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## Mobile Job Centers are on the Way

JUNEAU – The Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development is committed to providing employment and training services to job seekers, and the most qualified applicants to employers. To meet that need in more rural areas, the department has introduced Mobile Job Centers—"mini job centers on wheels."

Alaska Job Centers host on-site employer recruitments, job fairs and related activities; the Mobile Job Centers take those services on the road.

The vehicles enable the department's employment and training specialists to meet job seekers and employers on their own turf. They will go to Alaska's schools, job fairs and areas facing changes to their economy.

"Our Mobile Job Centers bring the department's expertise and services to Alaska employers and job seekers who may otherwise not have access to such personalized service," said Labor Commissioner Click Bishop.

The department has two Mobile Job Centers. One Mobile Job Center will travel to cities and villages on the Alaska Marine Highway System, and the other serves Alaska's vast road system. Both vehicles have computers with Internet access, printers and a DVD/VCR for training presentations.

The Mobile Job Center schedule is posted on the Web at www.jobs.alaska.gov.