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## **Employment in Tillamook County: September 2020**

### **Employment rose by 100 more than expected in September**

Seasonally adjusted nonfarm payroll employment increased by 100 in September to 8,680 jobs. Seasonally adjusted figures compare expected changes with actual changes. Employment was expected to drop by 130, but the county lost only 30 jobs. The private sector dropped 60 jobs, and government employment was up by 30 jobs. Private education and health services added 30 jobs, but most private industries had small losses for the month. Local government education added 40 jobs.

September's total nonfarm employment numbers show a loss of 840 jobs compared with one year before, a decrease of 8.7 percent. Nearly every major industry lost jobs over the year. Leisure and hospitality shed the most jobs; the industry was down 280 jobs over the year, a drop of 16.2 percent.

Tillamook County's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was essentially unchanged in September. It was 8.1 percent in September and 8.2 percent in August. It was 3.6 percent the year before. The statewide unemployment rate was 8.0 percent in September, and the national rate was 7.9 percent.

#### **Next Press Releases**

The Oregon Employment Department plans to release the October county and metropolitan area unemployment rates on Tuesday, November 24, and the statewide unemployment rate and employment survey data for October on Tuesday, November 17.

## Tillamook County Current Labor Force and Industry Employment

	--Change From--				
	September 2020	August 2020	September 2019	August 2020	September 2019
<b>Labor Force Status</b>					
Civilian labor force	11,600	11,883	12,041	-283	-441
Unemployed	862	936	372	-74	490
Unemployment rate	7.4%	7.9%	3.1%	-0.5	4.3
<i>Unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)</i>	8.1%	8.2%	3.6%	-0.1	4.5
Employed	10,738	10,947	11,669	-209	-931
<b>Nonfarm Payroll Employment</b>					
Total nonfarm employment	8,850	8,880	9,690	-30	-840
<i>Total nonfarm employment (seasonally adjusted)</i>	8,680	8,580	9,510	100	-830
Total private	7,020	7,080	7,770	-60	-750
Mining, logging, and construction	580	590	600	-10	-20
Mining and logging	210	210	220	0	-10
Construction	370	380	380	-10	-10
Manufacturing	1,490	1,500	1,580	-10	-90
Durable goods	380	380	410	0	-30
Wood product manufacturing	320	330	330	-10	-10
Nondurable goods	1,110	1,120	1,170	-10	-60
Food manufacturing	1,020	1,030	1,090	-10	-70
Trade, transportation, and utilities	1,360	1,380	1,480	-20	-120
Retail trade	1,020	1,040	1,100	-20	-80
Information	50	50	60	0	-10
Financial activities	280	280	300	0	-20
Professional and business services	360	370	400	-10	-40
Education and health services	1,150	1,120	1,260	30	-110
Leisure and hospitality	1,450	1,460	1,730	-10	-280
Accommodation and food services	1,390	1,390	1,670	0	-280
Accommodation	540	560	630	-20	-90
Food services and drinking places	850	830	1,040	20	-190
Other services	300	330	360	-30	-60
Government	1,830	1,800	1,920	30	-90
Federal government	160	170	140	-10	20
State government	340	340	350	0	-10
Local government	1,330	1,290	1,430	40	-100
Local education	590	550	650	40	-60
Local government excluding educational services	740	740	780	0	-40

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 2020</u>	<u>August 2020</u>	<u>September 2019</u>
United States	7.9	8.4	3.5
State of Oregon	8.0	8.5	3.5
<u>Metropolitan Statistical Areas:</u>			
Albany (Linn County)	8.1	8.1	4.0
Bend-Redmond (Deschutes County)	7.5	8.4	3.5
Corvallis (Benton County)	5.6	6.1	2.8
Eugene (Lane County)	8.4	8.6	3.6
Grants Pass (Josephine County)	8.2	8.9	4.6
Medford (Jackson County)	8.7	8.7	4.0
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro (2)	8.0	8.9	3.4
Salem (Marion and Polk counties)	7.8	7.9	3.8
<u>Counties (1):</u>			
Baker	7.6	8.1	4.2
Benton	5.6	6.1	2.8
Clackamas	7.6	8.1	3.2
Clatsop	8.3	9.3	3.4
Columbia	8.0	8.5	4.2
Coos	8.8	9.0	4.4
Crook	9.1	9.7	4.8
Curry	9.0	9.6	4.7
Deschutes	7.5	8.4	3.5
Douglas	7.9	7.7	4.5
Gilliam	6.3	6.5	3.6
Grant	8.7	9.1	5.9
Harney	6.9	7.0	4.5
Hood River	6.2	6.9	2.7
Jackson	8.7	8.7	4.0
Jefferson	8.5	9.6	4.5
Josephine	8.2	8.9	4.6
Klamath	8.6	9.2	5.8
Lake	6.6	6.6	4.7
Lane	8.4	8.6	3.6
Lincoln	10.6	11.4	4.0
Linn	8.1	8.1	4.0
Malheur	6.0	6.1	3.8
Marion	7.4	7.5	3.7
Morrow	5.3	5.5	3.7
Multnomah	9.5	10.6	3.0
Polk	7.1	7.2	3.9
Sherman	6.8	7.2	3.3
Tillamook	8.1	8.2	3.6
Umatilla	6.2	7.1	4.1
Union	6.9	7.6	4.3
Wallowa	7.7	7.9	5.3
Wasco	6.7	7.5	3.8
Washington	6.6	7.3	2.9
Wheeler	4.4	4.4	4.0
Yamhill	6.7	7.2	3.2

(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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