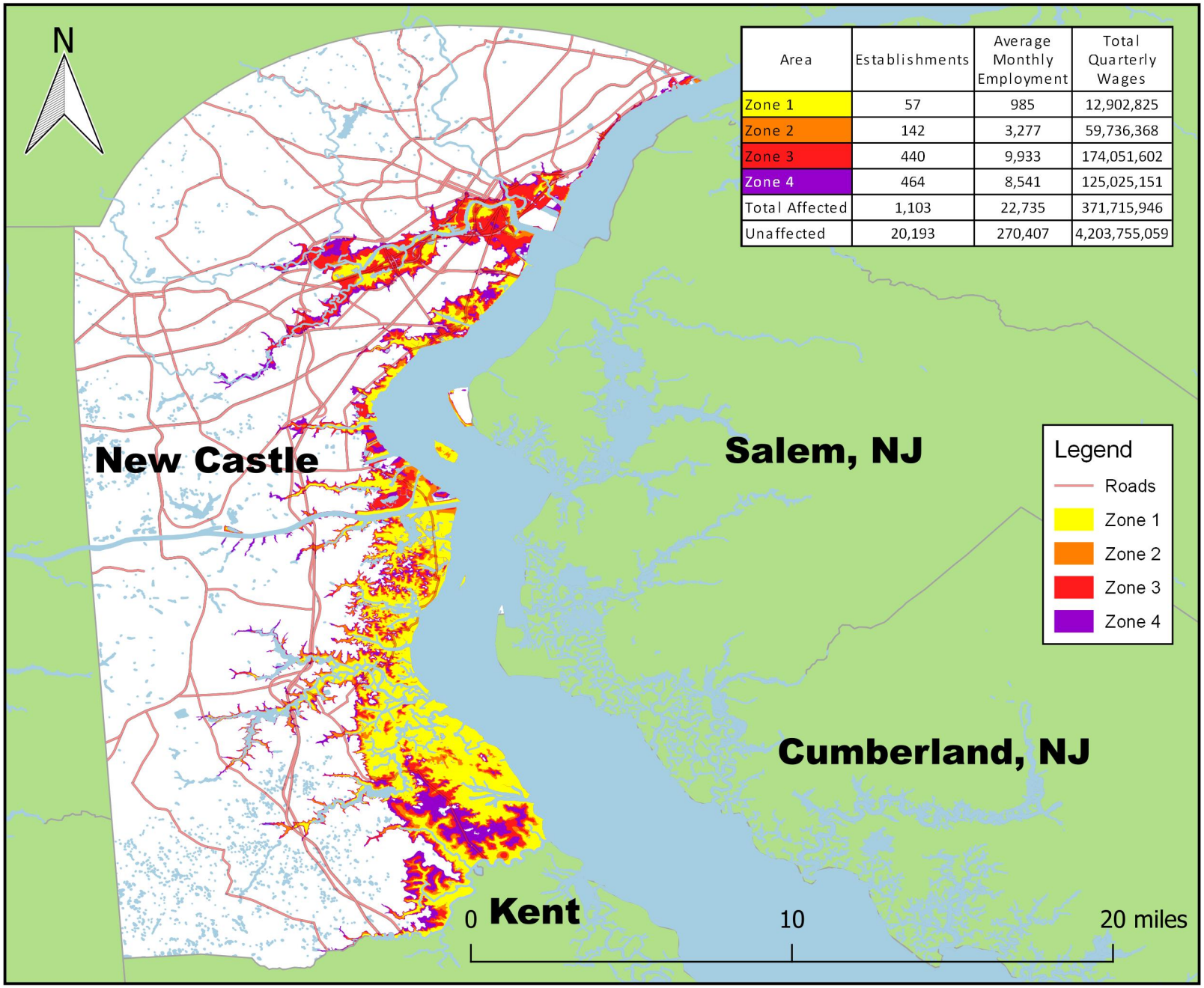
Employment in Hurricane Storm Surge Flood Zones, New Castle County, DE



Area	Establishments	Average Monthly Employment	Total Quarterly Wages
Zone 1	57	985	12,902,825
Zone 2	142	3,277	59,736,368
Zone 3	440	9,933	174,051,602
Zone 4	464	8,541	125,025,151
Total Affected	1,103	22,735	371,715,946
Unaffected	20,193	270,407	4,203,755,059

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; 2019 Third Quarter https://www.bls.gov/cew

Flood Zone Source: National Hurricane Program

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