

LABOR FORCE



Labor Law

Right to work state
“Check-off” only with
employee consent
Picket regulation
No secondary strikes or boycotts
Workman’s Compensation
Minimum Wage Law



Union Activity

Even though a few major firms are unionized, most smaller firms are not.
Local companies have experienced no work stoppages during the past five years.

Lake Jackson

Labor Force Annual Average

	<u>June 2018</u>
Total Civilian Labor Force	15,130
Employment	14,619
Unemployment	479
Unemployment Rate	3.2%

Brazoria County

Labor Force Annual Average

	<u>June 2018</u>
Total Civilian Labor Force	170,462
Employment	161,287
Unemployment	9,175
Unemployment Rate	5.4%

Source: *The Alliance - Economic Development for Brazoria County*
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