



Real Facts: California Private Sector Job Loss vs. State Employee Job Cost

12.3%
Unemployment
Rate

California Unemployment Rate

Source: California Employment Development Department

2.24
Million
Unemployed

Californians Currently Listed as Unemployed

Source: California Employment Development Department

-1,298,700
Private Sector
Jobs Lost

Private Sector Jobs Lost in California Since 2005

Source: California Employment Development Department

+38,100
State Jobs Added

State Government Jobs Added Since 2005

Source: California Employment Development Department

\$55,000
Private Sector
Salary

Average California Private Sector Job Salary

Source: California Employment Development Department

\$3,600
State Taxes Paid
Per Employee

Average State Taxes Paid by Each Private Sector Employee

Source: Franchise Tax Board / Board of Equalization

\$90,000
Cost Per
Gov't Job

Average Cost to Taxpayers to Pay Salary and Benefits for Each California Government Job

Source: California Department of Finance

25
Jobs to Support
One Gov't Job

Private Sector Jobs it Takes to Support One Government Job

Source: Franchise Tax Board / Board of Equalization
