

Employment in Hurricane Storm Surge Flood Zones, Essex County, MA

Area	Establishments	Average Monthly Employment	Total Quarterly Wages
Zone 1	232	2,047	24,041,336
Zone 2	926	14,540	226,591,519
Zone 3	402	4,163	48,662,115
Zone 4	518	5,442	66,597,423
Total Affected	2,078	26,193	365,892,393
Unaffected	24,644	297,737	4,276,042,349

Rockingham, NH

Essex

Middlesex

Suffolk 20 miles



Legend

-  Roads
-  Zone 1
-  Zone 2
-  Zone 3
-  Zone 4

Note: Flood zones represent a conservative estimation of areas that would experience flooding in the event of a hurricane. Zone 1 is the area that would be flooded by a Category I hurricane. A Category II hurricane would cause flooding in Zones 1 and 2. The hurricane categories reference the Saffir-Simpson Hurricane Scale.

Data Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages; 2018 Third Quarter
<https://www.bls.gov/cew>

Flood Zone Source: National Hurricane Program.

