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CREATIVE INNOVATION TEAM WORK

01 celebrating success.

Melling is a manufacturer of fluid pumps who serve original equipment and aftermarket customers. With 35% of their employees close to retirement age and an influx of new hires, a training initiative became critical.

Melling sought the assistance of Michigan Works! Southeast, who awarded them a grant in an effort to upskill their employees.



Pictured: Ron Smagacz

The training not only taught workers new tools, it allowed them to adapt this knowledge to everyday tasks. This resulted in increased efficiency and productivity. Employees benefited as well: Ron Smagacz enjoyed a substantial salary increase due to his increased skill.

02 our impact.

Our goal at Michigan Works! Southeast is to develop today's workforce and tomorrow's economy by engaging employers, job seekers, and partners. Since the start of our fiscal year in July, over 300 employers and 200 job seekers were served.

- 273 Jobs were filled since July 1st, 2018
- 331 Employers were served since July 1st, 2018
- 4,917 Individuals were served across our 5 counties
- 10,694 Total visitors came to our One-Stop Service Centers

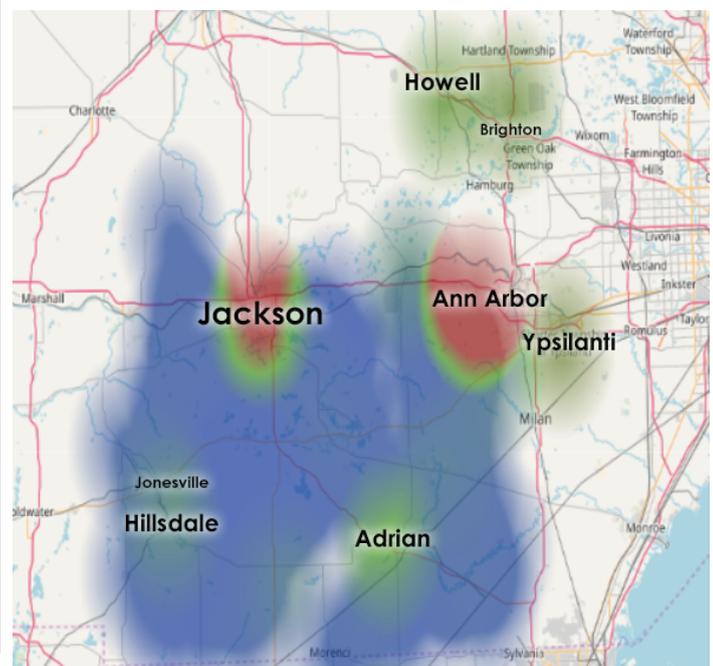
03 What's Trending: Where the jobs are

According to our friends at the Workforce Intelligence Network, most job postings in our region are for Truck Drivers, Nurses, and Retail, but where are these jobs located?

AT A GLANCE

Number of Job Postings

- 200 2,000+



We understand that finding work can be challenging if transportation is an issue, especially if you live outside hot areas such as Jackson and Ann Arbor. Ask your Career Advisor about transportation assistance and learn how we can help you start your career!

