

Job fair aimed at former Maytag employees

MARION - More than 60 employers from across the state will visit Marion Tuesday to try and fill current job openings. The employers will be participating in the "Smart Choices for Today and Tomorrow" job fair scheduled from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the One-Stop Business and Employment Center.

The job fair was organized in response to the recent layoffs at Herrin's Maytag/Whirlpool plant, but anyone looking for employment is encouraged to attend.

Some of the job openings available include mechanical maintenance tech, clerical, welders, therapists, general labor, sales, dispatchers, drivers, manufacturing/production workers, nursing, graphic designer, inventory clerk and more.

Participants are encouraged to bring a resume and dress professionally as employers will be conducting interviews during the fair.

Those who need assistance in creating or upgrading their resumes can get free help at the Marion One-Stop as well.

The Marion One-Stop Business and Employment Center is located at 3000 DeYoung St., Suite 800 B on the northeast side of the Illinois Center mall.

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