VIRGINIA ENTERPRISE ZONE HIGH UNEMPLOYMENT AREAS (HUAS)

GRANT YEAR 2026 HUA LOCALITIES

City of Martinsville (36)(54)

Pulaski County (25)

City of Danville (1)(57)

Northumberland County (50)

City of Emporia (43)

Greensville County (43)

Tazewell County (44)

3.4%
state unemployment rate*

5.1%
1.5x the 3.4% state unemployment rate*

High Unemployment Areas (HUAs) are enterprise zone localities with unemployment rates one and one-half times (150%) or more than the state average based on the most recent annualized unemployment data published by the Virginia Employment Commission.

The following localities in joint zones with the HUAs listed are **NOT** HUAs:

Henry County
Pittsylvania County
Lancaster County
Richmond County
Westmoreland County
Town of Kilmarnock
Town of Warsaw
City of Radford

*Virginia Employment Commission annualized unemployment numbers for 2025