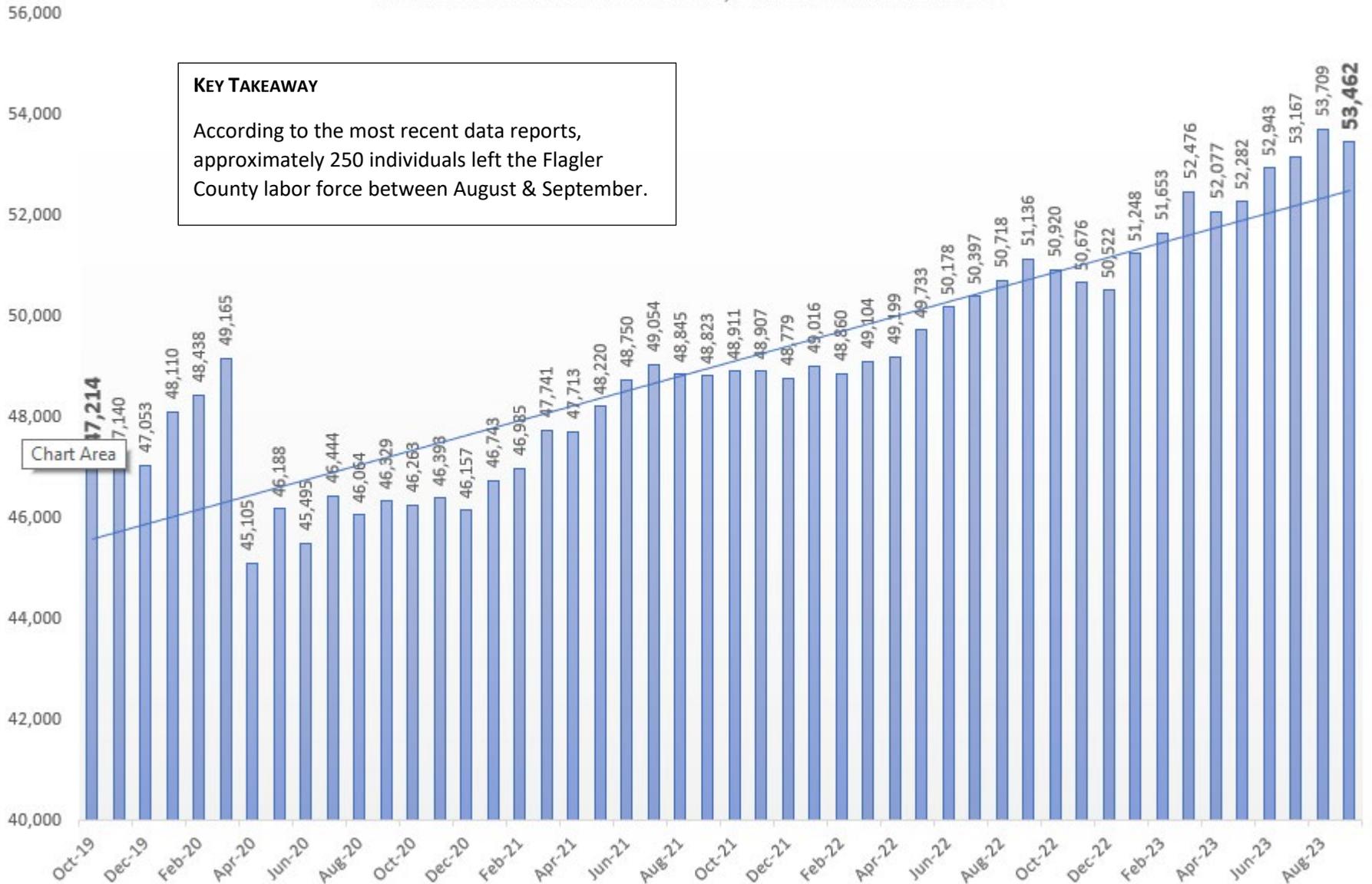


### LABOR FORCE RESIDING IN FLAGLER COUNTY

DATA SOURCE: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS, LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTIC PROGRAM IN COOPERATION WITH THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, BUREAU OF WORKFORCE STATISTICS

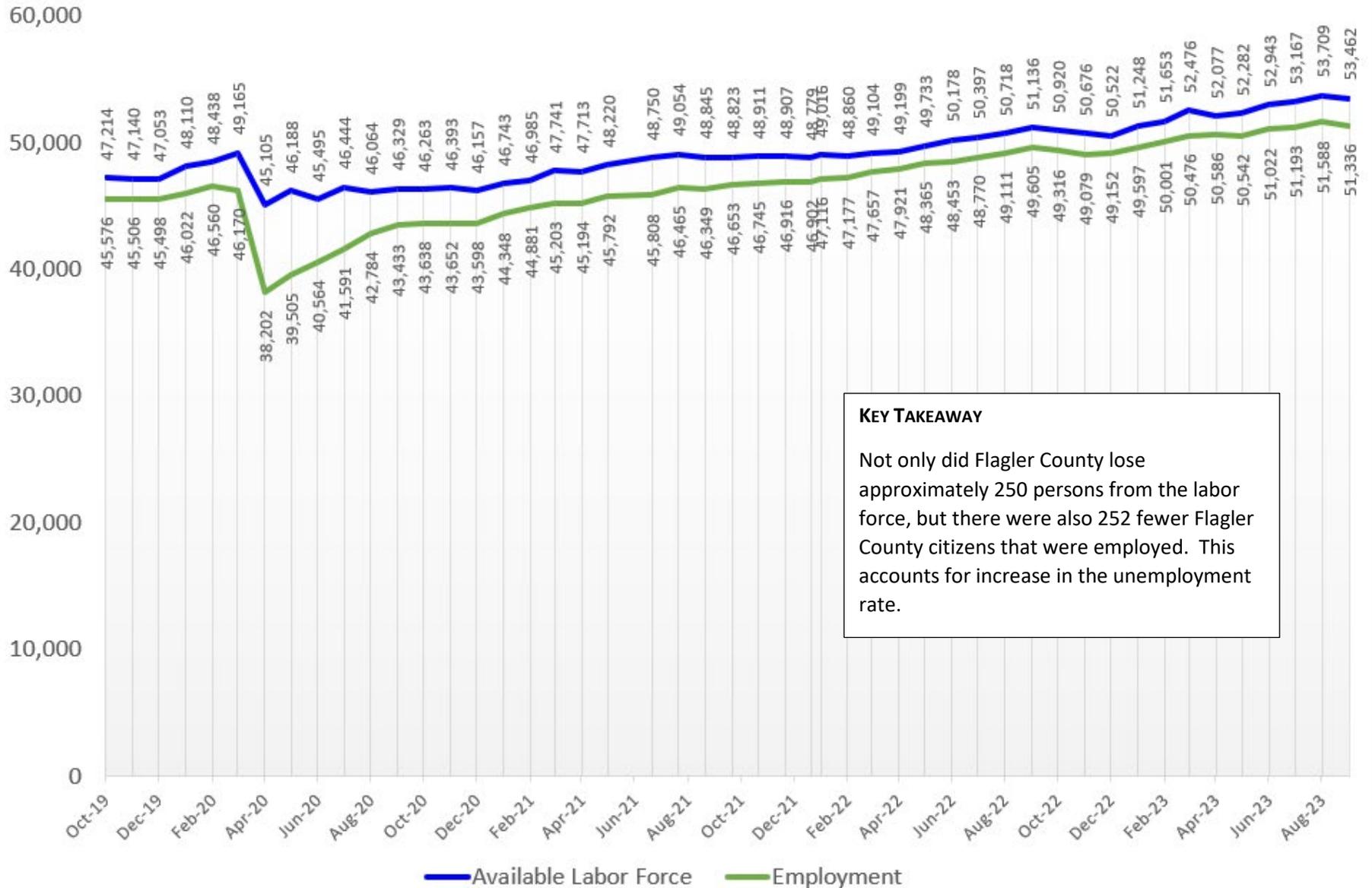
**KEY TAKEAWAY**

According to the most recent data reports, approximately 250 individuals left the Flagler County labor force between August & September.



FLAGLER COUNTY | AVAILABLE LABOR VS EMPLOYED FLAGLER COUNTY CITIZENS

Data Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics Program

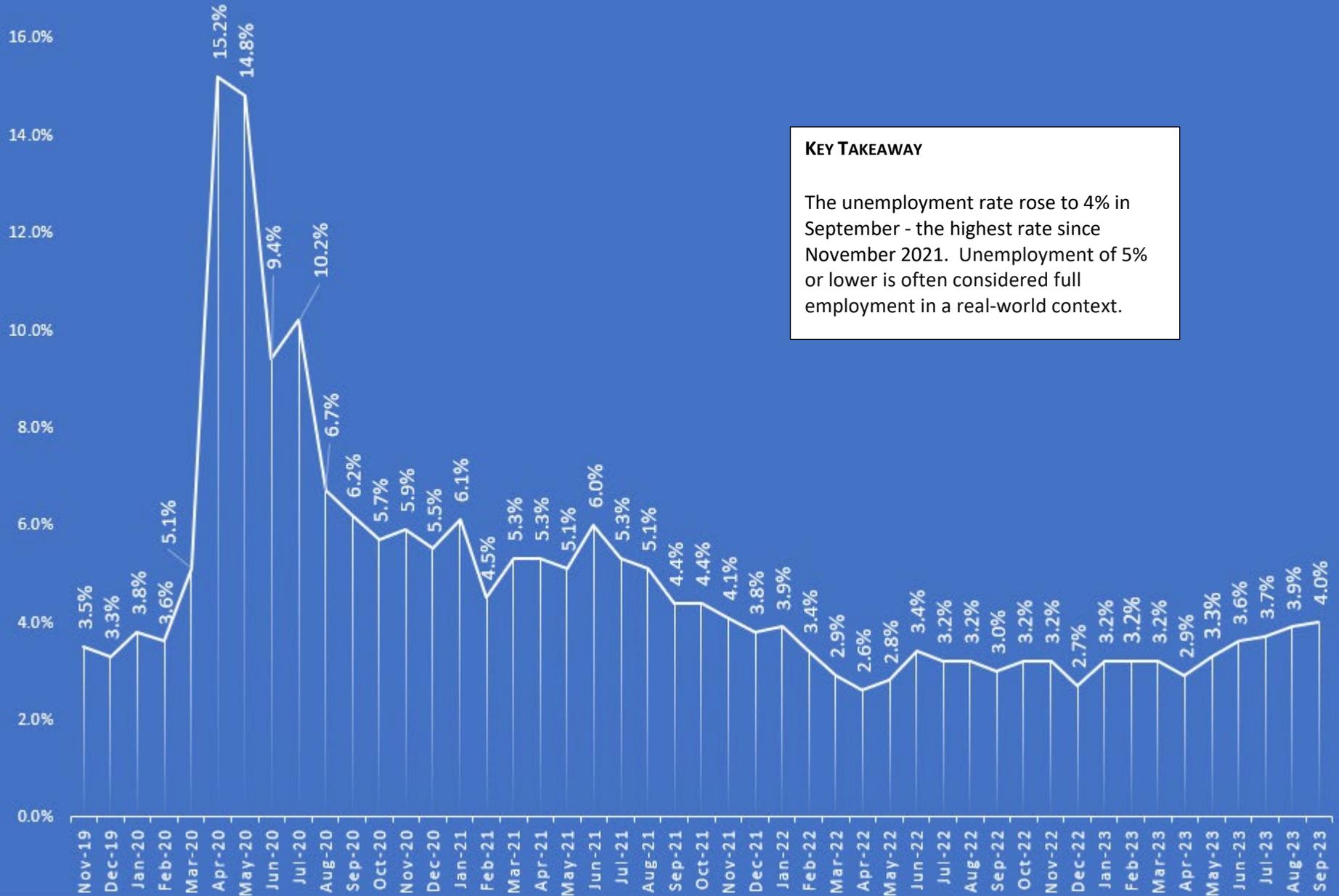


**KEY TAKEAWAY**

Not only did Flagler County lose approximately 250 persons from the labor force, but there were also 252 fewer Flagler County citizens that were employed. This accounts for increase in the unemployment rate.

## UNEMPLOYMENT TREND IN FLAGLER COUNTY | NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

DATA SOURCE: FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, BUREAU OF WORKFORCE STATISTICS & ECONOMIC RESEARCH

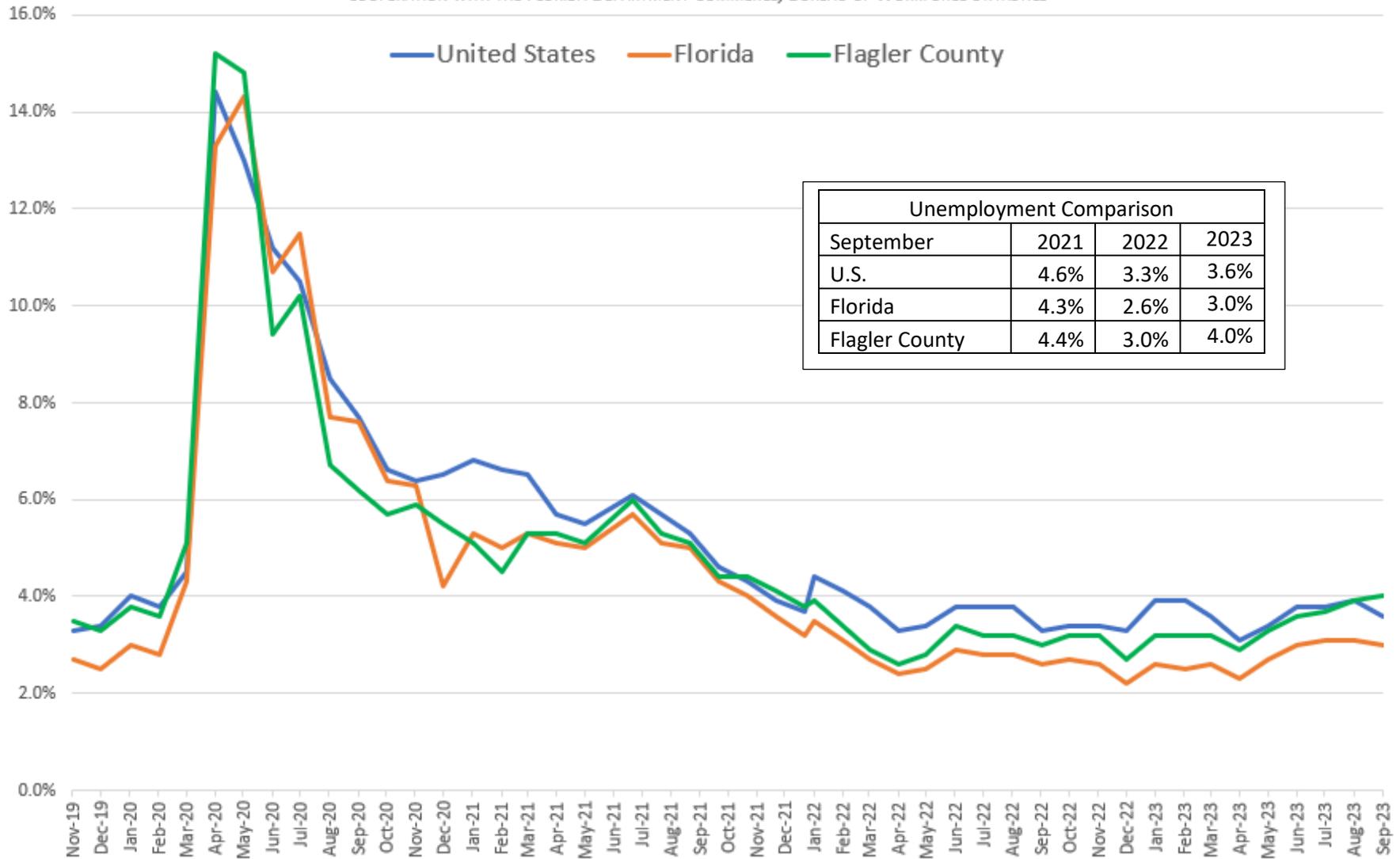


**KEY TAKEAWAY**

The unemployment rate rose to 4% in September - the highest rate since November 2021. Unemployment of 5% or lower is often considered full employment in a real-world context.

### UNEMPLOYMENT TREND COMPARISON | NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

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Unemployment Comparison			
September	2021	2022	2023
U.S.	4.6%	3.3%	3.6%
Florida	4.3%	2.6%	3.0%
Flagler County	4.4%	3.0%	4.0%