

LABOR MARKET OVERVIEW



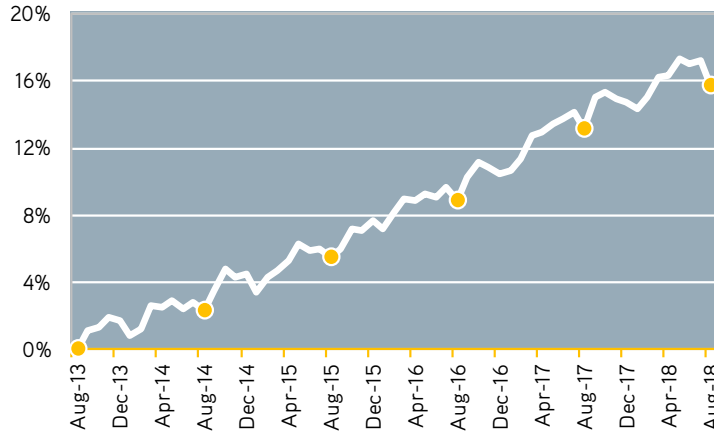
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October 2018

Regional Labor Market Snapshot

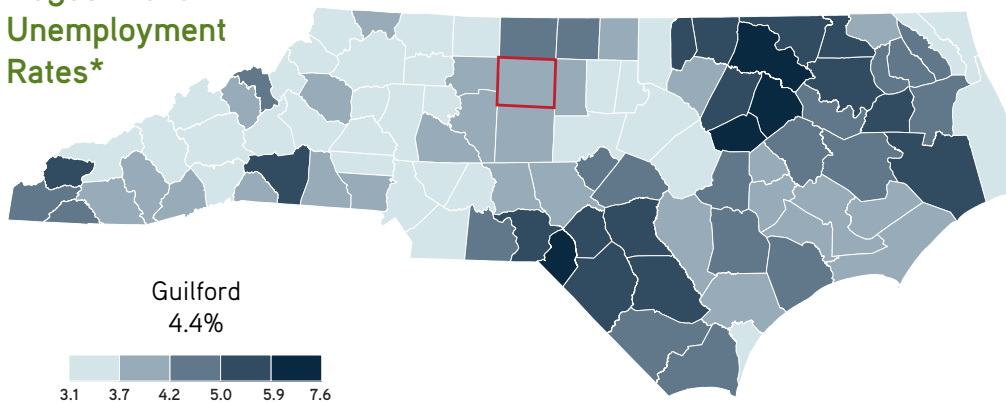
5-Year Percent Change in Number Employed*



Guilford Region

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

August 2018 Unemployment Rates*



Trending

UNEMPLOYMENT*

August 2018

Guilford Total = 11,619

	Current	Previous
Region	4.4%	4.5%
NC	4.1%	4.2%
US	4.1%	4.2%



REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT*

Guilford Total = 251,527

60 Fewer People Working
in August than previous month

4,273 More People Working
than same period one year ago

METRO JOB GROWTH*

Greensboro-High Point
Total = 358,200

5,700 Fewer Jobs
in August than previous month

6,500 More Jobs
than same period one year ago

Employment & Wages by Supersector 1st Quarter 2018

	Establishments	Avg. Employment	Avg. Weekly Wage
Natural Resources & Mining	50	330	\$693.39
Construction	1,178	11,649	\$1,007.38
Manufacturing	701	34,329	\$1,263.25
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	3,623	64,649	\$856.28
Information	196	4,314	\$1,617.86
Financial Activities	1,574	16,270	\$1,622.74
Professional & Business Services	2,841	42,200	\$1,081.47
Education & Health Services	1,644	60,092	\$887.75
Leisure & Hospitality Services	1,386	28,972	\$334.10
Other Services	1,196	6,745	\$671.12
Public Administration	60	10,335	\$899.89

*August 2018 data are preliminary, previous month's data are revised 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

Guilford Total = \$627,301,558

1.3% Higher
than same period one year ago

Source: NC Dept. of Revenue
Note: August 2018 data most current available at time of release.

ONLINE JOB ADS

13,750 Online Advertised Vacancies
over past 90 days

984 Fewer Vacancies
than same period one year ago

Source: The Conference Board Help Wanted Online