

# October 2018 Beyond the Numbers...

## *Additional Data after Release of Indiana's Monthly Employment Report*

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- Indiana's unemployment rate has decreased 7.1 percentage points since July 2009 (the low point of employment), which ranks 9<sup>th</sup> in the U.S.
- Total private employment reached a preliminary record highpoint of 2,713,200, which is 24,300 above the official December 2017 peak. The new October 2018 peak is subject to monthly revisions and annual benchmarking.
- Indiana's labor force participation rate has outperformed the national average for 53 months in a row. Indiana's rate is currently 65.1% vs. 62.9% for national.
- Indiana Private Sector jobs have grown 25,500 over the year.

### Construction Growth

- **Indiana ranks 7<sup>th</sup> in the nation in Construction jobs added over the year. Note: Numbers are in the thousands.**

State	Jobs Added	Rank
Texas	49.9	1
Florida	43.4	2
California	30.0	3
Georgia	21.6	4
Arizona	16.1	5
New York	15.6	6
<b>Indiana</b>	<b>11.1</b>	<b>7</b>
North Carolina	10.6	8
Oregon	10.4	9
Washington	10.3	10

### Private Education & Health Services Growth

- **Indiana ranks 7<sup>th</sup> in the nation in Private Education & Health Services jobs added over the month. Note: Numbers are in the thousands.**

State	Jobs Added	Rank
New York	6.5	1
Pennsylvania	5.9	2
Texas	5.1	3
Florida	4.5	4
North Carolina	3.8	5
Ohio	3.8	5
<b>Indiana</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>7</b>
Massachusetts	2.2	8
Missouri	1.6	9
Maryland	1.5	10

### Financial Activities Growth

- Indiana ranks 5<sup>th</sup> in the nation in Financial Activities job growth year-to-date.

State	Rate of Growth	Rank
Hawaii	5.6%	1
District of Columbia	5.0%	2
Utah	3.8%	3
Washington	3.6%	4
<b>Indiana</b>	<b>3.2%</b>	<b>5</b>
Kansas	3.2%	6
North Carolina	3.0%	7
Arizona	2.8%	8
Wyoming	2.8%	9
Texas	2.7%	10

### Manufacturing Growth

- Indiana ranks 4<sup>th</sup> in the nation in Manufacturing job growth since July 2009.

State	Rate of Growth	Rank
Nevada	44.8%	1
Michigan	42.7%	2
Idaho	30.9%	3
<b>Indiana</b>	<b>24.5%</b>	<b>4</b>
South Dakota	22.6%	5
Utah	20.9%	6
Kentucky	18.7%	7
Montana	18.5%	8
Florida	18.3%	9
Oregon	18.1%	10

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

State	Jobs Added	Rank
Michigan	187.2	1
<b>Indiana</b>	<b>104.6</b>	<b>2</b>
Ohio	89.6	3
Wisconsin	64.9	4
Florida	58.4	5
Texas	56.2	6
Georgia	52.1	7
Tennessee	51.7	8
California	46.3	9
Kentucky	39.6	10