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PRE-APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM

Combat to Construction

The Department of Workforce Development in partnership with the Wisconsin Operating Engineers Local 139 (IUOE 139) are coordinating the "Combat to Construction" (C2C). The C2C program is designed for Veterans, to include currently serving Guard and Reserve Soldiers, sailors, marines and airmen, who are able to attend a 2 to 3-week non-paid training program.

Upon successful completion of the 3 week classroom, the Veteran may receive full time employment opportunities within the State of Wisconsin as an apprentice. However there is no job location preference guaranteed.

Upon completion of the training program and acceptance into an apprenticeship position, the Veteran has access to a training program with a progressive wage scale and a career in the construction trade. A journeyworker's salary and benefits are up to \$50/hr.

Veterans desiring a career in construction are encouraged to apply.



AN INNOVATIVE PARTNERSHIP

- Interested veterans can contact Office of Veterans Services (OVS) staff for further information and assistance in completing the C2C application and obtaining the required materials.
- C2C Program promotion fliers and application materials are available at Job Centers and DWD's Office of Veterans Services & Bureau of Apprenticeship Standards.
- If you would like assistance with completing an application, contact office of Veterans Services Staff near you visit: <http://www.wisconsinapprenticeship.org>
- Information regarding the International Union of Operating Engineers can be observed through these websites: <http://iuoe.org> ; OR LOCAL 139: <http://iuoe139.org>

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VETERAN OUTREACH & JOB SKILLS TRAINING





DETAILS

Training Location: All training will be performed at the Operating Engineers Training Facility. Located at W11584 State Road 21, Coloma, WI 54930

Course date(s): Available on line at www.woetrainingcenter.org or call for current schedule 715-228-4911

Time: All courses begin promptly at 8:00 a.m. and will dismiss at 4:30 p.m.

Cost: All instruction costs will be paid by the International Union of Operating Engineers Local 139.

Lodging: Lodging accommodations will be paid for by the Department of Bureau of Apprenticeship Standards.

Food Expense: The Department of Bureau of Apprenticeship Standards will provided breakfast and IUOE Local 139 will provide lunch daily during training, all other meal expenses will be the responsibility of the Veteran.

Dress Code & Personal Protective Equipment: All courses include hands-on

exercises and/or demonstrations that will require field training. Appropriate weather attire is required. All students using the Training Center must wear shirts with sleeves (no tank tops or sleeveless shirts), full length work pants (no sweat pants, shorts or pajamas) and no sandals or open-toed shoes. Work boots must be worn during all field training.

Other Expenses: Hard hats and safety vests will be provided during training at the Training Center. Breakfast/Dinner, transportation & gas from lodging location to the Training Site shall be responsibility of the Veteran.

ABOUT LOCAL 139

Local 139 was chartered for the entire state of Wisconsin in 1902 and has approximately 9,000 members. Most members are heavy equipment operators, working in the construction industry and running everything from tower cranes to forklifts. We also represent a number of public sector employees in various towns, villages, cities and counties.

Local 139 members pride themselves in being the best trained in the construction industry. Becoming a journeyman Operating Engineer requires the completion of a four-year apprenticeship with 6,000 hours "in the seat." Our training center in Coloma is located on more than 400 acres and more than 2,000 of our members use our educational and training opportunities each year.

Finally, our members are among the best paid in the construction industry, have one of the best pension programs in America and a quality, self-funded health care program.



APPLICANT MUST PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION WHEN COMPLETING THE C2C APPLICATION:

- A Photo Copy of a DD-214 reflecting an Honorable Discharge
- A Photo Copy of a Valid Driver's License
- A Photo Copy of a High School Diploma/GED and/or transcripts.
- If Applicable of secondary schooling, a photocopy of Diploma and copy of transcripts.
- Must complete a written Job Skills Test given at the Training Site during Information Sessions)
- A resume.

(Applicants must submit all the required documentation along with the application before interviewing for the C2C program. All C2C applicants must be selected by an interview panel made up of employer and labor representation in order to be accepted into the C2C program.

