



**Joint Press Release: May 30, 2014 – Hiring Our Heroes Fair and Workshop**

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## **Hiring Our Heroes military job fair set to connect employers with military veterans**

### **Nearly 150 veteran-friendly employers expected to attend**

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CLEVELAND – Northeast Ohio employers, governmental agencies and veterans' nonprofits may now register to attend the U.S. Chamber of Commerce Foundation's Hiring Our Heroes - Cleveland free military hiring fair on Thursday, June 26 at Public Auditorium, 500 Lakeside Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44114.

The hiring fair will take place from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Public Auditorium, 500 Lakeside Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44114. To register for the Hiring Our Heroes event, please visit [www.hiringourheroes.org/cleveland](http://www.hiringourheroes.org/cleveland).

The Cuyahoga County Veterans Service Commission, and NEOVETS, a new community collaborative program endorsed by the Cleveland Chapter of the American Red Cross, have teamed-up to help employers connect with returning veterans and military spouses seeking employment.

Employers will receive a **free** setup at the fair. **Employers, governmental agencies and veterans' nonprofits** may bring small displays and other items for marketing.

This fair is open to veterans, active duty servicemembers, members of the Guard and Reserves, and military spouses. To receive **priority access** to the hiring fair, veterans will be required to show proof of either current active military service; including service in the Guard or Reserve, or an honorable discharge at the hiring fair. Employers may ask to see proof of military service during this event. Military spouses are encouraged to be accompanied by their spouse, or carry documentation showing their relationship to a veteran, or show military-issued ID.

The Cuyahoga County Veterans Service Commission can help obtain this proof ahead of time. Contact the Commission at [vscmail@cuyahogacounty.us](mailto:vscmail@cuyahogacounty.us) to find out how to obtain certified military service records, including your DD-214, and medical records for free.

Please e-mail Bryan A. McGown from the Cuyahoga County Veterans Service Commission at [bmcgown@cuyahogacounty.us](mailto:bmcgown@cuyahogacounty.us) with any questions related to the event.

To stay up-to-date on developments related to the Hiring Our Heroes fair, please subscribe to “HOH-CLE eBLASTs” by selecting your category as follows:

[vetjobseeker@cuyahogacounty.us](mailto:vetjobseeker@cuyahogacounty.us)

[vetemployer@cuyahogacounty.us](mailto:vetemployer@cuyahogacounty.us)

[vetnonprofit@cuyahogacounty.us](mailto:vetnonprofit@cuyahogacounty.us)

[vetspouse@cuyahogacounty.us](mailto:vetspouse@cuyahogacounty.us)

You will receive subscription confirmation from [vsc\\_vetservices@cuyahogacounty.us](mailto:vsc_vetservices@cuyahogacounty.us)

Please visit these web and social media sites to stay abreast of this event as well as ongoing issues affecting local veterans:

Cuyahoga County Veterans Service Commission: [www.vsc.cuyahogacounty.us](http://www.vsc.cuyahogacounty.us)

Cuyahoga County Veterans Service Commission Facebook page: [www.facebook.com/ccvsc](http://www.facebook.com/ccvsc), and follow us: Twitter: @VSC\_1849

LinkedIn Group:

Cuyahoga County Ohio Veterans and Supporters

For more information about NEOVETS, please e-mail [neohiovs@gmail.com](mailto:neohiovs@gmail.com).