

LABOR MARKET OVERVIEW

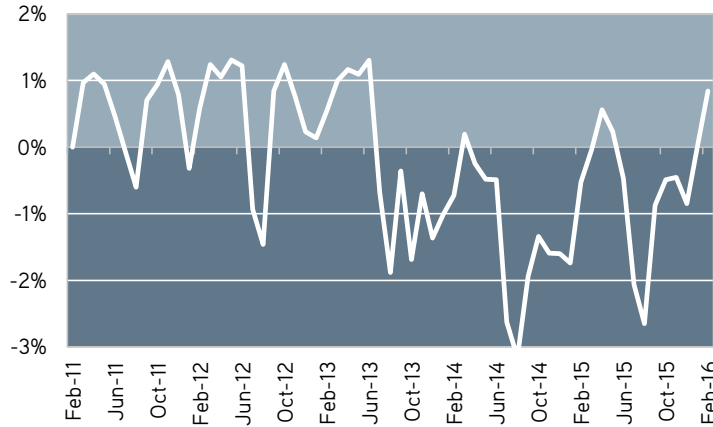
Cumberland Workforce Development Board

April 2016

Regional Labor Market Snapshot

5-Year Percent Change in Employment*

Cumberland Region



Trending

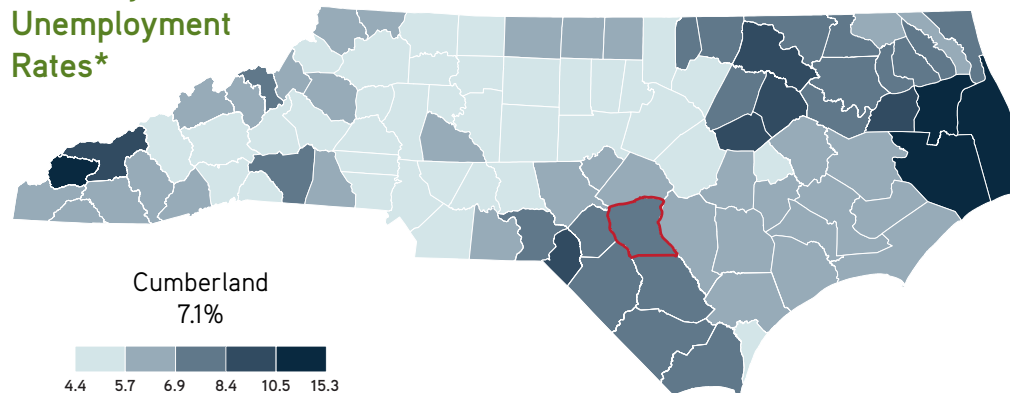
UNEMPLOYMENT*

February 2016

Cumberland Total = 9,110

	Current	Previous
Region	7.1%	7.1%
NC	5.7%	5.7%
US	5.2%	5.3%

February 2016 Unemployment Rates*



REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT*

Cumberland Total = 119,090

969 More People Working
in February than previous month

1,616 More People Working
than same period one year ago

METRO JOB GROWTH*

Fayetteville Total = 127,900

100 More Jobs
in February than previous month

1,600 More Jobs
than same period one year ago

Community Investment Report Top Announced Projects 4th Quarter 2015

County	Company	Announced Jobs
Cumberland	M.J. Soffe	50

Who's Hiring

past 90 days from April 8, 2016

• General Dynamics	199
• Department of Veterans Affairs	105
• Soliant	101
• Army	98

What Jobs

past 90 days from April 8, 2016

• Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	422
• Registered Nurses	408
• Network & Computer Systems Admin.	244
• Retail Salespersons	240

Source: The Conference Board Help Wanted Online

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*February 2016 data are preliminary, while all other data have undergone annual revision. All data produced in this publication are generated by LEAD unless otherwise stated.

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TAXABLE RETAIL SALES

Cumberland Total = \$378,479,142

4% Higher
than same period one year ago

Source: NC Dept. of Revenue
Note: February 2016 data most current available at time of release.

ONLINE JOB ADS

7,685 Online Advertised Vacancies
over past 90 days

3,489 Fewer Vacancies
than same period one year ago

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