
Avon Industrial Park Association, May 2019

Our Members*

We would like to thank the following members for donating funds for the landscaping of the two gardens at each end of Bodwell Street:

AccuRounds
All Tech sound & Production Services
Atlantic Elevator
BC Tent
Brockton Furnace and Duct
Charles D. Sheehy
Consolidated Brick
Davis Realty Trust
John F. Shea
Portal Metal
Roy Elevator
Weiss Sheet Metal
Wrobel Engineering

Watering is to be provided by Weiss Sheet Metal, Wrobel Engineering and TL Edwards.

Additional donations needed & volunteers can contact Wayne Delano at wdelano@weiss-sheetmetal.com

General Membership News

- Please check your companies information on the AIPA website Member Directory here <http://www.avonindustrialpark.org/aipa-membership/> , if anything needs updating please fill out the 'Revise your Membership Information' form here <http://www.avonindustrialpark.org/aipa-membership/>
- General Members Meeting will be held 6/20/2019, 11:00am, Logan Furniture, 1 Kiddie Drive, Door E, Avon, MA 02322. Please make every effort to attend! Pizza will be served. <http://www.avonindustrialpark.org/aipa-membership/>
- The Red Cross will be conducting a blood drive soon; date, time and place to be announced.

WorkForce Training Fund Info Session

MassHire Greater Brockton Workforce Board and Career Center are hosting a Workforce Training Fund Info Session here at 34 School Street on **Friday, May 10** from 9:30am-11:30am. The Info Session is Free to attend, and Commonwealth Corporation will be on hand to provide an overview of the grant program and will outline

initial steps to take towards applying. I've included a blurb and registration link below. The blurb below was taken from a recent press release about the program <http://workforcetrainingfund.org/news/baker-polito-administration-announces-nearly-7-5-million-in-workforce-training-fund-program-grants/>. Feel free to reach out with any questions or if you'd like more info. Please also find attached a flyer.

Thank you!

John Nesti – Employer Services Manager, MassHire Greater Brockton Workforce Board

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<http://www.avonindustrialpark.org/news-around-the-park/>

Since the beginning of the Baker-Polito Administration, the Workforce Training Fund has awarded 661 grants totaling over \$57 million to train more than 50,000 workers from over 800 different Massachusetts businesses. This is expected to result in over 6,000 new jobs.

The Workforce Training Fund provides General Program grants ranging from \$10,000 to \$250,000 to companies in Massachusetts to pay for employee training over a two-year period. Grant recipients contribute a matching investment of at least one dollar for each grant-dollar awarded, with wages paid to trainees during training hours included in that investment.

Approximately \$6.9 million is currently available for additional Workforce Training Fund grants. Businesses are encouraged to visit WorkforceTrainingFund.org to learn more about how to use these grants to address workforce training needs. An in-depth overview will be given at the Info Session on May 10 at MassHire GBWB. To register: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/workforce-training-fund-information-session-brockton-registration-58865267600?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

Around Avon

- Town of Avon Spring Clean-Up, Saturday, May 11, 2019, 9am-12pm. <http://www.avonindustrialpark.org/news-around-the-park/>
- The Avon Police Department would like to remind our local trucking companies of the new commercial vehicle restrictions and posted signage on Pond, West High, and Page Streets in Avon. Any vehicle over 2.5 tons is prohibited from listed streets. Avon Police officers will be conducting targeted enforcement of the truck restrictions to spread awareness and encourage compliance. <http://www.avonindustrialpark.org/news-around-the-park/>

*This newsletter was sent using the old contact information, if you haven't paid 2019 membership dues yet please do! <http://www.avonindustrialpark.org/aipa-membership/join-2/>

Please direct any questions or comments through the AIPA website <http://www.avonindustrialpark.org/contact-us/> I personally will not reply to this newsletter.