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Employment in Yamhill County: July 2019

Yamhill County's Unemployment Rate at 3.6 Percent

Yamhill County's unemployment rate remained at 3.6 percent in July, unchanged from its June revised rate of 3.6 percent. Oregon's statewide unemployment rate was 4.0 percent in July, unchanged from its revised June rate of 4.0 percent.

Yamhill County's employment losses in July were less than normal; total nonfarm employment decreased 540 jobs, when a decrease of roughly 720 jobs would be expected. Seasonally adjusted employment increased 180 between June and July. Yamhill County's employment level was 3,030, or 9.5 percent, above its pre-recession employment peak in August 2007.

Yamhill County's employment increased 490 over the past year, a 1.5 percent growth rate. Oregon's job growth over the past year was 2.1 percent and the U.S. grew 1.5 percent.

Yamhill County's private-sector employment was up 470 over the past year. Public-sector employment was up 20 over the past 12 months.

The fastest-growing private-sector industries over the past year included: professional and business services (+140 jobs, or 6.9%); education and health services (+190 jobs, or 2.9%); and manufacturing (+110 jobs, or 1.6%).

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



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Yamhill County Current Labor Force and Industry Employment

	--Change From--				
	July 2019	June 2019	July 2018	June 2019	July 2018
Labor Force Status					
Civilian labor force	55,788	54,878	55,433	910	355
Unemployed	2,207	2,046	2,231	161	-24
Unemployment rate	4.0%	3.7%	4.0%	0.3	0.0
<i>Unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)</i>	3.6%	3.6%	3.8%	0.0	-0.2
Employed	53,581	52,832	53,202	749	379
Nonfarm Payroll Employment					
Total nonfarm employment	33,630	34,170	33,140	-540	490
<i>Total nonfarm employment (seasonally adjusted)</i>	34,940	34,760	34,430	180	510
Total private	29,680	29,610	29,210	70	470
Mining, logging, and construction	2,300	2,210	2,350	90	-50
Mining and logging	200	190	220	10	-20
Construction	2,100	2,020	2,130	80	-30
Manufacturing	7,090	6,980	6,980	110	110
Trade, transportation, and utilities	4,880	4,890	4,890	-10	-10
Wholesale trade	640	640	660	0	-20
Retail trade	3,740	3,700	3,790	40	-50
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	610	610	640	0	-30
Food and beverage stores	960	940	970	20	-10
General merchandise stores	690	680	720	10	-30
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	500	550	440	-50	60
Information	240	230	230	10	10
Financial activities	1,210	1,210	1,240	0	-30
Professional and business services	2,160	2,100	2,020	60	140
Education and health services	6,750	6,990	6,560	-240	190
Educational services	1,820	1,980	1,740	-160	80
Health care and social assistance	4,930	5,010	4,820	-80	110
Leisure and hospitality	3,920	3,840	3,880	80	40
Other services	1,130	1,160	1,060	-30	70
Government	3,950	4,560	3,930	-610	20
Federal government	440	450	440	-10	0
State government	240	240	210	0	30
Local government	3,270	3,870	3,280	-600	-10
Local education	1,600	2,210	1,610	-610	-10
Local government excluding educational services	1,670	1,660	1,670	10	0

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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