

Hunterdon-Somerset Workforce Development Board Virtual Webinars Available To Help Job Seekers

Career Relaunch Webinar On Sept. 23rd

The Greater Raritan Workforce Development Board is offering several valuable career enhancement virtual programs, including a September 23rd webinar entitled 'Relaunch! A New Perspective on Finding Meaningful Work in Challenging Times,' as the agency continues to develop new and creative methods for assisting job seekers and those seeking career growth, Hunterdon County Freeholder Zach Rich reported at the September 15th Freeholder meeting.

Rich, the Freeholder Board's liaison to the Greater Raritan Workforce Development Board, which serves Hunterdon and Somerset Counties, reported, "The September 23rd Relaunch webinar is a virtual workshop with a wide aim providing career direction for those seeking to enter a new career field and for those who are employed but looking for better opportunities. It is a program that could not come at a better time as so many face employment challenges."

The webinar is scheduled for September 23rd at 2 to 3 pm via zoom. The presenter is author Steven Simon, Ph.D., president and CEO of Human Services Outcomes Inc. Pre-registration is required and more information can be found on the Hunterdon County workforce development website; <http://www.co.hunterdon.nj.us/WorkforceDevelopment.html>

The virtual event is sponsored by the Greater Raritan One-Stop Career Center in collaboration with the New Start Career Center, a program of the John J. Helrich Center for Workforce Development at Rutgers University. It is supported by the Jewish Family Services of Somerset, Hunterdon and Warren Counties.

"The Relaunch webinar is one of several opportunities offered by the Workforce Development Board, which also includes the Skill Up Raritan online learning platform and a Job Match service for job seekers. Those that are interested can find more information at the Workforce website; thegrwdb.org/resources/for-jobseekers/. And all programs are free." Rich stated.

The Greater Raritan One-Stop advises that offices in Somerville and Flemington closed to the public in mid-March due to the coronavirus. While staff is working on site, in-person service is not available currently to ensure the health and safety of staff and customers. All services were converted to virtual- and phone-delivery platforms, and new programs continue to be added within the system.