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Lake County Commissioners Announce Opportunity Lake County Website

PAINESVILLE, Ohio, August 30, 2022– The Lake County Board of Commissioners is proud to announce the launch of the *Opportunity Lake County* website.

The project has been a collaboration between local workforce, economic development, and education partners to develop an exciting new way for connecting the workforce to local opportunities right here in Lake County, Ohio. This website aims to become a talent attraction piece for Lake County and its employers providing links to education, housing, transportation, and careers in Lake County. The *Opportunity Lake County* website will be used as a hub that will link various partners like the Visitors Bureau, Lake Development Authority, and the Lake County MetroParks.

“This project is a perfect example of showcasing what Lake County is all about from a workforce perspective,” noted Commissioner John Hamercheck. “Every initiative this Board funds, from law enforcement to economic/coastal development, puts Lake County in a great place to attract new residents and new members of the workforce. I see this as one of the top priorities for this Board for years to come.”

Funding for this project was made possible by grant dollars and is focused on workforce outreach in our community. The website, *Opportunity Lake County*, will also be used to highlight community workforce initiatives through news & event stories, local career success stories, employer spotlights, and links to our valued partner agencies.

“As many of you have heard me say, Lake County is the best place to live, work, play, and retire. This project encapsulates all of those qualities, showcasing our area to potential new workforce members from all over the Country. I thank Director Vojack for his leadership in this project,” stated Commissioner John Plecnik.

Currently, the website will serve as a landing page for digital talent attraction campaigns that will help showcase all of the exciting and plentiful opportunities that our county has to offer to the regional workforce.

“I am particularly excited about showcasing Lake County to workforce members outside of the traditional Cleveland metro area. Lake County has a great blend of affordable housing, well-paying jobs, and many amenities including Lake Erie and associated coastline, Metroparks, and wineries to attract new workforce members to our area,” said Commissioner Mark Tyler.

The website address to access the page is www.opportunity.lakecountyohio.gov .

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