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DUPAGE COUNTY BOARD CHAIRMAN



# DUPAGECOUNTY

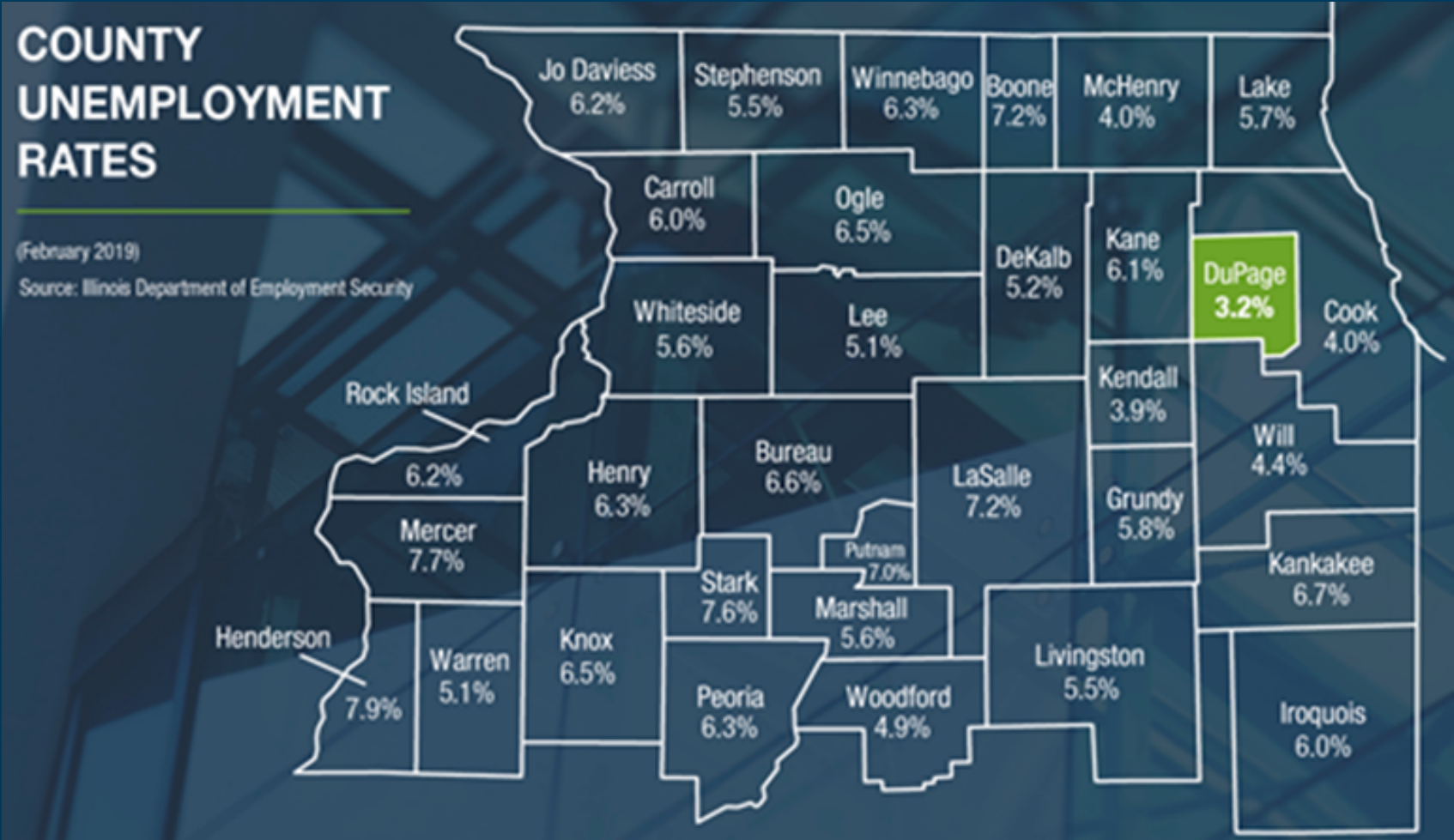
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REGIONAL BUSINESS OUTLOOK 2019

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# DUPAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE 3.2%

DUPAGE	ILLINOIS	U.S.
3.2%	4.3%	3.8%



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# NEW PROJECTS

- 112 new business projects
- Topped \$1 million in investment
- Added at least 20 new jobs



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# WELCOME TO DUPAGE!

## Green Bay Packaging



## SMS Assist



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Shirley Ryan Ability Lab



Rush Oak Brook Midwest  
Orthopedic



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DuPage Business Center



Sara Lee Frozen Bakery Headquarters



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# GLOBAL MARKETPLACE

Home to over 1,000 foreign-owned business locations  
Representing 43 countries



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# Vacancy Rates

**4.5%**

DuPage County - Industrial Market

Down from 5.5% from last



Seeing investments in:

- New industrial buildings
- New Spec Industrial development

**13.8%**

DuPage County – Office Vacancies

Down from 15.3% from last year



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# Why Employers Choose DuPage

## Highly-Educated Workforce

DUPAGE	U.S.
93.3% high school graduates or higher	86.6% high school graduates or higher
51% hold a Bachelor's Degree or higher	32% hold a Bachelor's Degree or higher

- 1 in 5 people hold a postgraduate degree



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# Property Tax Rate



- 11 years - flat rate of \$66.9 million

**This year's budget:**  
\$43.9 million lower than FY 2011



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# EFFICIENT GOVERNMENT



**CHICAGO SUN★TIMES**

**Daily Herald**



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# ACT INITIATIVE

**\$100 MILLION SAVED**



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Thank You!

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