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

### **Employment Up by 10 Jobs more than Expected in December**

Seasonally adjusted nonfarm payroll employment inched up by 10 jobs in December to 9,200 jobs. Seasonally adjusted figures compare expected changes with actual changes. A loss of 160 jobs was expected for the month, but the county shed only 150. The private sector cut 110 jobs, and government employment fell by 40. Leisure and hospitality cut 60 jobs. Other industries had smaller changes.

December's total nonfarm employment was 110 more than one year before, a gain of 1.2 percent. The private sector added 210 jobs, and government lost 100 jobs. Food manufacturing added 130 jobs over the year but professional and business services cut 40 jobs. Local government excluding education shed 50 jobs over the year. About 80 jobs were reclassified from state government to private-sector education and health services.

Tillamook County's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 4.6 percent in December, essentially unchanged from the previous month (4.4%) and the year before (4.2%). It was slightly higher than the statewide rate (4.1%) and the national rate (3.9%).

#### **Next Press Releases**

The Oregon Employment Department plans to release the January county and metropolitan area unemployment rates on Tuesday, March 12, and the statewide unemployment rate and employment survey data for January on Tuesday, March 5.

## Tillamook County Current Labor Force and Industry Employment

	--Change From--				
	December 2018	November 2018	December 2017	November 2018	December 2017
<b>Labor Force Status</b>					
Civilian labor force	11,387	11,540	11,293	-153	94
Unemployed	557	502	487	55	70
Unemployment rate	4.9%	4.4%	4.3%	0.5	0.6
<i>Unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)</i>	4.6%	4.4%	4.2%	0.2	0.4
Employed	10,830	11,038	10,806	-208	24
<b>Nonfarm Payroll Employment</b>					
Total nonfarm employment	8,930	9,080	8,820	-150	110
<i>Total nonfarm employment (seasonally adjusted)</i>	9,200	9,190	9,090	10	110
Total private	7,080	7,190	6,870	-110	210
Mining, logging, and construction	540	570	570	-30	-30
Mining and logging	190	210	220	-20	-30
Construction	350	360	350	-10	0
Manufacturing	1,510	1,510	1,390	0	120
Durable goods	430	430	440	0	-10
Wood product manufacturing	350	350	350	0	0
Nondurable goods	1,080	1,080	950	0	130
Food manufacturing	1,000	1,000	870	0	130
Trade, transportation, and utilities	1,440	1,450	1,410	-10	30
Retail trade	1,070	1,090	1,050	-20	20
Information	50	50	60	0	-10
Financial activities	290	300	270	-10	20
Professional and business services	390	390	430	0	-40
Education and health services	1,210	1,220	1,050	-10	160
Leisure and hospitality	1,290	1,350	1,310	-60	-20
Accommodation and food services	1,260	1,310	1,260	-50	0
Accommodation	460	470	440	-10	20
Food services and drinking places	800	840	820	-40	-20
Other services	360	350	380	10	-20
Government	1,850	1,890	1,950	-40	-100
Federal government	100	100	100	0	0
State government	300	310	370	-10	-70
Local government	1,450	1,480	1,480	-30	-30
Local education	690	700	670	-10	20
Local government excluding educational services	760	780	810	-20	-50

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>December 2018</u>	<u>November 2018</u>	<u>December 2017</u>
United States	3.9	3.7	4.1
State of Oregon	4.1	3.9	4.1
<u>Metropolitan Statistical Areas:</u>			
Albany (Linn County)	4.9	4.8	4.6
Bend-Redmond (Deschutes County)	4.4	4.1	4.3
Corvallis (Benton County)	3.3	3.3	3.2
Eugene (Lane County)	4.6	4.5	4.3
Grants Pass (Josephine County)	5.9	5.8	5.4
Medford (Jackson County)	5.1	4.9	4.7
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro (2)	4.1	4.0	3.9
Salem (Marion and Polk counties)	4.5	4.5	4.1
<u>Counties (1):</u>			
Baker	5.3	5.2	5.6
Benton	3.3	3.3	3.2
Clackamas	3.9	3.8	3.8
Clatsop	4.3	4.2	4.2
Columbia	5.0	4.9	5.0
Coos	5.5	5.3	5.5
Crook	5.9	5.8	6.3
Curry	6.5	6.2	6.2
Deschutes	4.4	4.1	4.3
Douglas	5.4	5.2	5.3
Gilliam	4.6	4.6	4.2
Grant	7.4	7.1	6.6
Harney	6.2	5.9	6.8
Hood River	3.5	3.4	3.3
Jackson	5.1	4.9	4.7
Jefferson	5.5	5.4	5.6
Josephine	5.9	5.8	5.4
Klamath	6.6	6.3	6.1
Lake	6.0	5.8	5.6
Lane	4.6	4.5	4.3
Lincoln	5.0	4.8	4.8
Linn	4.9	4.8	4.6
Malheur	4.9	4.7	4.3
Marion	4.5	4.3	4.2
Morrow	4.6	4.5	3.9
Multnomah	3.7	3.6	3.6
Polk	4.7	4.6	4.2
Sherman	4.0	4.0	4.0
Tillamook	4.6	4.4	4.2
Umatilla	4.9	4.7	4.8
Union	5.6	5.4	5.2
Wallowa	6.2	6.1	5.5
Wasco	4.3	4.2	4.0
Washington	3.5	3.4	3.5
Wheeler	4.2	3.9	3.4
Yamhill	3.8	3.9	3.6

(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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