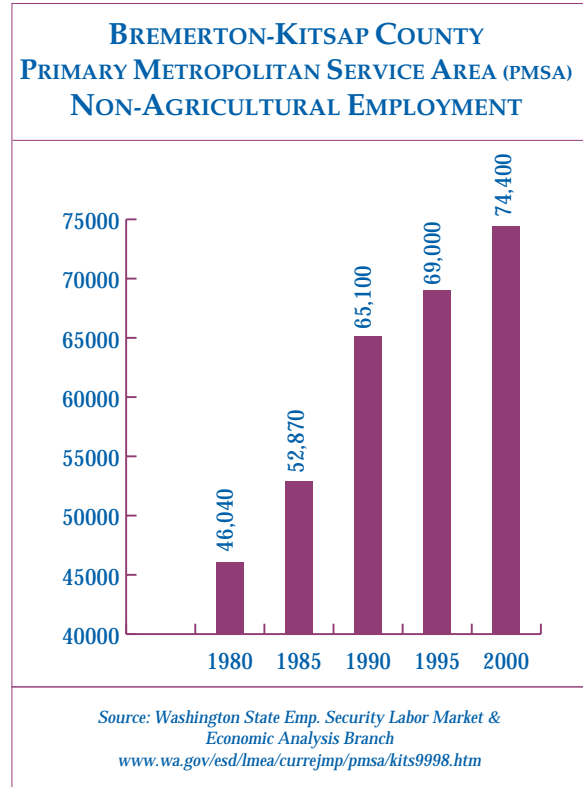


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<b>BREMERTON-KITSAP COUNTY PRIMARY METROPOLITAN SERVICE AREA (PMSA) NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT LEVELS</b>				
Industry	April 2001	April 2002	% Change	Industry Share
Manufacturing	2,300	2,400	+4.35%	3.23%
Mining	800	700	-12.5%	0.94%
Construction	4,300	4,000	-6.98%	5.38%
Trans & Public Utilities	2,200	2,100	-4.55%	2.82%
Wholesale/Retail Trade	16,700	16,900	+1.20%	22.72%
Finance, Ins/Real Estate	2,600	2,700	-3.85%	3.63%
Services	19,300	19,300	0%	25.94%
Government	26,400	26,300	-0.38%	35.35%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>74,600</b>	<b>74,400</b>	<b>-0.27%</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

*Source: Washington State Emp. Security Labor Market & Economic Analysis Branch  
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**Non-Agricultural Employment Decreased by 200 from April 2000 to April 2001, a decrease of 0.27%.** Employment categories that experienced increases were: Manufacturing, and Wholesale/ Retail Trade. Employment categories that experienced a reduction were: Mining, Construction, Transportation & Public Utilities, Finance/ Insurance/ Real Estate and Government. The Service industry experienced no loss or gain.

**Slow but Steady Employment Growth:** The graph above illustrates annual Kitsap County non-agricultural employment levels from 1980 to 2000. Annual growth in non-agricultural employment has been gradual but steadily uphill.