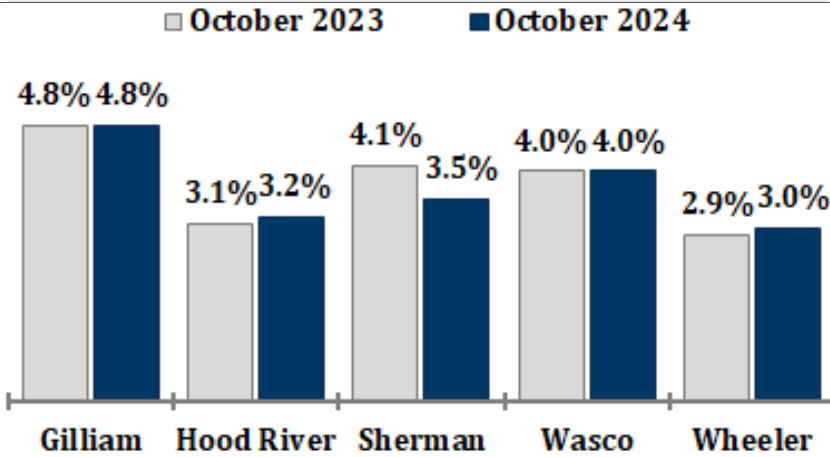




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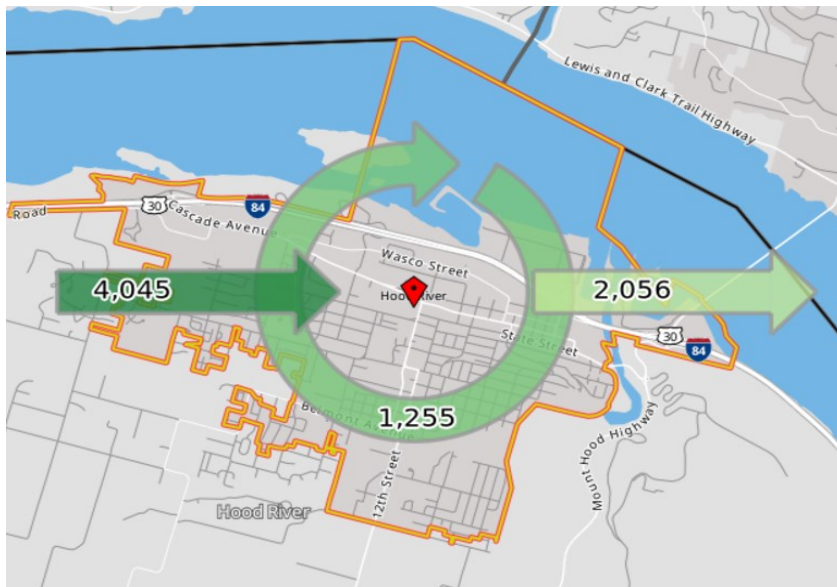
October 2024 Data

Local Area Unemployment Rates (Seasonally adjusted)



Graph of the Month (City of Hood River) Commuting Patterns, 2022

Source: Oregon Employment Department, U.S. Census Bureau OnTheMap Data



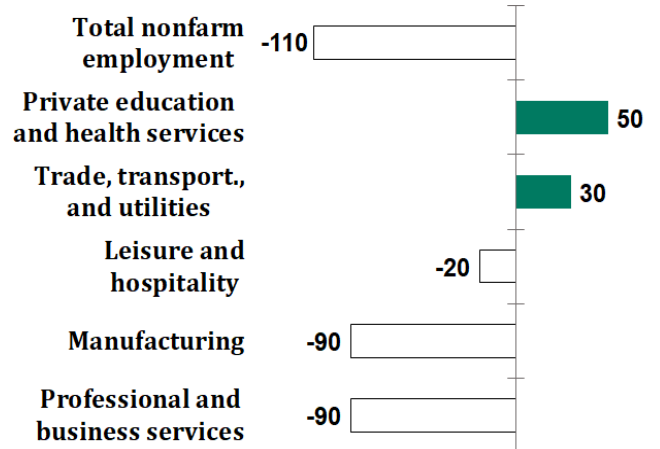
According to the most recent U.S. Census Bureau OnTheMap data, 62.1% (2,056) of workers living in Hood River in 2022 commuted outside of the city to work. This is similar to previous years, 62.3% (2,020) in 2021 and 61.8% (1,944) in 2020.

Comparatively, 76.3% (4,045) of individuals employed in Hood River commuted into the city for work in 2022. This number was as high as 78.4% (4,350) in 2019. It has stayed relatively stable between 75-78% in recent years.

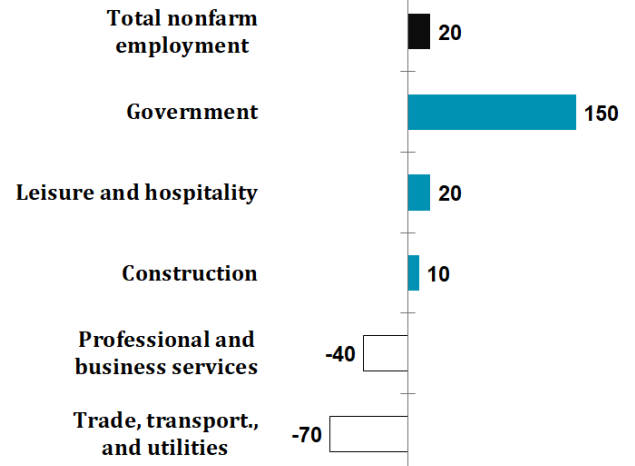
The percentage of workers who are both employed and living in Hood River is 23.7% (1,255). This number has remained steady in recent years, however it reached a high of 29.5% (1,087) in 2002, and a low of 21.6% (1,196) in 2019.

Select Industry Gains and Losses (Over-the-year net employment change)

Hood River County



Wasco County



Notable Over-the-Year Changes

Gilliam

- Total nonfarm employment (+60)
- Government (-5)
- Trade, transportation, and utilities (-15)

Sherman

- Total nonfarm employment (-15)
- Trade, transportation, and utilities (+10)
- Local government (-5)

Wheeler

- Total nonfarm employment (+15)
- Trade, transportation, and utilities (+10)
- State government (-5)

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