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## **Employment in Yamhill County: July 2023**

### **Yamhill County's Unemployment Rate Decreases to 3.3%**

Yamhill County's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 3.3% in July, down from its revised rate of 3.4% in June. Oregon's statewide unemployment rate in July was 3.4%, down from its revised June rate of 3.5%.

Yamhill County's employment losses in July were smaller than normal; total nonfarm employment decreased 300 jobs, when an employment decrease of 400 jobs would be expected. As a result, seasonally adjusted employment was up 100 in July. Employment is 50 jobs (-0.1%) below the pre-pandemic level in February 2020.

The private sector added 320 jobs in July. Sectors adding the most employment in July were manufacturing (+120 jobs, +1.7%) and leisure and hospitality (+100 jobs, +2.6%).

The industries losing the most jobs were private education services (-70 jobs, -4.2%) and transportation, warehousing, and utilities (-50 jobs, -9.8%).

Yamhill County's public-sector employment was down 620 in July. Local government education employment decreased 610 as a result of the summer break. Federal government was unchanged and state government employment was down 10 in July.

### **Next Press Releases**

The Oregon Employment Department plans to release the August county and metropolitan area unemployment rates on Tuesday, Sep. 19 and the statewide unemployment rate and employment survey data will be released on Wednesday, Sep. 13.



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### Yamhill County Current Labor Force and Industry Employment

	--Change From--				
	July 2023	June 2023	July 2022	June 2023	July 2022
<b>Labor Force Status</b>					
Civilian labor force	56,263	55,836	56,964	427	-701
Unemployed	2,023	1,942	2,343	81	-320
Unemployment rate	3.6%	3.5%	4.1%	0.1	-0.5
<i>Unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)</i>	3.3%	3.4%	3.8%	-0.1	-0.5
Employed	54,240	53,894	54,621	346	-381
<b>Nonfarm Payroll Employment</b>					
Total nonfarm employment	34,500	34,800	34,410	-300	90
Total nonfarm employment (seasonally adjusted)	35,330	35,230	35,250	100	80
Total private	30,560	30,240	30,610	320	-50
Mining and logging	90	90	110	0	-20
Mining, logging, and construction	2,170	2,100	2,230	70	-60
Construction	2,080	2,010	2,120	70	-40
Manufacturing	7,030	6,910	7,340	120	-310
Trade, transportation, and utilities	5,100	5,110	5,010	-10	90
Wholesale trade	720	720	720	0	0
Retail trade	3,920	3,880	3,840	40	80
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	650	640	660	10	-10
Food and beverage retailers	980	970	970	10	10
General merchandise retailers	740	740	710	0	30
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	460	510	450	-50	10
Information	250	250	280	0	-30
Financial activities	1,290	1,270	1,380	20	-90
Professional and business services	2,320	2,250	2,370	70	-50
Private education and health services	7,160	7,230	6,940	-70	220
Private educational services	1,600	1,670	1,630	-70	-30
Health care and social assistance	5,560	5,560	5,310	0	250
Leisure and hospitality	3,890	3,790	3,900	100	-10
Other services	1,350	1,330	1,160	20	190
Government	3,940	4,560	3,800	-620	140
Federal government	430	430	430	0	0
State government	220	230	220	-10	0
Local government	3,290	3,900	3,150	-610	140
Local education	1,600	2,210	1,550	-610	50
Local government excluding educational services	1,690	1,690	1,600	0	90

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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