

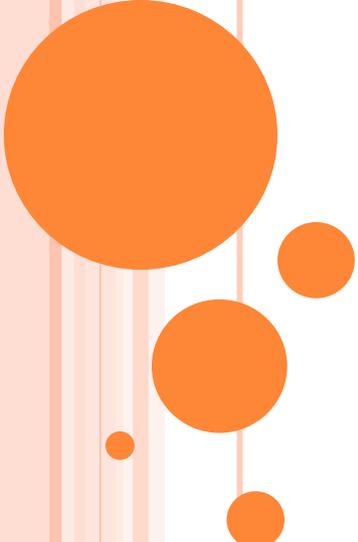
COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO



HHSA

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY

ELIGIBILITY OPERATIONS



**CALWORKS
WELFARE-TO-WORK
STAGE 1 CHILD CARE
SOCIAL SERVICES ADVISORY BOARD
(SSAB)**

February 14, 2013

CALWORKS

California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) is a temporary cash aid program that helps eligible low or no income families with minor children to meet their basic needs. CalWORKs is California's Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) program.

Income

- Net monthly income less than the following Applicant Limits for family Assistance Unit size:

1	2	3	4	5
\$576	\$943	\$1,169	\$1,387	\$1,584

Property (Assets)

- Less than \$2000 in available resources and assets (including vehicles); \$3000 if 60 years and older

Residence

- Must be a resident of San Diego County

Citizenship

- US Citizen or eligible non-citizen

CALWORKS

CalWORKs Demographics

Based on 76,385 recipients in San Diego (December 2012)

Male	43.66%
Female	56.34%
Adults	24.67%
Children	75.33%
Seniors	0.02%
Refugees	9.41%

Ethnicity (By Recipient):

African American	14.11%
Asian/Pacific Islander	3.82%
Caucasian	15.38%
Hispanic	50.33%
Middle Eastern	10.37%
Other	5.99%

Language (By Recipient):

Arabic	8.72%
English	63.79%
Spanish	24.21%
Tagalog	0.09%
Vietnamese	0.50%
Other	2.69%

Range of Benefits

(Maximum benefits for Family Unit size of:)

	1	2	3	4	5
Non-Exempt:	\$317	\$516	\$638	\$762	\$866
*Exempt:	\$351	\$577	\$714	\$849	\$966

Average Benefit Paid (per case)

(San Diego, December 2012)

\$475

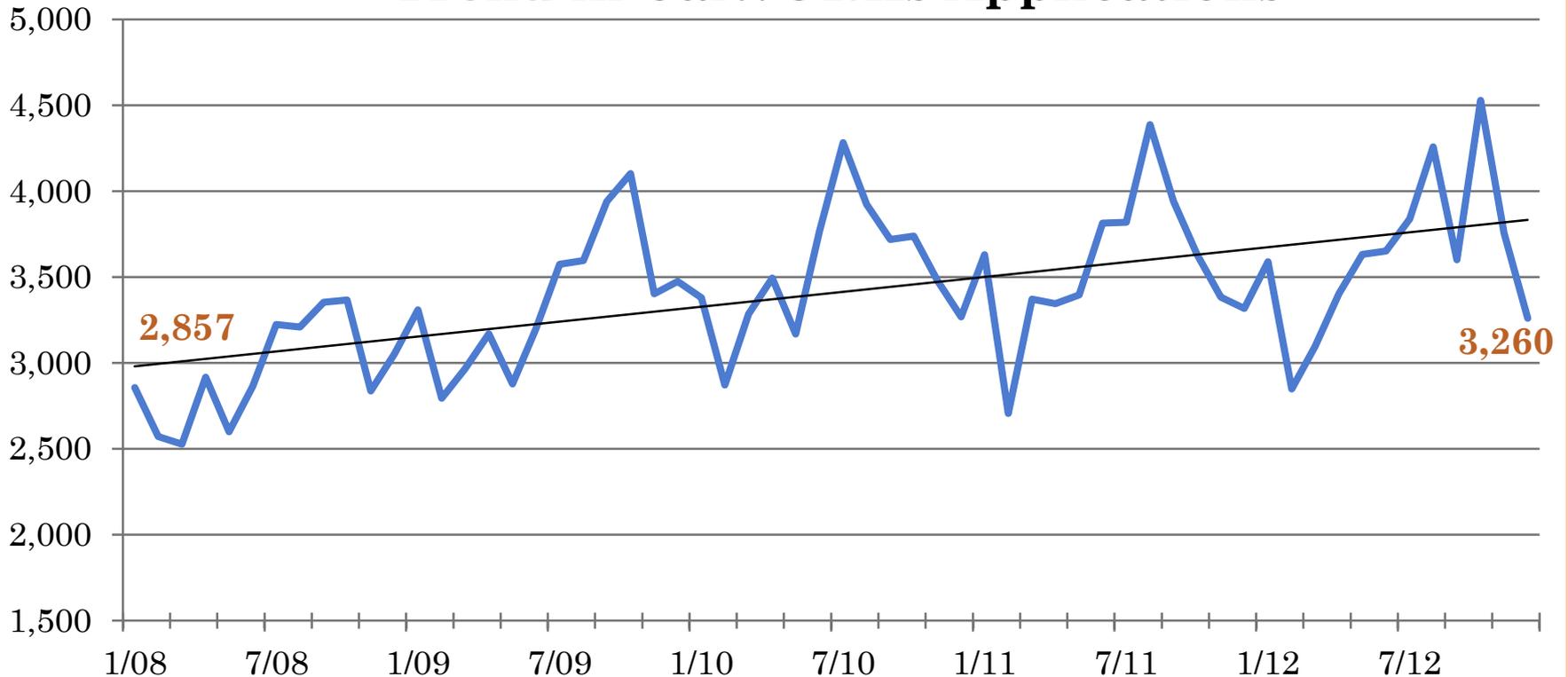
Total Benefits Paid

(San Diego, December 2012)

\$14,847,032

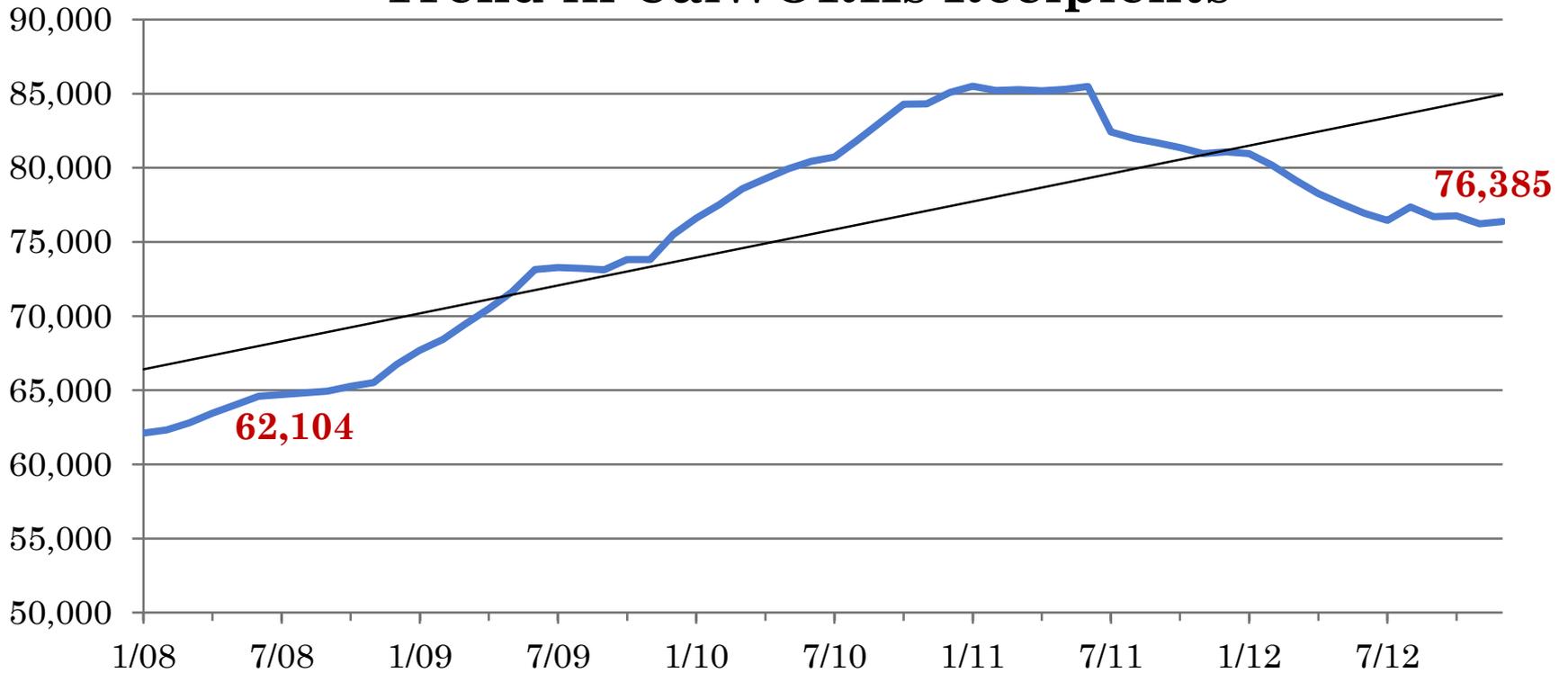
* "Exempt" refers to families with disabled adults or a non-needy caretaker relative and are eligible to a higher monthly benefit.

County of San Diego Trend in CalWORKs Applications



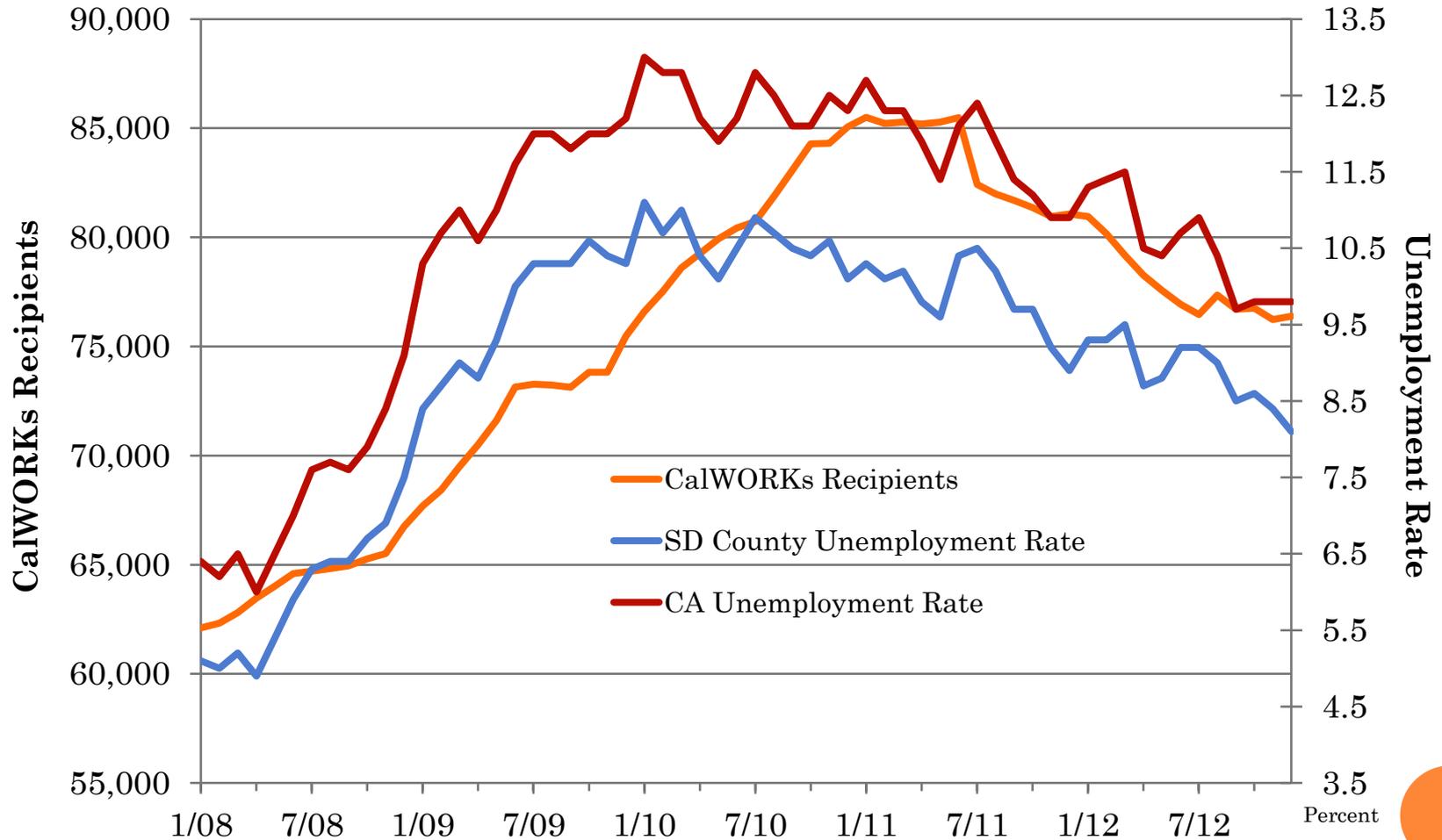
Note: Increase of additional 403 CalWORKs applications from January 2008 to December 2012

County of San Diego Trend in CalWORKs Recipients



Note: Increase of additional 14,281 CalWORKs recipients from January 2008 to December 2012

County of San Diego Trend in CalWORKs Recipients and Unemployment Rates



WELFARE-TO-WORK (WTW)

WTW is a program created to help CalWORKs recipients become employed and self-sufficient.

Employment Services are provided by HHS A contractors:

ResCare in the North and Central regions and Public Consulting Group (PCG) in the East and South regions.

Work Requirement Participation Hours

- 20 hrs for single parent (child under 6)
- 30 hrs for single parent (no child under 6)
- 35 combined hours for 2-parent families

Employment Related Activities

- Employment, Job Search, Work Experience, Community Services, Vocational Educational Training, Work Study, English as Second Language, Adult Education, Education Related to Employment, On-the-Job Training, Mental health/Substance Abuse/Domestic Violence Services, etc.

Supportive Services

- Childcare, transportation and ancillary work related expenses incurred while participating in WTW

WELFARE-TO-WORK (WTW)

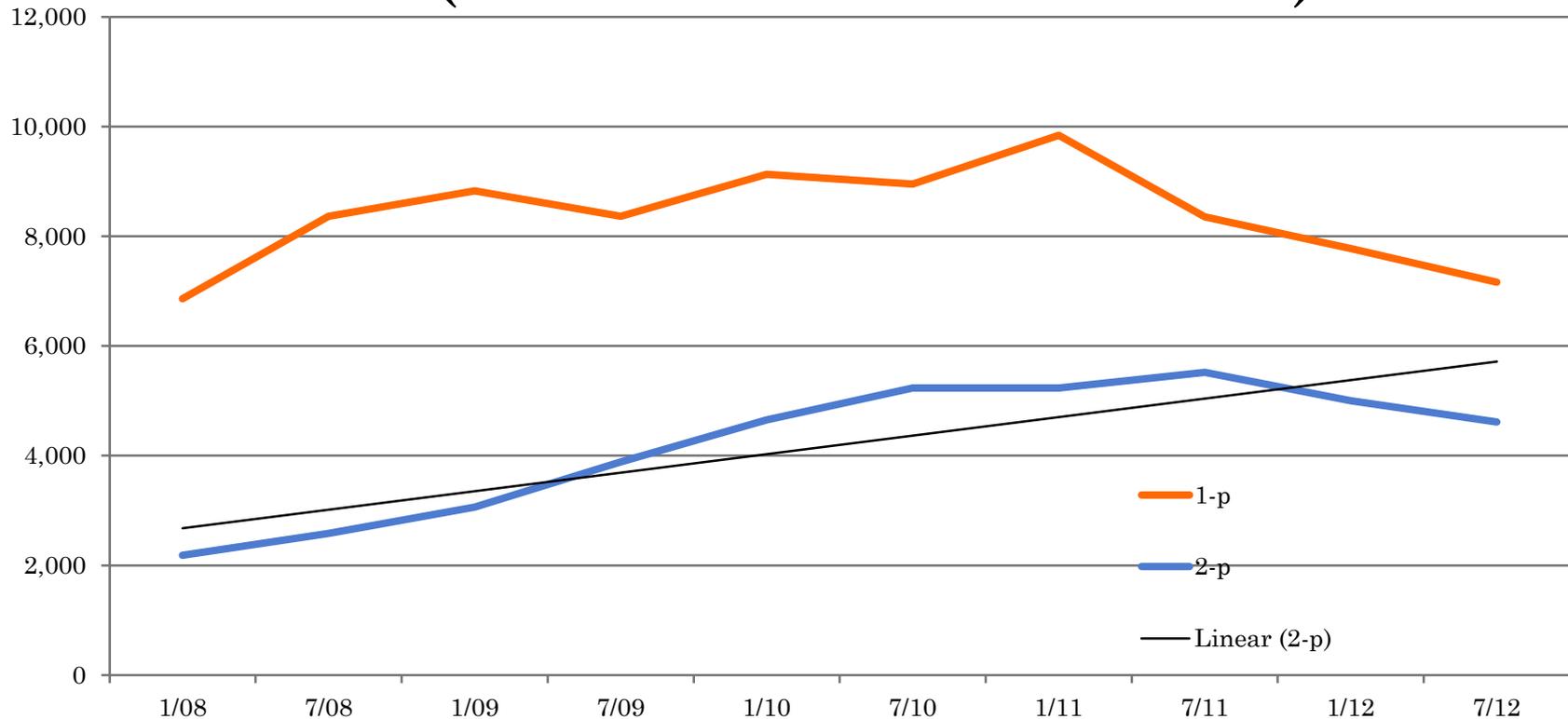
Welfare-to-Work Demographics	
Based on 11,729 participants in San Diego (December 2012)	
Male	27.27%
Female	72.73%
Refugees	21.32%
Ethnicity (By Participant):	
African American	14.26%
Asian/Pacific Islander	5.5%
Caucasian	20.98%
Hispanic	33.76%
Middle Eastern	17.7%
Other	7.8%
Language (By Participant):	
Arabic	17.92%
English	65.52%
Spanish	10.70%
Tagalog	0.24%
Vietnamese	0.54%
Other	5.08%

Average Supportive Services Transportation Payments
Based on 5,487 participants, San Diego (December 2012)
\$299

Average Supportive Services – Ancillary Payments
Based on 553 participants, San Diego (December 2012)
\$337

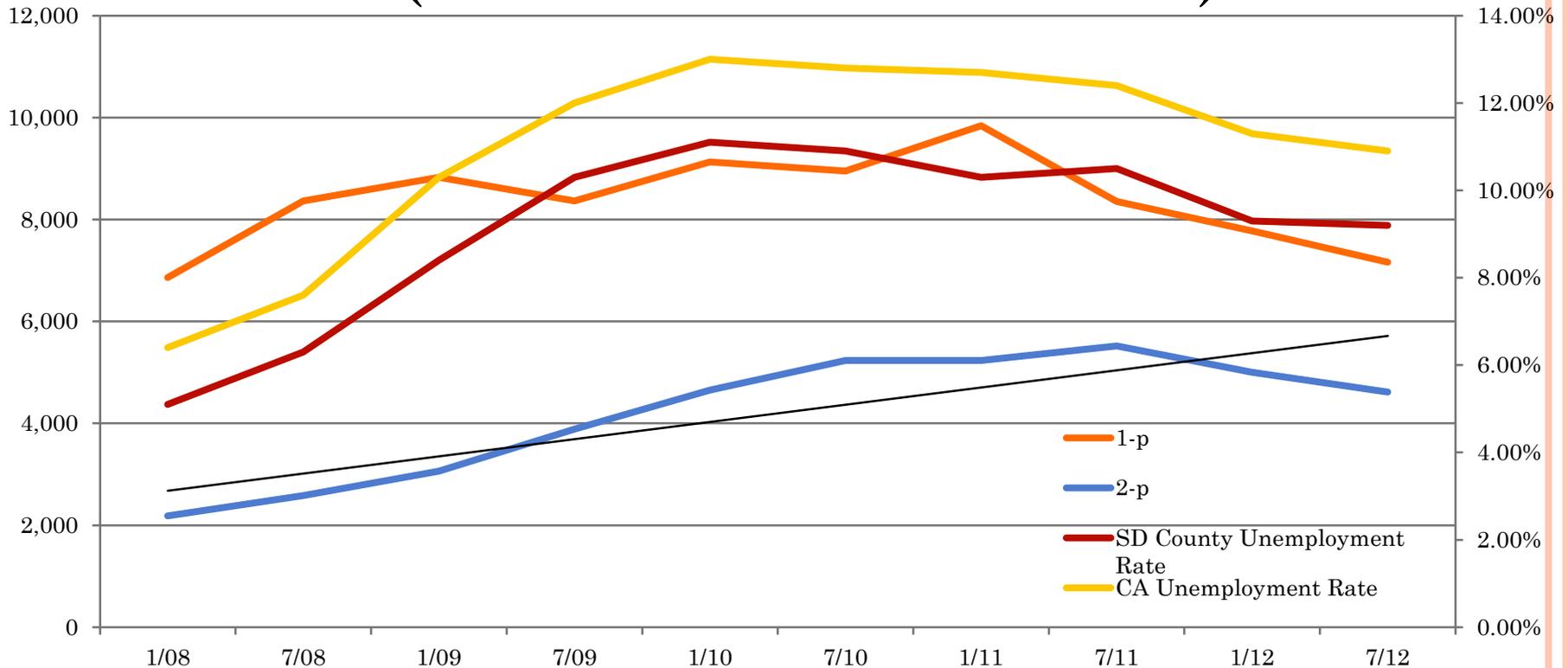
Total Supportive Services paid
(San Diego, December 2012)
\$1,828,966

County of San Diego Trend in Welfare-to-Work Participation (One and Two Parent Families)



Note: Increase of 2,115 WTW participants from January 2008 to December 2012

County of San Diego Trend in Welfare-to-Work Participation (One and Two Parent Families)



Note: Increase of 2,115 WTW participants from January 2008 to December 2012

24-MONTH WTW TIME CLOCK

A new WTW 24-Month Time Clock period was established effective January 1, 2013 (Legislation SB 1041), during which all non-exempt CalWORKs (CW) recipients and exempt/volunteers can participate in various WTW activities with no Core Hour requirements.

Who is subject to the WTW Clock

- Adult CW recipients who are required to participate in the WTW program

When the WTW Clock Ticks

- Every month a client is participating in WTW, but is not meeting work hour requirements in Core activities (employment, work experience, community services, job search, on-the-job training, mental health, substance abuse, domestic violence services, etc.)

When the WTW Clock does not tick

- Meeting Core Hours, developing WTW plan, completing job search, being exempt or sanctioned, having Good Cause for not participating or a Domestic Violence waiver

PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS DURING AND AFTER THE 24-MONTH WTW TIME CLOCK

WTW family type	During the WTW 24-Month Time Clock	After the WTW 24-Month Time Clock is exhausted
Single parent with child under 6	20 hours, no core activities required	20 hours, all 20 in core activities
Single parent with <u>no</u> child under 6	30 hours, no core activities required	30 hours, of which 20 in core activities
Two-parent families	Combined 35 hours, no core activities required	Combined 35 hours, 30 in core activities
Two-parent families (with one parent disabled)	Non-disabled parent: 20 or 30 hours (depend on child's age), no core activities required	Non-disabled parent: 20 or 30 hours (depend on child's age), of which 20 in core activities

STAGE 1 CHILD CARE

CalWORKs Stage 1 Child Care

- Subsidized Child Care for the CalWORKs parent who works or attends WTW activities such as school/training in order to progress towards self-sufficiency

Eligibility – Active CalWORKs

- Categorically eligible if CalWORKs is active
- Eligible until work activity and child care arrangements stabilize, or cash aid stops

Eligibility – Closed CalWORKs Post Aid

- Must meet income guidelines and need child care for work or training
- Eligible for 24 months after cash aid stops and other eligibility criteria is met

STAGE 1 CHILD CARE

Child Care Demographics

(December 2012)

One Parent Families	85%
Two Parent Families	15%
Household w/1 Child	52%
Household w/2 Children	31%
Household w/3 Children	11%
Household w/4+ Children	6%

Ethnicity (By Recipient):

African American	19.1%
Caucasian	19.3%
Hispanic	41.8%
Middle Eastern	5.2%
Somali	3.4%
Filipino	1.4%
Other	9.8%

Language (By Recipient):

Arabic	5.9%
English	75.6%
Somali	3.0%
Spanish	11.3%
Other	4.2%

Range of Average Benefits

(Benefits Paid for Child Care Family size of:)

1	2	3	4	5
\$500	\$918	\$1331	\$1527	\$1914

Average Benefit Paid (per case)

(San Diego, December 2012)

\$800

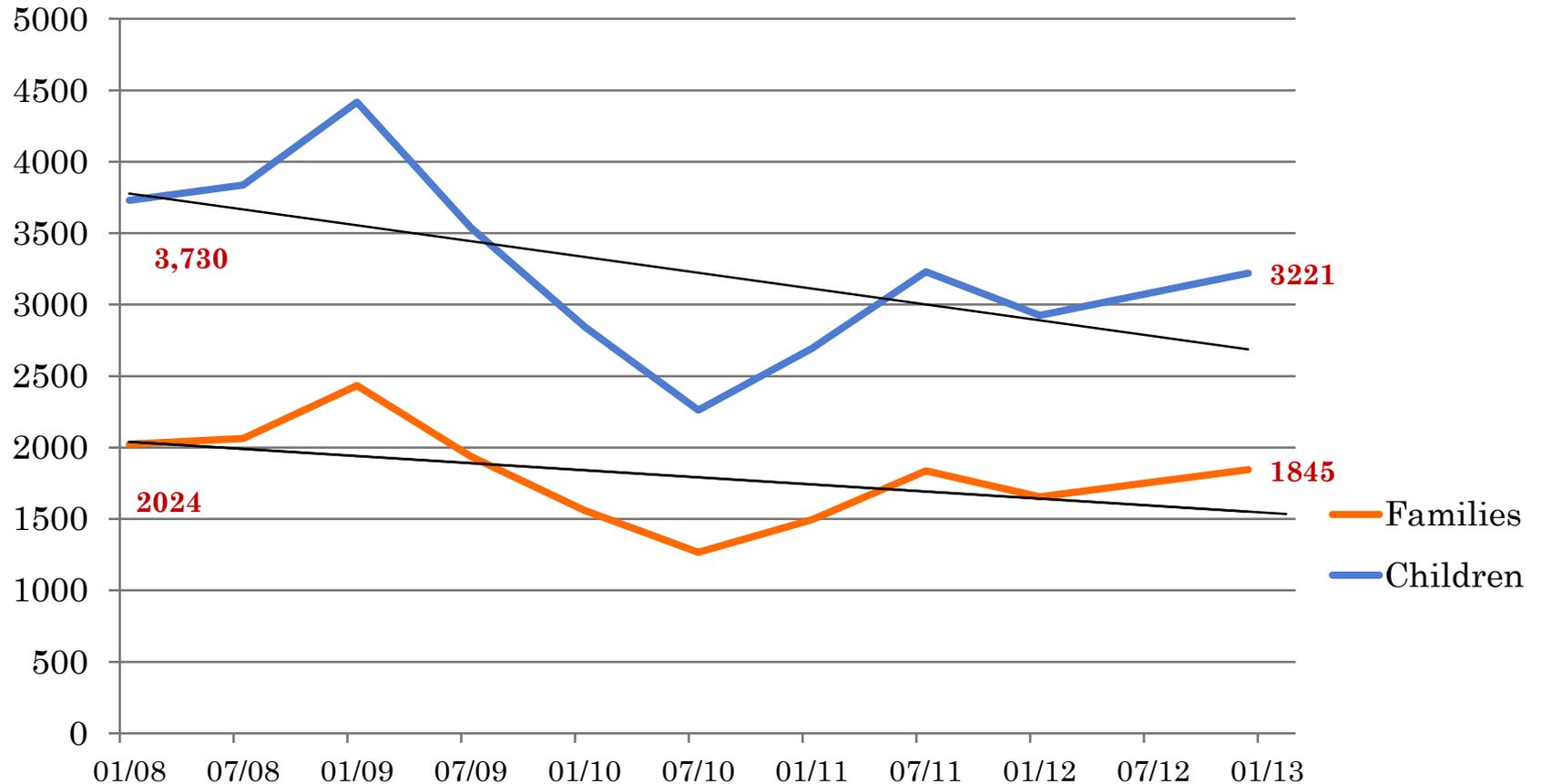
Total Benefits Paid

(San Diego, December 2012)

\$1,237,701

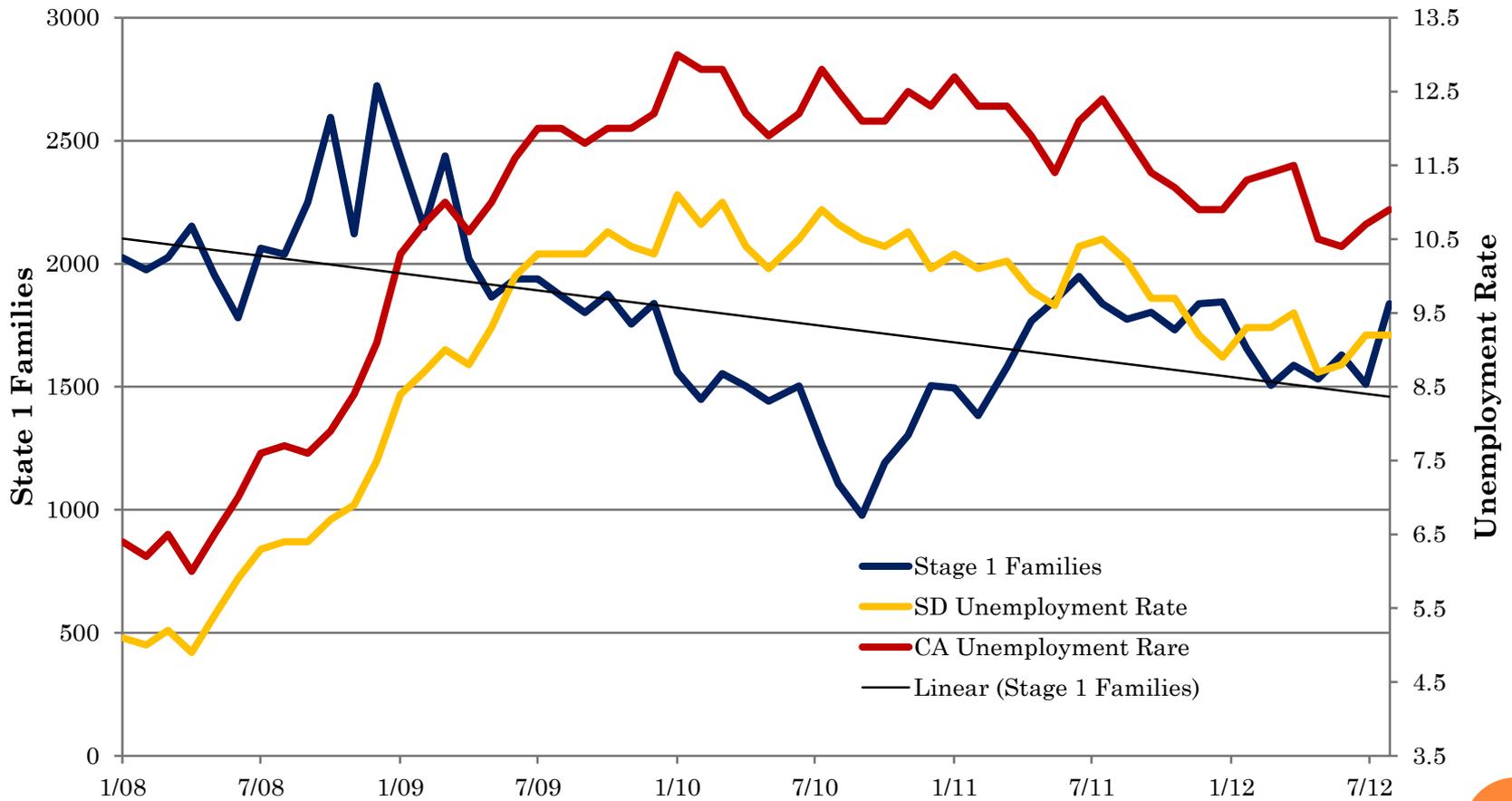
Note: Based on December 2012 data for Stage 1 Child Care population of 1845 Families and 3221 Children

County of San Diego Trend in Stage 1 Child Care Recipients



Note: Decrease of 509 Child Care Families served from January 2008 to December 2012

County of San Diego Trend in Stage 1 Child Care Families to Unemployment Rate



Note: Stage 1 Child Care compared to State and County unemployment rates

QUESTIONS?

Thank you

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