



### Finance and Administration Roundtable

# The Washington Area Economy: Repositioning for Renewed Growth

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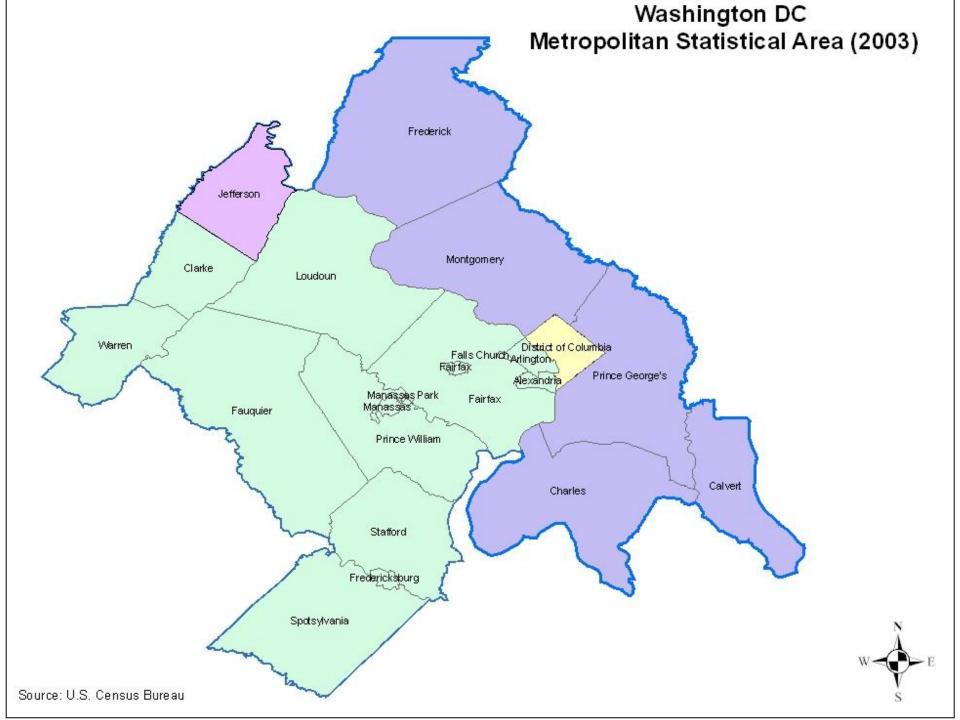
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### The Washington Metropolitan Area from The International Space Station, January 20, 2013





The District of Columbia and Washington CRA GEORGE Metropolitan Area Economies in 2044 (population and employment in millions, GSP/GRP in billions of 2009 \$s) Metric Change 2014 2044 <u>%</u> <u>%</u> Population: DC 0.760 0.660 15.1Metro Area 5.988 7.715 28.8 11.0 9.8 0.752 Employment: DC 0.965 28.4Metro Area 3.093 4.313 39.4 24.322.4 **GSP/GRP: DC** \$106.0 \$191.6 80.6 23.8 \$1,028.0 131.2 \$444.5 Metro Area 18.6

Source: IHS Economics, GMU Center for Regional Analysis





## The First 200 Years





### Population and Federal Employment Growth In the Washington Area, 1800-2000

<u>Years</u>	DC	<u>Metro Area</u>	Federal Employees
1800	8,144	63,653*	131**
1860	75,080	141,215*	2,199**
1870	131,700	203,108*	6,222**
1900	278,718	378,605*	20,834**
1930	486,869	672,198	68,510**
1940	663,091	967,985	133,645**
1950	792,234	1,452,349	214,077**
1992	597,350	4,271,800	355,310
2000	572,552	4,843,280	326,230
2010	607,000	5,614,460	380,200

\*DC, Alexandria, Arlington, Fairfax, Montgomery, Prince George's, \*\*in DC only

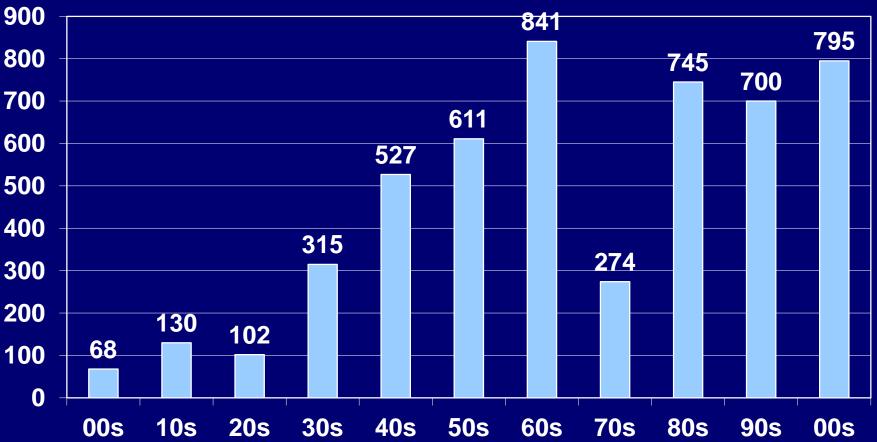
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### Population Growth by Decade Washington MSA 1900 - 2010

Thousands

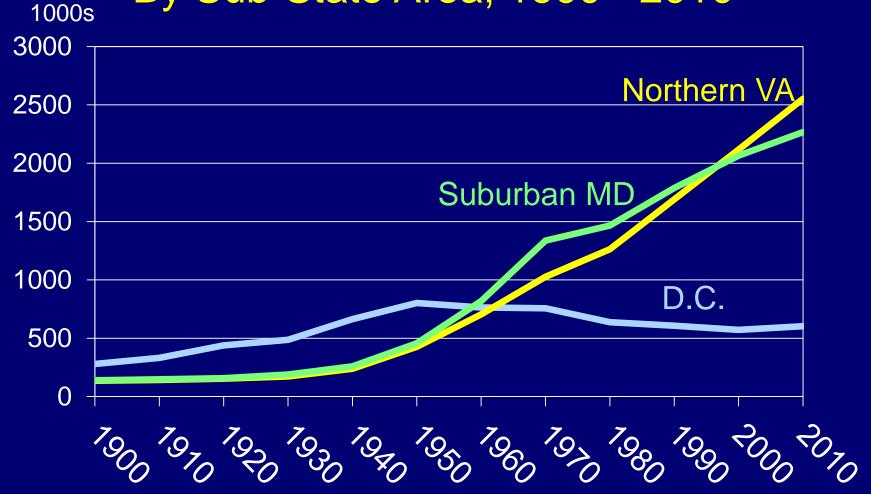


Source: US Census and GMU Center for Regional Analysis





### Population in the Washington MSA By Sub-State Area, 1900 - 2010

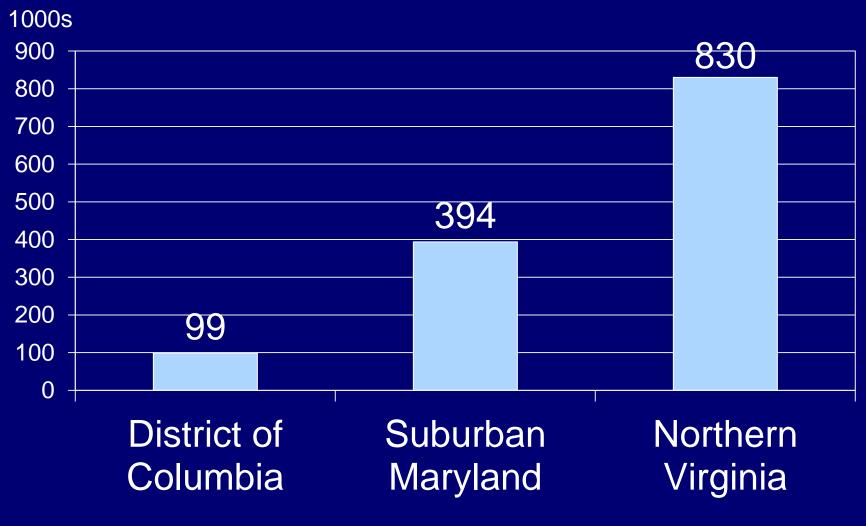


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### Growth in Jobs, 1980 - 2010

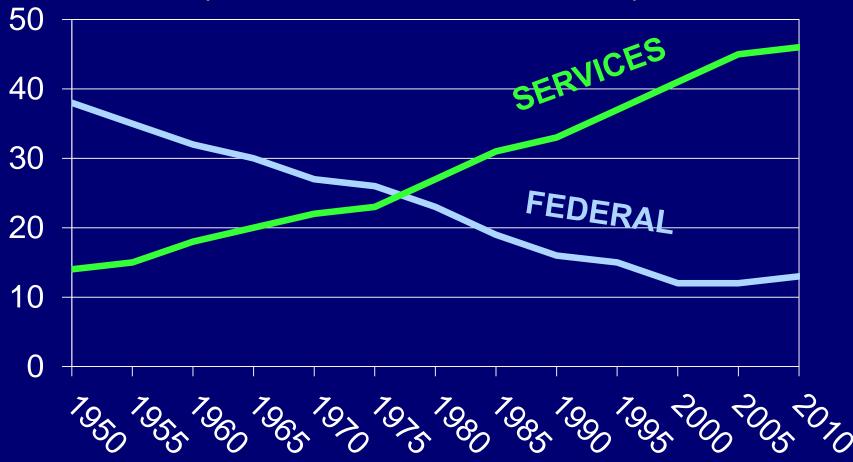


Source: US Bureau of Labor Statistics, GMU Center for Regional Analysis





### Changing Job Patterns in the Washington Metro Area, 1950 – 2010 (Percent Share of Total)







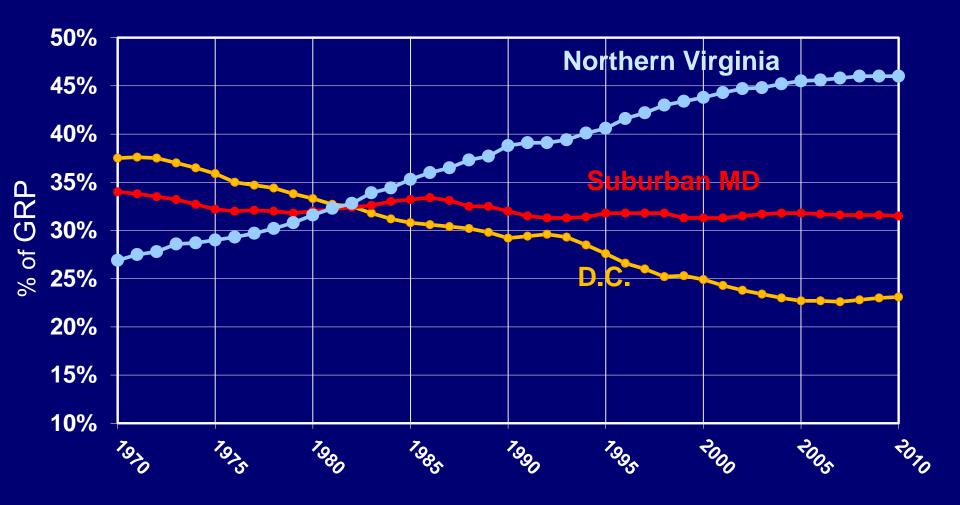
### Federal Spending By Type, Washington Metro Area, 1984 - 2010



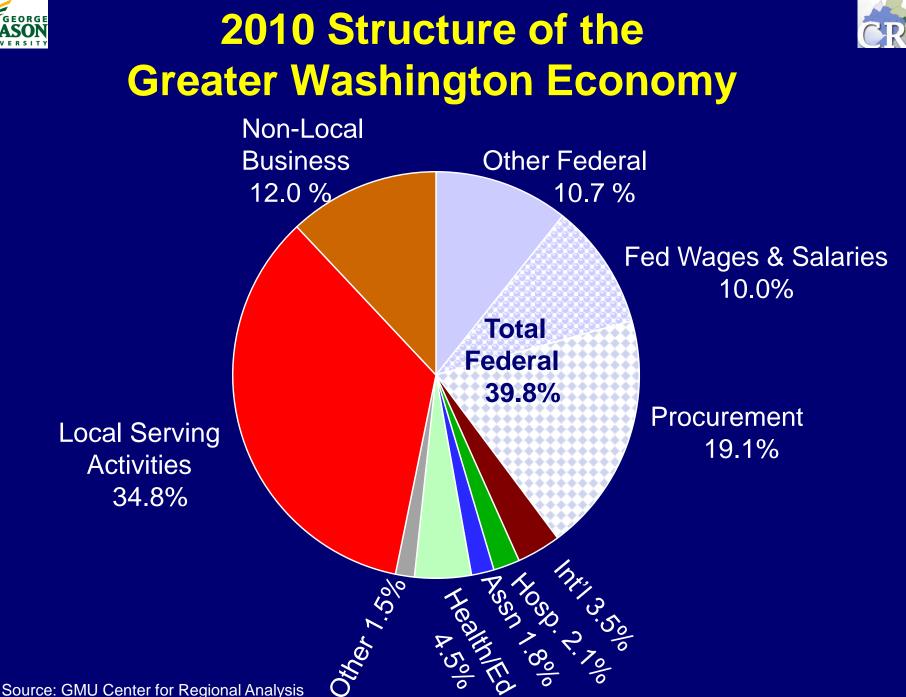
Source: US Census, Consolidated Federal Funds Report



### Share of Washington Area Economy 1970-2010









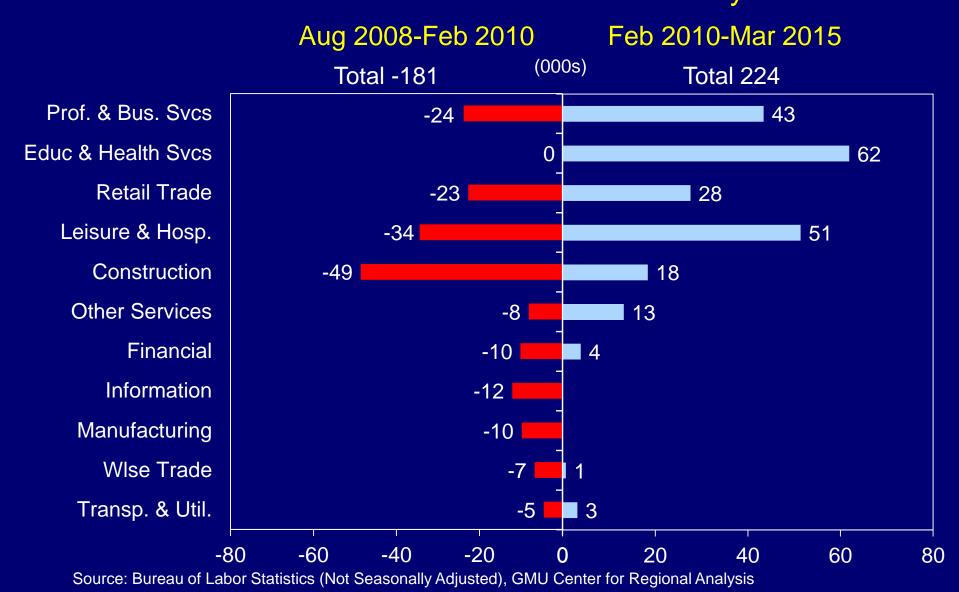


# From the Recession to the Federal Sequester and Shutdown





#### WMSA Payroll Job Change: Private Sector The Great Recession and Recovery







### The GRP\* Effects of Private Sector Job Change in the Washington Metropolitan Area Aug 2008-March 2015 (in 2014 \$s)

Job Change	Total GRP Value
- 181,300	- \$29,044,064,000 <sup>1</sup>
+ 223,700	+ <u>\$22,175,100,000</u> <sup>2</sup>
+ 42,400	- \$6,868,964,000

Source: GMU Center for Regional Analysis

- \*Gross Regional Product
- <sup>1</sup> \$160,200 per job contribution to GRP
- <sup>2</sup> \$99,130 per job contribution to GRP





# Summary of Federal Spending Trends in the Washington Metropolitan Area, 2010-2013

- Federal Procurement Outlays declined \$13.3 billion or 16.1% between FY 2010 and FY 2013.
- Federal employment has declined since peaking in July 2010, losing 21,800 jobs or 5.6%.
- Federal payroll declined by \$2.4 billion or 5.7% between FY 2010 and FY 2014 and will continue to decline as the workforce shrinks and older workers retire and are replaced by younger workers.





### **Federal Government** Washington MSA

(000s) Annual Data

Annual Month over Year







### **Professional & Business Services** Washington MSA

(000s) Annual Data

Annual Month over Year







### Average Wage and Job Change Washington Metro Area

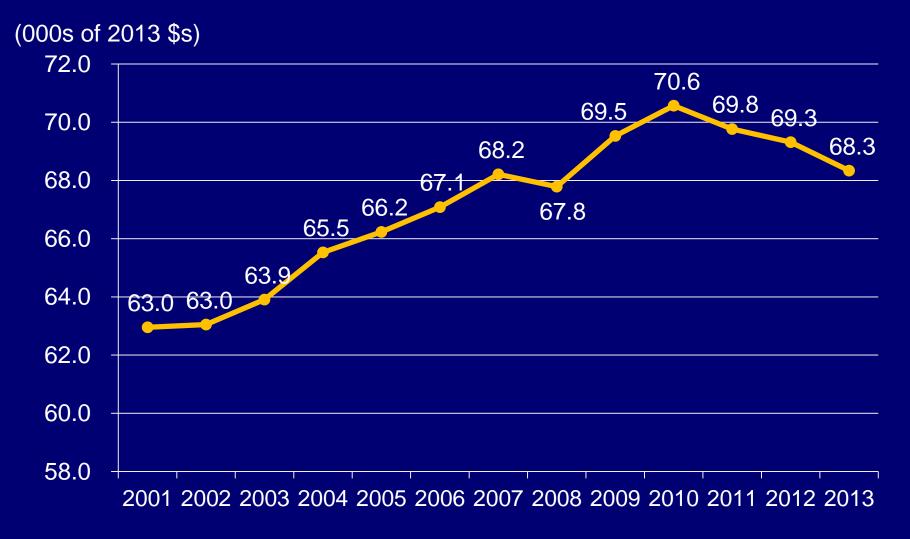


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# Average Wages in the Washington Metro Area, 2001-2013

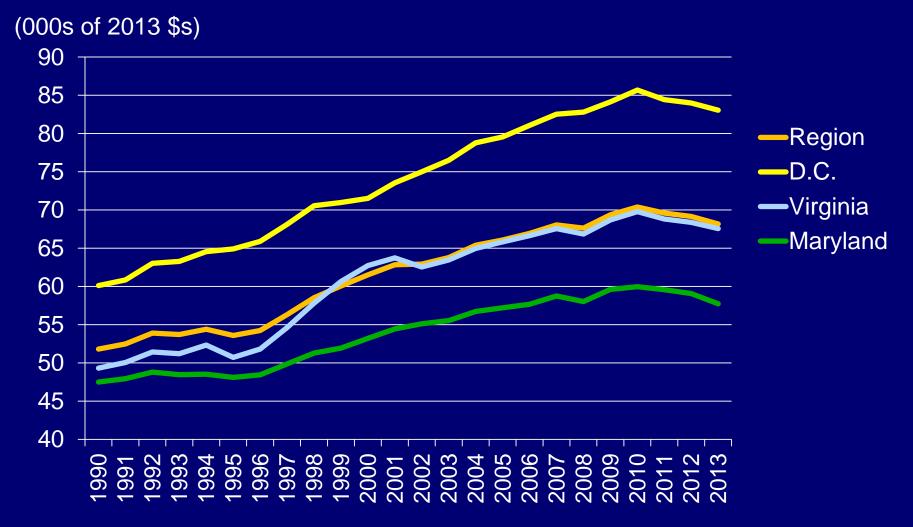


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### Average Wage, Washington Metro Area



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### The Household Income Effects of Structura Change in the Washington Metropolitan Area

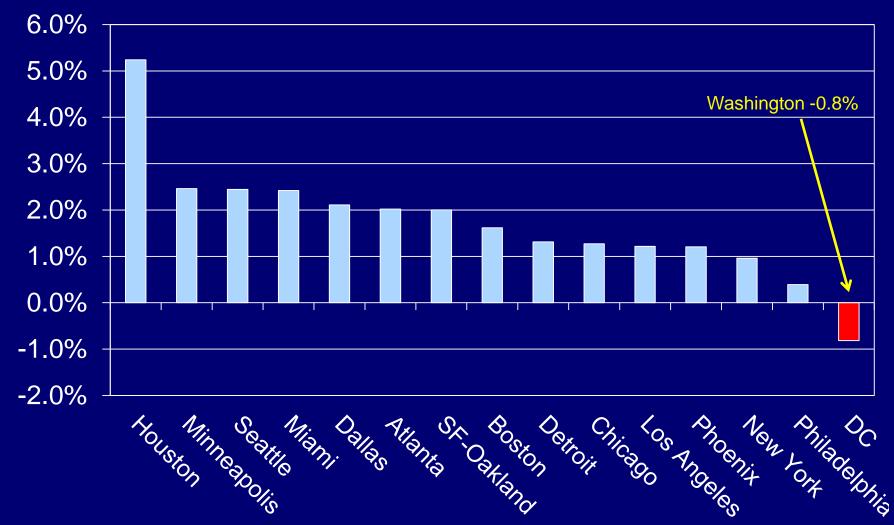
<u>Jurisdiction</u>	Median HH Income 2013*	Change from 2009*
District (DC)	\$67,575	\$2,919
Frederick Cty	84,308	- \$5,856
Montgomery C	Cty 98,326	- \$4,552
Prince George	e's Cty 72,052	- \$4,060
Arlington Cour	nty 102,501	- \$1,675
Fairfax County	/ 111,079	- \$249
Loudoun Cour	nty 116,768	- \$7,283
Prince Wm Co	ounty 95,268	- \$2,234
Alexandria Cit	y 86,775	\$2,985
Total Metro Ar	ea \$90,149	- \$2,287

Source: U.S. Census, ACS 1-Year; GMU Center for Regional Analysis





### 15 Largest Metro Area Job Markets GRP Percent Change: 2012 – 2013

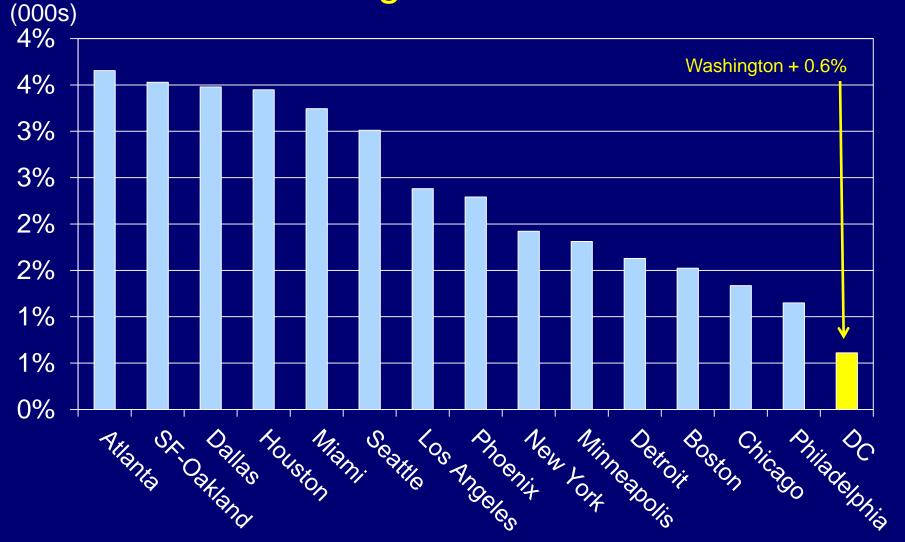


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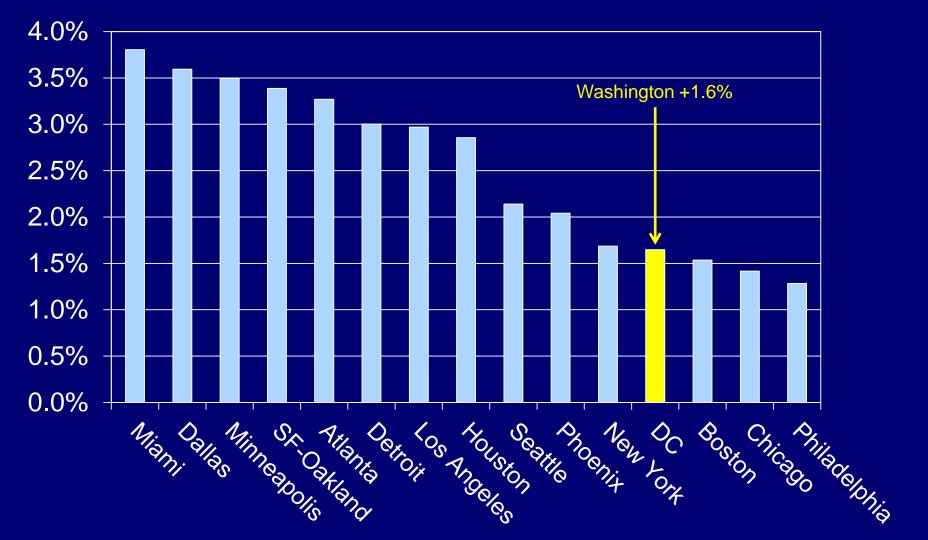


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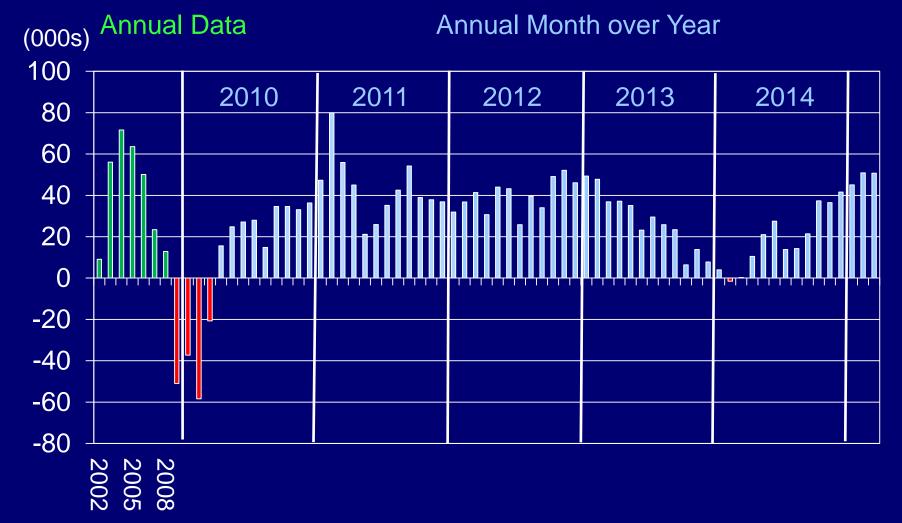
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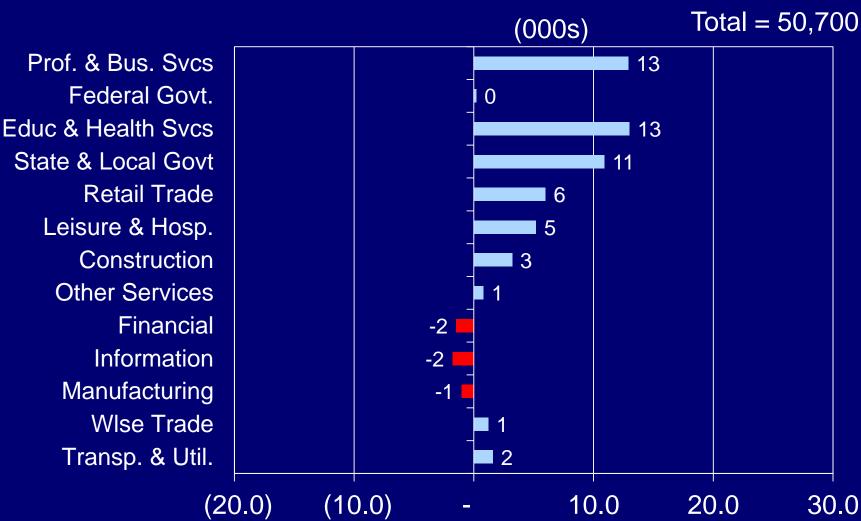


### Annual Job Change Washington MSA, 2002-2015





### Job Change by Sector Mar 2014 – Mar 2015 Washington MSA







### Job Change by Sector Feb 2015 – Mar 2015 Washington MSA



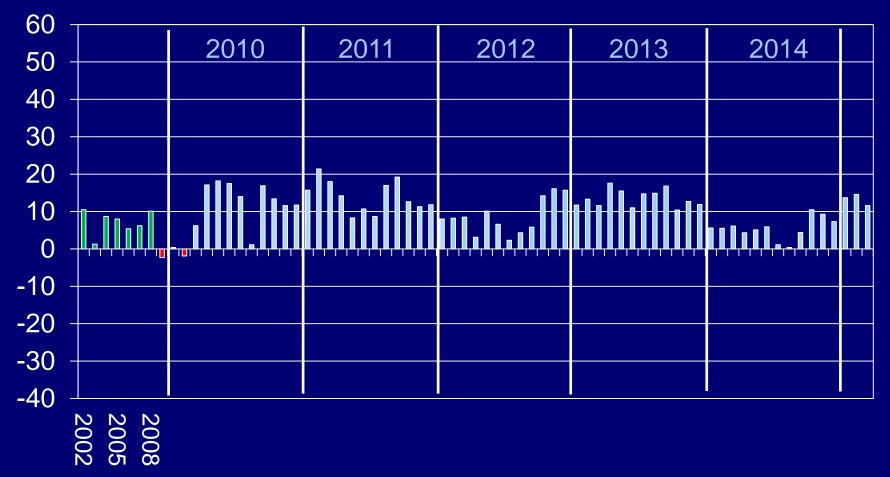




### Annual Job Change District of Columbia, 2002-2015

(000s) Annual Data

Annual Month over Year



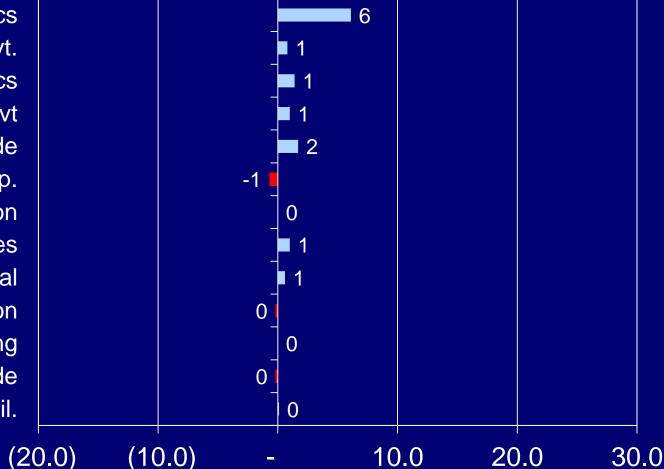




Total 11,600

#### Job Change by Sector Mar 2014 – Mar 2015 District of Columbia (000s)

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Total 700

### Job Change by Sector Feb 2015 – Mar 2015 District of Columbia (000s)

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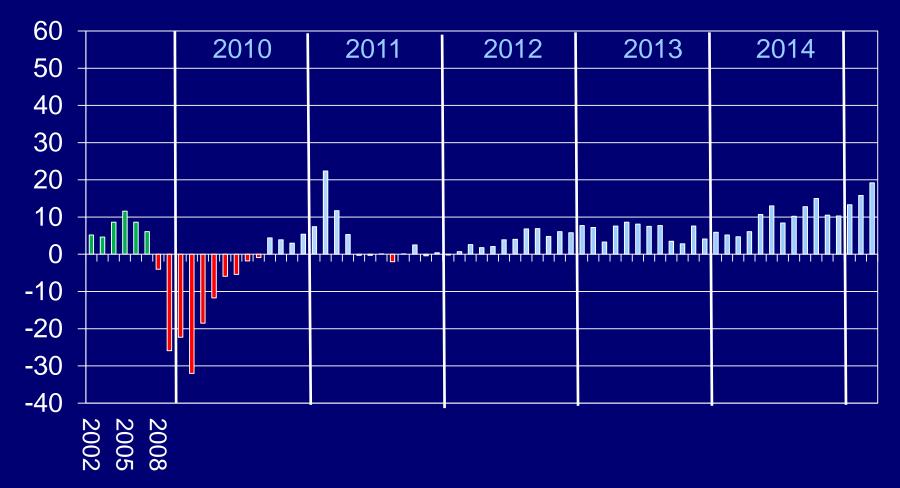




### Annual Job Change Suburban Maryland, 2002-2015

(000s) Annual Data

Annual Month over Year



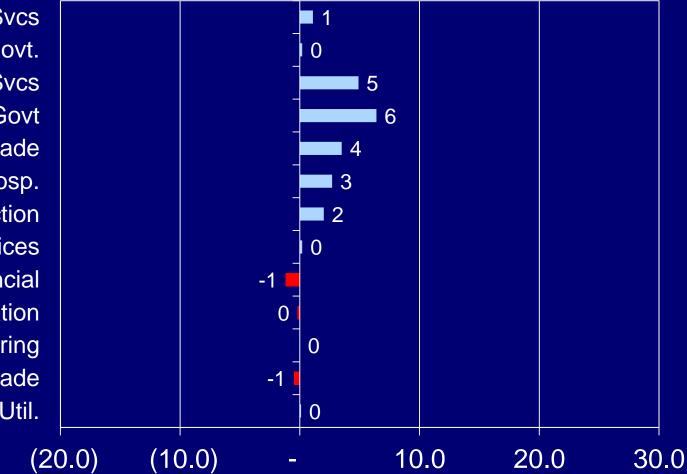




Total 19,200

### Job Change by Sector Mar 2014 – Mar 2015 Suburban Maryland (000s)

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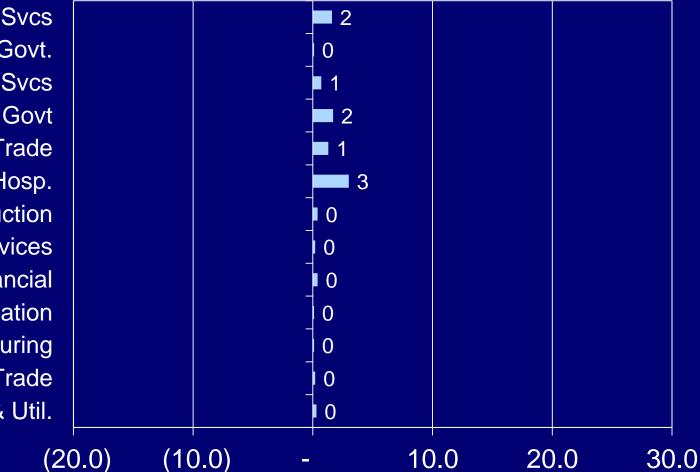




Total 10,100

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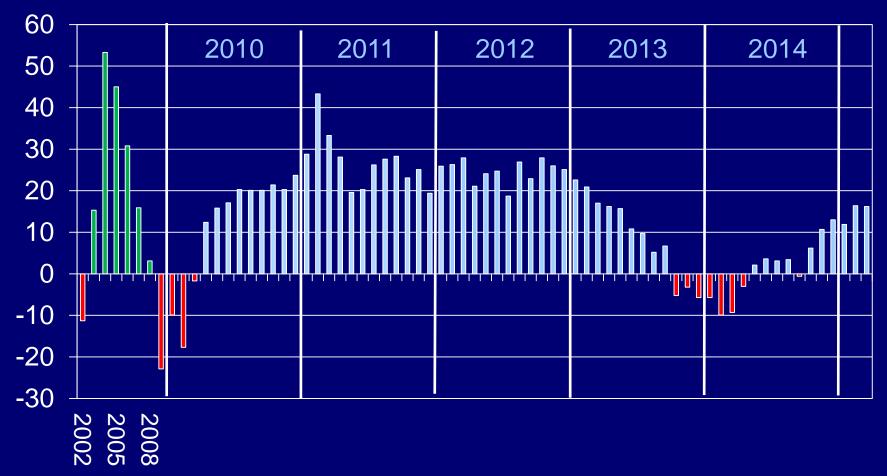




### Annual Job Change Northern Virginia, 2002-2015

(000s) Annual Data

Annual Month over Year







Total 16,200

# Job Change by Sector Mar 2014 – Mar 2015 Northern Virginia

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Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics (Not Seasonally Adjusted), GMU Center for Regional Analysis





Total 6,300

# Job Change by Sector Feb 2015 – Mar 2015 Northern Virginia

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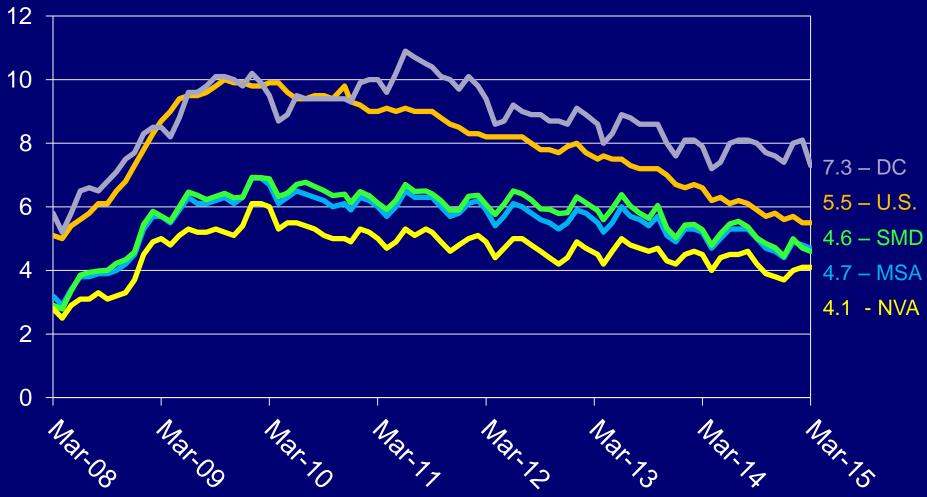


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## Unemployment Rates in the WMSA By Sub-State Area, 2008-2015



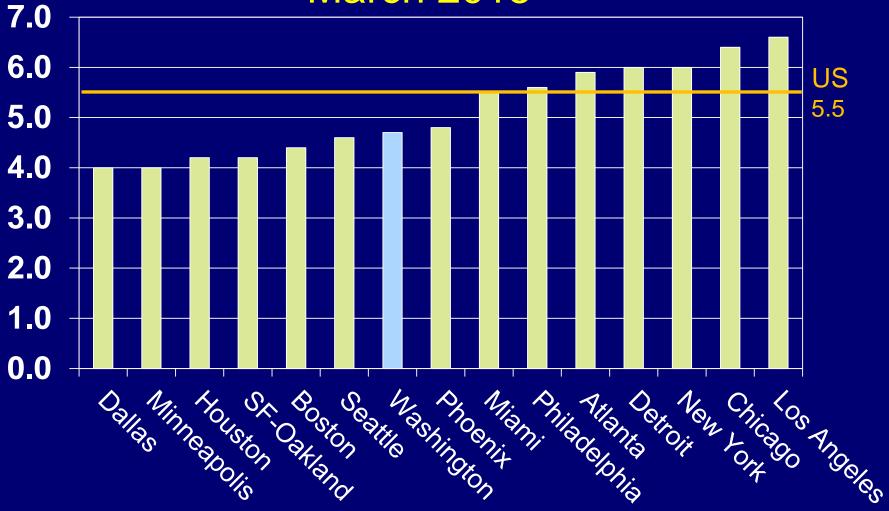
Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics (Region - Not Seasonally Adjusted, US - Seasonally Adjusted)



%



# 15 Largest Job Markets Ranked by Unemployment Rate March 2015







# Economic Outlook for the Washington Metropolitan Area: 2014-2019





# Washington Metropolitan Area and U.S. Economic Growth 2012-2019

(annual percent real change)

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<u>Year</u>	<u>U.S.</u>	<u>WMSA</u>
2013	2.2	- 0.8
2014	2.4	0.7
2015	2.8	1.4
2016	2.7	1.9
2017	2.7	2.4
2018	2.4	2.9
2019	2.7	3.2

Sources: IHS Economics, Inc. April 2015 ; GMU Center for Regional Analysis

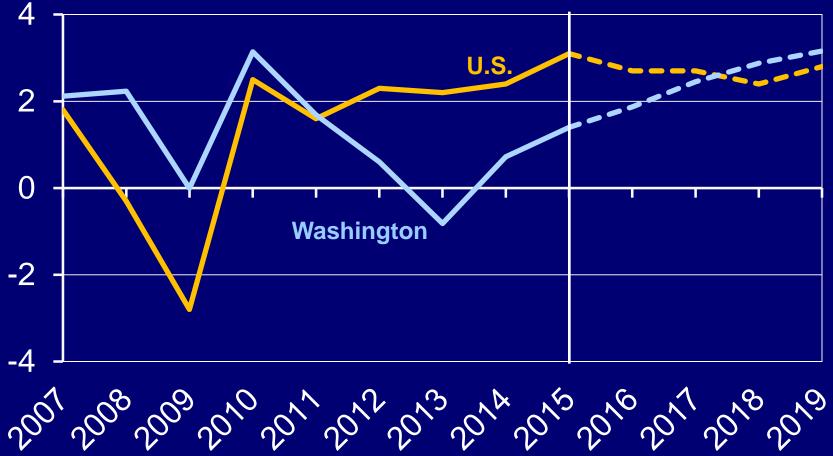


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# U.S. GDP and Washington Area GRP 2007 – 2015 – 2019

(Annual % Change)



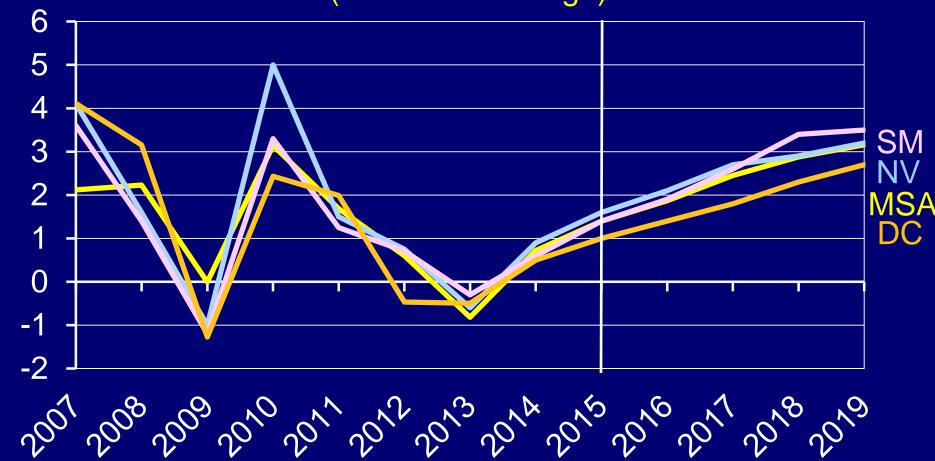
Source: IHS Economics, GMU Center for Regional Analysis, Forecast: January 2015



%



### Economic Outlook (GRP), 2007-2019 Washington Area and Sub-State Areas (Annual % Change)



Source: GMU Center for Regional Analysis, Forecast: January 2015





# Employment Change in the WMSA by Sub-State Area (000s)

	2012	2013	2014*	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
D.C.	9.2	13.0	6.5	7.9	9.1	11.0	12.7	11.7
Sub. MD	4.0	6.1	11.1	12.5	17.0	20.1	16.9	15.8
No. VA	26.4	8.9	1.3	15.6	22.8	26.7	19.0	17.9
REGION	<b>39.6</b>	28.0	18.9	36.0	48.9	58.0	<b>48.6</b>	45.4

Average Annual Change 1990-2010 = 35,980

Source: BLS, IHS Economics, GMU Center for Regional Analysis (January 2015) NOTE: The regional totals do not include Jefferson, WV.





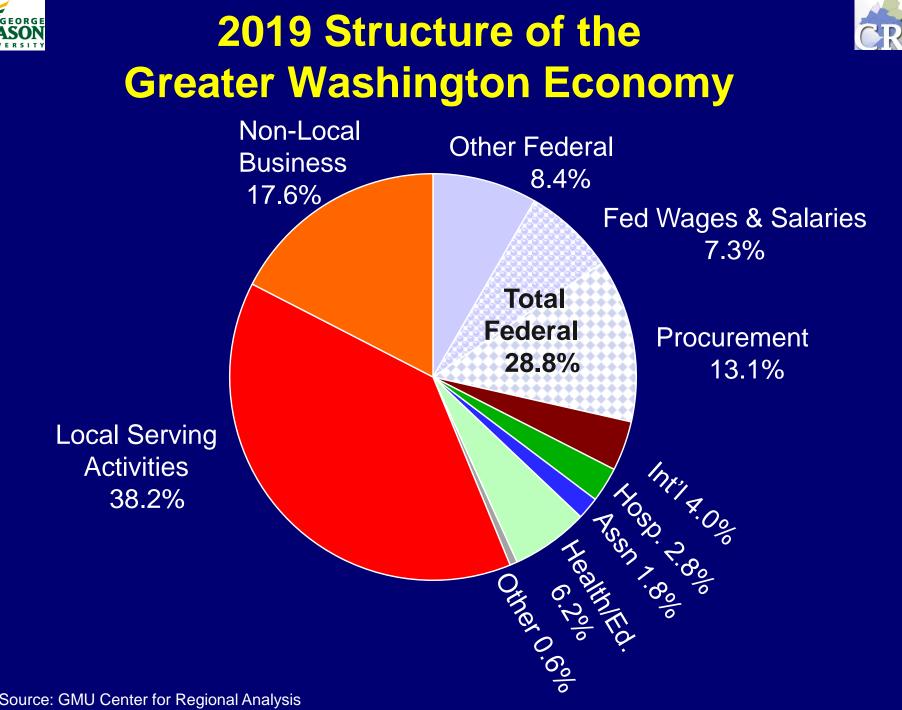
#### Principal Sources of Job and GRP Growth in the Washington Area, 2014-2019 (in thousands)

Growth	Job	% of Total	Average Value		
<u>Sectors</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>Job Change</u>	Added per Job*		
Prof. & Bus. Ser.	114.4	48.3	\$157,969		
Construction	48.8	20.5	\$111,992		
Education/Health	28.7	12.1	\$72,162		
Hospitality Services	27.1	11.4	\$51,110		
State and Local	20.2	8.5	\$81,736		
Sub-Total	239.2	100.8	\$119,749		
Overall Total	236.9	100.0	\$154,131		

Sources: IHS Global Insight; GMU Center for Regional Analysis

\*in 2014\$s





Source: GMU Center for Regional Analysis





# Thank You Questions

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