

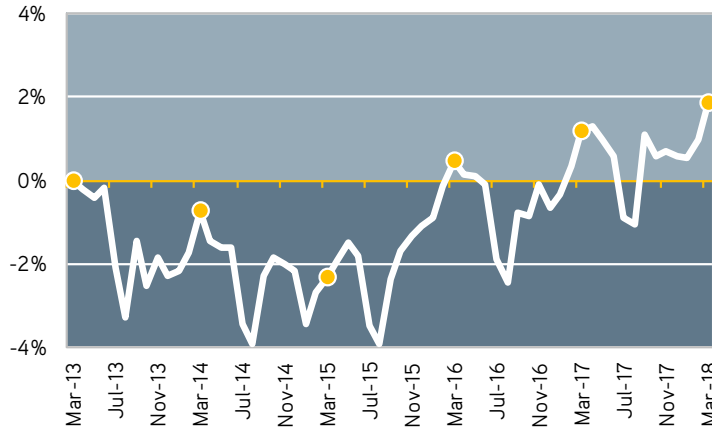
# LABOR MARKET OVERVIEW

Cumberland Workforce Development Board

May 2018

## Regional Labor Market Snapshot

### 5-Year Percent Change in Number Employed\*



Cumberland Region

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

## Trending

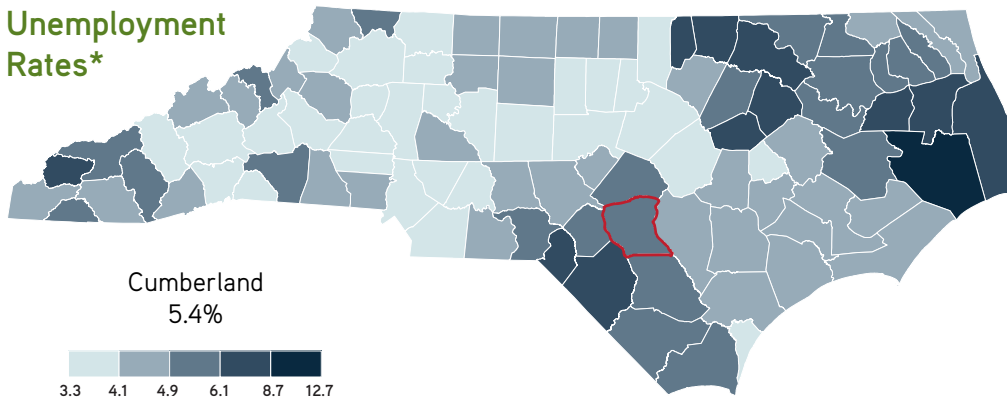
### UNEMPLOYMENT\*

March 2018

Cumberland Total = 6,999

	Current	Previous
Region	5.4%	5.8%
NC	4.3%	4.6%
US	4.1%	4.4%

### March 2018 Unemployment Rates\*



### REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT\*

Cumberland Total = 122,010

1,041 More People Working in March than previous month

824 More People Working than same period one year ago

### METRO JOB GROWTH\*

Fayetteville Total = 130,700

1,200 More Jobs in March than previous month

600 More Jobs than same period one year ago

### TAXABLE RETAIL SALES

Cumberland Total = \$284,364,270

1.3% Lower than same period one year ago

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

### ONLINE JOB ADS

7,116 Online Advertised Vacancies over past 90 days

923 Fewer Vacancies than same period one year ago

Source: The Conference Board Help Wanted Online

### Who's Hiring

past 90 days from April 30, 2018

General Dynamics	213
Army	154
Leidos	128
County of Cumberland, NC	126
Cape Fear Valley Health System	105
Lowe's	90
Booz Allen Hamilton	89
Compass Group	69

Source: The Conference Board Help Wanted Online

\*March 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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### What Jobs

past 90 days from April 30, 2018

Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	707
Registered Nurses	414
Network & Computer Systems Admin.	256
Computer User Support Specialists	238
Retail Salespersons	221
First-Line Supervisors, Retail Sales	191
Maintenance & Repair Workers	125
Information Security Analysts	111

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