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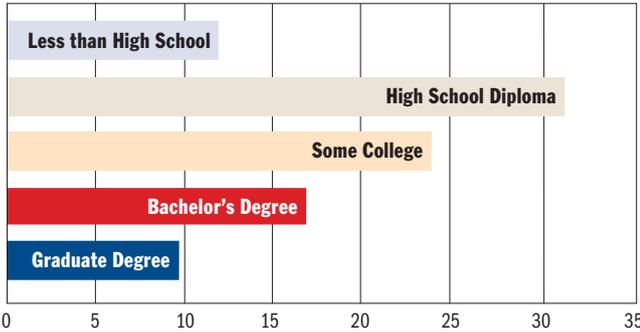


“This problem — unique to this region — of taking jobs that already exist and treating them as if they’re brand new, is the result of a flaw in the incentive programs in both states ... and all of us have a shared responsibility to fix it ... This so-called ‘border war’ between our two states has gone on long enough.”

— Gov. Jay Nixon, Nov. 12, 2013, announcing in Kansas City his plan to end the incentives war between the two states

Governor: Jay Nixon (D) ded.mo.gov **Right-to-work state: No**
Population 2012: 6,045,991 Population growth forecast 2013 thru 2017: 2.8% Median household income: \$51,460 Median age: 38.1

Work Force Education by Percentage



Rankings that Matter

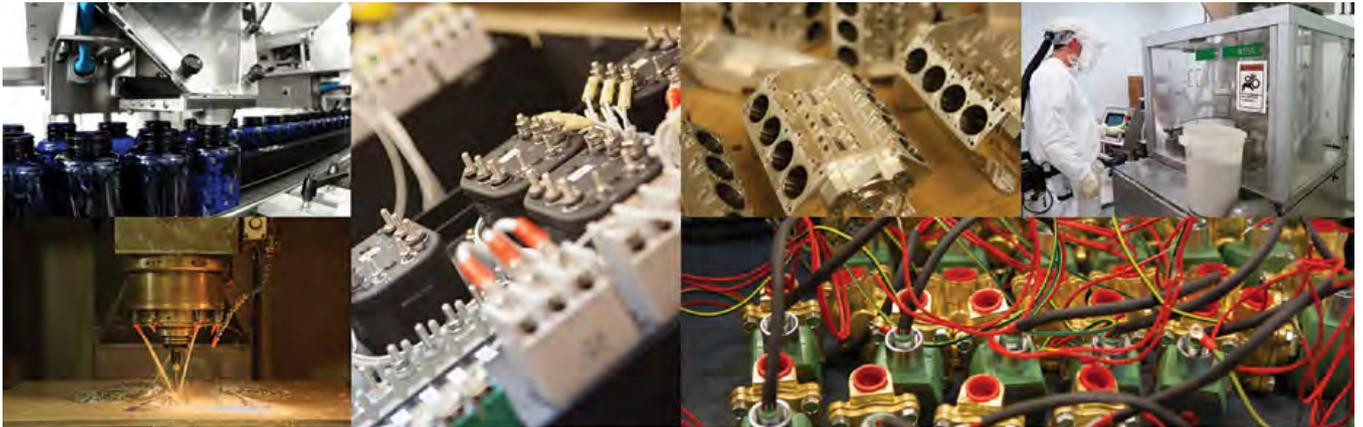
GDP	22 (\$221,702*)
Business Tax Climate	16
Small Business Policy	26
Career Readiness Certificates	14 (38,052)
High School Graduation	8
Health	39

* Real GDP in US millions

Legislative Update

- On Dec. 10, 2013, Gov. Jay Nixon signed into law a \$1.7-billion tax incentive package to lure Boeing to produce the 777X in Missouri.
- A new law adopts an elective, single-sales factor apportionment, now giving taxpayers with multi-state activities three apportionment options.
- “Missouri Works” will streamline a number of existing incentive programs while

- enabling job-creation projects to qualify for higher potential benefits.
- Effective Jan. 1, all businesses will be required to pay a minimum \$7.50 hourly rate, as a result of an automatic escalator clause in a 2006 law.
- Gov. Nixon's veto of a corporate tax reform measure was sustained in Sept. 2013. The Missouri Chamber has vowed to try again in 2014.



• Branson Commerce Park (Missouri Certified Site) • The Mountain Data Center Complex • Branson Airport (7,140 ft. runway) • Foreign Trade Zone (FTZ) • Enhanced Enterprise Zone (EEZ)

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