SIOUXLAND LABORSHED ANALYSIS

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EMPLOYMENT STATUS (ESTIMATED TOTAL)*



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Total Potential Labor Force: 285,314 (entire Laborshed area)

Estimated Number of Individuals Very Likely or Somewhat Likely to Change or Accept Employment (63,766)

- 54,933 Employed
- 2,652 Unemployed
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- 3,716 Retired

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EMPLOYMENT LEVELS AND STATUS BY INDUSTRY

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Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	8.3%	18,519	84.2%	12.5%	2.6%
Public Administration & Government	7.5%	16,734	78.4%	17.2%	2.7%
Personal Services	7.3%	16,287	82.4%	32.1%	2.9%
Transportation, Communication & Utilities	6.8%	15,172	81.3%	23.1%	6.3%
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EMPLOYED - WILLING TO CHANGE EMPLOYMENT

- 12.5% are working multiple jobs
- Currently working an average of 40 hrs/week
- Average age is 49 years old
- 31.7% currently working within the professional, paraprofessional & technical occupational category followed by 15.4% within the clerical and managerial occupational categories
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