



Workforce Information Update

Local Workforce Investment Area 3

Boone, Stephenson, and Winnebago Counties



Economic Information and Analysis
Illinois Department of Employment Security

Dashboard

January-19

	Illinois		United States		Rockford MSA		LWIA 3	
Current	5.3%		4.4%		7.1%		7.0%	
Prior Month	4.4%	▲	3.7%	▲	6.4%	▲	6.3%	▲
Year ago	5.1%	▲	4.5%	▼	5.8%	▲	5.7%	▲
	Boone		Stephenson		Winnebago			
Current	7.8%		6.2%		7.0%			
Prior Month	6.6%	▲	5.4%	▲	6.4%	▲		
Year ago	6.5%	▲	5.1%	▲	5.7%	▲		
	City of Belvidere		City of Freeport		City of Rockford			
Current	9.4%		6.4%		8.0%			
Prior Month	8.1%	▲	5.8%	▲	7.5%	▲		
Year ago	7.8%	▲	5.4%	▲	6.3%	▲		

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Current Employment Statistics and
Labor Force Information

Industry	Jan-19	Dec-18	Jan-18	Month Ago		Year Ago	
				#	%	#	%
LABOR FORCE DATA (*)				#	%	#	%
Civ. Lab. Force	189,232	189,963	187,938	-731	-0.4%	1,294	0.7%
Employment	176,007	178,009	177,199	-2,002	-1.1%	-1,192	-0.7%
Unemployment	13,225	11,954	10,739	1,271	10.6%	2,486	23.1%
Percentage	7.0 %	6.3 %	5.7 %				
Total Nonfarm	169,400	172,200	167,300	-2800	-1.6%	2100	1.3%
Construction	6,300	6,800	6,000	-500	-7.4%	300	5.0%
Manufacturing	36,800	36,800	35,600	0	0.0%	1200	3.4%
Wholesale trade	6,000	6,100	6,100	-100	-1.6%	-100	-1.6%
Retail Trade	17,500	18,100	17,200	-600	-3.3%	300	1.7%
Transportation-Warehousing-Utilities	8,700	9,000	8,600	-300	-3.3%	100	1.2%
Information	1,600	1,600	1,600	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Financial Activities	6,500	6,500	6,300	0	0.0%	200	3.2%
Professional-Business Services	16,100	16,400	16,900	-300	-1.8%	-800	-4.7%
Educational-Health Services	27,600	27,600	26,600	0	0.0%	1000	3.8%
Leisure-Hospitality	15,100	15,200	15,200	-100	-0.7%	-100	-0.7%
Other Services	9,200	9,300	9,200	-100	-1.1%	0	0.0%
Government	18,100	19,100	18,100	-1000	-5.2%	0	0.0%