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Employment in South Coast: June 2024 **South Coast Employment Climbs in June**

Coos County total payroll employment increased by 60 jobs in June. Private-sector gains were small but noted in several industries. Those adding jobs included leisure and hospitality (+60); retail trade (+20); and professional and business services (+20). Private education and health services was the only industry posting a notable decline, down by 50 jobs. Government employment was little changed over the month. Gains of 20 jobs in Indian tribal local government, and state government were countered by 50 jobs lost in local government education over the month.

Since June 2023, Coos County has lost 310 payroll jobs, a decline of 1.3%. The largest job losses occurred in professional and business services, down by 200 jobs. Other industries with job losses included leisure and hospitality (-70); retail trade (-60); transportation, warehousing, and utilities (-50); other services (-30); information (-20); and construction (-20). Government employment rose by 80 jobs over the year with Indian tribal (+50), state government (+20), and federal government (+10) accounting for the gain.

Curry County payroll employment climbed by 100 jobs in June. Leisure and hospitality added 70 jobs. Trade, transportation, and utilities employment rose by 30 over the month. Government added 10 jobs in June.

Over the past year, Curry County lost 280 payroll employment jobs. Industries showing job losses since June 2023 included leisure and hospitality (-120) and retail trade (-80). Government employment fell by 10. A loss of 30 jobs in local government was mostly offset by a gain of 20 in state government.

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Coos County Current Labor Force and Industry Employment

	--Change From--				
	June 2024	May 2024	June 2023	May 2024	June 2023
Labor Force Status					
Civilian labor force	26,838	26,807	26,791	31	47
Unemployed	1,211	1,156	1,150	55	61
Unemployment rate	4.5%	4.3%	4.3%	0.2	0.2
<i>Unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)</i>	4.7%	4.8%	4.4%	-0.1	0.3
Employed	25,627	25,651	25,641	-24	-14
Nonfarm Payroll Employment					
Total nonfarm employment	23,380	23,320	23,690	60	-310
<i>Total nonfarm employment (seasonally adjusted)</i>	23,110	23,140	23,420	-30	-310
Total private	17,530	17,460	17,920	70	-390
Mining, logging, and construction	1,480	1,460	1,490	20	-10
Mining and logging	370	360	360	10	10
Construction	1,110	1,100	1,130	10	-20
Manufacturing	1,480	1,480	1,480	0	0
Wood product manufacturing	730	740	730	-10	0
Food manufacturing	300	300	270	0	30
Trade, transportation, and utilities	4,280	4,260	4,400	20	-120
Wholesale trade	480	480	490	0	-10
Retail trade	2,960	2,940	3,020	20	-60
Food and beverage retailers	860	860	890	0	-30
General merchandise retailers	720	720	740	0	-20
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	840	840	890	0	-50
Information	130	130	150	0	-20
Financial activities	870	870	860	0	10
Professional and business services	2,340	2,320	2,540	20	-200
Private education and health services	3,260	3,310	3,210	-50	50
Leisure and hospitality	3,140	3,080	3,210	60	-70
Other services	550	550	580	0	-30
Government	5,850	5,860	5,770	-10	80
Federal government	330	320	320	10	10
State government	470	450	450	20	20
Local government	5,050	5,090	5,000	-40	50
Indian tribal	910	890	860	20	50
Local education	1,710	1,760	1,710	-50	0
Local government excluding education and tribal	2,430	2,440	2,430	-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.



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	June 2024	May 2024	June 2023	May 2024	June 2023
Labor Force Status					
Civilian labor force	9,059	8,945	9,159	114	-100
Unemployed	432	424	365	8	67
Unemployment rate	4.8%	4.7%	4.0%	0.1	0.8
<i>Unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)</i>	5.3%	5.3%	4.4%	0.0	0.9
Employed	8,627	8,521	8,794	106	-167
Nonfarm Payroll Employment					
Total nonfarm employment	6,720	6,620	7,000	100	-280
<i>Total nonfarm employment (seasonally adjusted)</i>	6,570	6,570	6,850	0	-280
Total private	5,410	5,320	5,680	90	-270
Mining, logging, and construction	500	490	510	10	-10
Mining and logging	120	110	120	10	0
Construction	380	380	390	0	-10
Manufacturing	630	640	620	-10	10
Wood product manufacturing	510	510	490	0	20
Trade, transportation, and utilities	1,260	1,230	1,400	30	-140
Retail trade	1,000	990	1,080	10	-80
Information	40	50	50	-10	-10
Financial activities	330	330	320	0	10
Professional and business services	330	330	330	0	0
Private education and health services	800	800	810	0	-10
Health care	560	560	560	0	0
Leisure and hospitality	1,330	1,260	1,450	70	-120
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	40	30	50	10	-10
Accommodation and food services	1,290	1,230	1,400	60	-110
Other services	190	190	190	0	0
Government	1,310	1,300	1,320	10	-10
Federal government	110	100	110	10	0
State government	150	140	130	10	20
Local government	1,050	1,060	1,080	-10	-30
Local education	350	360	360	-10	-10
Local government excluding educational services	700	700	720	0	-20

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