



## ISLAND COUNTY, WASHINGTON MAJOR EMPLOYERS

### Government Employers:

|                                 |        |   |
|---------------------------------|--------|---|
| NAS Whidbey                     | 10,000 | (Active Duty - 7,600; Civilian - 1,200; Contractor - 1,200) |
| Oak Harbor School District      | 534    | (Full time, regular employees)                              |
| Island County                   | 393    |   |
| Skagit Valley Community College | 220    | (Whidbey Campus, includes part-time)                        |
| South Whidbey School District   | 155    | (FTE equivalents)   |
| City of Oak Harbor              | 140    |   |
| Coupeville School District      | 114    | (includes part-time)  |

### Private Employers\*:

#### 100 + employees

|                                |     |   |
|--------------------------------|-----|---|
| Whidbey General Hospital       | 700 | (Health Care – includes part-time and on-call)    |
| Whidbey Island Bank            | 400 | (Service – includes part-time)                    |
| Navy Exchange                  | 250 | (Retail – includes part time)                     |
| Wal★Mart                       | 210 | (Retail – includes part-time)                     |
| Nichols Brothers Boat Builders | 185 | (Manufacturing – fluctuates due to contracts)     |
| IDEX Health & Science          | 155 | (Manufacturing)                                   |
| Safeway                        | 150 | (Retail – includes part-time)                     |
| Waste Management               | 150 | (Customer Service Call Center)                    |
| Careage of Whidbey             | 142 | (Service – health care; includes part-time)       |
| New Leaf                       | 130 | (Public sector contractor to NAS Whidbey)         |
| Island Transit                 | 127 | (Transportation – fare-free local transit system) |
| Home Depot                     | 125 | (Retail – includes part-time)                     |
| Whidbey Telecom                | 116 | (Telecommunications – provider for south Whidbey) |
| Payless Food                   | 116 | (Retail – includes part-time)                     |

#### 40 -99 employees

|                                |    |   |
|--------------------------------|----|---|
| Chugach Industries             | 97 | (Contractor to NAS Whidbey)                 |
| Regency on Whidbey             | 80 | (Service – health care; includes part-time) |
| K-Mart                         | 70 | (Retail – includes part-time)               |
| Albertson's                    | 68 | (Retail – includes part-time)               |
| Red Apple Markets              | 65 | (Retail – includes part-time; 3 markets)    |
| Saar's MarketPlace Food & Drug | 55 | (Retail – includes part-time)               |
| Homeplace Special Care         | 50 | (Service – health care; includes part-time) |
| Wells Fargo Bank               | 42 | (Service – includes part-time)              |
| Krieg Construction             | 22 | (Construction – includes part-time)         |

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\* partial list, includes most large retailers