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OVER 24,000 JOBS CREATED IN FOUR MONTHS

(MIAMI, September 11, 2014) – CareerSource South Florida (CSSF) placed 24,287 people in jobs during the months of May through August of 2014, compared to 18,208 for the same period from the prior year. For the month of August, 2014, 5,918 jobs were created, which is a 27 percent increase over August, 2013. As part of the statewide rebranding initiative launched in February, 2014, CSSF made a commitment to improve service delivery by refocusing its efforts on creating jobs and strengthening employer engagement. On an average, CSSF has placed 6,000 people into jobs per month. As a result, the agency experienced the largest job gain, as well as, the largest percentage increase in job gains in the state of Florida.

“Our commitment to enhance employment and training services is paying off. We have seen a 34% increase in job creation over the previous year. Our goal is to continue to improve the effectiveness and efficiency of our workforce service delivery system,” said Rick Beasley, executive director of CareerSource South Florida.

The agency’s top priority is delivering high-performance employment and training services to meet the demands of the community, which are critical to bolstering the economic recovery and growth efforts in the region.

ABOUT CAREERSOURCE SOUTH FLORIDA

CareerSource South Florida is a public-private partnership and integral partner in Miami-Dade’s economic plan that initiates state and federally funded workforce development and training policies for Miami-Dade and Monroe counties. CareerSource South Florida’s services and resources are available to everyone at no cost through a network of Centers located throughout the region.

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