



# LABOR MARKET REPORT

## SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY

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## CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE



Unemployment Rate decreased to: **4.4%**



Labor Force increased by 2,300: **132,900**



Employment increased by 2,300: **127,000**



Unemployment decreased by 100: **5,900**

## INDUSTRY NONFARM PAYROLL JOBS

### Largest Gain:

*Private Education and Health Services* 200 jobs: **20,200**

*Leisure and Hospitality* 200 jobs: **19,900**

### Largest Loss:

*Trade, Transportation, and Utilities* 200 jobs: **19,400**



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