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RCIL CELEBRATES NATIONAL DISABILITY EMPLOYMENT AWARENESS MONTH

October is National Disability Employment Awareness Month, and the Resource Center for Independent Living, Inc. (RCIL) is proud to join partners throughout the country to increase awareness and job opportunities for individuals with disabilities.

Since 2018, RCIL successfully placed over 30 individuals with disabilities in jobs within our community.

In addition, RCIL provides continuing services to ensure individuals who are successfully placed have the resources they need to remain gainfully employed.

There are several financial benefits to employers who hire individuals with disabilities including wage reimbursement and tax incentives, among others. Employers are encouraged to contact RCIL at 315-797-4642 to learn more about how hiring an individual with a disability would be good for their business.

RCIL CEO Zvia McCormick stated, “The core mission of RCIL is to ensure individuals with disabilities have the opportunity to live independently and be contributing members in our community. Gainful employment is an essential part in achieving independence and we join all our partners who support the message and purpose of National Disability Employment Awareness Month.”

Alex Palumbo, owner of the Knight Spot in Frankfort stated, “This is a win-win for everyone. I have a reliable, hard-working employee who has personally grown tremendously over the years as a direct result of his employment. I highly recommend other business owners contact RCIL and utilize their employment program.”

More information about National Disability Employment Awareness Month and RCIL, including the services available to you and your family, can be found at RCIL's website, www.rcil.com.

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