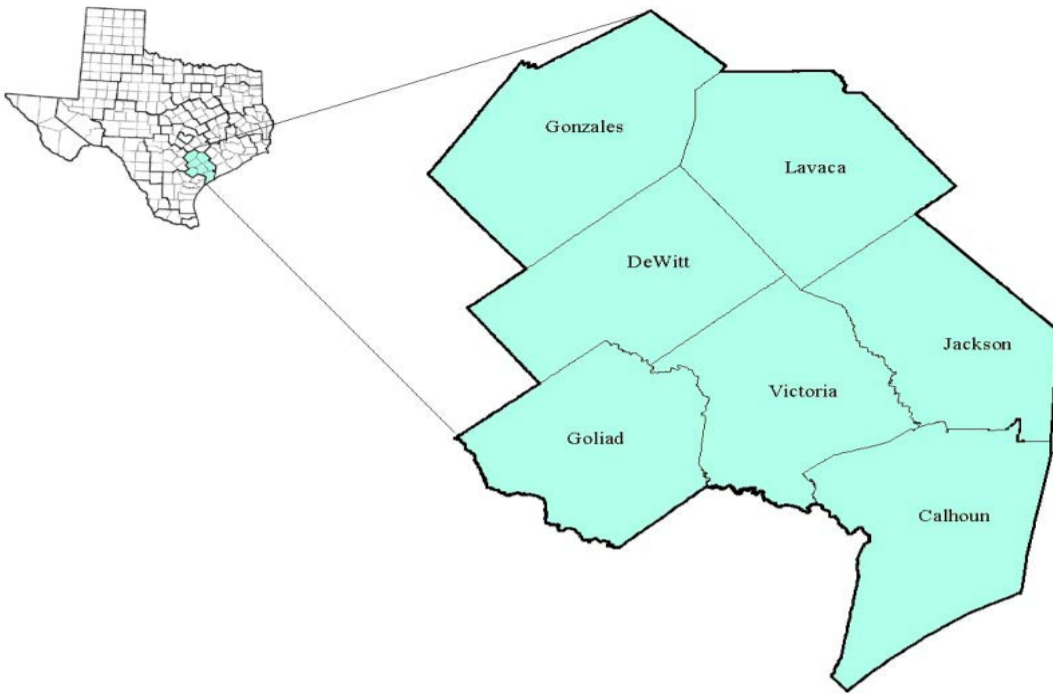


Golden Crescent Workforce Development Area

November 2017



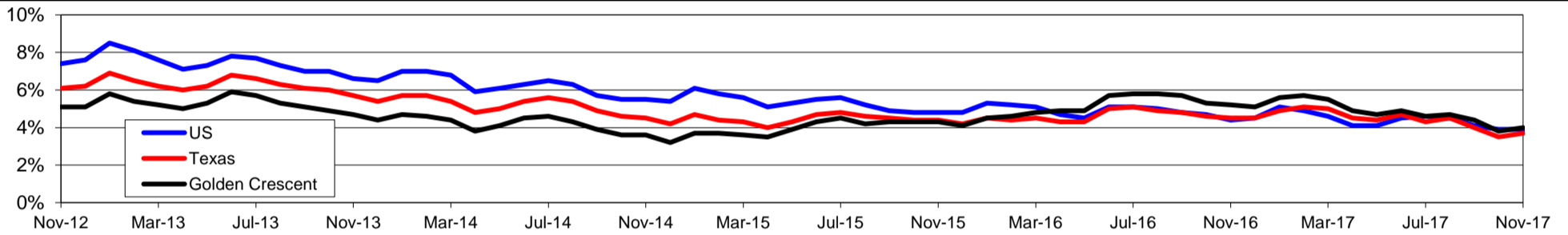
WDA Labor Force Statistics				
	Nov-17	Oct-17	Nov-16	OTY
CLF	91,263	91,139	92,373	-1,110
Employed	87,642	87,666	87,587	55
Unemployed	3,621	3,473	4,786	-1,165
Rate	4.0%	3.8%	5.2%	-1.2%

Texas Labor Force Statistics				
	Nov-17	Oct-17	Nov-16	OTY
CLF	13,501,846	13,392,522	13,371,089	130,757
Employed	13,002,576	12,922,849	12,771,219	231,357
Unemployed	499,270	469,673	599,870	-100,600
Rate	3.7%	3.5%	4.5%	-0.8%

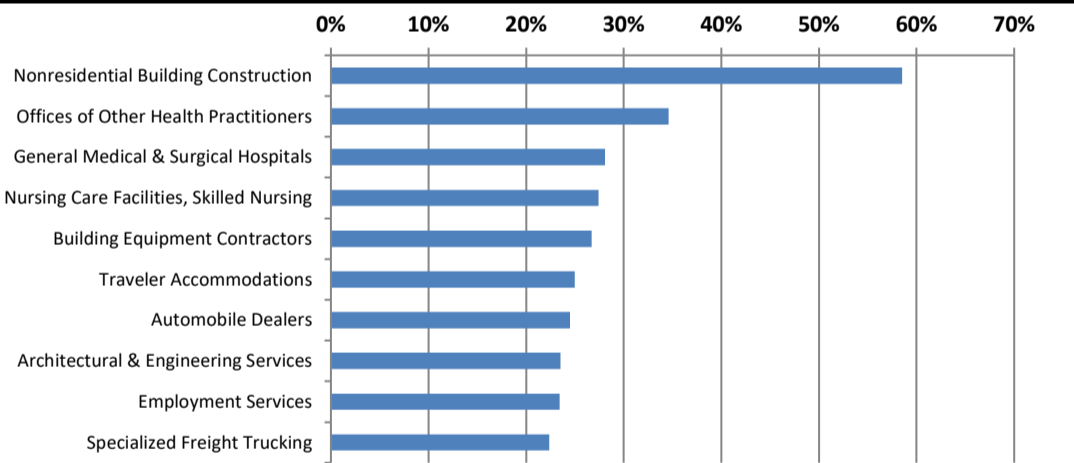
US Labor Force Statistics				
	Nov-17	Oct-17	Nov-16	OTY
CLF	160,466,000	160,465,000	159,451,000	1,015,000
Employed	154,180,000	154,223,000	152,385,000	1,795,000
Unemployed	6,286,000	6,242,000	7,066,000	-780,000
Rate	3.9%	3.9%	4.4%	-0.5%

Continued Claims for the Week of the 12th				
	Nov-17	Oct-17	Nov-16	OTY
WDA	751	801	1,109	-358
Texas	104,499	105,966	126,982	-22,483

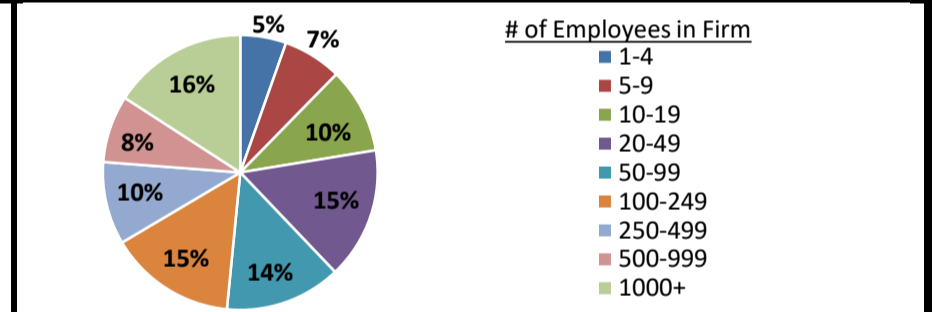
Historical Unemployment Rates



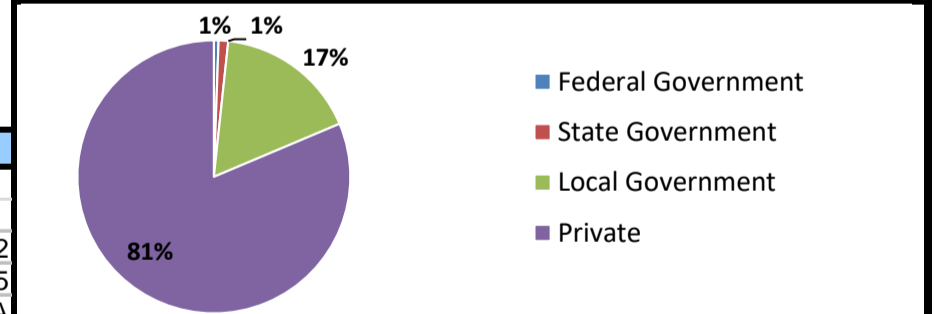
Projected Fastest Growing Industries in WDA (% growth 2014-2024)



Employment by Size Class (2nd Quarter 2017)



Employment by Ownership (2nd Quarter 2017)



Average Weekly Wage (2nd Quarter 2017)

	Q2 2017	Q1 2017	Q2 2016	Change	
				Quarter	Year
WDA	\$869	\$883	\$827	-\$14	\$42
Texas	\$1,026	\$1,124	\$1,000	-\$99	\$25
US	N/A	\$1,111	\$988	N/A	N/A

Employment by Industry (2nd Quarter 2017, Percent Change)

Industry	Employment	% of total	% Change	
			Quarter	Year
Natural resources and mining	5,043	6.5%	6.5%	16.3%
Construction	6,560	8.5%	1.0%	-3.4%
Manufacturing	9,397	12.2%	0.8%	-6.5%
Trade, transportation and utilities	16,212	21.0%	-0.2%	-1.7%
Information	692	0.9%	0.9%	-3.6%
Financial activities	3,322	4.3%	3.3%	5.0%
Professional and business services	4,613	6.0%	4.6%	12.0%
Education and health services	18,747	24.3%	-1.0%	-2.0%
Leisure and hospitality	7,380	9.6%	4.6%	1.2%
Other services	1,987	2.6%	4.7%	1.8%
Public administration	3,116	4.0%	-0.5%	-0.4%
Total	77,069	100.0%	1.2%	-0.1%

Employment by Industry (2nd Quarter 2017)

