Regional Solution Team
Workforce Pandemic Recovery Update-
SouthCoast
6-28-23
Have you been asked to participate in a Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) Survey? Please do!

BLS survey information is gathered to create data for businesses, jobseekers, workers and policy-makers about the economy including:

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* Collected and produced by Oregon Employment Department

Your response is vital to ensuring accurate, complete, and unbiased data that is representative of the people and businesses in Oregon and the United States.

Your confidential responses are protected by federal and state law and strict security policies that prohibit us from releasing any information that could reveal the identity of you or your business without your consent.

Thank you for helping us track the Oregon economy!
Gross Domestic Product rose from $2.18 billion in 2020 to $2.29 billion in 2021 in Coos County.

Curry County Gross Domestic Product rose from $646.4 million to $709.6 million in 2021.

2021 Poverty Rate estimates –
U.S. = 12.8%
Oregon= 12.2%
Coos County=17.4%
Curry County=14.8%
Douglas County=16.5%
Unemployment rates are back to historically low levels in Southwestern Oregon.

[Graph showing unemployment rate over time for Oregon, Coos County, Curry County, and Douglas County.]

Source: Oregon Employment Department Qualityinfo.org
Coos County Labor Force Data

Source: Oregon Employment Department and the Bureau of Labor Statistics - Local Area Unemployment Statistics
Curry County Labor Force Data

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Most jobs have been added back that were lost during the pandemic in Coos County - (-2.2% below past peak)
COVID-19 Job Changes Compared to Great Recession Job Changes

by Area
Total Nonfarm, Curry County

Source: Oregon Employment Department QualityInfo.org
Douglas County down 2.2% from pre-pandemic peak in February 2020
Coos County Payroll Employment Change by Industry May 2019 - May 2023

Leisure and hospitality
Professional and business services
Other services
Wholesale trade
Retail trade
Indian tribal
Financial activities
Construction
Federal government
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities
Local government excluding education and tribal
State government
Food manufacturing
Information
Mining and logging
Local education
Local government
Wood product manufacturing
Total private
Government
Private education and health services
Manufacturing
Total nonfarm employment

Curry County Payroll Employment Change by Industry May 2019 - May 2023

Coos County Seasonally Adjusted Total Non-Farm Employment

Curry County Seasonally Adjusted Total Non-Farm Employment

South Coast County Direct Travel Spending ($million)

Source: Dean Runyan Associates and Oregon Tourism Commission
South Coast County Travel-Generated Employment

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