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Workforce Development

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SEASONED WORKERS ACCESS SERVICES

Are you a seasoned worker looking to re-enter the workforce? If so, there are a number of complimentary services and programs available to you. Here is just a sample of what's available!

Area Agency on Aging. Older adults possess a wealth of knowledge and skills. The Area Agency on Agency supports a number of programs and initiatives that provide retired seniors the opportunity to contribute their time and talents to organizations in need of their skills. These programs help adults 55 and over remain active and involved members in the community and help to enhance their quality of life. For additional information, phone (602) 264-2255 or visit www.aaaphx.org.

Senior Job Club (age 55 and over). It is no secret that individuals are working longer and are more productive today than ever before in history. Many people, well into their 60's and 70's, are actively seeking gratifying and lucrative positions in today's job market. The 55 and over job club has been designed to help seasoned workers conduct the most fruitful job search possible! The Senior Job Club is held on Wednesdays from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. in the Gilbert Maricopa Workforce Connections Career Center located at 735 N. Gilbert Road. For additional information, phone (480) 497-0350.

Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP). The Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP), also referred to as Title V of the Older Americans Act, fosters useful part-time training opportunities with non-profit or public/government agencies for unemployed low-income persons who are 55 years of age or older who have poor employment prospects. At the conclusion of training, program participants are assisted in pursuing and securing employment opportunities. For additional information, phone 602) 542-4446 or visit www.de.state.az.us/aaa.

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