Figure 2: Real Wage Growth by Industry 2013 to 2018; Adjusted for Inflation



Table 4: Ten Most Common Occupations, 2018

Source: EMSI

	/0 UI		Projected Growth
	Total, 2018	Jobs, 2018	2017-2027 (MSA)
Construction	6%	17,800	17%
Manufacturing	17%	51,700	5%
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	17%	51,000	12%
Information	3%	7,800	12%
Financial Activities	6%	17,800	6%
Professional and Business Services	19%	57,300	18%
Leisure & Hospitality	9%	28,500	14%
Private Education & Health Services	12%	37,500	19%
Government	7%	21,500	7%
Retail Trade	11%	31,900	10%
Wholesale Trade	5%	13,900	8%
Total Employment	Figure 300%-De	mand <sup>3</sup> 90;800	13%

**Table 3: Employment by Industry** 

	Jobs	Median Wage
Retail Salespersons	8,835	\$27,510*
General and Operations Managers	5,789	\$97,575
Cashiers	5,709	\$26,085*
Customer Service Representatives	5,357	\$38,864*
Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food	5,244	\$24,743*
Office Clerks, General	4,745	\$35,907*
Stock Clerks and Order Fillers	4,701	\$31,821*
Registered Nurses	4,601	\$93,744
Software Developers, Applications	4,542	\$105,636
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	4,315	\$42,470*

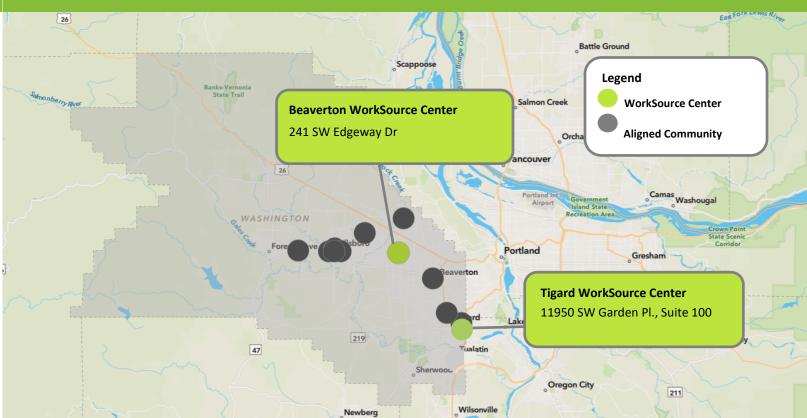
<sup>\*</sup> Median Annual Wage is lower than the Self-Sufficiency Wage for an adult and a pre-school child (\$57,244). This is how much the family would need to make ends meet ends without public support assistance.

Microsoft Access	31,897	
Accounting	17,043	
Merchandising	16,618	
Restaurant Operation	14,762	
Selling Techniques	14,452	
Auditing	12,500	
Nursing	10,772	
Agile Software Development	10,381	
Warehousing	10,318	



# Worksystems, the Portland Metro Workforce Development Board

Working together to coordinate and grow workforce services in Washington County.



The public workforce infrastructure in Washington County is anchored by two WorkSource Portland Metro Centers and complemented by an array of community partners working together to serve Washington County jobseekers, workers, and employers.

### VorkSource Centers

- WorkSource Portland Metro Beaverton (PCC Willow Creek Campus)
- WorkSource Portland Metro Tualatin

### Onsite Partner

- Adult Basic Education
- Dress for Success
- Goodwill
- Job Corps
- Oregon Employment Department
- Portland Community College

## Aligned Community Partners

- Beaverton School District
- Centro Cultural
- Community Action
- Domestic Violence Resource Center
- Easter Seals
- Good Neighbor Center
- Hillsboro School District
- HomePlate Youth Services
- Housing Authority of Washington County
- Labor's Community Service Agency, Inc.
- Oregon Department of Human Services
- Oregon Human Development Corporation
- PCC Hillsboro Center
- PCC Rock Creek
- Reach CDC
- Washington County Corrections
- Vocational Rehabilitation



WorkSource Portland Metro Centers serve as the backbone of the public workforce infrastructure in Washington County.



• Customers: **7,708** 

• Placements: 3,498

• Businesses Served: 461



• Customers: **4,910** 

• Placements: **4,215** 

• Businesses Served: 763

• Onsite Staff: 37

Each Center offers a variety of resources and services to support job seekers and employers.

Core Services	Programs & Special Initiatives
1:1 Career Advising	BankWork\$ and CareerWork\$ Medical Training
Career Exploration Workshops	Career Bridge Trainings
Computer Skills Workshops	Connect 2 Careers
Interview Workshops	Connect 2 Jobs (Justice-Involved Services)
Job Placement Assistance	Healthcare and Tech Training Scholarships & Job Placement
Job Search Workshops	Pre-Release Services
Occupational Scholarships	Regional Business Services
On-the-Job Trainings	Reemployment Assistance for UI Claims
Group Trainings	SNAP Services
Resume Workshops	SummerWorks
Social Media and Job Search	Trade Act
Essential Skills Workshops	TriMet Low Income Fare Eligibility
	Veterans Services



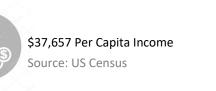




46% of Renters are Housing Cost Burdened (spent more than 30% on rent)



87,548 K-12 Students 50% Nonwhite





Poverty by Family Type 7% Married Couple 14.4% Single Male Householder 33.2% Single Female Householder

Table 1: Labor Force Breakdown, 2018

Source: EMSI, US Census



Figure 1: Population Characteristics, 2018

126,872

Millennials



Washington County has 126,872 **Retiring Soon** millennials (ages 20-34). The national Retirement risk is low in Washington average for an area this size is County. The national average for an area this size is 167,899 people 55 or

Table 2: Unemployment Rate by Race (alone) and Hispanic Origin, 2018

Unemplo	yment Rate
Native American	12%
Two or More Races (NH)	8%
African American	7%
Other Race	7%
Hispanic (any race)	5%
White	5%
Asian	4%
Hawaiian/Roofic Islander	2%
200,755	

older, while there are 144,860 here.

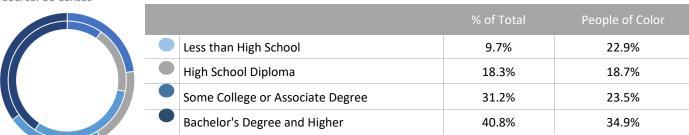
### **Racial Diversity**

Racial diversity is low in Washington County. The national average for an area this size is 231,297 racially

Table 3: Educational Attainment, Population 25 years and over, 2017

Source: US Census

121,983.



To learn more about the public workforce system in Washington County visit

