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Tampa Bay Region Leads the State in Job Creation

PINELLAS COUNTY, FL (February 11, 2016) – The Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater region recently claimed the state's top spot for job creation, according to the latest state employment data, with a gain of 38,800 positions year-over-year since December 2014. The job gain represents a 3.1 percent increase and brings the metro area unemployment rate down over the year to 4.4 percent. The region boasted more than 45,000 advertised jobs in the area with over 15,145 openings for high-wage, high-skill science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) occupations. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities by calling TTY/TDD 711.

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