

August 2018 Beyond the Numbers...

Additional Data after Release of Indiana's Monthly Employment Report

- Indiana's unemployment rate has decreased 7.1 percentage points since July 2009 (the low point of employment), which ranks 8th in the U.S.
- Indiana's unemployment rate has decreased 0.1 percentage points over the year, which ranks 35th in the U.S.
- Indiana's labor force participation rate has outperformed the national average for 51 months in a row. Indiana's rate is currently 65.0% vs. 62.7% for national.
- Indiana Private Sector jobs have grown 27,600 over the year.

Financial Activities Growth

- **Indiana ranks 1st in the nation in Financial Activities jobs added over the month. Note: Numbers are in the thousands.**

State	Jobs Added	Rank
Indiana	2.3	1
Arizona	1.8	2
California	1.8	3
Louisiana	1.2	4
Florida	1.2	5
New York	1.2	5
Missouri	1.1	7
Georgia	0.6	8
New Hampshire	0.4	9
Illinois	0.4	10

- **Indiana ranks 5th in the nation in Financial Activities job growth year-to-date.**

State	Rate of Growth	Rank
Wyoming	6.4%	1
Hawaii	5.6%	2
District of Columbia	3.7%	3
New Mexico	3.2%	4
Indiana	2.9%	5
Utah	2.8%	6
Kansas	2.6%	7
Virginia	2.5%	8
Vermont	2.5%	9
Arizona	2.4%	10

Construction Growth

- Indiana ranks 5th in the nation in Construction jobs added over the month. Note: Numbers are in the thousands.

State	Jobs Added	Rank
California	5.2	1
Florida	3.6	2
Washington	2.9	3
Minnesota	1.7	4
Indiana	1.6	5
Georgia	1.5	6
Virginia	1.4	7
Colorado	1.4	8
Arizona	1.3	9
Michigan	1.3	9

Manufacturing Growth

- Indiana ranks 4th in the nation in Manufacturing job growth since July 2009.

State	Rate of Growth	Rank
Michigan	42.1%	1
Nevada	40.2%	2
Idaho	30.3%	3
Indiana	25.1%	4
South Dakota	21.5%	5
Utah	20.3%	6
Montana	19.1%	7
Florida	19.0%	8
Oregon	17.8%	9
South Carolina	17.1%	10

- Indiana ranks 2nd in the nation in Manufacturing jobs added since July 2009. Note: Numbers are in the thousands.

State	Jobs Added	Rank
Michigan	184.5	1
Indiana	107.3	2
Ohio	81.9	3
Wisconsin	64.6	4
Florida	60.6	5
Georgia	53.0	6
Texas	52.2	7
Tennessee	50.6	8
California	42.9	9
South Carolina	35.7	10