

## May 2010



## February Hiring Event a Success!

A level 2 snow emergency did not deter nearly 500 job seekers from showing up for the Project Hire event held at Amvets February 9, 2010. Job seekers were armed with resumes and dressed in their best business attire to meet and discuss job openings with the 26 employers who were able to make it there!

The Hiring Event which was sponsored by the Fairfield, Pickaway and Ross County JOBS One-Stops had been in the planning stages for over 3 months. The funds to advertise and put on this event were provided by the state to the local area One-Stops. The three county area combined forces to promote the event through newspa-

per, billboards, mailings and radio ads.

While the greatest number of people attending where from Pickaway, Ross and Fairfield Counties, there were also people from as far away as Scioto, Seneca, Mercer and Perry Counties that made the drive through the snow to meet with employers.

Employers who made it to the event were thrilled with the turnout and the preparation that many of the job seekers had gone through to be prepared for this event.



## Next Hiring Event Scheduled for May 18, 2010!

It's not too late to register to participate in the next Hiring Event scheduled for Tuesday, May 18, 2010. The Hiring Event will be held at the Amvets in Circleville from 1pm-4pm.

There is no charge to participate in the event! Each employer will have a table and chairs to set-up as they wish. Interviewing space and electrical access is also available if needed.

If you are interested in participating, please contact Julie Bolen at 740-420-7339 ext. 342 or [bolenj@odjfs.state.oh.us](mailto:bolenj@odjfs.state.oh.us) to register!

### Partners of the One-Stop

**Fairfield Job & Family Services**  
740-653-1701

**Pickaway Job & Family Services**  
740-474-7588

**Ross Job & Family Services**  
740-773-2651

**Ohio Dept. of Job & Family Services**  
1-877-644-6562

**Pickaway-Ross Career & Technology Center**  
740-642-2550

**Pickaway County Adult Basic Literacy Education**  
740-477-2927

**Pickaway County Literacy Council**  
740-477-6224

**Senior Employment Center**  
800-554-5335 ext. 176

**Bureau of Vocational Rehabilitation**  
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**Pickaway County Community Action**  
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740-773-1141

# Summer Brings Subsidized Employment Opportunities to Employers

The JOBS One-Stop has a number of subsidized employment opportunities to offer to employers this summer. Many of these programs include 100% reimbursement of the employees wages to YOU as an employer for participating in the program. The following is an overview of the opportunities available to YOU as an employer.

## **Project Hire (Ohio Learning Accounts)**

As an employer if you hire a person who is a dislocated worker (someone who has been laid

off or receiving unemployment compensation) then you can qualify to receive 50% reimbursement up to \$6,000 for the trainee's regular wages during the training period. The minimum wage for this program is \$10.50 per hour and the position must be full-time.

## **Adult Subsidized Employment Program (Adult SEP)**

As an employer if you hire a person who is receiving Ohio Works First (OWF) then you can qualify to receive 100% reimbursement of the employees wages (only) up to \$4,000 through August 31, 2010. Under

this program, you determine the wage and hours.

## **Youth Subsidized Employment Program (Youth SEP)**

As an employer if you hire a youth ages 14-24 who is from a needy family, then you can qualify to receive 100% reimbursement of the employees wages, FICA and worker's compensation. This program runs from June 1- August 27, 2010. Under this program the salary will be \$7.30 per hour.

As you can see, this is a great way to get some summer help at

nearly no cost to your company, school or organization. The One-Stop can help refer applicants that qualify for these program.

If you are interested in participating in any of these programs, please contact Julie Bolen at the JOBS One-Stop at 740-420-7339 ext 342.

Please note that employers must contact the One-Stop prior to starting any employees that they may want to qualify for any of these programs.

## **EMPLOYER WORKSHOP**

Learn how your organization can take advantage of the new 50-100% wage reimbursements and tax credits!

**May 25, 2010**

**1:00pm**

**Pickaway County JOBS One-Stop**

**160 Island Rd, Circleville**

Please register by calling Julie Bolen at 740-420-7339 ext 342 or by email at [bolenj@odjfs.state.oh.us](mailto:bolenj@odjfs.state.oh.us)

