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Employment in Yamhill County: June 2024

Yamhill County's Unemployment Rate Edges Down to 3.7%

Yamhill County's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 3.7% in June, edging down from its revised rate of 3.8% in May. Oregon's statewide unemployment rate in June was 4.1%, down from its revised May rate of 4.2%.

Yamhill County's employment losses in June were more than normal; total nonfarm employment decreased 800 jobs, when an employment decrease of 700 jobs would be expected. As a result, seasonally adjusted employment was down 100 in June. Employment is 670 jobs (+1.9%) above the pre-pandemic level in February 2020.

The private sector shed 780 jobs in June. The largest industry employment loss in June was in private educational services, which shed 950 jobs. The decline in educational services is a normal seasonal trend.

The largest industry employment gains in June were reported in construction (+50 jobs, +2.3%); leisure and hospitality (+50 jobs, +1.3%), and manufacturing (+50 jobs, +0.8%).

Yamhill County's public-sector employment was down 20 in June. Local government was down 20 jobs. Federal government and state government employment were both unchanged in June.

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The Oregon Employment Department plans to release the July county and metropolitan area unemployment rates on Tuesday, August 20 and the statewide unemployment rate and employment survey data on Wednesday, August 14.



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Yamhill County Current Labor Force and Industry Employment

				Change From	
	June	May	June	May	June
	2024	2024	2023	2024	2023
Labor Force Status					
Civilian labor force	56,305	56,296	56,058	9	247
Unemployed	2,023	1,902	2,014	121	9
Unemployment rate	3.6%	3.4%	3.6%	0.2	0.0
Unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)	3.7%	3.8%	3.3%	-0.1	0.4
Employed	54,282	54,394	54,044	-112	238
Nonfarm Payroll Employment					
Total nonfarm employment	35,560	36,360	35,580	-800	-20
Total nonfarm employment (seasonally adjusted)	36,050	36,150	36,090	-100	-40
Total private	30,890	31,670	30,970	-780	-80
Mining, logging, and construction	2,280	2,220	2,190	60	90
Mining and logging	100	90	90	10	10
Construction	2,180	2,130	2,100	50	80
Manufacturing	6,650	6,600	7,020	50	-370
Trade, transportation, and utilities	5,080	5,050	5,100	30	-20
Wholesale trade	770	760	710	10	60
Retail trade	3,820	3,800	3,870	20	-50
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	680	680	660	0	20
Food and beverage retailers	940	940	1,000	0	-60
General merchandise retailers	680	670	710	10	-30
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	490	490	520	0	-30
Information	280	280	270	0	10
Financial activities	1,250	1,240	1,290	10	-40
Professional and business services	2,280	2,310	2,340	-30	-60
Private education and health services	8,030	9,000	7,680	-970	350
Private educational services	1,760	2,710	1,760	-950	0
Health care and social assistance	6,270	6,290	5,920	-20	350
Leisure and hospitality	3,850	3,800	3,880	50	-30
Other services	1,190	1,170	1,200	20	-10
Government	4,670	4,690	4,610	-20	60
Federal government	450	450	430	0	20
State government	250	250	240	0	10
Local government	3,970	3,990	3,940	-20	30
Local education	2,270	2,310	2,210	-40	60
Local government excluding educational services	1,700	1,680	1,730	20	-30

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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