# LABOR MARKET OVERVIEW

Cumberland Workforce Development Board

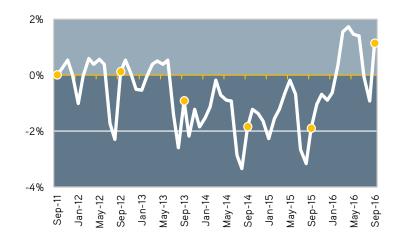
## November 2016

# Regional Labor Market Snapshot

5-Year Percent Change in Number Employed\*

# Cumberland Region

Source: LAUS, Labor & Economic Analysis, NC Dept. of Commerce



# **Trending**

## **UNEMPLOYMENT\***

September 2016 Cumberland Total = 7,699

	Current	Previous
Region	6.0%	6.3%
NC	4.8%	5.0%
US	4.8%	5.0%

# September 2016 Unemployment Rates\*

# Cumberland 6.0%

#### **REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT\***

Cumberland Total = 120,186

**2,437 More People Working** in September than previous month

3,606 More People Working than same period one year ago

### **METRO JOB GROWTH\***

Fayetteville Total = 130,100

1,700 More Jobs in September than previous month

2,700 More Jobs

than same period one year ago

# Who's Hiring

past 90 days from Oct. 26, 2016

•	General Dynamics
•	CACI
•	Department of Veterans Affairs
•	Booz Allen Hamilton

- Army Medical Command
- Compass Group
- ,
- Cape Fear Valley Health System

Source: The Conference Board Help Wanted Online

### What Jobs

past 90 days from Oct. 26, 2016

,	•	Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	429
,	•	Registered Nurses	366
1	•	Computer User Support Specialists	268
	•	Network & Computer Systems Admin.	247
	•	Retail Salespersons	227
	•	First-Line Supervisors, Retail Sales	180
;	•	Maintenance & Repair Workers	128
	•	Customer Service Representatives	102

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\*September 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 = \$322,051,990

5% Higher

than same period one year ago

Source: NC Dept. of Revenue Note: August 2016 data most current

## **ONLINE JOB ADS**

**7,489 Online Advertised Vacancies** over past 90 days

**3,313 Fewer Vacancies** than same period one year ago

Source: The Conference Board Help Wanted Online