

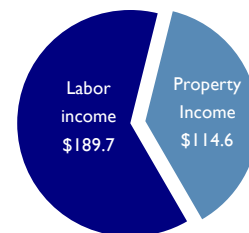
# Business Perspective

## Casper College Stimulates Economic Growth

- Casper College’s past and present activities in the workforce account for \$189.7 million in labor income (i.e., wages, salaries, and benefits) and \$114.6 million in property income (i.e., dividends, interest, and rent) of the region’s current economy.
- Altogether, the Natrona County economy owes roughly \$304.3 million of its current income to the annual operations of Casper College and the cumulative effects of its past students.

Regional Growth Due to Casper College

(amounts in millions)



## Casper College Raises Consumer Spending

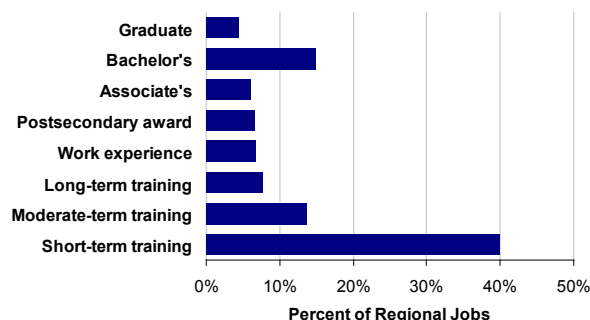


- Casper College employed 379 full-time and 130 part-time faculty and staff during FY 2006-07, with an annual payroll of \$24.0 million.
- Casper College had a total operating budget of \$37.6 million, of which \$29.5 million (or 79%) was spent in the local region.
- Approximately 18% of Casper College’s student body came from outside the region. These students generated an estimated \$5.2 million in regional sales while attending Casper College.

## Casper College Creates a Skilled Workforce

- Casper College activities encourage new business, assist existing business, and create long-term economic growth. The college enhances worker skills and provides customized training to local business and industry.
- It is estimated that the present-day Natrona County workforce embodies about 959,200 credit hours of past and present Casper College training. These added skills promote business productivity and increase regional income.

Skill Levels Required by Area Jobs



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