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Employment in Yamhill County: November 2019

Yamhill County's Unemployment Rate at 3.6 Percent

Yamhill County's unemployment rate was 3.6 percent in November, down slightly from its October revised rate of 3.8 percent. Oregon's statewide unemployment rate was 3.9 percent in November, essentially unchanged from its revised October rate of 4.0 percent.

Yamhill County's employment losses in November were less than normal; total nonfarm employment decreased 200 jobs, when a decrease of roughly 280 jobs would be expected. Seasonally adjusted employment increased 80 between October and November. Yamhill County's employment level was 3,430, or 10.7 percent, above its pre-recession employment peak in August 2007.

Yamhill County's employment increased 600 over the past year, a 1.7 percent growth rate. Oregon's job growth over the past year was 1.6 percent and the U.S. grew 1.5 percent.

Yamhill County's private-sector employment was up 520 over the past year. The public-sector employment level was up 80 jobs over the past 12 months.

The fastest-growing private-sector industries over the past year included: professional and business services (+110 jobs, or 5.6%); construction (+90 jobs, or 4.4%); and leisure and hospitality (+130 jobs, or 3.4%).

Next Press Releases

The Oregon Employment Department plans to release the December county and metropolitan area unemployment rates on Tuesday, January 28 and the statewide unemployment rate and employment survey data on Wednesday, January 22.



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Yamhill County Current Labor Force and Industry Employment

	--Change From--				
	November 2019	October 2019	November 2018	October 2019	November 2018
Labor Force Status					
Civilian labor force	54,566	55,030	54,736	-464	-170
Unemployed	1,556	1,789	2,049	-233	-493
Unemployment rate	2.9%	3.3%	3.7%	-0.4	-0.8
<i>Unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)</i>	3.6%	3.8%	3.9%	-0.2	-0.3
Employed	53,010	53,241	52,687	-231	323
Nonfarm Payroll Employment					
Total nonfarm employment	36,080	36,280	35,480	-200	600
<i>Total nonfarm employment (seasonally adjusted)</i>	35,340	35,260	34,750	80	590
Total private	31,430	31,700	30,910	-270	520
Mining, logging, and construction	2,310	2,390	2,250	-80	60
Mining and logging	180	180	210	0	-30
Construction	2,130	2,210	2,040	-80	90
Manufacturing	7,190	7,380	7,010	-190	180
Trade, transportation, and utilities	4,860	4,850	4,840	10	20
Wholesale trade	590	600	610	-10	-20
Retail trade	3,720	3,690	3,700	30	20
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	590	590	620	0	-30
Food and beverage stores	900	910	920	-10	-20
General merchandise stores	740	720	720	20	20
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	550	560	530	-10	20
Information	260	240	310	20	-50
Financial activities	1,210	1,220	1,230	-10	-20
Professional and business services	2,070	2,120	1,960	-50	110
Education and health services	8,510	8,450	8,410	60	100
Educational services	3,380	3,370	3,420	10	-40
Health care and social assistance	5,130	5,080	4,990	50	140
Leisure and hospitality	3,950	3,980	3,820	-30	130
Other services	1,070	1,070	1,080	0	-10
Government	4,650	4,580	4,570	70	80
Federal government	440	450	430	-10	10
State government	240	240	220	0	20
Local government	3,970	3,890	3,920	80	50
Local education	2,260	2,170	2,230	90	30
Local government excluding educational services	1,710	1,720	1,690	-10	20

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.

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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