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GOODWILL HOSTS JOB FAIR JUNE 1

JOB SEEKERS ENCOURAGED TO UTILIZE GOODWILL'S CAREER CENTERS TO PREPARE

What: Goodwill of Central Arizona will host a free job fair for Valley residents, offering educational and job opportunities. Job seekers will be able to interview with local companies on-the-spot and speak with employers about current company positions. Positions offered include security personnel, customer service representatives, call center positions, caregivers, cashiers, stockers, general labor, ramp agents and more. Attendees are encouraged to dress professionally and bring extra copies of their current resume.

Participating Valley companies include:

Best Western International
Circle K
Federal Express
Goodwill Temporary Services
Homestead Senior Care
Jobing.com
Kelly Services

Macayo's Mexican Kitchen
Mesa Air Group
Pointe Hilton Hotels
Securitas
U-Haul
US Truck/Stevens Transport
Wells Fargo Bank

An additional 15-20 employers will also be at the job fair.

Goodwill's Career Centers offer a great resource to job applicants interested in preparing for the job fair. On-site staff can provide assistance with job search skills, from what to wear to an interview to resume writing and interviewing tips. The service is free and open to the public.

**Where
& When:** **Job fair location:**
Goodwill of Central Arizona – Main Campus
417 N. 16th Street, Phoenix
South of Roosevelt on 16th Street
Wednesday, June 1, 2006 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Goodwill Career Center locations:

Phoenix Main Campus
416 N. 16th Street, Phoenix

Peoria
8515 NW Grand Avenue, Peoria (Corner of 85th Ave./Grand Ave)

Northwest Phoenix
3548 W. Northern Avenue (NW corner of 35th Ave / Northern)

Northeast Phoenix
3202 E. Greenway (NE corner of 32nd Street / Greenway)

Tempe
805 E. Guadalupe Road (SW corner of Rural/Guadalupe)

Chandler
930 N. Alma School Road (SW corner of Ray/Alma School)

Why: Goodwill’s job fairs are one of many ways Goodwill achieves its mission to provide hope, jobs and futures. Goodwill provides job seekers with the opportunity to improve resumes and interviewing skills through its Career Centers, and job fairs put them in touch with employers that provide positions well suited to their individual skills.

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Who: Goodwill of Central Arizona is one of the oldest and largest nonprofit agencies in Arizona and is a nationally recognized leader in empowering people to achieve their highest level of personal and economic independence. Their philosophy is simple: provide an environment for people to believe they can succeed, achieve goals, develop skills and change the barriers they face every day. For more information on Goodwill of Central Arizona, visit goodwillaz.org.

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