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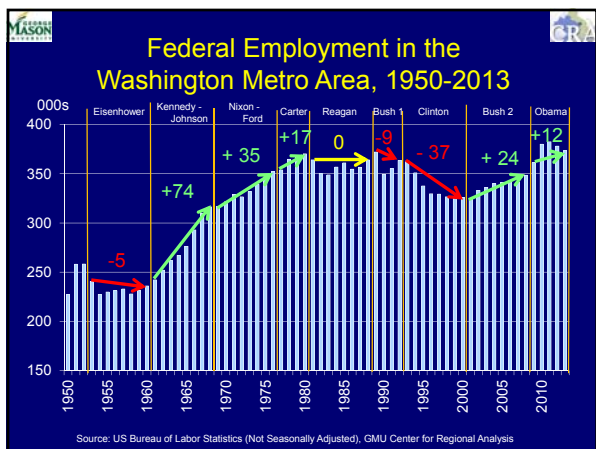
Trends and Outlook for the Washington Area Economy and Real Estate Markets

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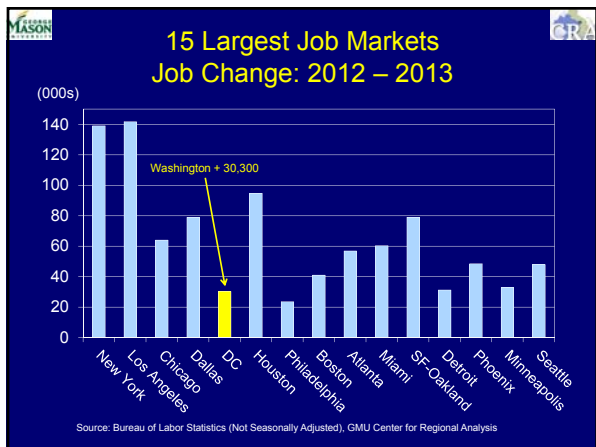
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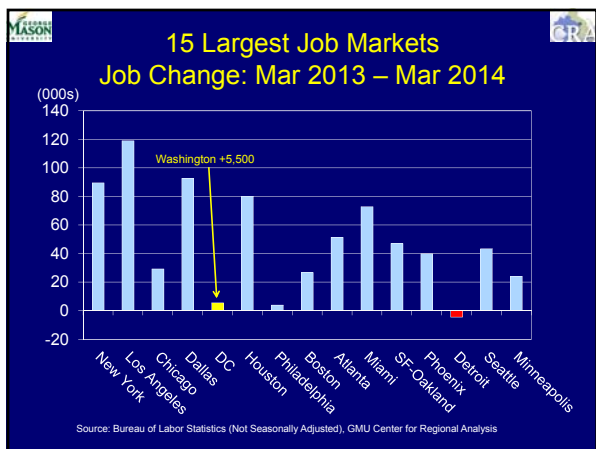
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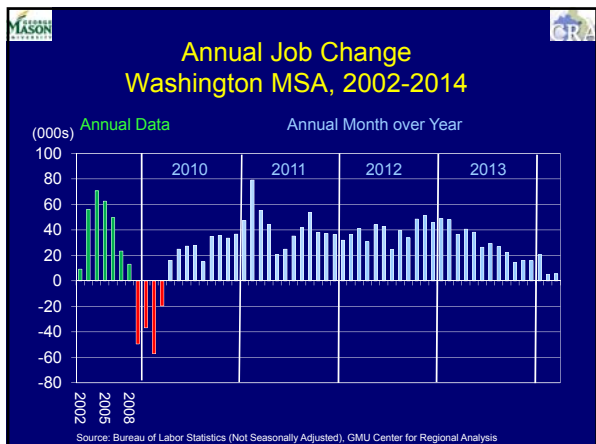
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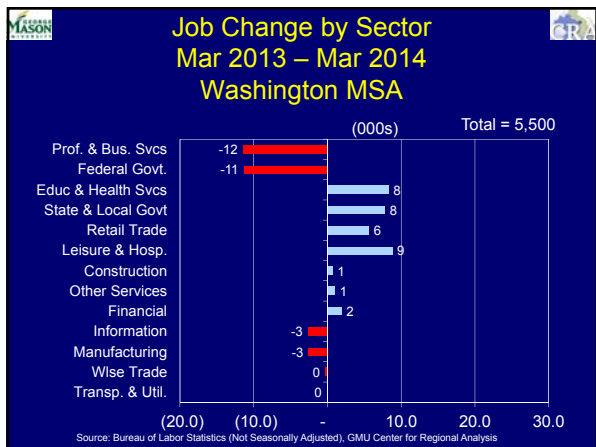


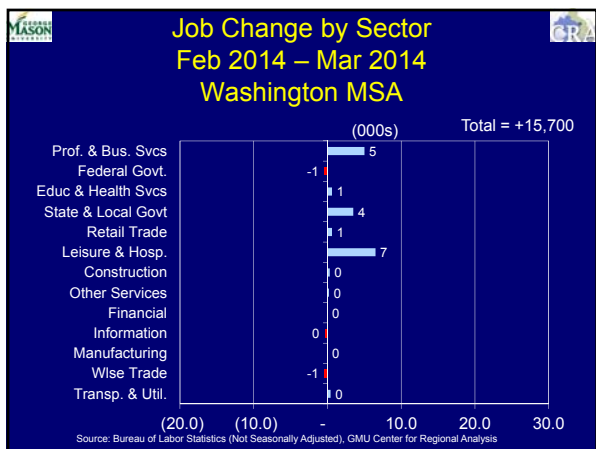
**The Washington Area Economy:
2013 was a rough year**

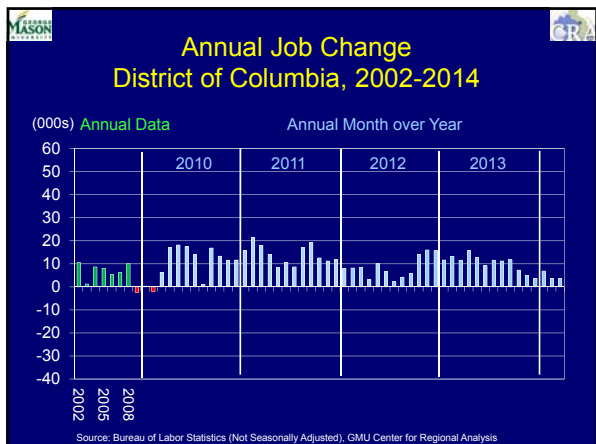


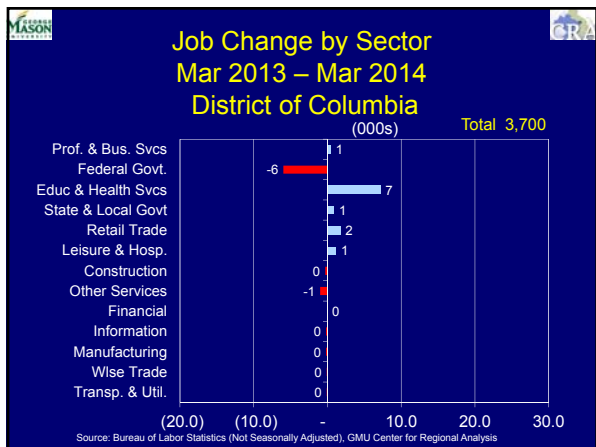


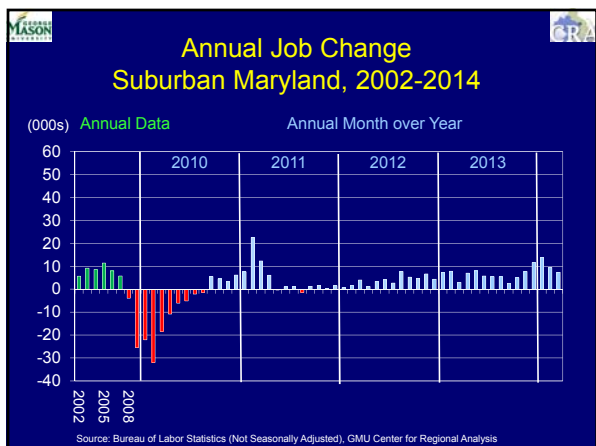


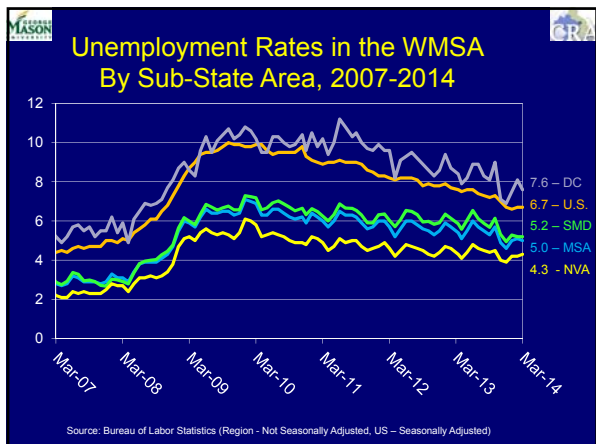


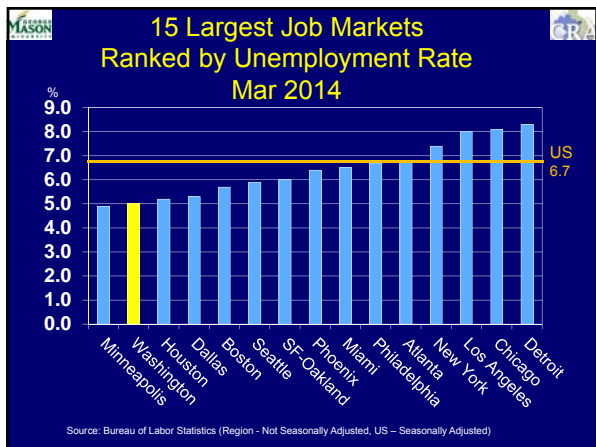




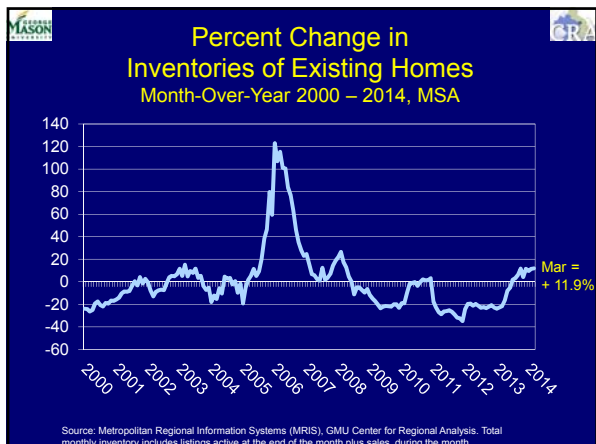


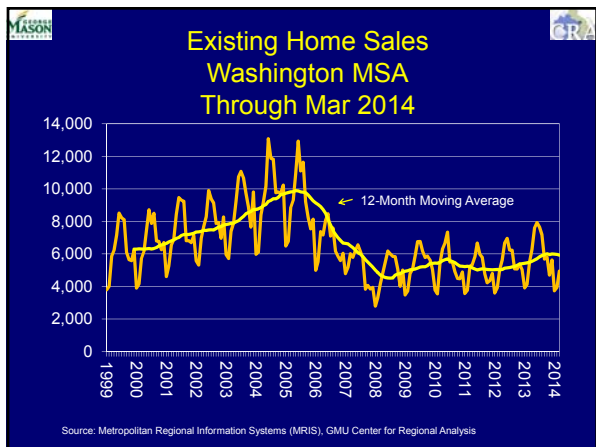


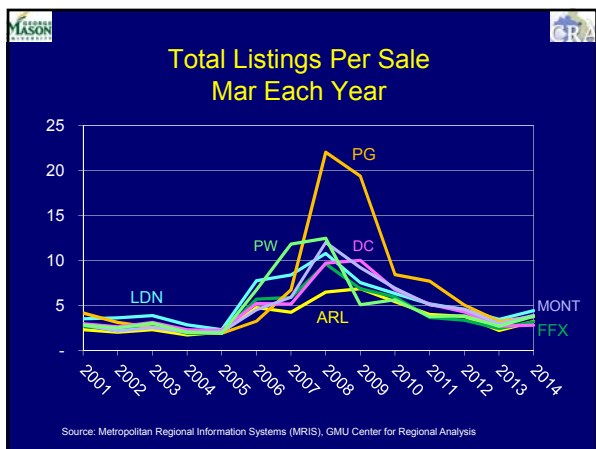


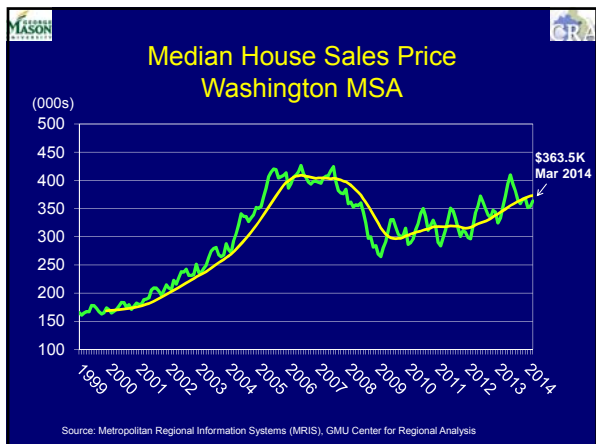


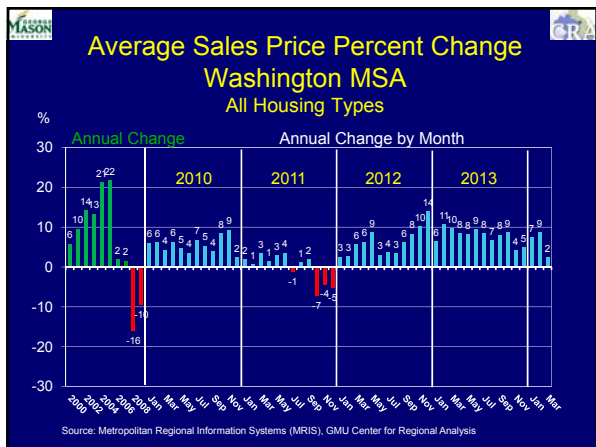
**Housing indicators
point to more activity
and continued
appreciation...for now**

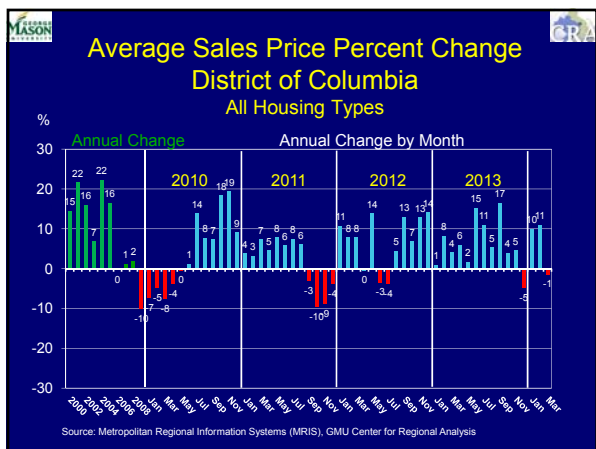


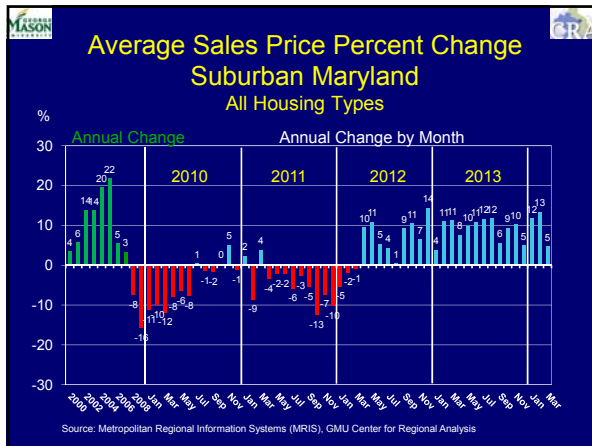


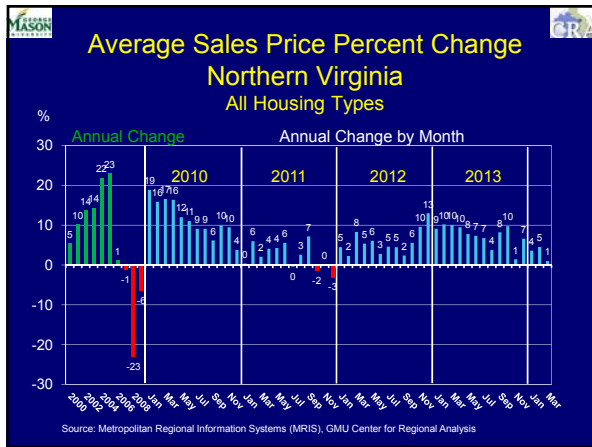


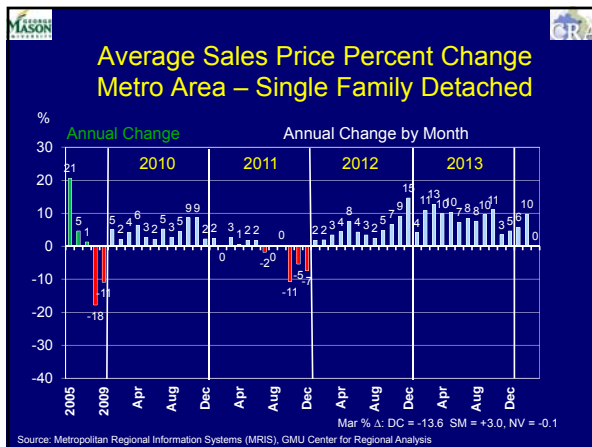


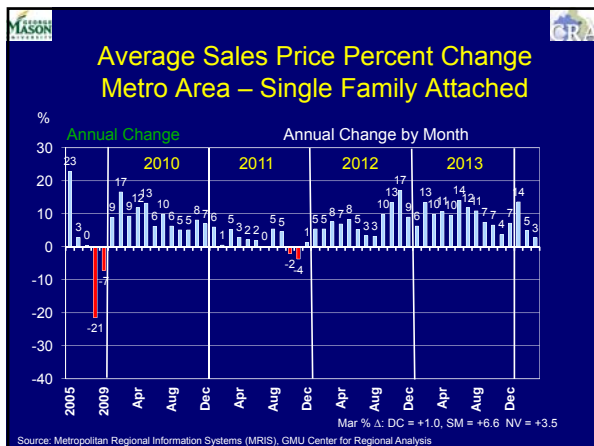


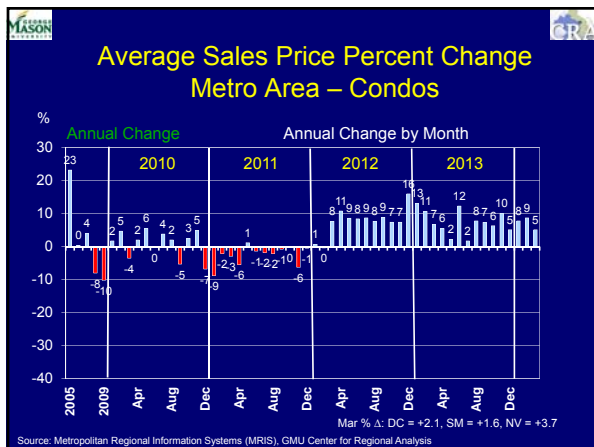


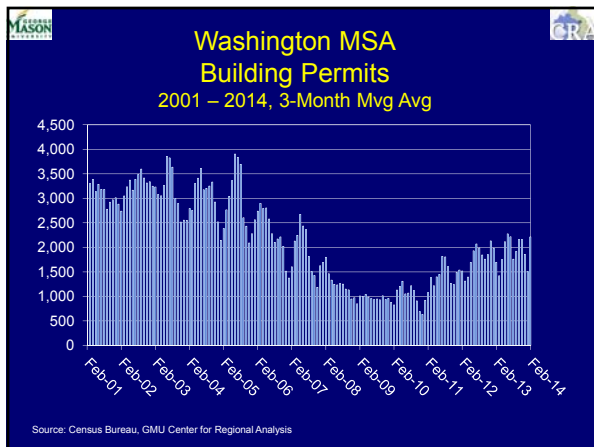


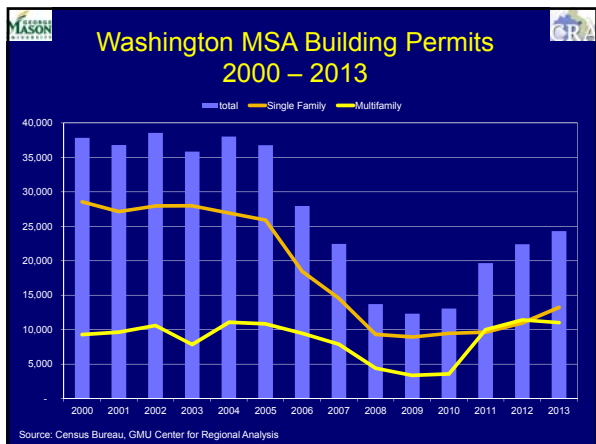


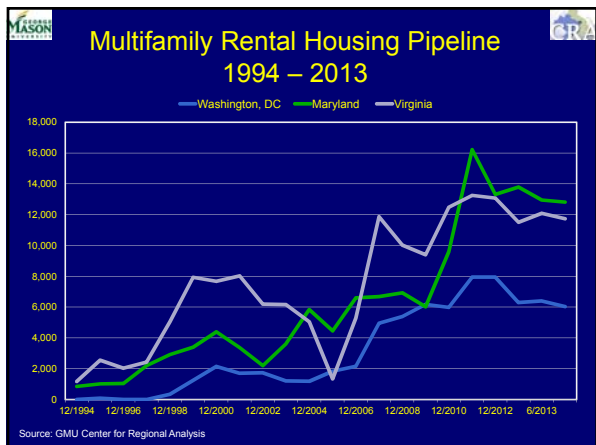




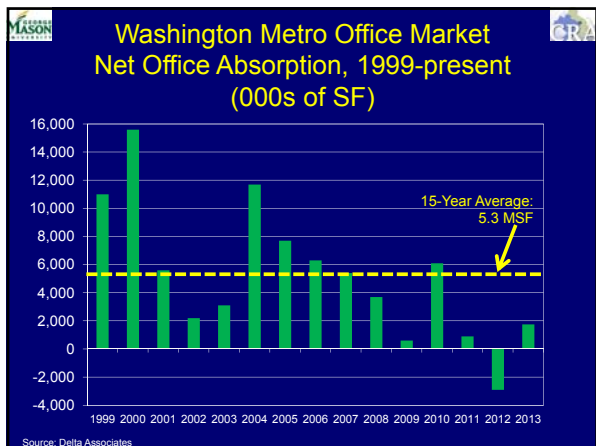








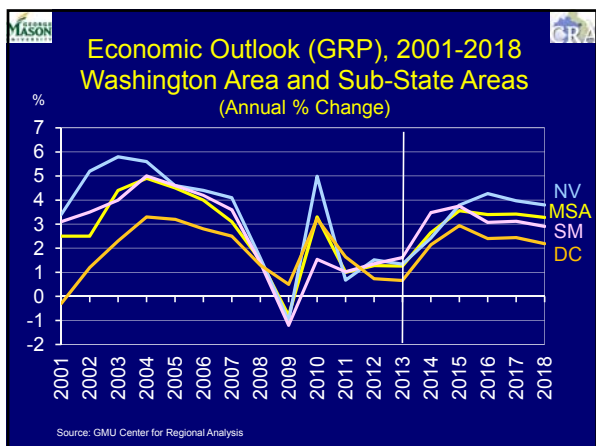
Regional office market is struggling; it's a bit better in District



Area	Total Space (MSF)	Direct Vacancy Rate	MSF U/C or Renov.	2013 Net Absorption (000s)
District of Columbia	136.3	8.5%	2.4	744
Suburban Maryland	94.1	13.7%	1.3	235
Northern Virginia	190.4	14.5%	2.8	771
Region Total	420.8	12.6%	6.4	1,750

Source: Delta Associates

Outlook:
Growth will return, but will look different

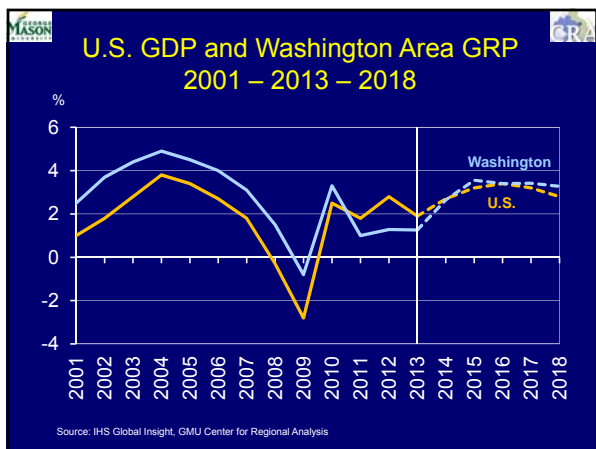


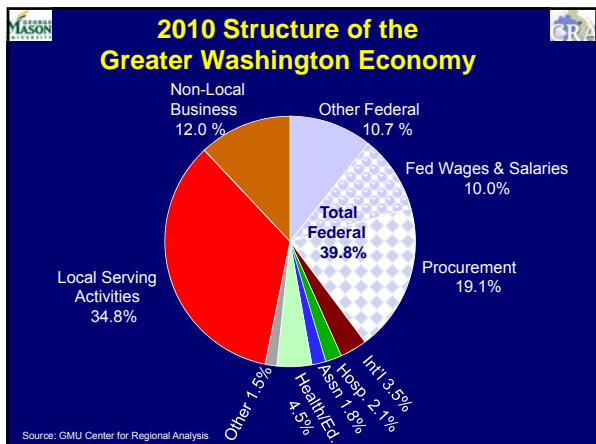
Employment Change in the WMSA by Sub-State Area (000s)

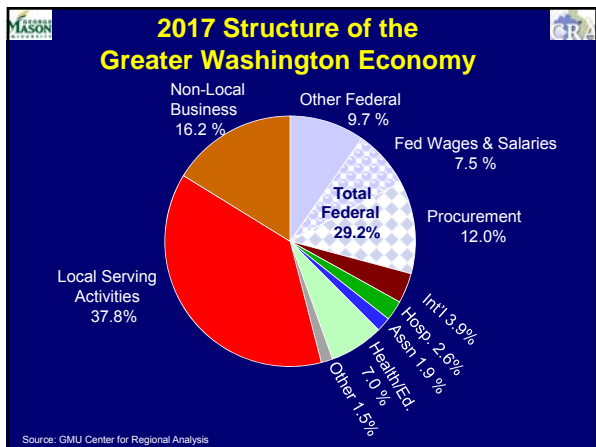
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
D.C.	14.1	5.6	11.0	9.7	11.3	9.3	6.5	4.6
Sub. MD	4.4	4.8	6.7	18.1	22.7	20.0	14.3	12.2
No. VA	26.4	23.5	12.6	32.2	31.8	36.8	35.0	30.3
REGION	42.6	32.2	30.3	60.2	66.1	66.4	56.2	47.5

Average Annual Change 1990-2010 = 35,800

Source: BLS, IHS Global Insight, GMU Center for Regional Analysis
NOTE: The regional totals include Jefferson, WV.







Economic forecasts for the Washington Area assume that:

- (1) there will be a sufficient number of qualified workers to fill the jobs,
- (2) there will be a sufficient supply of housing to house the future workforce at affordable costs, and
- (3) the region will have the infrastructure required to support this future growth.

Estimated Housing Demand 2012-2032

	Single Family	Multi-Family	Total	Annual Average	% Multi-Family
DC	38,012	67,229	105,241	5,262	63.9%
Suburban MD	106,648	54,167	160,815	8,041	33.7%
Northern VA	197,575	81,430	279,005	13,950	29.2%
MSA Total	344,624	203,674	548,298	27,415	37.1%

Note: Assumes that all new residents will live and work in same jurisdiction
MSA Total includes Jefferson County WV, so area totals do not add to MSA Total

Source: GMU Center for Regional Analysis

Housing Needs by Income/Price Range Washington MSA, 2012-2032

	LOW	MODERATE	HIGH	VERY HIGH
Household Income Range	<\$50,000	\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$100,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000+
Sale Price	<\$200,000	\$200,000 to 399,999	\$400,000 to 599,999	\$600,000+
Monthly Rent	<\$1,250	\$1,250 to 1,749	\$1,750 to 2,249	\$2,250+
Owner-Occupied	50,417	112,872	103,194	41,429
Renter-Occupied	106,044	93,444	35,166	5,733
Total Need	156,461	206,316	138,360	47,162
% of Total Demand	29%	38%	25%	9%

Source: Census Bureau and GMU Center for Regional Analysis

Thank You
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