

# Weld WORKS Labor Team

*One Group – One Meeting – Multiple Labor Services*

Employment Services of Weld County, Upstate Colorado Economic Development and Aims Community College, have partnered to help employers quickly recruit, train and further develop their workforce.

The Weld WORKS Labor Team is designed to provide technical assistance to both new companies looking to locate to the region as well as existing employers expanding or facing employment challenges. The Team identifies labor development opportunities by comprehensively reviewing and managing various local, county and state **Workforce Assistance Programs**, including:

- Colorado First/Existing Industry Training Grant
- Assessment and Learning Labs
- OJT and Apprenticeship Work Based Learning Programs
- Bright Futures Education Stipend
- Certification and Degree Programs
- Customized Training for Employers
- Enterprise Zone (EZ) Training State Income Tax Credit
- Labor Market Information & Statistics
- Other Business Assistance Programs

Weld WORKS is a small “working group” of labor, education and economic development professionals that meet the fourth Monday of each month and as needed. Other organizations (municipal, university, college, etc.) will be invited to employer meetings, as warranted.

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Employment Service of Weld County (ESWC): A comprehensive workforce center connecting resources for employment, education and training at the local, state, and national level. ESWC assists employers with applicant referrals, labor exchange, job referrals, job fairs, skills assessment, eligibility screening for career counseling and training programs, access to internet tools for employment and training opportunities and by providing information about local and regional employers, etc.

[www.eswc.org](http://www.eswc.org)

Upstate Colorado Economic Development (Upstate): A public/private, non-profit economic development corporation that provides economic development services throughout Weld County. Upstate Market's the regions competitive advantages to promote business attraction/retention; Connects the public and private partners to improve the capacity for business; Facilitates business growth by providing key information/services and Advocates on behalf of our customers and clients.

[www.upstatecolorado.org](http://www.upstatecolorado.org)

Aims Community College (Aims): is a fully accredited two-year public college with multiple locations in northern Colorado. Greeley has been the home of the 185-acre main campus for more than 50 years. Fort Lupton, Loveland and Windsor have satellite-locations, providing access to Aims across the region. Aims offers 200 degree and certificate programs with more than 4,000 daytime, evening, weekend and online course offerings each year. Aims designs courses to achieve one of two goals: transfer as credit to a four-year university or certify students to step directly into a job role. At Aims, our mission is to help build a stronger community by providing knowledge and skills to advance quality of life, economic vitality and overall success of the communities we serve.

[www.aims.edu](http://www.aims.edu)