UNEMPLOYMENT TRENDS FOR MERRIMACK VALLEY SERVICE DELIVERY AREA

(Three Year Comparison) (Previous Five Months)

Major Labor Area	September 2020	September 2019	September 2018	September 2020	August 2020	July 2020	June 2020	May 2020	April 2020
Massachusetts	**9.8**	*2.8*	*3.2*	**9.8**	*10.3*	*13.0*	*14.5*	*15.6*	*16.7*
National	**7.7**	*3.3*	*3.6*	**7.7**	*8.5*	*10.5*	*11.2*	*13.0*	*14.4*
Lawrence/ NH NECTA Division	**13.8**	*3.8*	*4.3*	**13.8**	*14.5*	*17.7*	*19.6*	*21.0*	*22.5*
Lower Merrimack Valley (WDA)	**11.5**	*3.2*	*3.6*	**11.5**	*11.9*	*14.9*	*16.7*	*17.9*	*19.1*
Amesbury	**7.8**	*2.3*	*2.7*	**7.8**	*8.4*	*11.2*	*13.2*	*15.4*	*17.1*
Andover	**6.9**	*2.5*	*2.7*	**6.9**	*7.1*	*9.1*	*10.1*	*10.2*	*10.7*
Boxford	**6.8**	*2.1*	*2.5*	**6.8**	*7.0*	*9.2*	*10.0*	*10.8*	*10.5*
Georgetown	**7.7**	*2.2*	*2.8*	**7.7**	*8.0*	*10.3*	*11.6*	*12.8*	*14.6*
Groveland	**7.9**	*2.1*	*2.7*	**7.9**	*8.3*	*10.9*	*12.0*	*13.9*	*15.1*
Haverhill	**11.1**	*3.1*	*3.3*	**11.1**	*11.6*	*14.6*	*16.5*	*18.3*	*20.2*
Lawrence	**20.6**	*5.1*	*6.1*	**20.6**	*21.4*	*25.7*	*27.8*	*28.5*	*29.1*
Merrimac	**7.4**	*2.3*	*3.1*	**7.4**	*7.8*	*10.3*	*11.9*	*13.8*	*15.0*
Methuen	**11.5**	*3.3*	*3.6*	**11.5**	*12.0*	*15.1*	*17.0*	*18.6*	*20.4*
Newbury	**7.3**	*2.3*	*2.8*	**7.3**	*7.9*	*10.2*	*11.3*	*12.7*	*13.9*
Newburyport	**6.9**	*2.4*	*2.6*	**6.9**	*7.4*	*9.3*	*10.6*	*11.6*	*13.0*
North Andover	**8.0**	*2.7*	*3.2*	**8.0**	*8.5*	*10.5*	*11.8*	*12.6*	*13.8*
Rowley	**7.5**	*2.5*	*2.9*	**7.5**	*8.6*	*11.2*	*12.6*	*14.5*	*16.2*
Salisbury	**9.5**	*2.5*	*2.8*	**9.5**	*10.0*	*12.0*	*14.2*	*16.3*	*18.0*
West Newbury	**6.4**	*2.0*	*2.1*	**6.4**	*6.1*	*8.6*	*9.5*	*10.5*	*11.5*

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

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