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'Hiring Our Heroes' Job Fair Held in Sandy for Veterans March 25

DRAPER, Utah — A 'Hiring Our Heroes' job fair will be held Tuesday, March 25, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the South Towne Expo Center in Sandy.

The fair is one of a series of events intended to assist veterans, active-duty military, members of the National Guard and Reserve and military spouses to obtain information on veteran benefits, employment or to upgrade their current job situations.

At the last 'Hiring Our Heroes' event held Jan. 23 in St. George, More than 35 employers were on hand, accepting 117 resumes to jobseekers, interviewing 54 applicants and extending 32 job offers. And of the 206 attendees, 161 were military veterans.

Dozens of employers will be on hand March 25 to discuss job opportunities, many of whom will be prepared to extend solid offers to qualified applicants.

Interested jobseekers may register for the fair at <http://bit.ly/1eGcTqB>. Employers and service providers who wish to be a part of the event may register at this link: <http://bit.ly/1gEWxho>.

In preparation for the fair, a resume-writing, interviewing, and job-fair-tips workshop will be held Thursday, March 20, at 8:45 a.m. the Utah National Guard's Draper headquarters.

The U.S. Chamber of Commerce will sponsor the event, which is conducted by the Utah Veterans and Military Employment Coalition, Utah Committee of Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve, Utah Department of Veterans Affairs, Utah Department of Workforce Services, Salt Lake Chamber of Commerce and the U.S. Departments of Labor and Veterans Affairs.

The South Towne Expo Center is located at 9575 S. State in Sandy. For more information, please contact Chuck Rackham at (801) 432-4242 or Mark Harrison at (801) 432-4536.