Table 2: Declining Industries Report for Fourth Quarter 2012 in NAICS

NAICS (1)	Sector	Subsector	AWW(2)	Emp. 2012Q4	Emp. 2011Q4	Emp. Chg	Pct. Chg	Emp. 2012Q3	Emp. 2011Q3	Emp Chg.	Pct. Chg	Avg. Chg (3)
336	Manufacturing	Transportation equipment manufacturing	\$756.91	305	453	-148	-32.7%	305	443	-138	-31.2%	-31.9%
326	Manufacturing	Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	\$832.03	264	355	-91	-25.6%	259	363	-104	-28.7%	-27.1%
335	Manufacturing	Electrical equipment and appliance mfg.	\$934.95	275	306	-31	-10.1%	281	305	-24	-7.9%	-9.0%
213	Mining	Support activities for mining	\$1,584.99	12,941	14,167	-1,226	-8.7%	12,930	13,620	-690	-5.1%	-6.9%
443	Retail Trade	Electronics and appliance stores	\$608.54	947	1,010	-63	-6.2%	942	1,004	-62	-6.2%	-6.2%
Total			\$1,479.48	14,731	16,290	-1,559	-9.6%	14,717	15,733	-1,016	-6.5%	-8.0%

<sup>1.</sup> Includes both public and privately owned firms.

<sup>2.</sup> The Average Weekly Wage (AWW) is calculated by dividing the total wage for the industry group by the total number of jobs for the industry group and the number of weeks in the observed quarter. The read should also be aware that AWW's at the industry Group Level are suceptible to wage bias due to sample size, occupational distributions, seasonal pay and bonuses, and keying error. The AWW for all growing industries in 2012Q4 was \$1,479.48.

<sup>3.</sup> The percentage for Average Change is the employment-weighted average percentage change of the current and prior quarters (employment change current quarter + employment change prior quarter)/(employment current quarter + employment prior quarter).