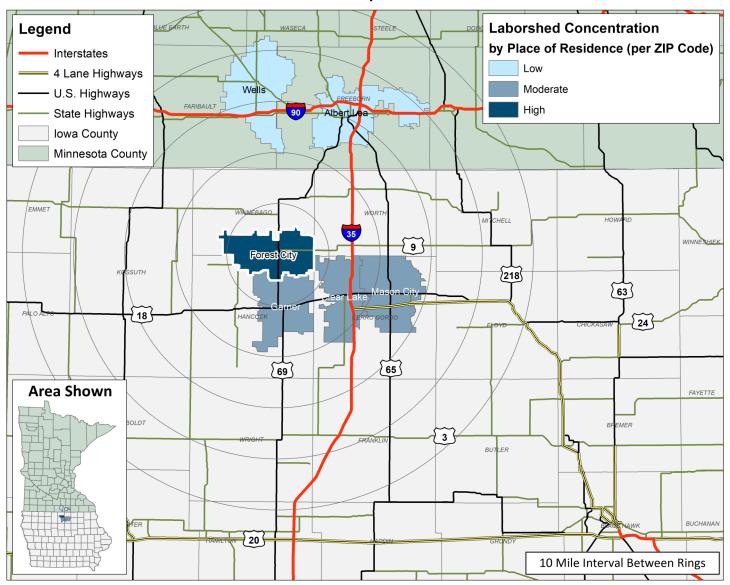
# LABOR CHARACTERISTICS FINANCIAL SERVICES



# FOREST CITY, IA LABORSHED AREA

CONCENTRATION OF RESPONDENTS WITHIN THE LABORSHED AREA WITH TRANSFERABLE EXPERIENCE/SKILLS BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE



Workers who have transferable experience/skills in the industry are currently commuting an average of 8 miles one way for work. Those who are likely to change/accept employment are willing to commute an average of 32 miles one way for the right employment opportunity.

# FOR MORE INFORMATION REGARDING THE FOREST CITY, IA LABORSHED, CONTACT:

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# LABOR CHARACTERISTICS

# **FINANCIAL SERVICES**

## **ESTIMATED AVAILABLE LABOR PER OCCUPATIONAL CATEGORY:**

- Accountants and Auditors 329
- Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks 1,974
- Customer Service Representatives 2,304
- Financial Analysts 330
- Financial Managers 328
- Insurance Claims and Policy Processing Clerks 331
- Insurance Sales Agents 988

## AN ESTIMATED TOTAL OF 6,584 PEOPLE IN THE LABORSHED AREA

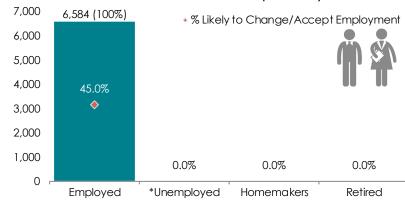
## **UNDEREMPLOYMENT** (ESTIMATED):

- Low hours 10.0% (55)
- Low income 0.0%
- Mismatch of skills 15.0% (82)
- Total 25.0% (137)

(Individuals counted only once when estimating Total Underemployment.)



# ESTIMATED TOTAL BY EMPLOYMENT STATUS (PERCENTAGE):



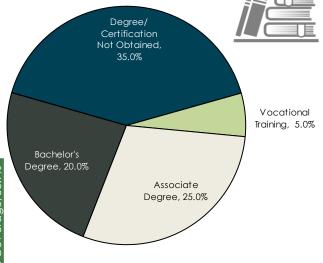
<sup>\*</sup>Employment status is self-identified by the survey respondent. The unemployment percentage does not reflect the unemployment rate published by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, which applies a stricter definition.

#### **EMPLOYMENT STATS:**

- 60.0% paid an hourly wage
- 80.0% are/were employed full-time
- 20.0% are/were employed part-time
- 5.0% are/were self-employed
- 15.0% hold two or more jobs
- Currently working an average of 41 hours/week

### **EDUCATIONAL LEVEL:**

(85.0% HAVE AN EDUCATION BEYOND HIGH SCHOOL)



## **CURRENT BENEFITS:**

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Health/MedicalInsurance,

Paid Vacation, 94.49
Dental Cov erage, 88.9%

Pension/Retirement/401k, 83.39
Life Insurance, 77.8%
Disability Insurance, 72.2%
Paid Holidays, 72.2%

Prescription Drug Cov erage, 55.6% Employee Discount, 50.0% Hex Spending, 50.0%

Vision Cov erage, 66.

# **DESIRED BENEFITS:**

Dental Cov erage, 100%
Disability Insurance, 100%
Health/Medical Insurance, 100%
Incentive Reward Programs, 100%
Paid Vacation, 100%
Pension/Retirement/401k, 100%
Employee Discount, 88.9%
Hiring Bonuses, 88.9%
Life Insurance, 88.9%
Paid Holidays, 88.9%
Vision Cov erage, 88.9%

## TOP JOB SEARCH RESOURCES:

(For those seeking employment opportunities, by use.)

- Internet 85.0%
  - www.indeed.com
  - www.linkedin.com
  - www.facebook.com
  - Company/organization websites
- Private Employment Services 35.0%
- Newspapers 35.0%
- IowaWORKS Centers 30.0%

# LABOR CHARACTERISTICS

# **ENTIRE SERVICES**

OCCUPATION	OCCUPATIONAL CODE	MEAN WAGE	ENTRY WAGE	EXPERIENCED WAGE	MEDIAN WAGE	MEAN ANNUAL SALARY
Accountants and Auditors	13-2011	\$28.98	\$20.14	\$33.39	\$27.69	\$60,269
Billing and Posting Clerks	43-3021	\$17.68	\$13.72	\$19.67	\$17.76	\$36,782
Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	43-3031	\$17.83	\$11.79	\$20.85	\$17.12	\$37,078
Compliance Officers	13-1041	\$31.11	\$21.19	\$36.06	\$29.54	\$64,705
Computer and Information Systems Managers	11-3021	\$59.30	\$42.09	\$67.91	\$55.08	\$123,349
Credit Counselors	13-2071	\$22.56	\$13.65	\$27.01	\$18.52	\$46,921
Customer Service Representatives	43-4051	\$16.93	\$12.08	\$19.35	\$16.23	\$35,209
Financial Managers	11-3031	\$51.30	\$30.94	\$61.48	\$46.14	\$106,705
First-Line Supervisors of Non-Retail Sales Workers	41-1012	\$40.39	\$30.04	\$45.56	\$38.29	\$84,002
First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	43-1011	\$27.18	\$17.46	\$32.04	\$26.58	\$56,537
Insurance Claims and Policy Processing Clerks	43-9041	\$22.39	\$17.86	\$24.65	\$22.31	\$46,564
Insurance Sales Agents	41-3021	\$25.56	\$16.54	\$30.07	\$23.53	\$53,163
Loan Officers	13-2072	\$38.11	\$26.01	\$44.15	\$36.34	\$79,260
Tellers	43-3071	\$15.18	\$12.22	\$16.66	\$14.85	\$31,574

The 2021 Iowa Wage data for the Forest City, IA Laborshed area was produced by the Labor Force & Occupational Analysis Bureau to provide communities local information on wages by occupation. The source of the wage and employment data is based on the May 2020 OES estimates. Additional occupational wage and employment data can be found at <a href="https://www.iowalmi.gov/laborshed">www.iowalmi.gov/laborshed</a>.

