

UNEMPLOYMENT TRENDS FOR MERRIMACK VALLEY SERVICE DELIVERY AREA

(Three Year Comparison)

(Previous Five Months)

| Major Labor Area | June 2020 | June 2019 | June 2018 | June 2020 | May 2020 | April 2020 | March 2020 | February 2020 | January 2020 |
|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Massachusetts | 14.5 | <i>3.2</i> | <i>3.7</i> | 14.5 | <i>15.6</i> | <i>16.7</i> | <i>3.6</i> | <i>3.3</i> | <i>3.5</i> |
| National | 11.2 | <i>3.8</i> | <i>4.2</i> | 11.2 | <i>13.0</i> | <i>14.4</i> | <i>4.5</i> | <i>3.8</i> | <i>4.0</i> |
| Lawrence/ NH NECTA Division | 19.6 | <i>4.3</i> | <i>5.0</i> | 19.6 | <i>21.0</i> | <i>22.5</i> | <i>4.7</i> | <i>4.4</i> | <i>4.5</i> |
| Lower Merrimack Valley (WDA) | 16.7 | <i>3.6</i> | <i>4.1</i> | 16.7 | <i>17.9</i> | <i>19.1</i> | <i>3.8</i> | <i>3.6</i> | <i>3.8</i> |
| Amesbury | 13.2 | <i>2.6</i> | <i>3.1</i> | 13.2 | <i>15.4</i> | <i>17.1</i> | <i>3.2</i> | <i>2.9</i> | <i>3.0</i> |
| Andover | 10.1 | <i>2.8</i> | <i>3.2</i> | 10.1 | <i>10.2</i> | <i>10.7</i> | <i>2.6</i> | <i>2.5</i> | <i>2.7</i> |
| Boxford | 10.0 | <i>2.3</i> | <i>3.0</i> | 10.0 | <i>10.8</i> | <i>10.5</i> | <i>2.3</i> | <i>2.3</i> | <i>2.5</i> |
| Georgetown | 11.6 | <i>3.0</i> | <i>3.1</i> | 11.6 | <i>12.8</i> | <i>14.6</i> | <i>2.7</i> | <i>2.4</i> | <i>2.5</i> |
| Groveland | 12.0 | <i>2.6</i> | <i>2.8</i> | 12.0 | <i>13.9</i> | <i>15.1</i> | <i>2.9</i> | <i>2.8</i> | <i>2.9</i> |
| Haverhill | 16.5 | <i>3.3</i> | <i>3.8</i> | 16.5 | <i>18.3</i> | <i>20.2</i> | <i>3.8</i> | <i>3.6</i> | <i>3.8</i> |
| Lawrence | 27.8 | <i>6.0</i> | <i>7.0</i> | 27.8 | <i>28.5</i> | <i>29.1</i> | <i>6.3</i> | <i>6.2</i> | <i>6.1</i> |
| Merrimac | 11.9 | <i>2.5</i> | <i>3.0</i> | 11.9 | <i>13.8</i> | <i>15.0</i> | <i>2.9</i> | <i>2.4</i> | <i>2.8</i> |
| Methuen | 17.0 | <i>3.5</i> | <i>4.1</i> | 17.0 | <i>18.6</i> | <i>20.4</i> | <i>3.8</i> | <i>3.6</i> | <i>3.7</i> |
| Newbury | 11.3 | <i>2.7</i> | <i>3.0</i> | 11.3 | <i>12.7</i> | <i>13.9</i> | <i>3.1</i> | <i>2.9</i> | <i>3.2</i> |
| Newburyport | 10.6 | <i>2.5</i> | <i>2.2</i> | 10.6 | <i>11.6</i> | <i>13.0</i> | <i>2.8</i> | <i>2.3</i> | <i>2.6</i> |
| North Andover | 11.8 | <i>3.0</i> | <i>3.7</i> | 11.8 | <i>12.6</i> | <i>13.8</i> | <i>2.8</i> | <i>2.5</i> | <i>2.8</i> |
| Rowley | 12.6 | <i>3.1</i> | <i>3.1</i> | 12.6 | <i>14.5</i> | <i>16.2</i> | <i>3.8</i> | <i>3.2</i> | <i>3.4</i> |
| Salisbury | 14.2 | <i>3.2</i> | <i>3.2</i> | 14.2 | <i>16.3</i> | <i>18.0</i> | <i>4.0</i> | <i>3.6</i> | <i>3.9</i> |
| West Newbury | 9.5 | <i>2.2</i> | <i>2.8</i> | 9.5 | <i>10.5</i> | <i>11.5</i> | <i>2.5</i> | <i>2.3</i> | <i>2.6</i> |

(Data not seasonally adjusted. Statewide unemployment rate and labor force estimates have been revised)

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