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“Veterans Interested in Working in Norfolk Area”



It's a great match –employers who want workers who are known to be accountable and disciplined with people from a military environment who need jobs.

Norfolk representatives talked to military veterans at a recent “Hiring Our Heroes” job fair about the opportunities of working in Northeast Nebraska where it's estimated there are 800 available jobs.

“We were pleased by the many veterans and their family members who are interested in the jobs that the Norfolk area has to offer. These are veterans with a wide range of skills and experience,” said Candice Alder, City of Norfolk Economic Development Coordinator

who attended the Bellevue event.

Veterans who expressed interest in working in the Norfolk area filled out recruitment forms and gave them to representatives from the Nebraska Department of Labor, Norfolk Area Chamber of Commerce and the City of Norfolk Economic Development Division who manned a Norfolk booth at the Fair.

Applicants varied from those who had been in the service for three years to those who were 25-year veterans. Many had degrees in graphic design, information technology, counseling, engineering, or accounting. Others had extensive experience in office management, drafting, warehouse organization, logistics, customer service, bookkeeping, or manufacturing.

“It was a great opportunity for us to talk to people who are looking for a great place to work and raise their family. We invite employers looking for quality workers to look over these forms,” Alder said.

Anyone who is interested in contacting one of the veterans who filled out a form that day can call Alder at 402-844-2263.