UNEMPLOYMENT TRENDS FOR MERRIMACK VALLEY SERVICE DELIVERY AREA

	(Three Year Comparison)			(Previous Five Months)				
Major Labor Area	**September 2022**	**September 2021**	**September 2020**	**September 2022**	**August 2022**	**July 2022**	**June 2022**	**May 2022**	**April 2022**
Massachusetts	**3.1**	*5.0*	*9.8*	**3.1**	*3.5*	*3.5*	*3.5*	*3.4*	*3.3*
National	**3.3**	*4.6*	*7.7*	**3.3**	*3.8*	*3.8*	*3.8*	*3.4*	*3.3*
Lawrence/ NH NECTA Division	**4.4**	*6.9*	*13.8*	**4.4**	*4.9*	*4.8*	*4.9*	*4.6*	*4.8*
Lower Merrimack Valley (WDA)	**3.6**	*5.8*	*11.5*	**3.6**	*4.0*	*4.0*	*4.1*	*3.9*	*3.9*
Amesbury	**2.6**	*3.9*	*7.8*	**2.6**	*3.1*	*3.0*	*3.0*	*2.9*	*2.4*
Andover	**2.6**	*4.0*	*6.9*	**2.6**	*2.6*	*2.6*	*2.8*	*2.6*	*2.5*
Boxford	**1.9**	*3.0*	*6.8*	**1.9**	*2.2*	*2.3*	*2.1*	*2.2*	*2.1*
Georgetown	**2.5**	*3.6*	*7.7*	**2.5**	*2.5*	*2.7*	*2.8*	*3.0*	*3.0*
Groveland	**2.4**	*3.4*	*7.9*	**2.4**	*2.6*	*2.6*	*2.6*	*2.8*	*3.0*
Haverhill	**3.3**	*5.7*	*11.1*	**3.3**	*3.5*	*3.5*	*3.6*	*3.5*	*3.6*
Lawrence	**6.4**	*10.4*	*20.6*	**6.4**	*7.3*	*7.4*	*7.3*	*6.8*	*7.0*
Merrimac	**2.5**	*3.4*	*7.4*	**2.5**	*2.8*	*2.9*	*2.5*	*2.1*	*2.1*
Methuen	**4.0**	*6.2*	*11.5*	**4.0**	*4.3*	*4.5*	*4.5*	*4.3*	*4.6*
Newbury	**1.9**	*3.9*	*7.3*	**1.9**	*2.9*	*2.6*	*2.6*	*2.9*	*2.7*
Newburyport	**2.5**	*3.1*	*6.9*	**2.5**	*2.6*	*2.5*	*2.5*	*2.4*	*2.3*
North Andover	**2.8**	*4.5*	*8.0*	**2.8**	*3.2*	*3.1*	*3.1*	*3.0*	*2.9*
Rowley	**2.3**	*3.7*	*7.5*	**2.3**	*2.9*	*2.7*	*2.9*	*2.8*	*2.9*
Salisbury	**2.7**	*4.7*	*9.5*	**2.7**	*3.1*	*3.1*	*3.2*	*3.0*	*3.2*
West Newbury	**2.2**	*3.3*	*6.4*	**2.2**	*2.4*	*2.4*	*2.6*	*2.0*	*1.8*

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