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***Pitt County Partners group offers “Networking Redesigned”***

***A resource fair for representatives of local agencies to learn about available resources***

GREENVILLE – Members of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Partners group, led by the Pitt Community College Transitional Studies Department, will meet to learn about services offered through local organizations.

About 25 local agencies will meet at 9 a.m., Thursday, August 29 at Pitt Community College in Winterville. Each agency will send two to five employees to network with representatives from other local agencies. These agencies provide housing, education, transportation, employment, financial and other types of assistance for community members.

The WIOA Partners group has been meeting on a monthly basis for more than five years to provide networking and resource sharing opportunities within Pitt County. This group boasts more than 50 member agencies.

“Networking Redesigned” was developed to encourage collaboration and resource sharing within the local community. Interactive strategies will be used to increase engagement and gauge understanding.

The purposes of this event are to promote interaction and partnerships within the  Pitt County Community, help reduce duplicated efforts among our partners, increase awareness of available resources and services for our clientele, and finally, develop a model that other regions and communities can use to promote these same goals.

This event is sponsored by Region Q Workforce Development Board, Pitt Community College Foundation and the Transitional Studies Department, NENC Career Pathways and Pitt County DSS.

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