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Nevada JobConnect Weeklong Job Quest Event Proves Successful

Carson City, NV - Carson City Nevada JobConnect's weeklong job quest campaign received 1047 job openings in a variety of industries from entry level to executive level jobs, well above the goal of 500 job openings set by the Department of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation (DETR), said DETR Director Frank Woodbeck.

In an effort to put more Nevadans back to work, Nevada JobConnect hosted a special campaign in Carson City, Douglas County, and Lyon County to get more employers to list their job openings with the state's One-Stop Employment Centers.

Job Connect associates contacted more than 1,800 businesses. Ten business service associates in the Carson City area met with employers in hopes of developing partnerships that will lead to hiring opportunities for their companies.

"Nevada businesses showed once again their commitment to helping Nevadans get back to work," Woodbeck said. "We are grateful for the support these businesses show in Nevada's economic and workforce development efforts. This is a mutually beneficial relationship that ultimately serves our state well."

Some of the services Nevada JobConnect offer employers include screening potential employees, on-site interviewing, and assistance with placement and training. Additionally, through the Governor's Silver State Works program, employers can benefit from financial incentives for hiring unemployed workers.

Businesses that would like to learn more about these services should contact the Carson City JobConnect at 1929 N. Carson Street or call (775) 684-0400. You can also learn more at www.nevadajobconnect.com.



DETR is comprised of the Employment Security Division, Equal Rights Commission, Rehabilitation Division, the Information Development and Processing Division and the Research and Analysis Bureau. DETR works in partnership with the Nevada JobConnect System to provide training and job placement services to job seekers and to assist employers in hiring practices.