LABOR MARKET OVERVIEW

Cumberland Workforce Development Board

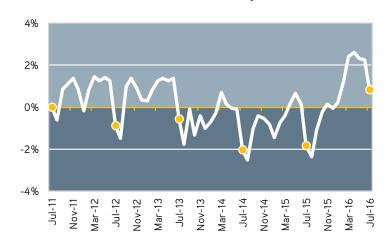
September 2016

Regional Labor Market Snapshot

5-Year Percent Change in Number Employed*

Cumberland Region

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

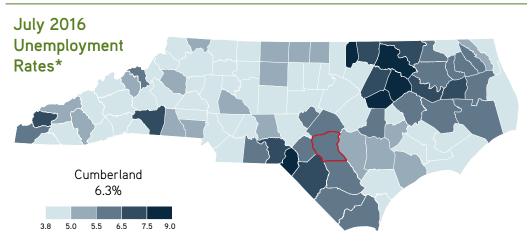


Trending

UNEMPLOYMENT*

July 2016 Cumberland Total = 8,030

	Current	Previous
Region	6.3%	6.4%
NC	5.0%	5.1%
US	5.1%	5.1%



REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT*

Cumberland Total = 118,822

1,677 Fewer People Working in July than previous month3,130 More People Working

than same period one year ago

METRO JOB GROWTH*

Fayetteville Total = 126,300

4,000 Fewer Jobs
in July than previous month
2,700 More Jobs

than same period one year ago

Employment & Wages by Supersector 1st Quarter 2016

	Establishments	Avg. Employment	Avg. Weekly Wage
Natural Resources & Mining	30	253	\$497.07
Construction	503	4,015	\$827.07
Manufacturing	112	6,348	\$1,141.68
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	1,445	23,928	\$591.29
Information	67	1,308	\$838.26
Financial Activities	662	3,461	\$881.58
Professional & Business Services	1,057	12,700	\$756.16
Education & Health Services	980	35,610	\$834.03
Leisure & Hospitality Services	748	14,976	\$271.25
Other Services	608	2,979	\$558.83
Public Administration	54	13,478	\$1,140.96

^{*}July 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 = \$318,343,247

1% Higher

than same period one year ago

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

ONLINE JOB ADS

7,649 Online Advertised Vacancies over past 90 days

3,975 Fewer Vacancies than same period one year ago

Source: The Conference Board Help Wanted Online