# Mississippi MarketMaker Newsletter



## **Meat Cutting Services**

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#### Meat cutting services listed in MarketMaker

The North American Industry Classification System code 311612 or "Meat Processed from Carcasses" industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in processing or preserving meat and meat byproducts (except poultry and small game) from purchased meats. This industry includes establishments primarily engaged in assembly cutting and packing of meats (i.e., boxed meats) from purchased meats.

There are 77 businesses engaged in "meat cutting service and meat for freezer" which are listed in the Mississippi MarketMaker program. You can encourage the owners of your local meat supplier to register their meat cutting business in Mississippi MarketMaker.

Employment data from Economic Modeling Specialists show that since 2012, the industry exhibited continuous decline in employment as shown in the figure below. As of 2014, about 619 workers are employed in the industry by Mississippi establishments. The annual earnings of Mississippi workers employed in this industry averaged \$38,494 in 2014. The average annual earnings of workers employed in this industry nationwide reached \$50,406.



There are a total of **6,053** meat cutting businesses registered in the national MarketMaker program. To find local meat market in your state, do a **Business Search** among Food Retailers using this link---<u>http://webapps.foodmarketmaker.com/marketmaker/#MS/food/productsearch/15035/28</u> Select Meat and Poultry Markets, and then select Meat &Poultry Markets again and Meat Cutting Service/Meat for Freezer.

You can search by county, city, zip code or multiple states.

### Where are the Meat Cutting Services in Mississippi MarketMaker?



Buddy's Meats 1456 County Line Rd Lena, Mississippi 39094 Phone: 601-625-8480 MarketMaker Profile: <u>http://ms.foodmarketmaker.com/business/105917</u>

Madison Meats Mississippi, LLC 100 East Hill Drive Madison, Mississippi 39110 Phone: 601-504-1494 MarketMaker Profile: http://ms.foodmarketmaker.com/business/2259458



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Wilson's Meat House, Inc. 23086 Highway 51 Crystal Springs, Mississippi36059 Phones:601-892-2951; 601-892-2962 MarketMaker Profile: <u>http://ms.foodmarketmaker.com/business/139296</u>

#### Where can you find MarketMaker?

MarketMaker can be viewed at - <u>http://ms.foodmarketmaker.com</u>. You can follow MarketMaker at Facebook - <u>http://www.facebook.com/MSMarketMaker</u>. You can also follow MarketMaker at Twitter - <u>http://twitter.com/MS\_MarketMaker</u> You can read the Mississippi MarketMaker Blog at <u>https://msmarketmaker.wordpress.com/</u>

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