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Secretary Newson: Covenant Grant Will Provide Support to Job Creators

\$705,647 grant will support manufacturing boot camp for Fond du Lac-area employers

MADISON – Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development (DWD) Secretary Reggie Newson today issued a statement following Governor Scott Walker's announcement of a \$705,647 grant to Moraine Park Technical College to support the creation of a manufacturing boot camp that will result in a Welding or CNC Machine Operator certificate:

"The flexible training initiatives that the Wisconsin Covenant Foundation grant is supporting reflect the innovative ideas that our state needs to fill job creators' needs and create opportunities for workers to receive a transferable credential in a high-growth, high-wage employment sector," Secretary Newson said. "At the DWD we will continue our efforts across the state to help employers find the skilled workers they need."

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