

Workforce Connections

Your monthly digest of resources, events, and all things Workforce Development in Lancaster County



January 26, 2021 | Special Update

This special update of Workforce Connections contains three resources that couldn't wait till our next issue!

Small Business Grant Opportunity

Lancaster City Revitalization & Improvement Zone (CRIZ) Grant Program - NOW OPEN!

The Lancaster CRIZ is inviting businesses in the Lancaster City CRIZ to apply for grant funds beginning January 25. The \$3,000,000 program will allow small businesses in the district to apply for funds to support their operations. These funds will be awarded based on applicant scores.

Your business must be located in the Lancaster City Revitalization & Improvement Zone (CRIZ) and must have 30 employees or less. [Click here](#) to determine if you qualify (you must appear in one of the highlighted areas).

To view grant program details, including an FAQ, click [here](#). Applications must be submitted between **Monday, January 25, 2021 at 8am and Friday, January 29, 2021 at 5pm**. Click [here](#) to apply.



Now recruiting for Framing Futures!

This 5-week summer program prepares young adults for a career in Construction



CONSTRUCTION CAREERS FRAMING FUTURES

High school seniors, jumpstart your career in construction this summer!

Explore 4 construction careers over 5 weeks (July 5-August 6):



-  **Carpentry**
Median salary \$40,700
-  **Construction Electrician**
Median salary \$31,400
-  **Masonry**
Median salary \$48,430
-  **Plumbing**
Median salary \$50,800

Drive a forklift • Get OSHA certified • Help build a house • Earn 1 week's pay on job site
Gain a certificate of completion & admission to Thaddeus Stevens College

FREE OPPORTUNITY FOR 15 SENIORS* THIS YEAR ONLY! DON'T WAIT.

*Scholarships are limited to those who qualify. To get started now, so you qualify, reach out to Carissa Pinkard at cpinkard@lanastercountywib.com. Questions? contact Amy at welsh@stevenscollege.edu.



Funded by BB&T Now Trust Economic Growth Fund at the Lancaster County Community Foundation.

Download the flyer and get started today!

Resources for Career Advisors

[CareerOneStop](#) offers great information and tools for career advisors who help job seekers, career explorers, and students. CareerOneStop material may be used in individual sessions, curriculum for classroom or workshops, computer lab exercises, or for newsletters and other publications.

Visit the new [Employment Recovery - Counselor Resources](#) today!



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