



Council Connections

Bridging Allegany, Garrett and Washington Counties
April 27, 2023



Workforce Opportunity for Rural Communities

The Workforce Opportunity for Rural Communities (WORC) Initiative, managed by the U.S. Department of Labor (DOL), provides enhanced training and support activities to dislocated workers, new entrants in the workforce, incumbent workers, and individuals affected by substance use disorder (SUD) returning to work in the Appalachian, Delta, and Northern Border regions. As part of WORC, ARC partners with the Department of Labor to develop comprehensive approaches addressing economic distress and workforce development activities throughout the Region. Successful WORC projects draw on long-term economic growth strategies, building on bottom-up, community-led plans maximizing economic resilience and regional strengths.

Final applications are due on June 13, 2023.

To learn more, follow [this link](#).



Chick-fil-A True Inspiration Awards

A total of \$5 million in grants ranging from \$30,000 to \$350,000 will be provided.

Chick-fil-A's True Inspiration Awards support nonprofit organizations making an impact in their local communities in the United States, including Puerto Rico, and Canada. Organizations will be awarded for their work in the following areas: caring for people, with a focus on educational initiatives fostering character and leadership development, academic excellence, and community involvement in underserved youth; caring through food, including programs or projects addressing hunger and food insecurity facing children and their families; community, with a focus on programs or projects providing housing and other direct services to support young people and their families; and caring for our planet, including programs or projects that care for the environment and the planet. Nonprofit organizations based in the U.S. or Puerto Rico and equivalent Canadian charitable organizations are eligible to apply.

Application deadline: June 1, 2023
For more information, follow this [link](#).



Ready, Set, Go - Are You Ready to Start A Business

May 4, 2023

10:00 AM - 10:30 AM

For more details and to Register, follow [this link](#).

How To Get The Most Out Of The Remote Working Experience: Tips For Owners And Managers

May 10, 2023

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

For more details and to Register, follow [this link](#).

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