



WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS ALAMO TO TEMPORARILY CLOSE CAREER CENTERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH COVID-19 MITIGATION RECOMMENDATIONS

(April 7, 2020) San Antonio, Texas – Workforce Solutions Alamo’s top priority is the health and well-being of our employers, employees and the communities we serve. Like many of our partners and local leadership, we are closely monitoring and adjusting to the current COVID-19 situation and following all city, state and federal guidelines. It is with a heavy heart that we inform the WSA region that we will be temporarily closing our Career Centers effective Thursday, April 9, 2020. This announcement comes under the advisement of the Texas Workforce Commission and follows the closures of other workforce centers throughout the state in an effort to mitigate the spread of COVID-19. We understand that the need for our services remains critical, and we are committed to providing services to all employers and residents needing assistance during these trying times. Though the Career Centers will be closed to the public, our team will continue to work diligently to serve those in need. Our phone systems and online applications remain open. We are also exploring ways to bolster our online services and collaborate with our partners to help inform the public about where to find help. WSA will continue to offer individuals a comprehensive suite of employment, training, educational and supportive services, including soft skills training programs and resources as well as child care services. Our goal remains to remove as many barriers as possible for our clients to gain meaningful employment. We are asking the public’s cooperation as we continue to adjust to the growing demand for our services. We want to assure those needing our assistance that there are sufficient resources to assist all those who need our services. The Texas Workforce Commission is providing additional resources to be more responsive to Unemployment Claims.

We understand the concern and uncertainty our clients may be experiencing surrounding COVID-19. If you are a worker whose employment has been disrupted by economic changes caused by COVID-19 or if you are a business facing a layoff or closure, **please call us at (210) 224-HELP (4357), or visit us online at workforcesolutionsalamo.org.**