

PA CareerLink® Jefferson County

New Businesses	Businesses Increase / Recall	Businesses Downsized/Lay Off	Closed Businesses
Haines Trans Inc	WRC Senior Services	KMI	
Titus Energy LLC	Peggy L Stormer (AFLAC)	George I Reitz & Sons	
Jefferson County Housing Authority			
ML Screen Printing			
Stanton Dynamics			

Outreach –

WRC, Farmers National Bank, County Homemakers, Hurricane Truck Wash, Laurel Eye Clinic, Travel Centers of America, Minich Truck and Tire Repair, Legacy Truck Sales, Pizza Hut, Westat, Barber Trucking, Inc. Global Drilling Suppliers, Inc. Matson Lumber Company, Jefferson County Government, Peggy L. Stormer (AFLAC), Dunlap Lawn & Garden Equipment Co. (Brookville), The Medicine Shop/C. L. Cressler, Inc., Kelly Chrysler Jeep Dodge, Paragon Resources, LLC, Miller Fabrication Solutions, Elite Technologies and Communications, Inc., Core Laboratories, Subway, DBI/Brookville Glove.

Highlights for this quarter –

Tuesday, Feb 4th the PA CareerLink – Jefferson County hosted a presentation by Community Action’s VITA program. VITA (assists local residents with filing their 2019 taxes at no cost. Samantha Schrengost explained the program to the TANF youth and Out of School youth participants in attendance. At this time two participants have scheduled their individual tax appointment with the certified IRS preparers for March.

Teresa Neal with The PA CareerLink – Jefferson County met with 13 youth in the Brookville area as part of the Independent Living program for Jefferson County. She presented the services available through the CareerLink and the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act Youth program.

On Friday, February 14 in conjunction with Jeff Tech’s LPN program the PA CareerLink – Jefferson County met with interested employees at DuBois Nursing Home regarding the 2020 License Practical Nursing program. Teresa Neal with CareerLink presented the services available through the CareerLink and the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act. She explained the Individual Training Account service and how it may assist them with the cost of the training.

Michael K, PID 1140888, was referred to the RESEA program after being permanently separated from American Natural as an Oil/Gas Equipment Fueller. His resume was reviewed and job postings were discussed at the personalized services meeting. Participant expressed difficulty searching and applying for jobs online, and was assigned to the Applications and Online Job Search workshop. As of 30 day follow up, the participant reported being hired as a Laborer at Beatrice Holdings with a start date of 01/27/2020 and a starting wage of \$18.60/hour (similar to previous wage).

In March, the PA CareerLink Closed the doors effective March 17, 2020 and will tentatively reopen on March 31, 2020. The PA CareerLink continues to provide services to our customers through telework. Arrangements have been made with the PA CareerLink Navigators to have “tracphones” and calls coming into the PA CareerLink are being directed to call our Navigators. In turn, the Navigators are routing calls to all available staff who are working from home. Customers are able to access almost all services.

