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**TABLE 1  
JEFFERSON COUNTY LABOR MARKET AREA**

**TOTAL CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT, AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE  
BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE<sup>1</sup>**

TIME PERIOD	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT <sup>2</sup>	UNEMPLOY- MENT	RATE (%) <sup>3</sup>	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED <sup>4</sup>			
					LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT <sup>2</sup>	UNEMPLOY- MENT	RATE (%) <sup>3</sup>
February 2024	19,100	18,200	900	4.5	19,100	18,500	700	3.6
January	19,100	18,300	800	4.4	19,200	18,500	600	3.3
December 2023	18,700	18,000	700	3.6	18,900	18,200	700	3.6
February 2023	19,100	18,000	1,100	5.8	19,100	18,200	900	4.8

**SELECTED LABOR MARKET AREAS, PENNSYLVANIA, AND UNITED STATES  
February 2024**

AREA NAME	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT <sup>2</sup>	UNEMPLOY- MENT	RATE (%) <sup>3</sup>	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED <sup>4</sup>			
					LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT <sup>2</sup>	UNEMPLOY- MENT	RATE (%) <sup>3</sup>
Altoona MSA	59,400	57,400	2,000	3.4	59,200	57,400	1,800	3.0
Cameron County LMA	1,900	1,800	100	5.4	1,900	1,800	100	4.5
DuBois mSA	35,700	34,100	1,600	4.5	35,600	34,300	1,200	3.5
Oil City mSA	20,700	19,700	900	4.4	20,800	20,100	800	3.7
St Marys mSA	14,400	13,900	500	3.6	14,600	14,100	500	3.4
State College MSA	82,800	80,600	2,200	2.6	80,400	78,300	2,100	2.6
Tioga County LMA	18,600	17,800	800	4.2	18,800	18,200	600	3.4
Warren mSA	17,200	16,500	700	4.1	17,400	16,800	600	3.3
Wayne County LMA	23,000	21,800	1,200	5.0	23,300	22,500	900	3.7
<b>PENNSYLVANIA</b>	<b>6,568,000</b>	<b>6,331,000</b>	<b>237,000</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>6,558,000</b>	<b>6,338,000</b>	<b>220,000</b>	<b>3.4</b>
<b>UNITED STATES</b>	<b>167,285,000</b>	<b>160,315,000</b>	<b>6,970,000</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>167,426,000</b>	<b>160,968,000</b>	<b>6,458,000</b>	<b>3.9</b>

ALL STATEWIDE AND CURRENT YEAR DATA ARE ON 2023 BENCHMARK; ALL OTHER DATA ARE ON 2022 BENCHMARK.

SOURCE: Center for Workforce Information & Analysis (CWIA), Pennsylvania Department of Labor & Industry.

## FOOTNOTES

- 1) Estimate of workers by place of residence. These data are controlled to state Current Population Survey (CPS) data which adjusts for commuting and dual job-holding. Workers are counted where they live only once regardless of the number of jobs they may hold. All in-depth inquiries relative to the estimating methodology should be addressed to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor. All data are subject to revision during annual benchmarking.
- 2) Includes wage and salary workers (including agriculture), self-employed persons, and unpaid family workers (including agriculture), domestic workers, and persons involved in labor-management disputes.
- 3) Unemployed as percent of civilian labor force, computed using unrounded data.
- 4) Seasonally adjusted MSA level data (and their equivalent) is developed by the federal Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS); seasonal adjustment for all other sub-state areas are developed by CWIA.

TABLE 2

**JEFFERSON COUNTY LABOR MARKET AREA**

( Jefferson County )

**February 2024****NONFARM JOBS - NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

ESTABLISHMENT DATA	Industry Employment				Net Change From:	
	Feb 2024	Jan 2024	Dec 2023	Feb 2023	Jan 2024	Feb 2023
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	<b>14,700</b>	<b>14,700</b>	<b>14,800</b>	<b>15,200</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-500</b>
<b>Total Private</b>	<b>12,900</b>	<b>12,900</b>	<b>13,000</b>	<b>13,400</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-500</b>
<b>Goods-Producing</b>	<b>4,500</b>	<b>4,600</b>	<b>4,500</b>	<b>4,800</b>	<b>-100</b>	<b>-300</b>
Mining, Logging, and Construction	<b>800</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>900</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-100</b>
Manufacturing	<b>3,700</b>	<b>3,800</b>	<b>3,700</b>	<b>3,900</b>	<b>-100</b>	<b>-200</b>
<b>Service-Providing</b>	<b>10,200</b>	<b>10,100</b>	<b>10,300</b>	<b>10,400</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>-200</b>
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	<b>2,500</b>	<b>2,500</b>	<b>2,500</b>	<b>2,500</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	<b>600</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Trade	<b>1,900</b>	<b>1,900</b>	<b>1,900</b>	<b>1,900</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Education and Health Services	<b>2,300</b>	<b>2,300</b>	<b>2,300</b>	<b>2,400</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-100</b>
Leisure and Hospitality	<b>1,000</b>	<b>900</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>0</b>
Government	<b>1,800</b>	<b>1,800</b>	<b>1,800</b>	<b>1,800</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Local Government	<b>1,400</b>	<b>1,400</b>	<b>1,400</b>	<b>1,400</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Data benchmarked to March 2023	***Data changes of 100 may be due to rounding***					

*Note: Annual revisions to the historical (pre-2024) labor force series have not been completed and are not reflected in this news release. Historical labor force revisions are expected to be completed by the release of March data in late April 2024. For more information on the benchmarking process and revisions to historical data, please contact the Center for Workforce Information & Analysis at 1-877-4WF-DATA or visit [www.paworkstats.pa.gov](http://www.paworkstats.pa.gov).*