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## **CSOSA Launches Hire One Jobs Campaign**

*New Second Chance Hiring Campaign Directly Connects Area Employers  
With a Pool of Talented People Who Are Ready, Able, and Eager to Work*

Washington, DC – The Court Services and Offender Supervision Agency (CSOSA) is announcing the launch of “Hire One,” a campaign to directly connect area employers with a pool of talented justice-involved people who are ready, able, and eager to work.

CSOSA supervises thousands of people on probation, parole, and supervised release in the District of Columbia. In doing this work, CSOSA recognizes that gainful employment is a cornerstone of stability and growth. However, too often, those who have been involved in the justice system find that their past transgressions continue to be obstacles to their progress. Second Chance hiring provides an opportunity to move toward a brighter future. That’s why CSOSA is asking area employers to pledge to “Hire One” of its referrals.

“Employment is a pillar of our strategy to rebuild lives and promote public safety,” said CSOSA Director Richard Tischner. “We have a proven track record of placing people in all kinds of work, with talented men and women of all skill levels. We will be partners throughout the ‘Hire One’ process, following up to ensure needs are met. The result is a win-win for everyone, benefiting the employer, the new hire, and the community.”

“Hire One,” an expansion of CSOSA’s job placement efforts, aims to pair employers with an untapped and under-utilized pool of talent. Businesses that have hired people under CSOSA supervision report that these employees are among the most dedicated, hardworking, and loyal in their workforce. Employers interested in joining the program can contact Vocational Development Coordinator Tony Lewis at [tony.lewis@csosa.gov](mailto:tony.lewis@csosa.gov).

In coming weeks, CSOSA will unveil a series of videos sharing additional information about the benefits of “Hire One” from some of the many businesses that have already partnered with us. Learn more about “Hire One” at [www.csosa.gov/hire-one](http://www.csosa.gov/hire-one).

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