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New Buffalo company, Galvstar to hold job fair *Company Will Hire Process Line Operators for New Facility*

Buffalo, N.Y.- The newest company to add its name to Buffalo Niagara's rich history of great steel companies is gearing up to begin hiring here in the region. Next Wednesday, June 15th, 2011 from 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Galvstar, LLC will be holding a job fair to fill multiple process line operator positions. The job fair is being conducted by the New York State Department of Labor and will be held at the Delavan Grider Community Center, located at 1055 East Delavan Avenue in Buffalo.

One of Buffalo Niagara Enterprise's 2010-2011 project wins, Galvstar is a new continuous hot dipped galvanizing facility providing flat rolled steel products for the construction, appliance and manufacturing markets. Galvstar will be occupying the former American Axle building, and company officials are excited by the ability to give back to the community through the opportunity to potentially hire from the surrounding community, as well as from the significant presence of steel working experience throughout the region's workforce.

This process line operator position will involve managing production, performing maintenance on machinery and inspecting finished steel product. Applicants should have mechanical and electrical aptitude and have the ability to make sound decisions. Some minimum requirements for these positions include a high school diploma or equivalent, experience working in an industrial process (previous mill experience a plus), willingness to work 12 hour shifts or swing shifts, ability to operate mobile equipment and basic computer skills. Experience in mechanical and electrical systems and a maintenance background are also beneficial. For more information on the job fair or questions, contact Carolyn Bright at the New York State Department of Labor at (716) 851-2753.

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About Galvstar, LLC - Galvstar LLC is a continuous hot-dipped galvanizing coating facility located in Buffalo, New York. They are committed to providing customers with superior quality, service, and value. Galvstar produces flat sheet corrosion resistant steel for a wide range of applications.