

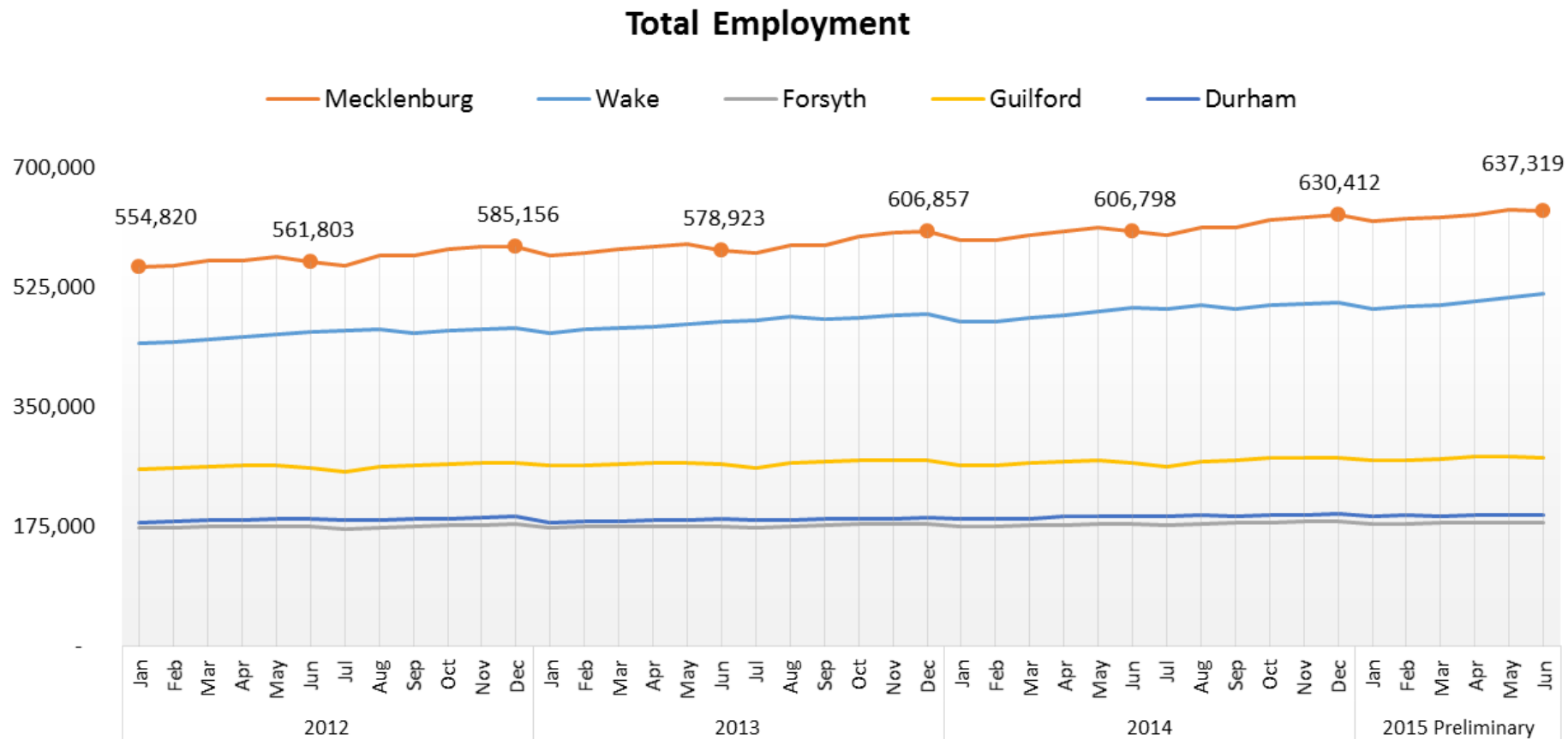


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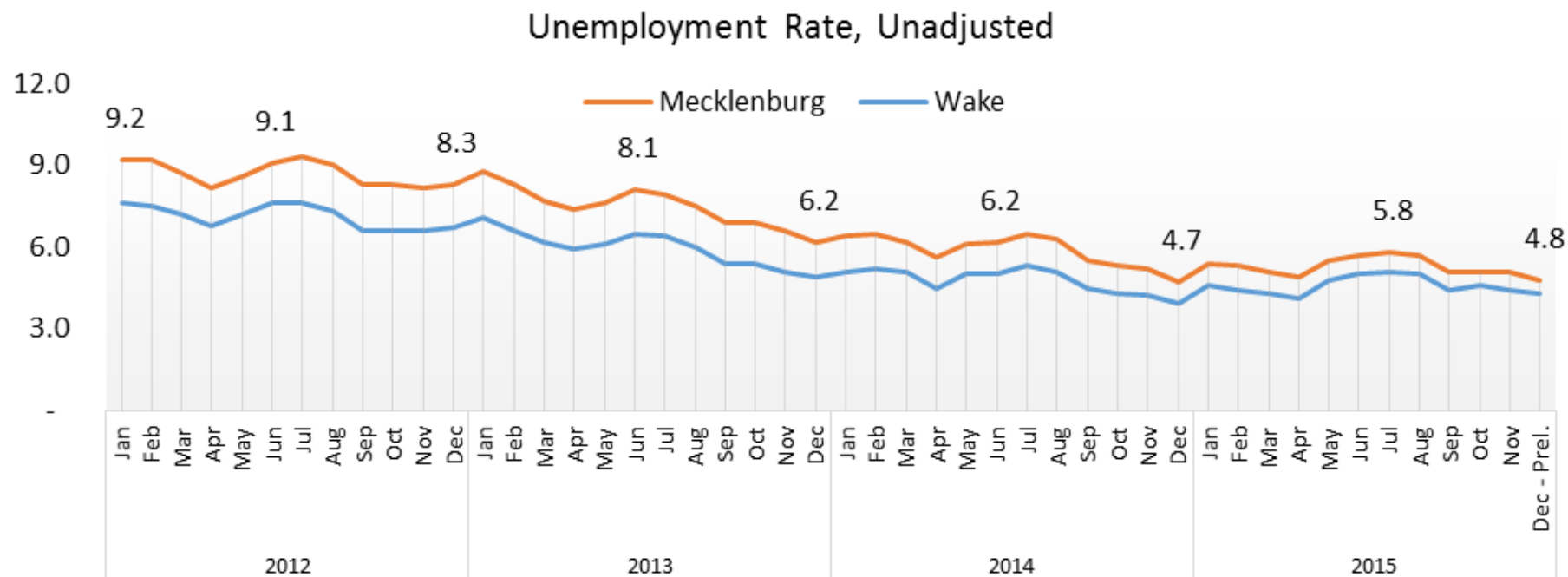
# Upward Mobility: Net Job Growth



Source: US Bureau of Labor Statistics



# Upward Mobility: Unemployment Rate



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# Upward Mobility: What can be done to create new jobs & decrease unemployment

The Economic Development Department is guiding the Board & the Economic Development Committee through the process of developing a comprehensive strategy to address job attainment and retention:

- The strategy will match the 8,000 entry level jobs with people that need them
- The strategy will address job retention, training, and other barriers keeping people from jobs
- Workforce development strategies
- Small business creation & support strategies
- Using County resource to enhance and grow tourism economy



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