



APPLIE
Pathway



CITY OF
Springfield
WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

APPLIE Pathway Team

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Department of Labor Grant



\$3.5 million Issued to City of
Springfield Department of
Workforce Development



Grant runs through
1/2022-12/2024



Enrolling 400 Justice Involved
Individuals returning to our
communities

APPLIE Pathway Eligibility

Releasing to the 7 county Ozark Region

- Polk, Dallas, Greene, Christian, Taney, Stone & Webster

20 – 180 days from releasing to this area

Over the age of 18

No Sex Offenders

FACILITIES



- Presented in 9 State institutions; Alcoa, Chillicothe, Fordland, Licking and Tipton, Pacific, Jefferson City, Bowling Greene, and Boonville
- Also looking at Ozark Region County Jails; Greene, Christian, Dallas, Polk, Webster, Taney and Stone counties

Participants



- 126 Enrolled
- 71 Released
- 45 Employed

APPLIE Pathway Workshop

Tell me about yourself

Workbook

Application (paper & online)

Interview

Review Felony Question

Resume Preparation

Employment History

MVE

Tipton, MO

Carpenter Assembler

09/2019 – 02/2022

- Work as part of a team having responsibility for assembling an entire product or component of a product.
- Performed routine and non-routine production duties and followed written processes to assemble a complete engine or engine components
- Participated and made management decisions affecting the work and included team leaders who work as part of the team.
- Operated UPS testing equipment to inspect, operate, and test completed motor products into functioning, machine capabilities, and conformance to customer specifications
- Resolved routine production problems of machine breakdown, and reported other problems to the team leader or production supervisor for assistance

Holloway America

Springfield, MO

Grinder

10/2009 - 04/2013

- Machine operator, blueprint reading, fabrication, welding, weld inspecting, labeling part numbers.
- Pick variety of metal product for orders.
- Put away different product if not needed or wrong order.
- Utilizes material-handling equipment such as manual jack or power jack.
- Display flexibility/versatility work to perform different job functions in the warehouse as needed or instructed.

Prime Trucking

Springfield, MO

OTR Driver

08/2009 - 11/2009

- Operated company vehicle safely as well as maintaining a valid driver's license and driving record within acceptable company guidelines.
- Ensured route was started with proper equipment tools such as route maps paper and electronic transportation logs, carry bag, cell phone, keys
- Maintained product integrity at all times, including the utilization of products from client office to the lock box to vehicle
- Communicated with Dispatch before leaving an area to ensure will-calls have been cleared
- Cared for and maintained company equipment including scanners, telephones, vehicles

National Career
Readiness
Certificate
NCRC

Graphic Literacy, Workplace Documents, Applied
Math

Platinum – 4

Gold – 17

Silver – 30

Bronze – 20

Training

- AGCMO Training
 - Advanced Workzone & Flagger
 - Credential
- Mid- America Training Institute (Green for Greene grant)
 - 13 Certifications
- Other training opportunities are available once released
- 38 participants have completed training to date



Post release



Job Center appointment
within 72 hours



Graduate Meetings

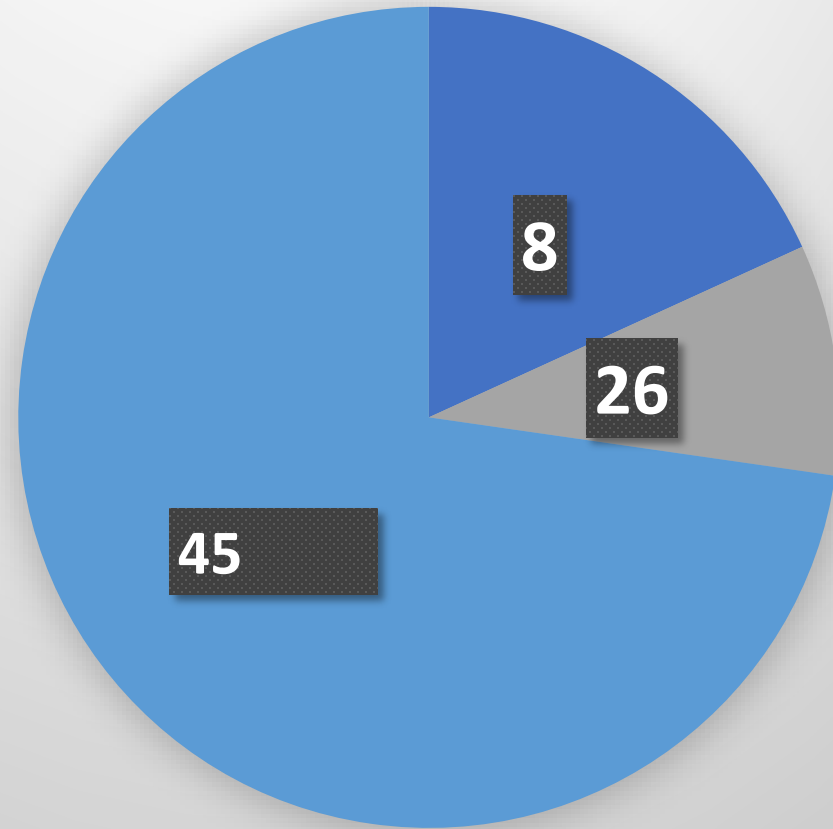
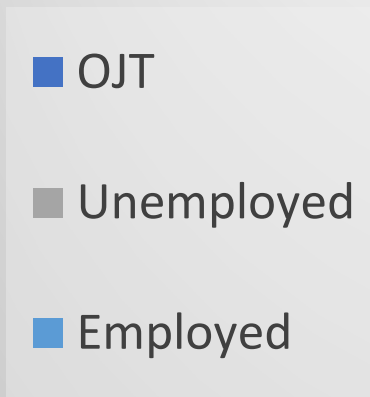


Supportive Services



Weekly/Monthly Contact

Employment



OJT – on the job training

- \$624,000 for OJT

- Up to 1,040 hours of training per participant

- 50% of wages are paid to the employer through City of Springfield

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Branson forces exodus of key city employees

Ex-admin nets six-figure severance deal

by Karen Craig - krcraig@sbj.net

Turnover, forced and otherwise, in Branson is quickly changing the makeup of city government.

On April 19, the Board of Aldermen held a special closed session and voted to get rid of City Administrator Stanley Dobbins.

The day after the meeting, the city posted a news release on its website that stated Dobbins was put on administrative leave through his planned retirement on April 30.

But according to Dobbins, he did not have firm retirement plans.

Dobbins was appointed to that post in 2017. He joined Branson city government in 2012 as assistant police chief and was promoted to chief in 2016.

The Board of Alderman named City Clerk Lisa Westfall acting city administrator, and she is now serving both roles.

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'Untapped Market'

City program focuses on inmates soon to exit prison with \$3M grant

by Mike Cullinan - mcullinan@sbj.net

A \$3 million federal grant received last summer by the city of Springfield is expanding a Missouri Job Center program that seeks to help people in prison prepare to re-enter the workforce.

The three-year grant from the U.S. Department of Labor Employment and Training Administration

success rate of about 76% of those becoming employed.

"Those 400 people will be returning to our communities that will need employment opportunities," she said, noting over 30 are currently enrolled in the program. This year, seven have graduated and five are employed.

"We work with them on interviewing, resume writing, and job search strategies."

PROGRAM HIRE
David Wright, who was recently hired by Creative Modular Construction, works on a building for 7 Brew Coffee. Wright participated in Missouri Job Center's APPLIE program.

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QUESTIONS

Thank you for Your Attendance

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