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Workforce Development Board to hold Virtual Career Fair

Washington, N.C. – On Wednesday, October 6, 2021 from 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m., the Rivers East Workforce Development Board will host *Let's Go To The Fair* Virtual Job Fair. Participating employers include Camfil Clean Air Solutions, Fuji Silysia, Iconic Marine Group, MJM Yachts, NC Departments of Public Safety and Transportation, Metcore Industrial Solutions, Nease Personnel, Nucor (Hertford Co.), Nutrien, Spinrite, Thermo Fisher Scientific, and Weyerhaeuser.

During the fair, individuals will have the opportunity to meet with employers to discuss job opportunities. This virtual platform enables employers and jobseekers to connect through the live chat or one-on-one video chat feature for on-the-spot interviews.

Interested individuals can register for this virtual fair by going to <http://tinyurl.com/jobseeker106>. Participants will be required to upload their resumes in pdf format in order to apply for openings.

Should individuals need assistance with resume or interview prep, they may contact their local NCWorks Career Center.

Beaufort County: 1502 North Market Street, Washington or call 252.940.0900

Bertie County (*Tuesdays & Thursdays, 9am-3pm only*): 409 Granville Street, Windsor or call 252.794.4861 ext.175

Hertford County: 109 Community College Road, Jernigan Building B, Ahoskie or call 984.960.8743

Martin County: 407 East Boulevard, Williamston or call 252.792.7816

Pitt County: 3101 Bismarck Street, Greenville or call 252.355.9067

Jennie Bowen, Workforce Development Director states, "One thing we learned through the Covid-19 Pandemic is virtual platforms are a viable and efficient way to provide services to job seekers and employers. We are seeing more and more job opportunities as companies transition back to normal operations. As that demand increases, we continue to work to connect job seekers directly with those employers. The services provided by our NCWorks Career Centers have been and remain available at no cost to

anyone in need of assistance. In addition, our Career Centers offer a variety of virtual workshops that help prepare individuals for job search related needs. If you or someone you know is looking for a job or need resource information, please visit the NCWorks booth at the Fair or reach out to your local NCWorks Career Center.”

The board’s office is located at 1502 N. Market St., Suite A in Washington. For more information, call (252) 974-1815.

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