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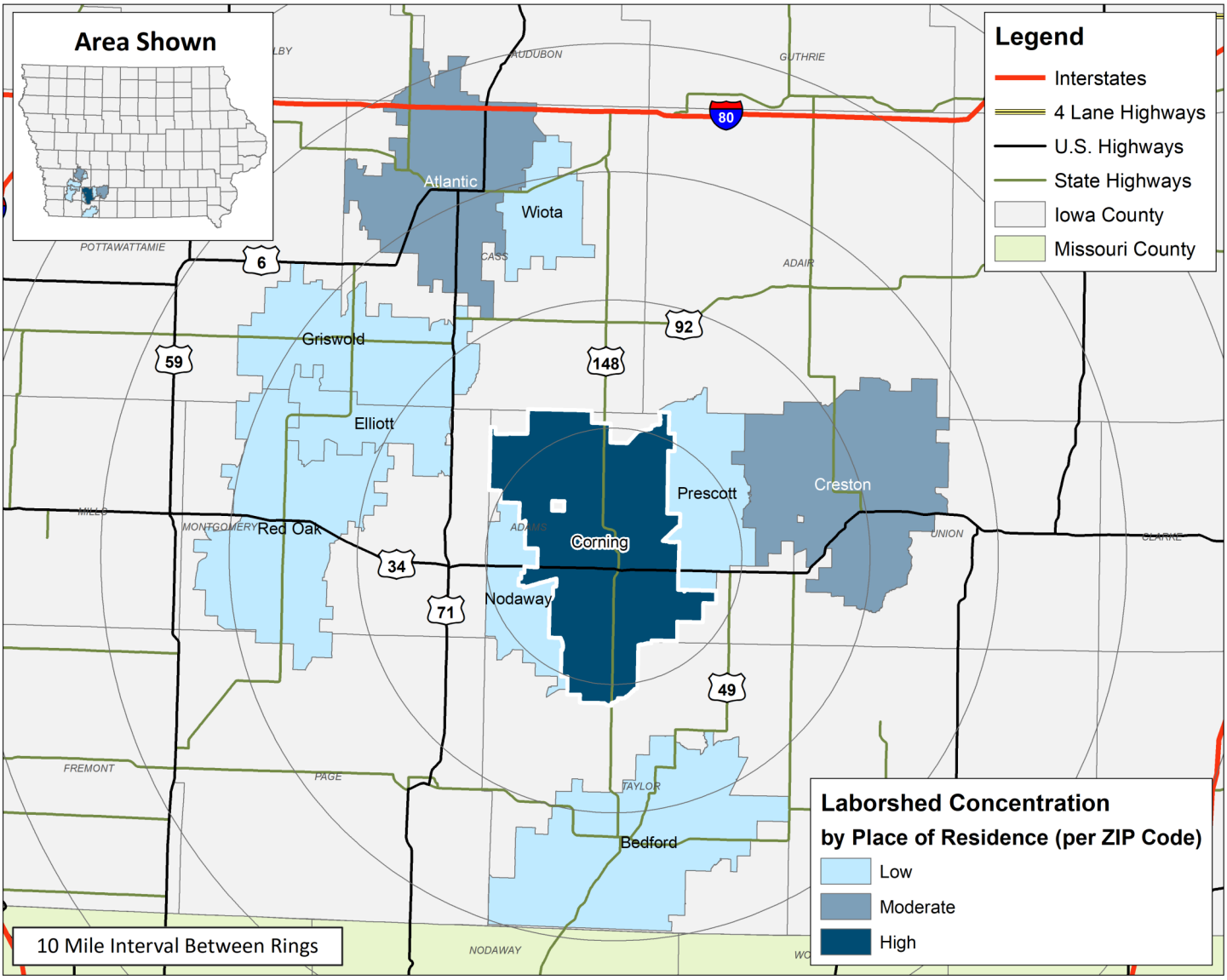
CORNING LABORSHED AREA

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 13 miles one way for work. Those who are likely to change/accept employment are willing to commute an average of 31 miles one way for the right employment opportunity.

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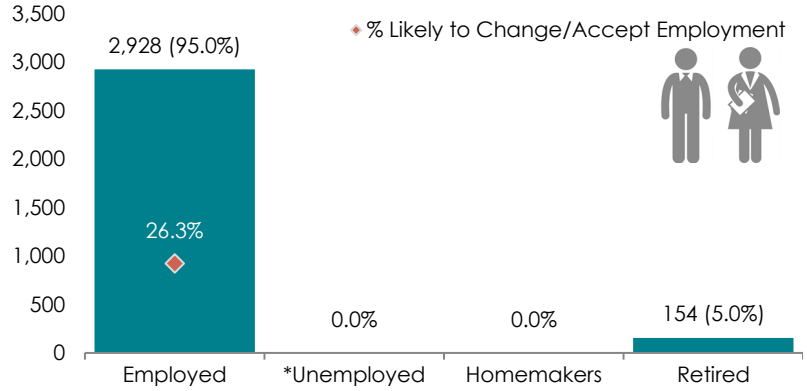
ESTIMATED AVAILABLE LABOR PER OCCUPATIONAL CATEGORY:

- Agricultural & Food Science Technicians - 77
- Agricultural Workers, All Other - 155
- Engineers, All Other - 385
- Environmental Science & Protection Technicians, Including Health - 153
- Environmental Scientists & Specialists, Including Health - 76
- Farmers, Ranchers, & Other Agricultural Managers - 1,387
- Farmworkers, Farm, Ranch, & Aquacultural Animals - 79
- Industrial Production Managers - 152
- Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, & Weighers - 80
- Medical & Clinical Laboratory Technicians - 154
- Nuclear Medicine Technologists - 78
- Soil & Plant Scientists - 75
- Supervisors of Production & Operating Workers - 231

AN ESTIMATED TOTAL OF 3,082 PEOPLE IN THE LABORSHED AREA

ESTIMATED TOTAL BY EMPLOYMENT STATUS *(PERCENTAGE)*:



**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.*

UNDEREMPLOYMENT *(ESTIMATED)*:

- Low hours - 0.0%
- Mismatch of skills - 5.0% (23)
- Low income - 2.5% (12)
- Total - 5.0% (23)

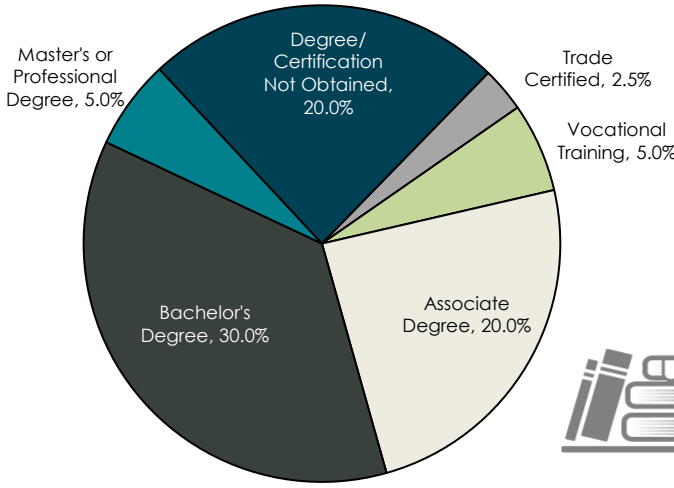
(Individuals counted only once when estimating Total Underemployment.)

EMPLOYMENT STATS:

- 47.5% paid an annual salary
- 97.5% are/were employed full-time
- 2.5% are/were employed part-time
- 41.0% are/were self-employed
- 7.9% hold two or more jobs
- Currently working an average of 51 hours/week

EDUCATIONAL LEVEL:

(82.5% HAVE AN EDUCATION BEYOND HIGH SCHOOL)



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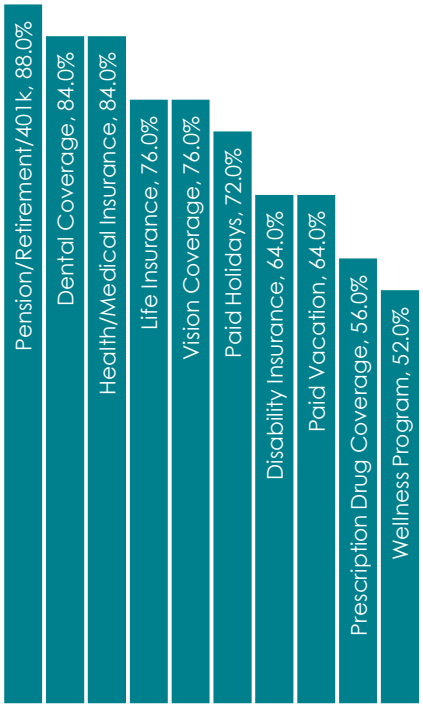

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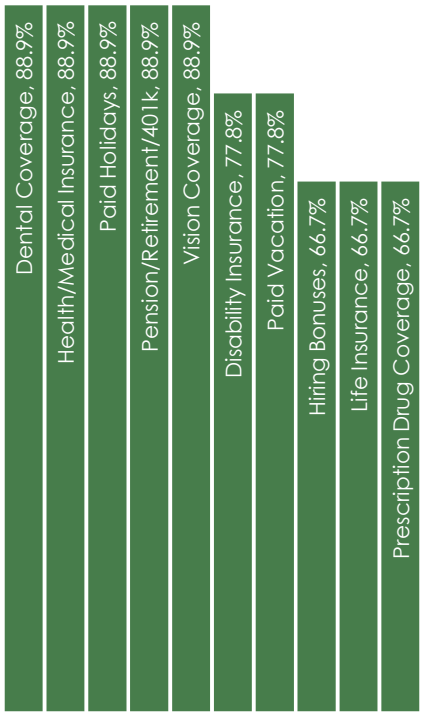

TOP JOB SEARCH RESOURCES:

(For those seeking employment opportunities, by use.)

- Internet - 56.4%
  - www.indeed.com
  - Company/organization websites
  - www.facebook.com
  - Government websites
- Networking through friends, family or acquaintances - 43.6%
- Newspapers - 38.5%
- IowaWORKS Centers - 33.3%

WORKPLACE FLEXIBILITY:

(by percent of interest)

- Job sharing - 42.9%
- Varied shifts - 37.5%
- Job teams - 25.0%
- Cross-training - 0.0%
- Seasonal work - 14.3%
- Temporary work - 0.0%

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OCCUPATION	OCCUPATIONAL CODE	MEAN WAGE	ENTRY WAGE	EXPERIENCED WAGE	MEDIAN WAGE	MEAN ANNUAL SALARY
Industrial Production Managers	11-3051	$43.28	$28.85	$50.50	$43.22	$90,024
Architectural and Engineering Managers	11-9041	$54.04	$47.67	$57.22	$54.61	$112,394
Conservation Scientists	19-1031	$28.34	$20.25	$32.39	$25.94	$58,953
Farmworkers and Laborers, Crop, Nursery, and Greenhouse	45-2092	$11.67	$9.72	$12.65	$11.16	$24,279
First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers	51-1011	$26.49	$18.34	$30.57	$26.52	$55,100
Forest and Conservation Technicians	19-4093	$17.11	$10.85	$20.24	$14.35	$35,592
Industrial Engineers	17-2112	$37.44	$28.94	$41.69	$36.07	$77,867
Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	51-9061	$20.81	$14.13	$24.14	$21.21	$43,276
Water and Wastewater Treatment Plant and System Operators	51-8031	$23.30	$18.69	$25.61	$23.08	$48,468

The 2019 Iowa Wage data for the Corning 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 2018 OES estimates. Additional occupational wage and employment data can be found at www.iowalmi.gov/laborshed.