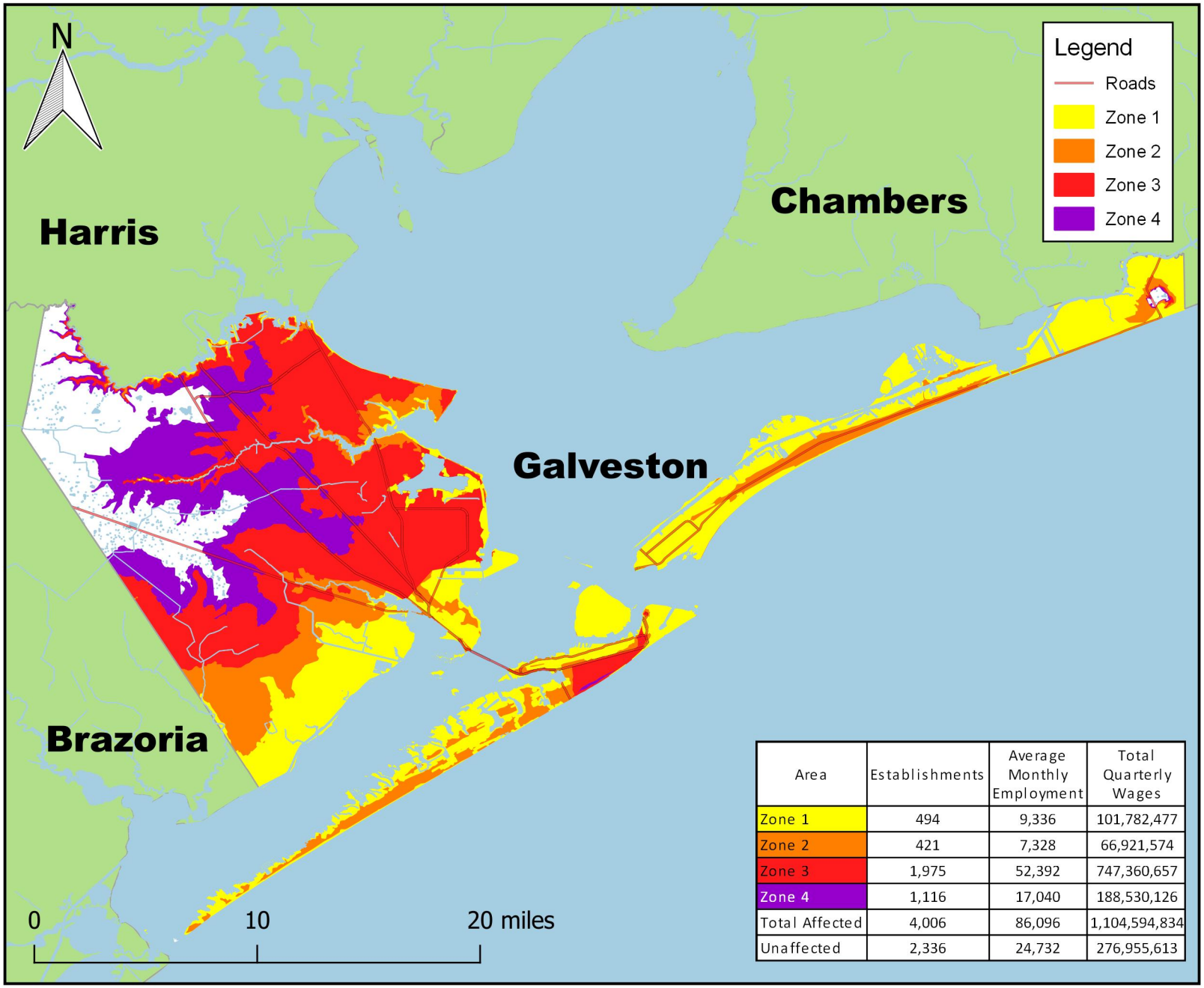
Employment in Hurricane Storm Surge Flood Zones, Galveston County, TX



Area	Establishments	Average Monthly Employment	Total Quarterly Wages
Zone 1	494	9,336	101,782,477
Zone 2	421	7,328	66,921,574
Zone 3	1,975	52,392	747,360,657
Zone 4	1,116	17,040	188,530,126
Total Affected	4,006	86,096	1,104,594,834
Unaffected	2,336	24,732	276,955,613

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: Texas Department of Public Safety

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