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## **Employment in Yamhill County: July 2021**

### **Yamhill County's Unemployment Rate Decreases to 5.0%**

Yamhill County's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 5.0% in July, down from its revised rate of 5.4% in June. Oregon's statewide unemployment rate in July was 5.2%, down from its revised June rate of 5.6%.

Yamhill County's employment losses in July were smaller than normal; total nonfarm employment decreased 240 jobs, when an employment loss of 620 jobs would be expected. As a result, seasonally adjusted employment increased by 380 jobs between June and July. Employment remains 3.0%, or 1,070 jobs, below the pre-pandemic level in February 2020.

Manufacturing (+110 jobs, 1.7%), leisure and hospitality (+80, 2.5%), and professional and business services (+80, 3.6%) were the three industries in the private sector showing the largest employment gains in July.

Private educational and health services (-140 jobs, -2.0%); transportation, warehousing, and utilities (-50, -9.8%); and other services (-20, -1.8%) were the three industries with employment losses in July.

Yamhill County's public sector shed 440 jobs in July. Local government employment declined 460 with the beginning of summer break. State and federal government employment each increased by 10 in July.

### **Next Press Releases**

The Oregon Employment Department plans to release the August county and metropolitan area unemployment rates on Tuesday, Sep. 21 and the statewide unemployment rate and employment survey data on Tuesday, Sep. 14.



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### Yamhill County Current Labor Force and Industry Employment

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	July 2021	June 2021	July 2020	June 2021	July 2020
<b>Labor Force Status</b>					
Civilian labor force	56,674	56,026	52,710	648	3,964
Unemployed	2,489	2,682	4,673	-193	-2,184
Unemployment rate	4.4%	4.8%	8.9%	-0.4	-4.5
<i>Unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)</i>	<i>5.0%</i>	<i>5.4%</i>	<i>8.5%</i>	<i>-0.4</i>	<i>-3.5</i>
Employed	54,185	53,344	48,037	841	6,148
<b>Nonfarm Payroll Employment</b>					
Total nonfarm employment	32,930	33,170	31,040	-240	1,890
<i>Total nonfarm employment (seasonally adjusted)</i>	<i>34,150</i>	<i>33,770</i>	<i>32,190</i>	<i>380</i>	<i>1,960</i>
Total private	29,020	28,820	27,340	200	1,680
Mining, logging, and construction	2,140	2,060	2,100	80	40
Mining and logging	130	120	120	10	10
Construction	2,010	1,940	1,980	70	30
Manufacturing	6,530	6,420	6,270	110	260
Trade, transportation, and utilities	5,110	5,140	4,770	-30	340
Wholesale trade	790	780	670	10	120
Retail trade	3,860	3,850	3,660	10	200
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	600	590	540	10	60
Food and beverage stores	1,090	1,060	990	30	100
General merchandise stores	750	740	770	10	-20
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	460	510	440	-50	20
Information	270	260	240	10	30
Financial activities	1,250	1,220	1,190	30	60
Professional and business services	2,330	2,250	1,950	80	380
Education and health services	7,010	7,150	6,580	-140	430
Educational services	1,740	1,820	1,340	-80	400
Health care and social assistance	5,270	5,330	5,240	-60	30
Leisure and hospitality	3,280	3,200	3,230	80	50
Other services	1,100	1,120	1,010	-20	90
Government	3,910	4,350	3,700	-440	210
Federal government	470	460	450	10	20
State government	260	250	220	10	40
Local government	3,180	3,640	3,030	-460	150
Local education	1,620	2,070	1,610	-450	10
Local government excluding educational services	1,560	1,570	1,420	-10	140

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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