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Employment in Yamhill County: November 2021

Yamhill County's Unemployment Rate Decreases to 3.8%

Yamhill County's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 3.8% in November, down from its revised rate of 4.1% in October. Oregon's statewide unemployment rate in November was 4.2%, down from its revised October rate of 4.4%.

Yamhill County's employment losses in November were smaller than normal; total nonfarm employment decreased 100 jobs, when an employment decrease of 230 jobs would be expected. As a result, seasonally adjusted employment increased by 130 jobs between October and November. Employment remains 1.4%, or 480 jobs, below the pre-pandemic level in February 2020.

Retail trade (+40 jobs, +1.1%); and private education and health services (+40, +0.5%) were the industries with the most employment gains in November.

Those gains were offset by losses in manufacturing (-90 jobs, -1.3%); construction (-70 jobs, -3.4%); and professional and business services (-60, -2.6%).

Yamhill County's public sector added 50 jobs in November. Local government employment added 50 in November. State government and federal government employment were both unchanged in November.

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The Oregon Employment Department plans to release the December county and metropolitan area unemployment rates on Tuesday, Jan. 25 and the statewide unemployment rate and employment survey data on Tuesday, Jan 19.



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Yamhill County Current Labor Force and Industry Employment

			--Change From--		
	November 2021	October 2021	November 2020	October 2021	November 2020
Labor Force Status					
Civilian labor force	56,140	56,404	54,640	-264	1,500
Unemployed	1,669	1,762	2,962	-93	-1,293
Unemployment rate	3.0%	3.1%	5.4%	-0.1	-2.4
<i>Unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)</i>	3.8%	4.1%	5.8%	-0.3	-2.0
Employed	54,471	54,642	51,678	-171	2,793
Nonfarm Payroll Employment					
Total nonfarm employment	35,530	35,630	33,030	-100	2,500
<i>Total nonfarm employment (seasonally adjusted)</i>	34,740	34,610	32,290	130	2,450
Total private	30,910	31,060	28,760	-150	2,150
Mining, logging, and construction	2,070	2,140	1,980	-70	90
Mining and logging	110	110	130	0	-20
Construction	1,960	2,030	1,850	-70	110
Manufacturing	6,810	6,900	6,350	-90	460
Trade, transportation, and utilities	5,090	5,070	4,890	20	200
Wholesale trade	750	770	670	-20	80
Retail trade	3,820	3,780	3,720	40	100
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	600	600	590	0	10
Food and beverage stores	1,040	1,030	1,000	10	40
General merchandise stores	750	750	740	0	10
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	520	520	500	0	20
Information	330	320	260	10	70
Financial activities	1,270	1,280	1,200	-10	70
Professional and business services	2,210	2,270	2,060	-60	150
Education and health services	8,510	8,470	7,640	40	870
Educational services	3,170	3,120	2,290	50	880
Health care and social assistance	5,340	5,350	5,350	-10	-10
Leisure and hospitality	3,460	3,450	3,320	10	140
Other services	1,160	1,160	1,060	0	100
Government	4,620	4,570	4,270	50	350
Federal government	460	460	450	0	10
State government	250	250	230	0	20
Local government	3,910	3,860	3,590	50	320
Local education	2,350	2,310	2,020	40	330
Local government excluding educational services	1,560	1,550	1,570	10	-10

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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