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Job Openings Available at Veterans Hiring Event on May 16

VANCOUVER, Wash. (May 8, 2018) – More than 70 companies seeking employees will be promoting their job openings at a free hiring event for Veterans, Guard, Reserve and their eligible spouses on May 16.

The event, a partnership between WorkSource, Joint Service Support and Work for Warriors, will be held at the Armed Forces Reserve Center at 15005 NE 65th Street, Vancouver 98682 from 4 to 6:30 p.m.

Available job openings are in administration, finance, law enforcement, maintenance, management, sales, health care, hospitality, transportation and more. Companies represent government, nonprofit, technology, manufacturing, education, corrections, staffing agencies and a host of other industries.

Admission is free and parking is available onsite or in overflow parking at Walmart.

View the list of registered employers at the <https://bit.ly/2riVrpc>.

Job seekers are encouraged to:

- a. Dress business casual.
- b. Plan for which companies to speak with at the event and research the types of positions available.
- c. Bring résumé copies – but understand some employers may not be able to accept hard copy résumés.
- d. Prepare a 30-60 second commercial to professionally introduce yourself.

Before attending the event, candidates are encouraged to create an account and profile on www.WorkSourceWA.com to post their resume or create one and give them exposure to additional employers that have job openings.

For more information about this event and additional hiring event tips, contact Monique Martin with WorkSource at 360-735-5015 or momartin@esd.wa.gov.

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WorkSource is a partnership of state agencies, training and education providers, colleges and community organizations that provide free employment and training services to businesses and job seekers. WorkSource assists employers to recruit and screen for qualified applicants, provides wage reimbursement opportunities through on-the-job trainings, and supplies cost-savings information on employment tax credits. Job seekers and those wishing to advance in their career can access workshops on a variety of topics, including resume writing and interviewing skills and may qualify for scholarships to pay for job training or certifications to advance in their field. For information, go to www.WorkSourceWA.com. WorkSource is an equal opportunity employer and provider of employment and training services. Auxiliary aids and services are available on request to individuals with disabilities. Washington Relay 711.

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