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July Local Employment and Unemployment Data Released

MADISON – The Department of Workforce Development (DWD) today released the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) estimates of unemployment and employment statistics for Wisconsin metropolitan areas, major cities and counties in Wisconsin for July 2020.

In brief, the non-seasonally adjusted data for Wisconsin shows:

- **Metropolitan Statistical Areas:** Preliminary July 2020 unemployment rates declined in all of Wisconsin's 12 metro areas over the month. The largest decline occurred in the Fond Du Lac metro area.
- **Municipalities:** Preliminary July 2020 unemployment rates declined in all of Wisconsin's 33 largest cities. The largest decreases occurred in the city of Fond Du Lac
- **Counties:** Preliminary July 2020 unemployment rates declined in all of Wisconsin's 72 counties over the month. The largest decrease occurred in Jackson County.

The data included in today's release can be accessed at WisConomy.com

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Current Employment Statistics and Local Area Unemployment Statistics July 2020

EMPLOYMENT

METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA	NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED					SEASONALLY ADJUSTED				
	PRELIM Jul-20	FINAL Jun-20	YEAR AGO Jul-19	NET CHANGE OVER		PRELIM Jul-20	FINAL Jun-20	YEAR AGO Jul-19	NET CHANGE OVER	
				1-Month	1-Year				1-Month	1-Year
Appleton	116,600	116,600	129,000	0	-12,400	115,100	114,000	127,700	1,100	-12,600
Eau Claire	79,400	79,300	86,600	100	-7,200	79,200	79,300	87,100	-100	-7,900
Fond du Lac	47,000	47,300	49,300	-300	-2,300	46,700	46,400	49,000	300	-2,300
Green Bay	169,000	167,300	181,000	1,700	-12,000	167,700	164,600	180,300	3,100	-12,600
Janesville-Beloit	64,900	63,800	71,400	1,100	-6,500	63,700	62,800	70,200	900	-6,500
La Crosse-Onalaska	71,400	71,900	77,500	-500	-6,100	72,400	72,100	78,600	300	-6,200
Madison	368,700	364,700	412,700	4,000	-44,000	368,600	363,100	410,200	5,500	-41,600
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis	810,200	809,100	877,500	1,100	-67,300	806,700	800,100	874,500	6,600	-67,800
Oshkosh-Neenah	91,500	90,400	97,100	1,100	-5,600	91,600	90,200	96,700	1,400	-5,100
Racine	76,600	76,600	79,800	0	-3,200	75,600	75,400	78,900	200	-3,300
Sheboygan	59,600	60,000	64,900	-400	-5,300	58,200	58,100	63,400	100	-5,200
Wausau	69,500	69,700	73,800	-200	-4,300	69,500	69,000	73,900	500	-4,400

Source: Current Employment Statistics (CES)

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES

METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA	NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED				
	PRELIM Jul-20	FINAL Jun-20	YEAR AGO Jul-19	NET CHANGE OVER	
				1-Month	1-Year
Appleton	5.9	7.6	3.3	-1.7	2.6
Eau Claire	6.7	8.4	3.5	-1.7	3.2
Fond du Lac	5.8	8.3	3.3	-2.5	2.5
Green Bay	6.6	8.6	3.5	-2.0	3.1
Janesville-Beloit	8.2	9.9	4.0	-1.7	4.2
La Crosse-Onalaska	5.9	7.5	3.1	-1.6	2.8
Madison	5.9	7.5	2.7	-1.6	3.2
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis	8.4	10.2	4.0	-1.8	4.4
Oshkosh-Neenah	6.0	7.8	3.4	-1.8	2.6
Racine	7.7	9.4	4.6	-1.7	3.1
Sheboygan	6.2	8.0	3.0	-1.8	3.2
Wausau	5.5	6.9	3.2	-1.4	2.3

Source: Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

CITY	NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED				
	RATE Jul-20	RATE Jun-20	RATE Jul-19	RANK Jul-20	RANK Jun-20
Appleton	6.5	8.4	3.5	7	7
Beloit	9.1	11.1	5.1	30	30
Brookfield	6.8	8.8	3.2	12	17
Caledonia	7.1	8.6	4.1	20	12
De Pere	6.8	9.2	3.8	12	22
Eau Claire	6.7	8.6	3.5	11	12
Fitchburg	5.5	7.0	2.5	1	1
Fond du Lac	6.6	9.7	3.8	9	24
Franklin	6.9	8.5	3.6	15	9
Green Bay	7.9	10.2	3.8	26	26
Greenfield	8.5	10.3	3.7	27	27
Janesville	8.8	10.4	4.0	29	28
Kenosha	8.6	10.9	4.6	28	29
La Crosse	6.8	8.6	3.6	12	12
Madison	6.1	7.8	2.6	5	4
Manitowoc	7.8	9.9	3.9	25	25
Menomonee Falls	6.5	8.2	3.2	7	5
Milwaukee	11.2	13.1	5.3	34	34
Mount Pleasant	7.0	8.7	3.7	18	15
Muskego	5.9	7.3	2.9	3	2
Neenah	6.6	8.5	3.4	9	9
New Berlin	7.1	9.1	3.4	20	21
Oak Creek	7.1	8.9	3.4	20	19
Oshkosh	6.4	8.3	3.6	6	6
Racine	9.6	11.4	6.0	31	31
Sheboygan	7.6	9.5	3.3	24	23
Stevens Point	5.6	8.4	3.5	2	7
Sun Prairie	6.0	7.7	2.8	4	3
Superior	10.0	12.1	4.6	33	33
Waukesha	6.9	8.9	3.4	15	19
Wausau	6.9	8.5	3.9	15	9
Wauwatosa	7.2	8.8	3.1	23	17
West Allis	9.7	11.6	4.3	32	32
West Bend	7.0	8.7	3.5	18	15

Source: Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

Note: Seasonally adjusted unemployment estimates for MSAs are available from the Bureau of Labor Statistics website: <http://www.bls.gov/lau/metrossa.htm>. City and county unemployment rates are not seasonally adjusted.

Local Area Unemployment Statistics July 2020

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES - NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

COUNTY	ALPHABETICAL ORDER				
	RATE Jul-20	RATE Jun-20	RATE Jul-19	RANK Jul-20	RANK Jun-20
Adams	8.7	11.7	5.0	64	66
Ashland	8.8	10.8	5.4	65	64
Barron	5.4	7.3	3.4	11	13
Bayfield	8.4	10.5	5.0	63	63
Brown	6.8	8.8	3.5	45	47
Buffalo	7.4	9.4	4.1	54	53
Burnett	8.8	11.2	4.7	65	65
Calumet	5.1	6.7	3.1	6	6
Chippewa	6.8	8.2	3.5	45	33
Clark	4.3	6.2	3.3	3	2
Columbia	6.3	8.4	3.2	31	38
Crawford	6.3	8.9	3.7	31	50
Dane	5.9	7.4	2.7	20	15
Dodge	6.9	7.4	3.1	48	15
Door	6.4	8.7	2.9	37	45
Douglas	10.1	12.2	4.3	69	68
Dunn	5.9	8.0	3.6	20	24
Eau Claire	6.6	8.5	3.5	42	42
Florence	7.4	10.3	5.4	54	60
Fond du Lac	5.8	8.3	3.3	17	34
Forest	15.1	18.7	5.3	71	71
Grant	5.1	7.2	3.2	6	10
Green	5.2	6.7	2.9	9	6
Green Lake	5.7	8.0	3.9	15	24
Iowa	5.7	7.6	2.8	15	18
Iron	12.0	14.3	6.3	70	70
Jackson	9.5	13.5	3.4	67	69
Jefferson	5.6	7.3	3.3	13	13
Juneau	6.9	9.9	3.3	48	56
Kenosha	7.8	10.0	4.3	60	58
Kewaunee	4.6	6.6	3.3	4	5
La Crosse	6.1	7.9	3.2	24	23
Lafayette	4.1	5.9	2.7	1	1
Langlade	7.1	8.1	4.5	53	29
Lincoln	6.1	7.2	3.9	24	10
Manitowoc	6.3	8.3	3.5	31	34
Marathon	5.5	6.9	3.2	12	8
Marinette	7.7	10.4	5.1	57	62
Marquette	5.8	8.4	3.4	17	38
Menominee	18.3	20.6	10.5	72	72
Milwaukee	9.9	11.7	4.6	68	66
Monroe	6.1	7.5	2.9	24	17
Oconto	6.2	8.3	3.6	29	34
Oneida	7.0	8.8	3.9	51	47
Outagamie	6.1	7.8	3.3	24	21
Ozaukee	6.3	8.0	3.3	31	24
Pepin	6.0	8.1	3.3	22	29
Pierce	7.4	10.2	3.2	54	59
Polk	6.7	8.7	3.3	44	45
Portage	5.3	7.7	3.5	10	20
Price	6.6	8.5	5.4	42	42
Racine	7.7	9.4	4.6	57	53
Richland	5.0	6.4	3.0	5	4
Rock	8.2	9.9	4.0	62	56
Rusk	6.1	8.3	4.4	24	34
Sauk	6.9	10.3	2.9	48	60
Sawyer	7.9	8.6	4.4	61	44
Shawano	6.3	8.4	3.3	31	38
Sheboygan	6.2	8.0	3.0	29	24
St. Croix	7.7	9.8	3.1	57	55
Taylor	4.2	6.2	3.3	2	2
Trempealeau	6.8	8.9	3.5	45	50
Vernon	5.1	6.9	3.0	6	8
Vilas	7.0	9.0	3.5	51	52
Walworth	6.4	8.4	3.5	37	38
Washburn	6.3	8.0	3.9	31	24
Washington	6.5	8.1	3.1	40	29
Waukesha	6.4	8.1	3.3	37	29
Waupaca	5.6	7.2	3.5	13	10
Waushara	5.8	7.6	4.2	17	18
Winnebago	6.0	7.8	3.4	22	21
Wood	6.5	8.8	4.3	40	47

COUNTY	ASCENDING ORDER		
	RATE Jul-20	RATE Jun-20	RATE Jul-19
Lafayette	4.1	5.9	2.7
Taylor	4.2	6.2	3.3
Clark	4.3	6.2	3.3
Kewaunee	4.6	6.6	3.3
Richland	5.0	6.4	3.0
Calumet	5.1	6.7	3.1
Grant	5.1	7.2	3.2
Vernon	5.1	6.9	3.0
Green	5.2	6.7	2.9
Portage	5.3	7.7	3.5
Barron	5.4	7.3	3.4
Marathon	5.5	6.9	3.2
Jefferson	5.6	7.3	3.3
Waupaca	5.6	7.2	3.5
Green Lake	5.7	8.0	3.9
Iowa	5.7	7.6	2.8
Fond du Lac	5.8	8.3	3.3
Marquette	5.8	8.4	3.4
Waushara	5.8	7.6	4.2
Dane	5.9	7.4	2.7
Dunn	5.9	8.0	3.6
Pepin	6.0	8.1	3.3
Winnebago	6.0	7.8	3.4
La Crosse	6.1	7.9	3.2
Lincoln	6.1	7.2	3.9
Monroe	6.1	7.5	2.9
Outagamie	6.1	7.8	3.3
Rusk	6.1	8.3	4.4
Oconto	6.2	8.3	3.6
Sheboygan	6.2	8.0	3.0
Columbia	6.3	8.4	3.2
Crawford	6.3	8.9	3.7
Manitowoc	6.3	8.3	3.5
Ozaukee	6.3	8.0	3.3
Shawano	6.3	8.4	3.3
Washburn	6.3	8.0	3.9
Door	6.4	8.7	2.9
Walworth	6.4	8.4	3.5
Waukesha	6.4	8.1	3.3
Washington	6.5	8.1	3.1
Wood	6.5	8.8	4.3
Eau Claire	6.6	8.5	3.5
Price	6.6	8.5	5.4
Polk	6.7	8.7	3.3
Brown	6.8	8.8	3.5
Chippewa	6.8	8.2	3.5
Trempealeau	6.8	8.9	3.5
Dodge	6.9	7.4	3.1
Juneau	6.9	9.9	3.3
Sauk	6.9	10.3	2.9
Oneida	7.0	8.8	3.9
Vilas	7.0	9.0	3.5
Langlade	7.1	8.1	4.5
Buffalo	7.4	9.4	4.1
Florence	7.4	10.3	5.4
Pierce	7.4	10.2	3.2
Marinette	7.7	10.4	5.1
Racine	7.7	9.4	4.6
St. Croix	7.7	9.8	3.1
Kenosha	7.8	10.0	4.3
Sawyer	7.9	8.6	4.4
Rock	8.2	9.9	4.0
Bayfield	8.4	10.5	5.0
Adams	8.7	11.7	5.0
Ashland	8.8	10.8	5.4
Burnett	8.8	11.2	4.7
Jackson	9.5	13.5	3.4
Milwaukee	9.9	11.7	4.6
Douglas	10.1	12.2	4.3
Iron	12.0	14.3	6.3
Forest	15.1	18.7	5.3
Menominee	18.3	20.6	10.5

Note: Ranking is ascending from lowest (best) unemployment rate to highest. Ranking ties exist in the results.