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EDA Partners with LFCC Workforce Solutions On CDL Training

August 6, 2015, Front Royal, Virginia - The Economic Development Authority announced that it is partnering with Workforce Solutions in providing a CDL training area. The Office of Workforce Solutions at Lord Fairfax Community College (LFCC) is offering a Commercial Driver's License (CDL) training this fall for those looking to become a professional truck driver holding a CDL-A endorsement.

LFCC Workforce Solutions has partnered with CDS Tractor Trailer Company to bring DCL training to the local area. CDS is committed to providing professional training and job placement assistance to students. Local, regional and over-the-road companies are calling CDS regarding their graduates. Students hear from several trucking

company recruiters while attending school, and most have job offers before they graduate.

The EDA has offered the range site at the parking lot adjacent to the Avtex Administration Building in Front Royal, where hands on driving practice will take place. The location was secured through the EDA. Valley Proteins, Holtzman Oil and Appalachian Freight donated trucks and trailers.

“We are very excited to offer this new program, and what makes the truck driving training even more feasible for local students is the new financial aid opportunity available through LFCC Workforce Solutions which covers many industry credential offerings,” said Guy Curtis, Coordinator of Marketing, Business and Industry Training.

“We are happy to be able to assist Workforce Solutions in providing a site for this training program,” said Jennifer R. McDonald, Executive Director of the EDA.

“Workforce training is one of our primary concerns and we want to support it in every way possible.”

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