



## County of Humboldt

### Rapid Response and Layoff Aversion

#### To Whom it May Concern,

The Humboldt Workforce Coalition (HWC) has been notified that your business is unfortunately in a position to layoff some of your workforce, either at this time or in the near future. To assist you and your staff during this difficult time, we would like to offer support through our Layoff Aversion and Rapid Response programs. These programs are County of Humboldt workforce services which offer resources to businesses and workers in the case of a business closure or a planned layoff event and are offered at no cost to you, or your employees.

The HWC can host a worker resource event, either at your worksite or via Zoom, for your impacted workers. Attendees will have an opportunity to ask specific questions and learn about the support offered by the job market and our network of partners. As part of the event presentations will be given by the Humboldt Workforce Coalition, Humboldt County Job Market, Employment Development Department, and the Department of Health and Human Services. Potential services represented may include:

- Worker re/training
- Re-employment services
- CalWORKs
- CalFresh
- Medical coverage
- Unemployment benefits

**Please let us know if we can set up an event for your impacted employees. We would like to help in any way that we can.**

If your workers would like to set up one-on-one meetings with HWC staff to talk about re/training and re-employment resources, please see the Job Market contact information below. In the workers' outreach, they should state that they *are seeking rapid response-related services due to a layoff in Humboldt* and were referred by the Humboldt Workforce Coalition.

Additionally, we have included a list of virtual resources below.

Warmly,

Humboldt Workforce Coalition  
[workforce@co.humboldt.ca.us](mailto:workforce@co.humboldt.ca.us)  
707-445-7745



### **America's Job Center of California, Humboldt County Job Market**

- 707-441-5627
- [hwc@humboldt.edu](mailto:hwc@humboldt.edu)
- 409 K St.  
Eureka, CA 95501

### **Virtual Resources**

- Information on unemployment insurance benefits – [edd.ca.gov](http://edd.ca.gov)
- Healthcare and retirement resources including Covered CA, [coveredca.com/](http://coveredca.com/) and [HealthCare.gov](http://HealthCare.gov) and DOL EBSA, [dol.gov/agencies/ebsa](http://dol.gov/agencies/ebsa)
- County of Humboldt Department of Health and Human Services: <https://humboldt.gov.org/2543/Health-Human-Services>
- EDD CalJOBS for job search: [caljobs.ca.gov](http://caljobs.ca.gov)