

The following organizations participate in the Job Center under the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA):

- College of Lake County
- Community Action Partnership
- Department of Health Services Rehabilitation
- Department of Health Services TANF
- District 113 Adult Education
- District 120 Adult Education
- Illinois Department of Employment Security
- Job Corps
- Lake County Housing Authority
- Lake County Workforce Development
- Senior Community Service Employment Program
- Waukegan Housing Authority
- YouthBuild Lake County
- Youth Conservation Corps

## **Impact of Workforce**

All across the country, Workforce Development Boards:

- Serve as a connector between the U.S. Department of Labor and nearly 2,400 local American Job Centers (AJCs) that deliver services to workers and employers;
- Direct federal, state, and local funding to workforce development programs; and
- Develop strategic relationships with local businesses and partner with entities in the workforce system to meet the needs of employers and job seekers.

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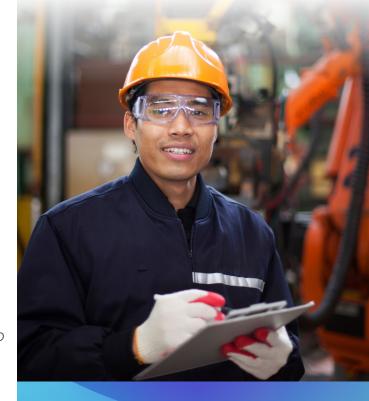
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# The Lake County Workforce Development Board is a workforce development leader in the county, region, and state.



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## Who We Are

The Lake County Workforce Development Board is a workforce development leader in the county, region, and state. The Workforce Board collaborates with key partners and stakeholders to lead performance-driven and innovative strategies that develop, align, and integrate the workforce development system.

The Workforce Board is committed to developing a skilled and inclusive workforce to meet the employer demands of today and in the future.

We serve employers, job seekers, and community partners throughout Lake County by providing valuable services and resources. This includes programs to help employers source and develop talent, along with tools and training to help job seekers maintain a competitive edge in the workforce.





## Committees

The Lake County Workforce Development Board is comprised of five committees:

- Employer Connections Committee
- Talent Pipeline Committee
- Operations Committee
- Executive Committee
- Finance and Compliance Committee

## **Key Imperatives**

In support of the Board's vision, mission, and purpose, the current Strategic Plan has identified the following key imperatives:

- Industry Sector Strategies
- Integration and Inclusivity
- Skills and Talent Development
- Regional Strategies
- Innovation

## **Mission**

To ensure a workforce equipped for today and prepared for tomorrow.

## Vision

To be the leader of the Lake County workforce development system that produces a highly skilled workforce and powers the region's economic vitality and quality of life.

#### **Purpose**

The Lake County Workforce Development Board, in close partnership with the business community, works diligently to identify and address local workforce challenges, develops career pathways and industry sector strategies, collects and explains labor market information to job seekers and employers, ensures programs and services meet key performance outcomes, and is continuously focused on providing inclusive services that support underserved communities and diverse populations.

Visit www.LakeCountyWorkforce.org to learn more about the Lake County Workforce Development Board.

