PAHRUMP AT A GLANCE

The town of Pahrump is an unincorporated town and the population center of Nye County, located at the southernmost tip of the county. Pahrump is approximately 60 miles west of Las Vegas. As one of the fastest growing communities in the west, the new urban features of Pahrump are clearly visible including four casinos, first class amenity RV spaces, wine tasting rooms at two local wineries and a luxury high performance driving race track.

Pahrump is home to 50% of the wineries located in Nevada with the Sanders Family Winery and the Pahrump Valley Winery. Front Sight Firearms Training Institute, one of the world's leading firearms and training institutes, is also located in Pahrump.



HISTORY

The Southern Paiute Indians, who were the first to occupy the area centuries ago, originally named Pahrump "Pah-Rimpi" or "Water Rock" due to the abundant artesian wells throughout the valley.

Pahrump was populated by the American settlers beginning in the late 19th century in the form of large ranch-style settlements, where ranchers grew cotton, alfalfa and raised livestock. Interest in Pahrump increased during the 1960s, with the beginning of large-scale land developments and the introduction of telephone lines and a paved road into the Valley from Las Vegas.

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VISITORS

The TOP STATES that visit Pahrump include:

- California
- Washington
- Oregon
- Colorado
- Arizona
- Minnesota

The TOP COUNTRIES that visit Pahrump include:

- Canada
- Germany
- France

ATTRACTIONS

- Casinos
- Spring Mountain Motorsports Ranch
- Pahrump Valley Winery
- · Sanders Family Winery
- · Mountain Falls Golf Club
- Lakeview Executive Golf Course
- Front Sight Firearms Training
- Pahrump Valley Museum & Historical Society
- Artesian Cellars
- Carpenter Canyon
- Stonewise Mead and Cider

DEMOGRAPHICS

- As of March 31, 2014, the Nye County Planning Department has estimated the population in Pahrump to be 38,591.
- According to the 2010 Census, the median age of the population is 49.7 years, with 82.8% (30,256) age 16 older and 25.4% (9,260) age 65 and older.

ACCOMODATIONS

Bed & Breakfast

• K-7 Bed & Breakfast

Hotels

- Best Western Pahrump Station
- · Pahrump Nugget Hotel & Casino
- · Saddle West Hotel Casino RV Resort
- Holiday Inn Express & Suites Pahrump

RV Resorts

- Wine Ridge RV Resort & Cottages
- Preferred RV Resort
- Nevada Treasure RV Resort
- Saddle West Hotel Casino RV Resort
- Lakeside Casino & RV Park

HOUSING

- Total housing in Pahrump is 17,145 with 86.3% of the total being occupied and 13.7% being vacant.
- More homes are occupied by their owners than the average national occupancy rate.
- 65.3% of the homes in Pahrump are owner occupied while 21% are renter occupied.

BUSINESS FACTS

- The total number of businesses in Pahrump recorded by the U.S Census Bureau in 2007 was 2,590.
- 29.2% of businesses in Pahrump are owned by women.