

## Labor Force Characteristics

All data as of May 2012 (preliminary/not seasonally adjusted)

<b>Labor Force &amp; Employment - May 2012</b>		
	<b>Stafford</b>	<b>Fredericksburg Region</b>
Civilian Labor Force	71,973	181,510
Unemployment Rate	4.5%	5.1%

<b>Establishments &amp; Average Wages - 4<sup>th</sup> Qtr 2011</b>		
	<b>Stafford</b>	<b>Fredericksburg Region</b>
Total Establishments	2,315	7,463
Average Hourly Wage	\$22.80	\$21.23
Average Annual Wage	\$47,424	\$44,148

<b>Non-Agricultural Employment - 4<sup>th</sup> Qtr 2011</b>		
	<b>Stafford</b>	<b>Fredericksburg Region</b>
Retail Trade (44 & 45)	4,579	16,824
Health Care and Social Assistance	2,908	14,050
Education Services	5,030	13,091
Accommodation and Food Services	3,185	11,570
Public Administration	4,367	11,257
Professional Scientific & Technical Svc	3,081	8,321
Finance and Insurance	Confidential	6,149
Construction	2,409	5,588
Other Services (except Public Admin.)	1,416	3,991
Admin., Support, Waste Mgmt, Remediation	1,193	3,701
Wholesale Trade	1,694	3,258
Transportation and Warehousing (48 & 49)	1,046	3,191
Manufacturing (31-33)	693	2,258
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	555	1,498
Information	356	1,476
Management of Companies and Enterprises	76	1,377
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	309	1,181

Utilities	Confidential	566
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing & Hunting	15	312
Mining	Confidential	138
Total, All Industries	37,971	109,315

Source: Labor Market Statistics, Quarterly Census of Employment & Wages Program  
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<b>Employment by Occupation - 4<sup>th</sup> Qtr 2011</b>		
	<b>Stafford</b>	<b>Fredericksburg Region</b>
Construction, Extraction, & Maintenance	9.4%	8.2%
Farming, Fishing & Forestry	0.1%	0.3%
Managerial, Professional & Related	29.1%	26.6%
Production, Transportation & Material Moving	9.6%	9.8%
Sales & Office	32.3%	32.5%
Service	19.4%	22.6%

<b>Commute Times</b>		
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