

NEW PRELIMINARY 2024 QCEW QUARTER DATA AND ANNUAL AVERAGE

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Preliminary 2024 QCEW Data

The **Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW)** program publishes a quarterly count of employment and wages reported by employers covering more than 95 percent of U.S. jobs, available at the county, MSA, state and national levels by industry.

2024 News Releases and Full Data Availability

Reference Quarter	News Release Date	Release Time	Full Data Release Date	Release Time
1st Quarter 2024	Wednesday, Aug. 21, 2024	10:00 AM	Wednesday, Sep. 4, 2024	10:00 AM
2nd Quarter 2024	Wednesday, Nov. 20, 2024	10:00 AM	Thursday, Dec. 5, 2024	10:00 AM
3rd Quarter 2024	Wednesday, Feb. 19, 2025	10:00 AM	Wednesday, Mar. 5, 2025	10:00 AM
4th Quarter 2024	Wednesday, June 4, 2025	10:00 AM	Wednesday, June 4, 2025	10:00 AM



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COG Staff will present either in July or September including:

- 2019 – 2024 Annual Averages
- Job Recovery Ratios (Comparisons with Dec. 2019 and Dec. 2024)
- COG Region - QCEW Monthly Data – Jan. 2019 – Dec. 2024
- Jurisdictional Level – QCEW Monthly Data – Jan. 2019 – Dec. 2024



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Jurisdiction	1st Qtr. Average	2nd Qtr. Average	3rd Qtr. Average	4th Qtr. Average	2024 Annual
District of Columbia	756,823	761,579	758,345	759,362	759,027
Charles County	41,829	42,504	42,478	44,348	42,790
Frederick County	108,283	109,907	105,597	108,645	108,108
Montgomery County	458,887	463,838	458,871	461,817	460,853
Prince George's County	322,261	329,519	331,483	330,478	328,435
Arlington County	174,989	177,750	181,673	182,571	179,246
Fairfax County	627,164	637,196	639,645	641,624	636,407
Loudoun County	191,595	197,647	200,896	202,122	198,065
Prince William County	140,262	144,330	143,334	145,212	143,285
City of Alexandria	80,779	81,689	81,276	81,702	81,362
City of Fairfax	23,466	23,982	24,451	24,874	24,193
City of Falls Church	12,299	12,515	12,374	12,383	12,393
City of Manassas	24,583	25,068	25,058	24,723	24,858
City of Manassas Park	3,797	3,765	3,684	3,663	3,727
COG Region	2,967,016	3,011,289	3,009,166	3,023,525	3,002,749

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, <https://www.bls.gov/cew/>

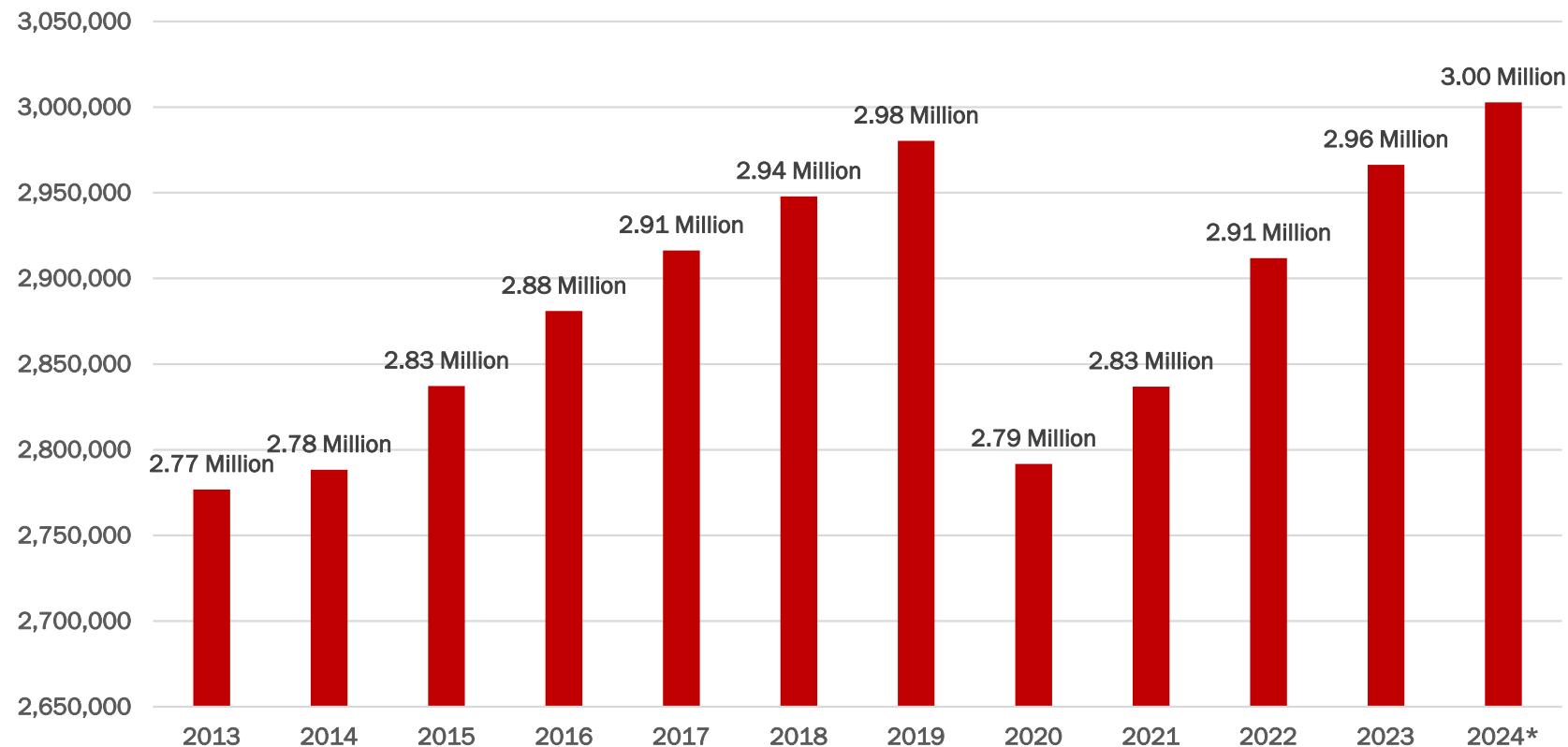


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QCEW Annual Data for COG Region, 2013 - 2024



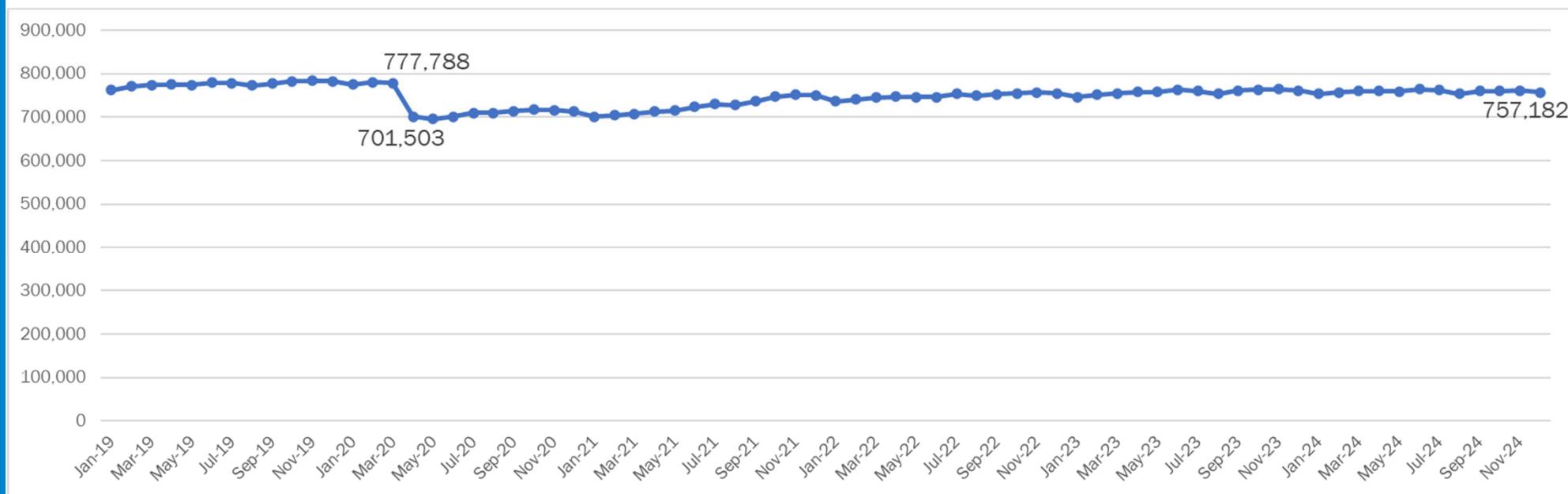
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QCEW Monthly Data for the COG Region



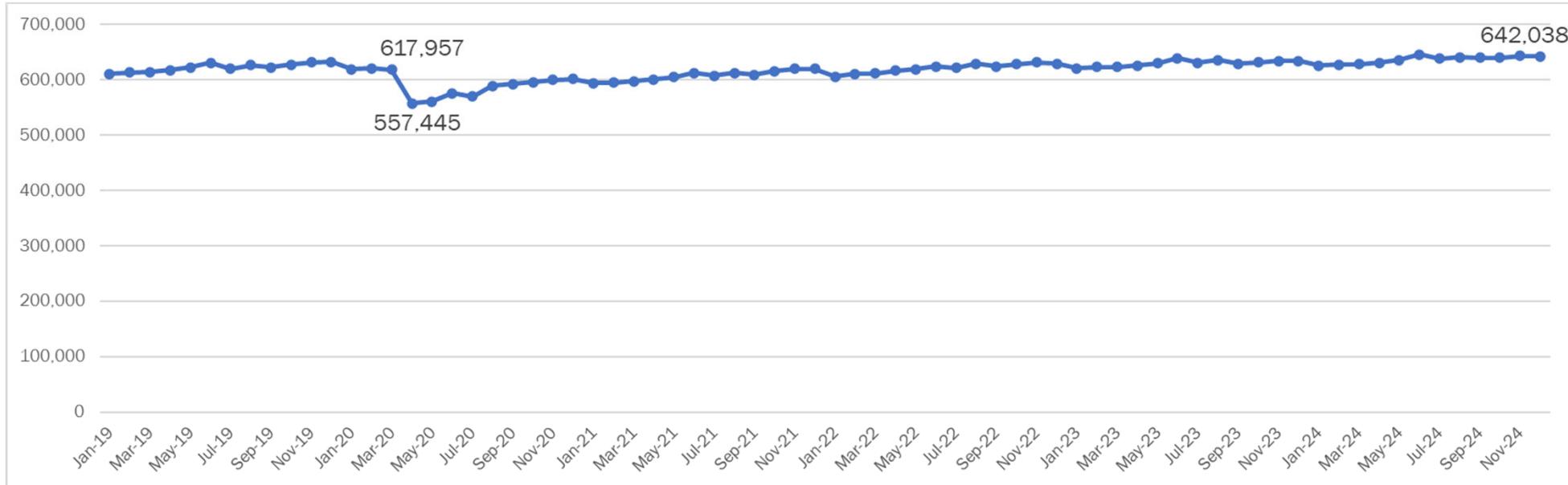
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QCEW Monthly Data for the District of Columbia



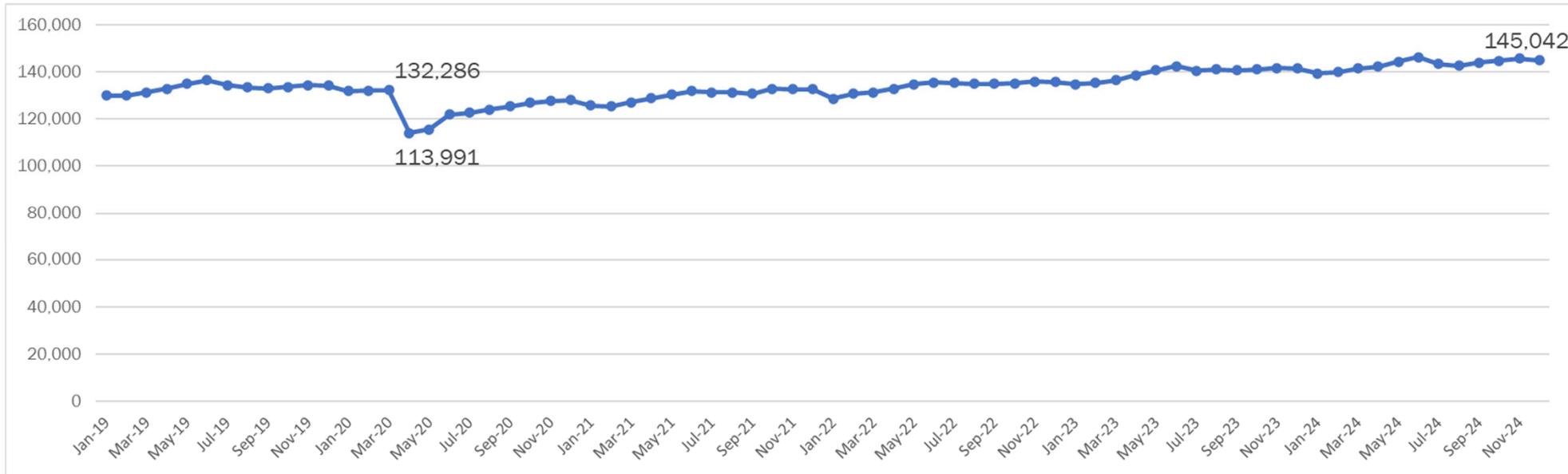
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QCEW Monthly Data for Fairfax County



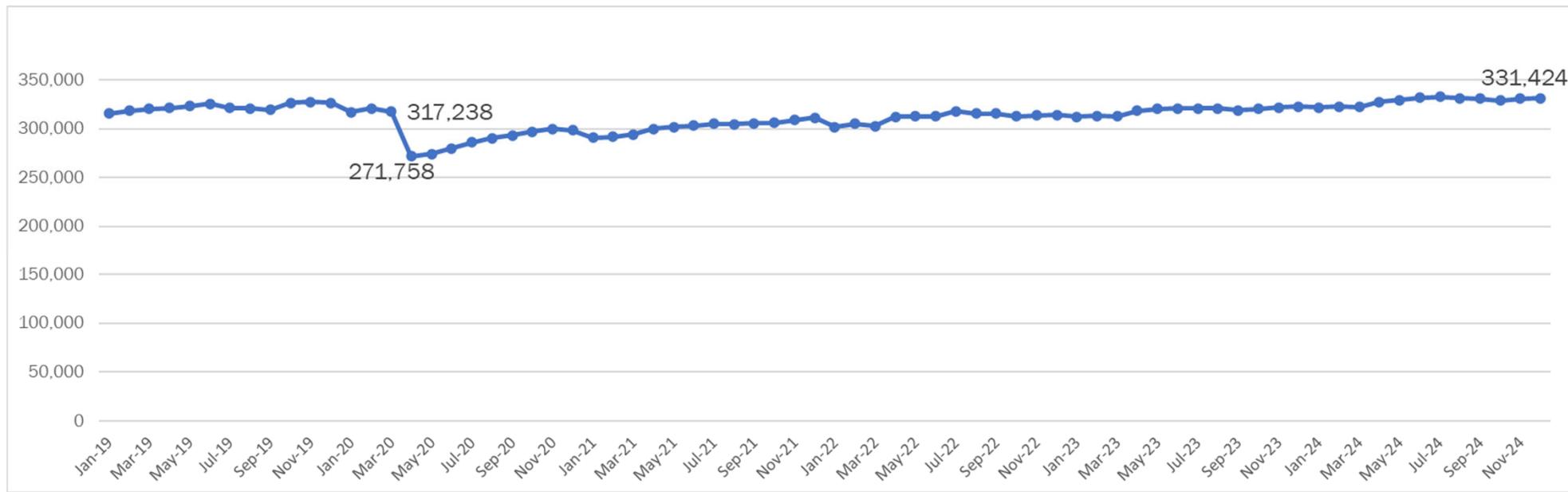
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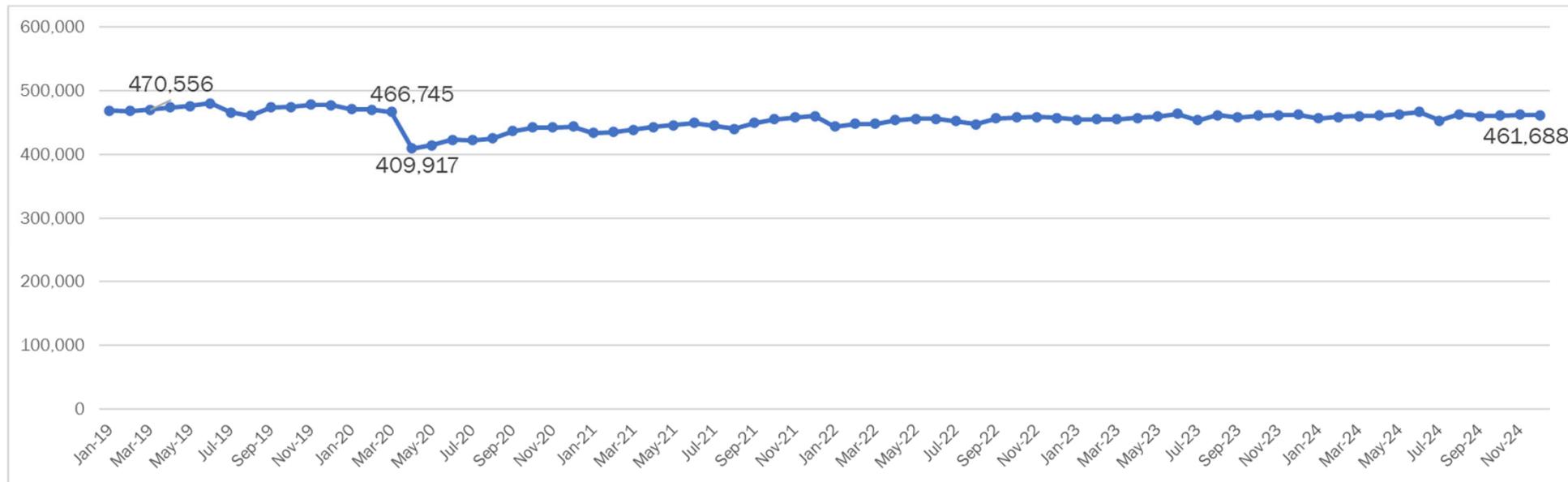
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QCEW Monthly Data for Prince George's County



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QCEW Monthly Data for Montgomery County



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