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MANPOWER IS JOB SERVICE PROGRAM OPERATOR FOR ROCK, GREEN COUNTY

Manpower, Inc. will be the new service provider, operating under a contract with the Southwest Wisconsin Workforce Development Board (SWWDB), assisting unemployed workers and job seekers residing in Rock or Green County looking for workforce services and training opportunities, starting July 1, 2010.

Manpower's offices will establish an additional office in the Rock County Job Center, 1900 Center Ave., Janesville.

"We're excited to be working with an experienced and successful organization like Manpower," said Dr. Robert T. Borremans, Executive Director of the SWWDB. "They have a proven track record of effectively working to assist clients and we know they will offer quality services to those they'll be serving." He said Manpower knows the Rock and Green County area extremely well, having provided services in those areas for many years. He said they can tap into local, regional as well as national resources, plus they have local offices in both Janesville and Monroe. They will offering Green County services out of their Monroe office at 749 10th Ave. Ct.

Cynthia L. Harrington, Manpower Branch Manager for Rock and Green Counties, said Manpower is also excited to become a Job Center partner. "We both measure success by finding and securing employment for our clients and meeting expectations of local employers. We look forward to a long and successful partnership," she said.

Wisconsin Job Service has provided the overall services for numerous years, and they will continue to operate and offer other services through the area Job Centers, however, Manpower will now handle all WIA services, such as case management and working directly with clients seeking jobs or training.

In addition to Manpower, the other four counties in the SWWDB District—Grant, Lafayette, Iowa and Richland Counties—will be served by Southwest Tech in Fennimore. They will also have additional outreach locations in Richland Center, Dodgeville, and Darlington.

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Manpower is a world-wide leader in innovative workforce solutions with over 60 years of experience. With headquarters located in Milwaukee, they have nearly 4,000 offices in 82 countries and territories serving 400,000 clients per year. Persons interested in contacting them at the Job Center in Janesville should call the Job Center general number at (608) 741-3450.

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