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

NAICS (1)	Sector	Subsector	<i>AWW</i> (2)	Emp. 2012Q3	Emp. 2011Q3	Emp. Chg	Pct. Chg	Emp. 2012Q2	Emp. 2011Q2	Emp. Chg	Pct. Chg	Avg. Chg (3)
336	Manufacturing	Transportation equipment manufacturing	\$1,007.12	305	443	-138	-31.2%	302	457	-156	-34.0%	-32.7%
326	Manufacturing	Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	\$772.37	261	362	-102	-28.1%	252	359	-107	-29.8%	-28.9%
443	Retail Trade	Electronics and appliance stores	\$595.06	937	1,003	-66	-6.6%	963	1,025	-61	-6.0%	-6.3%
Total			\$709.37	1,503	1,809	-306	-16.9%	1,517	1,841	-324	-17.6%	-17.3%

^{1.} Includes both public and privately owned firms.

^{2.} 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 reader 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 declining industries in 2012Q3 was

^{3.} 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)