.9	18.3	21.5	24.3	2,868	3,677
Long Beach, CA	6.1	6.0	6.1	5.7	5.5	25.7	27.6	28.3	4,855	5,316
Atlanta, GA	8.8	8.0	8.0	8.6	7.8	25.6	29.1	29.6	2,974	3,823
Fresno, CA	3.2	4.0	4.1	3.1	4.0	12.7	17.5	18.9	4,073	5,016
Sacramento, CA	4.4	5.1	5.3	4.0	4.6	17.0	23.3	26.3	4,400	6,228
New Orleans, LA	10.5	10.0	9.8	10.1	9.5	24.4	25.3	26.6	2,446	2,797
Cleveland, OH	10.1	7.9	7.8	9.4	7.7	27.8	30.1	30.7	2,989	3,993
Kansas, MO	6.8	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	21.3	25.1	26.3	3,246	3,997
Mesa, AZ	3.5	4.3	4.5	3.3	4.3	13.4	19.8	21.2	4,072	5,085
Virginia Beach, VA	19.7	21.8	19.4	17.4	17.8	43.4	55.5	57.6	2,679	3,485
Omaha, NE	3.4	3.0	3.1	2.9	2.7	10.6	12.7	12.7	3,874	4,772
Baton Rouge, LA	7.1	7.1	7.0	6.0	6.2	14.7	18.9	19.3	2,653	3,210
Oakland, CA	4.2	5.5	5.8	4.2	5.7	24.8	41.0	44.4	5,861	7,726
Miami, FL	3.8	3.7	4.1	3.6	4.0	15.1	17.3	19.9	4,276	5,050
Tulsa, OK	4.5	4.3	4.3	4.5	4.2	13.7	14.9	15.8	3,126	3,762
Minneapolis, MN	6.3	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.5	21.3	24.0	25.3	3,866	4,675
Colorado Springs, CO	7.4	7.7	8.3	6.9	7.8	25.3	31.2	33.5	3,747	4,296
Arlington, TX	3.0	2.7	2.3	2.4	2.2	7.1	9.6	8.1	3,090	3,797
Wichita, KS	3.6	4.0	4.1	3.1	3.3	9.3	11.3	12.1	3,072	3,729
St. Louis, MO	8.0	6.9	6.7	7.6	6.5	24.1	23.7	24.0	3,176	3,717
Raleigh, NC	3.2	3.8	4.8	2.9	4.3	8.9	11.8	13.3	3,114	3,230
Santa Ana, CA	2.5	2.5	2.1	2.2	1.9	10.1	13.4	12.6	5,606	7,099
Anaheim, CA	3.2	3.5	3.6	2.5	2.5	11.5	15.7	16.8	5,267	6,996
Tampa, FL	4.3	4.7	4.7	4.2	4.6	14.1	18.1	19.1	3,370	4,183
Pittsburgh, PA	4.4	3.6	3.3	4.3	3.3	15.3	15.3	14.8	3,593	4,583
Cincinnati, OH	6.5	6.3	6.3	6.4	5.9	21.3	26.1	26.7	3,504	4,659
Toledo, OH	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.9	10.0	12.6	12.9	3,628	4,456
Aurora, CO	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.7	9.0	12.0	12.4	3,682	4,675
Bakersfield, CA	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.2	1.4	5.3	6.8	7.1	4,469	5,142
Riverside, CA	2.1	2.4	2.4	1.9	2.1	8.0	11.3	11.5	4,625	5,633
Stockton, CA	2.3	2.2	2.2	1.9	1.8	7.1	9.4	9.6	4,054	5,419
Corpus Christi, TX	3.5	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.0	8.6	10.1	10.6	2,675	3,498
Newark, NJ	5.5	6.9	7.4	5.2	6.2	22.3	30.6	32.7	4,371	5,411
Buffalo, NY	11.4	11.9	10.7	10.5	9.7	43.4	47.8	43.8	4,457	4,710
St. Paul, MN	4.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	2.9	13.3	13.5	14.8	4,189	5,194
Anchorage, AK	10.1	10.9	10.9	9.0	9.8	34.6	41.7	42.9	3,973	4,529
Lexington, KY	4.0	4.3	4.3	3.6	4.0	10.2	13.1	13.8	2,910	3,532
Plano, TX	2.0	2.4	2.4	1.8	2.2	6.4	9.0	9.5	3,702	4,556
St. Petersburg, FL	3.2	3.9	4.3	3.0	3.8	9.9	12.9	14.9	3,366	4,113
Jersey City, NJ	4.1	3.8	4.1	3.7	3.7	15.3	17.2	18.3	4,323	5,329
Glendale, AZ	1.5	2.2	2.3	1.4	2.1	4.7	8.6	9.2	3,275	4,670
Lincoln, NE	2.7	3.0	3.0	2.5	2.8	8.2	11.2	11.9	3,382	4,474
Chandler, AZ	1.4	1.7	1.7	1.2	1.5	3.9	7.0	7.6	3,204	5,069

¹ 2005 based on estimated resident population as of July 1.