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South Bay Workforce Investment Board Partners with Carson Mayor Lula Davis – Holmes to Present Job Fair

HAWTHORNE – The South Bay Workforce Investment Board's Carson One-Stop Business and Career Center worked in partnership with Carson Mayor Lula Davis-Holmes and the Carson Citizens Cultural Arts Foundation to present a highly successful Job Fair on August 29th at the Carson Event Center.

More than 1,100 job seekers attended and met with hiring representatives from nearly 70 employers that represented public agencies, retailers, manufacturers, food service sectors, medical professions, military sector, educational institutes, trade unions and nonprofit organizations.

During her welcoming remarks, the mayor thanked Jan Vogel, SBWIB Executive Director, for his vision and unselfish commitment to work with her and the city to build the foundation that has enabled the job fair to attract increasing numbers of job seekers and employers each year.

"Well over 100 on the spot interviews were made with job seekers during the event," said Mr. Vogel. "Based on follow up conversations participating employers, we anticipate that upwards of 200 applicants will be offered employment," he continued.

For more than four decades, the SBWIB has provided no cost services to residents and large and small businesses throughout the South Bay region through its four One-Stop Business and Carer Centers located in Inglewood, Carson, Gardena and Torrance. Youth and young adults ages 16-24 receive services through the Inglewood and Hawthorne Teen Centers.

For further information visit www.sbwib.org or call 310-970-7700.

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