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RESOURCE FAIRS/RECRUITING EVENTS COMING TO GARFIELD AND ROUTT COUNTIES OCTOBER 21 AND 22

*Congressman Scott Tipton and State Labor Department create free events to
benefit job seekers and employers alike*

(DENVER) -- Staying fully staffed with the right people is a constant issue for employers and, even in a tight labor market, there's no room for bad hiring decisions. The cost is too great and the risk is too high.

That's why meeting with a number of qualified applicants in a job fair setting can be so valuable to businesses. Congressman Scott Tipton and the Department of Labor and Employment have teamed up to create two premiere recruiting events/resource fairs on Friday, October 21 and Saturday, October 22.

Glenwood Springs Job Fair and Worker Assistance Training

Date: Friday, October 21, 2011
Time: 11 AM to 2 PM
Location: Glenwood Springs Community Center
100 Wulfsohn Road

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Steamboat Springs Job Fair and Worker Assistance Training

Date: Saturday, October 22, 2011
Time: 11 AM to 2 PM
Location: Howelsen Ski Area Olympic Hall
845 Howelsen Parkway

The events are being called Job Fairs and Worker Assistance Training sessions and have been designed to be much more than recruiting events. Participants can gain a wealth of information and resources and a variety of workshops will be offered by the Glenwood Springs, Steamboat Springs and Rifle Workforce Centers and the Small Business Development Centers in Garfield and Routt Counties.

The job fair component is designed to connect job seekers with employers with open positions. “For local businesses with hiring needs, this is the place to find it,” says Ellen Golombek, Executive Director of the Department of Labor and Employment. “Whether you are seeking workers for entry-level jobs or needing to fill higher level positions, this is the place to connect with prospective employees.”

“My top priority is to get people in my district back to work, and the job fairs my office is hosting in conjunction with the Colorado Department of Labor are an opportunity to directly link job-seekers and employers,” Rep. Tipton said.

If your business would like to learn more about participating in these fairs, please contact:

Glenwood Springs: Kathleen Cline of the Glenwood Springs Workforce Center
970-945-8638 (or email proehm@cwfc.net).

Steamboat Springs: Brian Bradbury of the Steamboat Springs Workforce Center
970-879-3075 (or email bbradbury@cwfc.net).

Space is limited for both events so be sure to reserve your table now. There is no charge for employers or job seekers to attend.

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