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DETR Offers Assistance for Workers Impacted by Spirit Airlines Layoffs

Carson City, NV - The Nevada Department of Employment, Training & Rehabilitation ([DETR](#)) is supporting former Spirit Airlines employees impacted by the company's recent operational changes. DETR's priority is ensuring workers and company representatives have timely access to information about unemployment benefits, reemployment services, retraining opportunities, and individualized assistance as they search for employment and transition to new jobs.

"DETR is committed to supporting every Nevada worker affected by the Spirit Airlines layoffs," **said Christopher Sewell, DETR Director.** "Our team is ready to provide timely resources, guidance, and individualized assistance to help impacted employees navigate their next steps. "

"I encourage all affected Spirit Airlines employees to take advantage of the resources available through DETR," **said Governor Joe Lombardo.** "Our priority is getting folks back to work right away, and the state stands ready to assist with no-cost employment services to help with the transition."

Key Efforts Underway:

Rapid Response

[Rapid Response](#) is a free program that provides strategies designed to respond to layoffs and plant closures by quickly coordinating services and providing immediate support to employers and their affected workers. DETR's Rapid Response team is sharing information on unemployment insurance, health coverage options and reemployment services with Spirit Airlines representatives.

The Rapid Response Packet provides information on state and partner services for individuals facing unemployment and can be downloaded [here](#).

Workforce and Training Services

Through [EmployNV](#), employees can access no-cost career and training services, including:

- Career counseling and job search assistance
- Resume and interview preparation

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- Skills assessments and re-skilling opportunities
- Training grants for high-demand career fields
- Access to job fairs and recruitment events
- Community resources and supportive services

Unemployment Insurance Support

Impacted workers are encouraged to file for Unemployment Insurance (UI) at NUI.nv.gov.

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ABOUT DETR:

The Department of Employment, Training & Rehabilitation (DETR) is the state's lead workforce development department. It consists of divisions that offer workforce related services, job placement and training, services for people with disabilities, investigation of claims of discrimination, unemployment insurance benefits, labor market data and more. Many of these services are provided through EmployNV and in cooperation with its community partners.