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**Free job training, financial assistance
for workers laid-off from Columbia River Logistics**

VANCOUVER, Wash. (Oct. 9, 2018) – Laid-off Columbia River Logistics workers may be eligible for free training for a new occupation, financial assistance and other benefits. Leased workers may also be eligible.

The U.S. Department of Labor approved benefits for workers who lost their jobs due to a lack of work on or after May 17, 2017. These workers may receive vocational training, additional unemployment benefits, relocation expenses, reimbursement for an out-of-area job search and the federal Health Coverage Tax Credit. Older workers may receive a subsidy that covers the difference in wages earned at the time of separation and those earned in re-employment.

Workers who believe they are eligible should attend an informational meeting on October 17 or November 7 from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. at WorkSource Vancouver, 204 SE Stonemill Drive, Suite 215, Vancouver 98684.

Those who are unable to attend may contact Clarenica Gaines at WorkSource at cgaines@esd.wa.gov or 360-735-5008 for more information.

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