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## **MASSIVE HIRING EVENT RETURNS TO LAKE COUNTY, SHORT-TERM TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES HELP**

**Orlando, FL** – CareerSource Central Florida is partnering with Middlesex Corporation to host a third massive recruiting event in our Lake County office on Wednesday, December 10, 2014 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. This event is free and open to the public.

Middlesex Corp. is looking to fill approximately 80 construction-related positions that range from entry-level to middle-management, and include laborers, carpenters, tool truck drivers, project managers, surveyors, roadway foremen, and bridge superintendents. Below-management workers can earn up to \$25.00 an hour.

“We’ve found partnering with CareerSource Central Florida for these hiring events to be very viable and helpful; they’ve been very beneficial to us,” said Sameh Faragalla, HR Recruiting Coordinator for the Middlesex Corporation. “I’d say that we have hired about 65% of our candidates through CareerSource Central Florida, including several of those in higher positions.”

The hiring event will take place at 1415 South 14<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 101, Leesburg, FL 34748, in the CareerSource Central Florida Lake County Office.

To address the workforce needs of the construction industries within the region, CareerSource Central Florida has developed short-term training opportunities to assist people in rapidly gaining entry-level skills and certifications in fields such as manufacturing, cable installation, land surveying and water/wastewater operation, and construction.

“Florida lost a great deal of skilled workers within the construction industry during the recession,” said Mimi Coenen, CareerSource Central Florida’s Operating Officer. “However, that landscape is changing, and construction is re-emerging as an in-demand field, especially with the I-4 project looming on the horizon. CareerSource Central Florida is partnering with industry providers to establish short-term options to train a skilled workforce to meet these demands.”

For more information on CareerSource Central Florida short term training opportunities, you may visit us online at [www.careersourcecentralflorida.com/shorttermtraining](http://www.careersourcecentralflorida.com/shorttermtraining).

Applicants for the hiring event are encouraged to submit their resumes prior to the event through the Employ Florida Marketplace, at [www.EmployFlorida.com](http://www.EmployFlorida.com), or they may stop by the CareerSource Central Florida Lake Office and pick up a paper application. Applicants should also bring a copy of their resume, as interviews will be conducted on-sight.

For tips on preparing a resume, dressing for success, navigating a successful interview, and much more, visit CareerSource Central Florida online at [www.CareerSourceCentralFlorida.com](http://www.CareerSourceCentralFlorida.com) and click on "Job Seekers."

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*CareerSource Central Florida offers tools to find jobs and advance careers for residents of Lake, Orange, Osceola, Seminole and Sumter counties. On average, the organization provides nearly 8,800 job seekers each month with services such as an online job bank, career counseling, recruitment events, training, financial aid, career assessments and internships. It also assists an average of 1,300 employers each month with recruitment, retention and training. For more information, visit [www.CareerSourceCentralFlorida.com](http://www.CareerSourceCentralFlorida.com).*

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