



**Contact:**  
Michelle Meier, Goodwill  
(602) 416-6185

***FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE***  
***July 17, 2006***

## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

### **GOODWILL HOSTS JOB FAIR JULY 25**

***JOB SEEKERS ENCOURAGED TO UTILIZE GOODWILL'S CAREER CENTERS TO PREPARE***

**What:** Goodwill of Central Arizona will host a free job fair for Valley residents, offering educational and job opportunities. Job seekers will be able to interview with local companies on-the-spot and speak with employers about current company positions. Positions offered include security personnel, customer service representatives, call center positions, caregivers, cashiers, stockers, general labor, ramp agents and more. Attendees are encouraged to dress professionally and bring extra copies of their current resume.

Participating Valley companies include:

**AIRES**  
**American Express**  
**Bank of America**  
**Circle K**  
**Comfort Keepers**  
**Enterprise Rent A Car**  
**Goodwill Retail**

**Goodwill Temporary Services**  
**Homestead Senior Care**  
**Jobing.com**  
**Macayo's Mexican Kitchen**  
**U-Haul**  
**University of Phoenix**

An additional 15-20 employers will also be at the job fair.

Goodwill's Career Centers offer a great resource to job applicants interested in preparing for the job fair. On-site staff can provide assistance with job search skills, from what to wear to an interview to resume writing and interviewing tips. The service is free and open to the public.

**Where  
& When:** **Job fair location:**  
Goodwill of Central Arizona – Main Campus  
417 N. 16<sup>th</sup> Street, Phoenix  
South of Roosevelt on 16<sup>th</sup> Street  
Tuesday, July 25, 2006 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

**Goodwill Career Center locations:**

**Phoenix Main Campus**  
416 N. 16<sup>th</sup> Street, Phoenix

**Peoria**  
8515 NW Grand Avenue, Peoria (Corner of 85th Ave./Grand Ave)

**Northwest Phoenix**  
3548 W. Northern Avenue (NW corner of 35<sup>th</sup> Ave / Northern)

**Northeast Phoenix**  
3202 E. Greenway (NE corner of 32<sup>nd</sup> Street / Greenway)

**Tempe**  
805 E. Guadalupe Road (SW corner of Rural/Guadalupe)

**Chandler**  
930 N. Alma School Road (SW corner of Ray/Alma School)

**Why:** Goodwill’s job fairs are one of many ways Goodwill achieves its mission to provide hope, jobs and futures. Goodwill provides job seekers with the opportunity to improve resumes and interviewing skills through its Career Centers, and job fairs put them in touch with employers that provide positions well suited to their individual skills.

**Contact:** Michelle Meier, Goodwill, (602) 416-6185

**Who:** Goodwill of Central Arizona is one of the oldest and largest nonprofit agencies in Arizona and is a nationally recognized leader in empowering people to achieve their highest level of personal and economic independence. Their philosophy is simple: provide an environment for people to believe they can succeed, achieve goals, develop skills and change the barriers they face every day. For more information on Goodwill of Central Arizona, visit [goodwillaz.org](http://goodwillaz.org).

###