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Memo

Date: June 3, 2024
To: Economic Development Committee
From: Griffin Leininger, Business Services Lead, DuPage Workforce Development Division
RE: Incumbent Worker Training Application – Vonberg Valve Inc

Vonberg Valve, Inc. in Itasca applied for CNC Programming, Setup and Operation training. The training will allow Vonberg to continue to increase capacity in their manufacturing operation and maximize machine productivity. Currently Vonberg has 4 machines that are operating at less than 50% capacity. Without this training, Vonberg could continue to see a decline in productivity, which could lead to lost sales and decreased revenue.

CNC skills are in high demand, and it is very difficult to find workers who have prior experience or training in CNC. Vonberg has chosen to train an existing employee to obtain these skills.

The selected training provides instruction related to programming, setup and operation of computerized numerical controlled machines.

From a company perspective, having a trained operator for these machines will increase the productivity and throughput of these machines by between 50%-100%. As a result of the training, the employee will receive the benefit of a promotion, increase in pay and nationally recognized credentialing.

Notes:

- * Vonberg Valve Inc. —38 Employees
- * Located in Itasca, Illinois
- * Number of Incumbent Workers to be Trained: 1
- * Total Amount Approved: \$7,940.00