

July 29, 2019

Former Employees of Verso Luke LLC located in Luke, MD and affiliated locations.

A Trade Petition was filed on behalf of impacted workers from Verso and has recently been certified. As a former employee of Verso MD you may be eligible for Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) under Petition #94771 if your employment at Verso ended on or after April 30, 2018. We know that this will have a huge impact on each employee that is affected by this event. During this period of transition from your current employment to entering the job market, there are resources available to you. These services are free of charge. We encourage you to take advantage of these services which include job referrals, unemployment insurance, career consultations and **Trade Adjustment Assistance**. If you would like to learn more about the benefits offered by the Trade Act Program we will be hosting an information session exclusively for Verso impacted workers.

A Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) information sessions have been scheduled for:

Date	Location
<b>Tuesday, August 6, 2019</b> <b>1:00 – 2:30 pm</b>	Allegany College 12401 Willowbrook Road, SE Cumberland, MD 21502
<b>Tuesday, August 6, 2019</b> <b>5:30 – 7:00 pm</b>	Allegany College 12401 Willowbrook Road, SE Cumberland, MD 21502
<b>Wednesday, August 7, 2019</b> <b>10:00 - 11:30 am</b>	Ruth Enlow Library of Garrett County 6 North Second Street, Oakland MD 21550
<b>Wednesday, August 7, 2019</b> <b>1:00 - 2:30 pm</b>	Garrett College, Southern Outreach Center 14 N 8th St, Oakland, MD 21550

Register for a session by enrolling in the Maryland Workforce Exchange and signing up for the event time and date on the Events Calendar. To enroll and register for an event, visit this website [www.mwejobs.maryland.gov](http://www.mwejobs.maryland.gov) (Maryland Workforce Exchange). The orientation will start promptly at the scheduled time. Allow 1 hour and 30 minutes for the session which includes time for questions. Please RSVP as soon as possible.

Although change can be difficult, we are here to provide you with the resources you need to make your job search easier and to offer you support in your future employment endeavors. We have professional staff to assist you with résumé review and preparation, interview skills, job search exploration, and application techniques. Please feel free to visit one of our American Job Centers for more information.

<p><b>Allegany County American Job Center</b> McMullen Building, 138 Baltimore Street Cumberland, Maryland 21502 Telephone: 301-777-1221 Fax: 301-784-1702 <a href="mailto:dldwdalcumberlandisoffice-dllr@maryland.gov">dldwdalcumberlandisoffice-dllr@maryland.gov</a></p>	<p><b><u>Garrett County American Job Center – Western Maryland Consortium</u></b> Garrett College Southern Outreach Center 14 N. 8th Street Oakland, MD 21550 Telephone: 301-334-8136 or 8137</p>
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We look forward to working with you. Remember today is the best time to begin planning your next career path.

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