WORKING FOR OHO

a closer look at workers' compensation rates

Ohio has one of the BEST business climates in the nation.

✓ STRATEGIC LOCATION

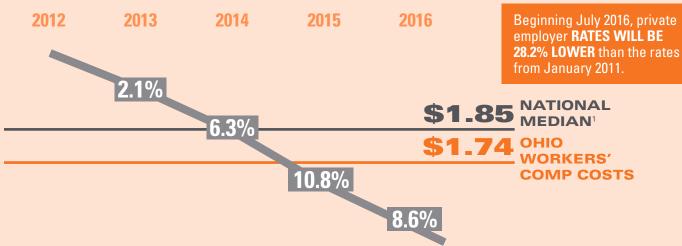
✓ COMPETITIVE TAX STRUCTURE

DIVERSE INDUSTRIES

▼ EXPERIENCED WORKFORCE

Additionally, **Ohio's workers' compensation rates are increasingly competitive**, both regionally and nationally. During the past four years, the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation (BWC) has made huge strides in lowering premium rates for employers.

Private employer rate reductions (2012 - 2016)



NOT JUST lower rates



Lower rates are just part of the equation. OHIO'S WORKERS' COMPENSATION SYSTEM **ALSO OFFERS**:

- Safety training/consulting at no additional cost;
- Customizable rating plans;
- Safety grants;
- · Workplace wellness grants;
- Eligibility for rebates.

For more info on how new employers² can potentially save more than 50% on premiums, contact a BWC regional business development manager.

https://www.bwc.ohio.gov/home/contactus/BusDevelopMgrs.asp.



¹ 2014 Oregon Premium Rate Ranking Study (per \$100 of payroll)

²For purposes of the Grow Ohio Incentive Program, BWC defines a new employer as a new business entity or an out-of-state business that creates one or more jobs in Ohio on or after July 1, 2011. The following are NOT eligible for Grow Ohio: professional employer organizations (PEOs), self-insuring employers, employers transferring experience and employers reporting zero payroll.