

## Local Area Unemployment Statistics for the Heart of Texas Region

Source: TexasLMI.com, Waco Local Area Unemployment Statistics

| <u>WACO</u>    |           |             |            |              |      |             |            |              |      |             |            |              |      |
|----------------|-----------|-------------|------------|--------------|------|-------------|------------|--------------|------|-------------|------------|--------------|------|
|                |           | December-25 |            |              |      | November-25 |            |              |      | December-24 |            |              |      |
| Area           | Area Type | Labor Force | Employment | Unemployment | Rate | Labor Force | Employment | Unemployment | Rate | Labor Force | Employment | Unemployment | Rate |
| Texas          | State     | 15,931,415  | 15,307,152 | 624,263      | 3.9  | 16,040,844  | 15,363,268 | 677,576      | 4.2  | 15,737,596  | 15,153,794 | 583,802      | 3.7  |
| Waco           | MSA       | 149,312     | 143,939    | 5,373        | 3.6  | 150,933     | 144,758    | 6,175        | 4.1  | 147,975     | 143,058    | 4,917        | 3.3  |
| Heart Of Texas | WDA       | 185,431     | 178,647    | 6,784        | 3.7  | 187,445     | 179,727    | 7,718        | 4.1  | 182,884     | 176,648    | 6,236        | 3.4  |
| Bosque         | County    | 8,523       | 8,205      | 318          | 3.7  | 8,625       | 8,277      | 348          | 4.0  | 8,382       | 8,094      | 288          | 3.4  |
| Falls          | County    | 6,752       | 6,497      | 255          | 3.8  | 6,847       | 6,564      | 283          | 4.1  | 6,635       | 6,389      | 246          | 3.7  |
| Freestone      | County    | 7,494       | 7,144      | 350          | 4.7  | 7,549       | 7,184      | 365          | 4.8  | 7,189       | 6,881      | 308          | 4.3  |
| Hill           | County    | 19,076      | 18,395     | 681          | 3.6  | 19,299      | 18,552     | 747          | 3.9  | 18,435      | 17,800     | 635          | 3.4  |
| Limestone      | County    | 9,549       | 9,169      | 380          | 4.0  | 9,664       | 9,233      | 431          | 4.5  | 9,285       | 8,909      | 376          | 4.0  |
| McLennan       | County    | 134,037     | 129,237    | 4,800        | 3.6  | 135,461     | 129,917    | 5,544        | 4.1  | 132,958     | 128,575    | 4,383        | 3.3  |
| Waco           | City      | 72,515      | 69,922     | 2,593        | 3.6  | 73,325      | 70,290     | 3,035        | 4.1  | 71,983      | 69,564     | 2,419        | 3.4  |