

State Street Job Fair Surpassed Expectations – Another Planned for February

On September 28, 2022 Santa Barbara Public library in partnership with the Santa Barbara County Workforce Development Board hosted a job fair on the 700 block of downtown State Street. More than 40 businesses ranging from hospitality to non-profits, and aerospace to healthcare engaged with 225 registered job seekers and an addition 700 members of the public who came by the event which exceeded attendance expectations.

There will be another job and resource fair at the Eastside library on Saturday, February 25th from 11 am to 1 pm.

Job seekers will have the opportunity to connect with employers with immediate openings in Santa Barbara and across south county. Interested job seekers that are looking for new careers are all encouraged to attend. The Eastside Job Fair will provide access to employers, from a wide variety of organizations and industries, who are seeking committed, hardworking, and enthusiastic employees to fill available positions. This unique job fair will be hosted in the parking lot at the Eastside library food and drinks will be available on a first-come, first-serve basis and attendees will have a chance to win a $25 visa gift card!

To complement the Job Fair, the Santa Barbara Public Library and America's Job Center of California, are planning to offer workshops leading up to the event. Workshops topics include interview preparations, creating a resume, job research, preparing for a job fair and cover letter best practices. To register early for the job fair please email: sbplworks@santabarbaraca.gov and include your contact details as well as your business name.

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