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Employment in Yamhill County: July 2020

Yamhill County's Unemployment Rate Declines to 9.0 Percent

Yamhill County's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 9.0 percent in July, down from its revised rate of 10.0 percent in June. Oregon's statewide unemployment rate in July was 10.4 percent, down from its revised June rate of 11.6 percent.

Yamhill County's employment losses in July were slightly larger than normal; total nonfarm employment decreased 620 jobs, when an employment loss of 590 jobs would be expected. As a result, seasonally adjusted employment decreased 30 jobs, or 0.1 percent, between June and July. Employment remains 9.9 percent, or 3,480 jobs, below the level in February, after sharp job losses in March and April.

Trade, transportation, and utilities (-70 jobs, -1.5%) and private educational services (-280 jobs, -4.1%) were the two industries in the private sector showing the largest employment declines in July.

Most private-sector industries added employment in July. Construction added 60 jobs for a 3.2 percent increase over the month. Professional and business services employment grew 90 in July, a monthly gain of 4.6 percent.

Yamhill County's public sector shed 420 jobs in July, all within local government. Local government education shed 460 jobs in July while local government excluding education services gained 30 jobs during the month.

Next Press Releases

The Oregon Employment Department plans to release the August county and metropolitan area unemployment rates on Tuesday, September 22 and the statewide unemployment rate and employment survey data on Tuesday, September 15.



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Yamhill County Current Labor Force and Industry Employment

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	July 2020	June 2020	July 2019	June 2020	July 2019
Labor Force Status					
Civilian labor force	53,989	55,957	55,715	-1,968	-1,726
Unemployed	5,022	5,734	2,099	-712	2,923
Unemployment rate	9.3%	10.2%	3.8%	-0.9	5.5
<i>Unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)</i>	<i>9.0%</i>	<i>10.0%</i>	<i>3.5%</i>	<i>-1.0</i>	<i>5.5</i>
Employed	48,967	50,223	53,616	-1,256	-4,649
Nonfarm Payroll Employment					
Total nonfarm employment	30,510	31,130	33,930	-620	-3,420
<i>Total nonfarm employment (seasonally adjusted)</i>	<i>31,660</i>	<i>31,690</i>	<i>35,210</i>	<i>-30</i>	<i>-3,550</i>
Total private	26,630	26,830	29,970	-200	-3,340
Mining, logging, and construction	2,080	2,020	2,380	60	-300
Mining and logging	140	140	180	0	-40
Construction	1,940	1,880	2,200	60	-260
Manufacturing	6,250	6,210	7,150	40	-900
Trade, transportation, and utilities	4,570	4,640	4,790	-70	-220
Wholesale trade	610	610	620	0	-10
Retail trade	3,470	3,490	3,690	-20	-220
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	530	530	610	0	-80
Food and beverage stores	920	940	950	-20	-30
General merchandise stores	740	750	690	-10	50
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	490	540	480	-50	10
Information	200	200	240	0	-40
Financial activities	1,110	1,110	1,190	0	-80
Professional and business services	2,030	1,940	2,140	90	-110
Education and health services	6,570	6,850	6,940	-280	-370
Educational services	1,790	1,970	2,000	-180	-210
Health care and social assistance	4,780	4,880	4,940	-100	-160
Leisure and hospitality	2,860	2,880	4,010	-20	-1,150
Other services	960	980	1,130	-20	-170
Government	3,880	4,300	3,960	-420	-80
Federal government	450	440	440	10	10
State government	230	230	260	0	-30
Local government	3,200	3,630	3,260	-430	-60
Local education	1,610	2,070	1,580	-460	30
Local government excluding educational services	1,590	1,560	1,680	30	-90

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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