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## **Employment in Tillamook County: September 2018**

### **Employment Falls by 60 in September**

Seasonally adjusted nonfarm payroll employment fell by 60 jobs in September to 9,150 jobs. Seasonally adjusted figures compare expected changes with actual changes. A loss of 240 jobs was expected for the month, but the county shed 300. The private sector cut 270 jobs, and government employment slid by 30. Leisure and hospitality cut 130 jobs, and food manufacturing trimmed 70 jobs. Other industries had smaller changes.

September's total nonfarm employment was 100 more than one year before, a gain of 1.1 percent. The private sector added 260 jobs, and government lost 160 jobs. Industries adding the most jobs over the year were leisure and hospitality (+70) and food manufacturing (+50). About 80 jobs were reclassified from state government to private-sector education and health services.

Tillamook County's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 4.1 percent in September, unchanged from the previous month (4.1%) and essentially the same as the year before (4.4%). It also was essentially the same as the statewide rate (3.8%) and the national rate (3.7%).

#### **Next Press Releases**

The Oregon Employment Department plans to release the October county and metropolitan area unemployment rates on Tuesday, November 20, and the statewide unemployment rate and employment survey data for October on Tuesday, November 13.

### Tillamook County Current Labor Force and Industry Employment

	September 2018	August 2018	September 2017	--Change From--	
				August 2018	September 2017
<b>Labor Force Status</b>					
Civilian labor force	11,870	12,223	11,977	-353	-107
Unemployed	453	487	480	-34	-27
Unemployment rate	3.8%	4.0%	4.0%	-0.2	-0.2
<i>Unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)</i>	4.1%	4.1%	4.4%	0.0	-0.3
Employed	11,417	11,736	11,497	-319	-80
<b>Nonfarm Payroll Employment</b>					
Total nonfarm employment	9,310	9,610	9,210	-300	100
<i>Total nonfarm employment (seasonally adjusted)</i>	9,150	9,210	9,050	-60	100
Total private	7,530	7,800	7,270	-270	260
Mining, logging, and construction	580	600	560	-20	20
Mining and logging	210	220	210	-10	0
Construction	370	380	350	-10	20
Manufacturing	1,490	1,570	1,420	-80	70
Durable goods	440	450	430	-10	10
Wood product manufacturing	360	360	350	0	10
Nondurable goods	1,050	1,120	990	-70	60
Food manufacturing	960	1,030	910	-70	50
Trade, transportation, and utilities	1,500	1,510	1,450	-10	50
Retail trade	1,120	1,140	1,090	-20	30
Information	50	50	50	0	0
Financial activities	290	300	310	-10	-20
Professional and business services	430	450	460	-20	-30
Education and health services	1,180	1,170	1,070	10	110
Leisure and hospitality	1,640	1,770	1,570	-130	70
Accommodation and food services	1,580	1,700	1,520	-120	60
Accommodation	600	650	540	-50	60
Food services and drinking places	980	1,050	980	-70	0
Other services	370	380	380	-10	-10
Government	1,780	1,810	1,940	-30	-160
Federal government	110	110	110	0	0
State government	320	330	410	-10	-90
Local government	1,350	1,370	1,420	-20	-70
Local education	600	600	660	0	-60
Local government excluding educational services	750	770	760	-20	-10

The most recent month is preliminary, the prior month is revised. Prepared in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Civilian labor force includes employed and unemployed individuals 16 years and older by place of residence.

Employed includes payroll employment, self-employed, unpaid family workers, domestics, agriculture, and labor disputants.

Unemployment rate is calculated by dividing unemployed by civilian labor force.

Nonfarm Payroll Employment: Data are by place of work and cover full- and part-time employees who worked or received pay for the pay period that includes the 12th of the month. The data exclude the self-employed, volunteers, unpaid family workers, and domestics.

**Oregon Seasonally Adjusted Unemployment Rates by Area (1)**

	<u>September 2018</u>	<u>August 2018</u>	<u>September 2017</u>
United States	3.7	3.9	4.2
State of Oregon	3.8	3.8	4.2
<u>Metropolitan Statistical Areas:</u>			
Albany (Linn County)	4.3	4.4	4.8
Bend-Redmond (Deschutes County)	3.8	3.7	4.3
Corvallis (Benton County)	3.0	2.8	3.4
Eugene (Lane County)	4.2	4.2	4.5
Grants Pass (Josephine County)	5.5	5.4	5.6
Medford (Jackson County)	4.4	4.4	4.7
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro (2)	3.7	3.6	4.1
Salem (Marion and Polk counties)	4.3	4.1	4.6
<u>Counties (1):</u>			
Baker	4.9	5.0	5.4
Benton	3.0	2.8	3.4
Clackamas	3.5	3.4	3.9
Clatsop	3.8	3.7	4.3
Columbia	4.7	4.7	5.3
Coos	4.8	4.9	5.6
Crook	5.4	5.4	6.4
Curry	5.5	5.5	6.2
Deschutes	3.8	3.7	4.3
Douglas	4.9	5.0	5.4
Gilliam	3.9	3.6	4.4
Grant	6.3	6.1	6.5
Harney	5.6	5.6	6.2
Hood River	3.0	3.0	3.5
Jackson	4.4	4.4	4.7
Jefferson	4.9	4.9	5.5
Josephine	5.5	5.4	5.6
Klamath	5.8	5.7	5.9
Lake	5.0	5.0	5.5
Lane	4.2	4.2	4.5
Lincoln	4.4	4.4	4.8
Linn	4.3	4.4	4.8
Malheur	4.2	4.1	4.2
Marion	4.0	4.0	4.3
Morrow	4.0	3.9	3.9
Multnomah	3.3	3.3	3.7
Polk	4.2	4.1	4.5
Sherman	4.4	4.2	5.1
Tillamook	4.1	4.1	4.4
Umatilla	4.4	4.5	4.9
Union	4.8	4.7	5.2
Wallowa	5.6	5.6	5.6
Wasco	3.7	3.6	4.1
Washington	3.2	3.2	3.6
Wheeler	3.2	3.1	3.7
Yamhill	3.6	3.5	3.9

(1) Seasonally adjusted rates for the United States and Oregon are official Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) series. Source of Metro data is BLS and LAUS. Source of county data is OED.

(2) Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro MSA includes Clackamas, Columbia, Multnomah, Washington, and Yamhill counties in Oregon and Clark and Skamania counties in Washington.

The Oregon Employment Department and the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) work cooperatively to develop and publish monthly payroll employment and labor force data for Oregon's metropolitan areas and counties. The estimates of monthly job gains and losses are based on a survey of businesses. The estimates of unemployment are based on a survey of households and other sources.

The Oregon Employment Department payroll employment estimates are revised quarterly using information from unemployment insurance tax records. All department publications use data from this *official Oregon series* unless noted.

The department also makes the BLS-produced nonfarm payroll employment series for metropolitan areas available. These are revised annually by BLS.

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