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TABLE 1 MEADVILLE MICROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA

(Crawford County)

TOTAL CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT, AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE¹

	CIVILIAN				SEASONALLY ADJUSTED⁴			
TIME PERIOD	LABOR	EMPLOY-	UNEMPLOY-	RATE	LABOR	EMPLOY-	UNEMPLOY-	RATE
	FORCE	MENT ²	MENT	(%) ³	FORCE	MENT ²	MENT	$(\%)^3$
February 2024	37,300	35,800	1,500	4.1	37,400	36,100	1,300	3.5
January	37,300	35,800	1,500	4.0	37,500	36,300	1,200	3.3
December 2023	73,300	70,800	2,500	3.4	37,100	35,700	1,400	3.8
February 2023	37,100	35,000	2,000	5.5	37,100	35,300	1,800	4.9

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

	CIVILIAN				SEASONALLY ADJUSTED⁴			
AREA NAME	LABOR	EMPLOY-	UNEMPLOY-	RATE	LABOR	EMPLOY-	UNEMPLOY-	RATE
	FORCE	MENT ²	MENT	$(\%)^3$	FORCE	MENT ²	MENT	$(\%)^3$
Erie MSA	128,200	122,900	5,200	4.1	126,400	121,800	4,600	3.6
Forest County LMA	1,700	1,600	100	6.2	1,700	1,600	100	4.7
Mercer County LMA	47,900	46,000	1,900	4.0	48,200	46,500	1,700	3.6
Oil City mSA	20,700	19,700	900	4.4	20,800	20,100	800	3.7
Warren mSA	17,200	16,500	700	4.1	17,400	16,800	600	3.3
PENNSYLVANIA	6,568,000	6,331,000	237,000	3.6	6,558,000	6,338,000	220,000	3.4
UNITED STATES	167,285,000	160,315,000	6,970,000	4.2	167,426,000	160,968,000	6,458,000	3.9

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.

MEADVILLE MICROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA

(Crawford County)

February 2024 NONFARM JOBS - NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

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ESTABLISHMENT DATA	Feb 2024	Jan 2024	Dec 2023	Feb 2023	Jan 2024	Feb 2023
					400	
Total Nonfarm	29,800	29,700	30,300	30,000	100	-200
Total Private	25,900	25,800	26,400	26,100	100	-200
Goods-Producing	8,100	8,000	8,000	8,100	100	0
Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,100	1,100	1,100	1,100	0	0
Manufacturing	7,000	6,900	6,900	7,000	100	0
Service-Providing	21,700	21,700	22,300	21,900	0	-200
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	4,300	4,500	4,600	4,500	-200	-200
Trade	3,600	3,800	3,900	3,800	-200	-200
Professional and Business Services	1,600	1,500	1,500	1,600	100	0
Education and Health Services	7,100	7,000	7,400	6,900	100	200
Leisure and Hospitality	2,000	2,000	2,100	2,200	0	-200
Other Services	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	0	0
Government	3,900	3,900	3,900	3,900	0	0
Local Government	2,800	2,800	2,800	2,800	0	0
Data benchmarked to March 2023		***Data cha	inges of 100 n	nay 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.