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Private Industry Council of Westmoreland/Fayette, Inc. and Westmoreland-Fayette Workforce Investment Board are hosting a Transportation Convention on April 13th, 2022.

The Westmoreland-Fayette Workforce Investment Board (WFWIB) and Private Industry Council of Westmoreland/Fayette, Inc. (PIC) are excited to be hosting a Transportation Convention at the Youngwood PA CareerLink® on Wednesday April 13th, 2022, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Members of the Logistics & Transportation Industry Partnership will be attending the convention to discuss the state of the industry along with providing employment opportunities to individuals who attend the convention.

The convention will start at 8:00 a.m. for partners to hear from a speaker about the transportation industry. At 9:00 a.m., the convention will open up to members of the community who are interested in learning more about the transportation industry and what positions are available. There will be a panel discussion at 10:00 a.m. with members of the Transportation Industry Partnership who will be answering questions about the transportation industry and discussing employment opportunities.

Individuals who attend the convention will have the opportunity to see various equipment, such as trucks and busses, that require a CDL. "We are very excited to be hosting the Transportation Convention," said Nick Falcone, Strategic Initiative Specialist for the WFWIB. "The convention is going to give industry leaders the opportunity to learn about new policies in their industry, and employment seekers the chance to speak with companies directly."

Registration to the event is requested by going on the PA CareerLink® site and searching *Transportation Career Convention*. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Youngwood PA CareerLink® at 724-755-2330.

PIC is a nonprofit organization dedicated to building tomorrow's workforce in southwestern Pennsylvania. Founded in 1983, it administers over two dozen programs in three divisions: Early Childhood Development, Education, and Workforce Development. PIC is the operator and Title I service provider of the Alle-Kiski, Fayette, and Westmoreland PA CareerLink®; operates a private licensed school, Education and Technology Institute; and is the grantee of the Head Start/Early Head Start of Fayette

County and Head Start/Early Head Start of Beaver County. To learn more, please visit the website, www.privateindustrycouncil.com.

The Westmoreland-Fayette Workforce Investment Board (WFWIB) is a non-profit entity consisting of appointees from the business, education, and labor sectors of our counties. The board is empowered to lead workforce development activities in Fayette and Westmoreland counties. The WFWIB is funded by the Workforce Innovation & Opportunity Act (WIOA), which provides funding to federal workforce programs and local Workforce Development Boards. The WFWIB oversees the three PA CareerLink® offices that are located in Westmoreland and Fayette county. For more information about the Westmoreland-Fayette Workforce Investment Board, please visit www.WestFayWIB.org