



To Whom It May Concern:

Beaver County continues to play an active role in the growing energy and advanced manufacturing industries. The growth of these industries continues to provide many benefits not only for our county but for our region, through our youth and workforce. We would like to provide an opportunity to you that will:

- Give employers the chance to communicate skills needed for a qualified workforce;
- Help in developing an early connection to influence the future of the energy and advanced manufacturing industries;
- Improve relationships between educators, businesses and industry;
- Help to increase visibility while demonstrating the "civic-minded" attitude.

We would like to present to you the Beaver County Energy & Advanced Manufacturing Partnership, a year-long initiative with the education and business communities.

Employers who participate in the Beaver County Energy & Advanced Manufacturing Partnership will see a long-term benefit which will help in addressing the need for a qualified workforce. This will be accomplished by discussing the benefits of charting a career path that will lead to a degree or industry-recognized credentials in energy and advanced manufacturing-related careers.

We feel with the collaboration of those involved within our educational system, community, energy industry and advanced manufacturing industry, we will be able to provide the students in our local school districts a chance to learn more about how they can play a key role in the future of these industries. This starts with what they are learning in their classrooms today. Implementation will include: in-school coursework, ongoing training, resources for students, teachers and parents as well as in-school, post-event follow-up. We plan to offer students an enriching experience so that they learn not only how to interact in a professional manner, but also learn skills involved with looking for a job within the energy and advanced manufacturing industry.

It is our hope that you will find this opportunity to be a promising venture for your company. With your support we will be able to expand the reach of the energy and advanced manufacturing industry's footprint in Beaver County. Please take a look at the attached sponsorship opportunities and should you have any questions, email us at energyAMday@bcchamber.com.

Sincerely,

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Beaver County Chamber of Commerce