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DEED Unemployment Insurance Director to Answer Employer Questions

MANKATO, Minn. (August 24, 2010) – Greater Mankato Growth (GMG) will host a forum on Unemployment Insurance for Employers on **Monday, August 30** from 10 – 11 am in the Sakatah Room of the Greater Mankato Business Development Center (formerly Technology Plus) located at 1961 Premier Drive in Mankato. Employers interested in attending the session are asked to RSVP via email at info@greatermankato.com or by calling 507.385.6640.

The session was initiated by State Representative Terry Morrow, who having heard from a number of employers in the area, asked Greater Mankato Growth to convene our area's business leaders with the Department of Economic Development (DEED) on this important issue. Lee Nelson, the Director of the Unemployment Insurance Division at DEED, will be in attendance and available for questions.

“Greater Mankato Growth is committed to providing information and opportunities for meaningful exchange on all sides of public policy issues impacting business,” said Jonathan Zierdt, President and CEO of Greater Mankato Growth. “We are pleased to be able to provide this opportunity on an issue that is a concern for employers and workers throughout our region.”

More information on the Unemployment Insurance session is available in the Public Affairs section of GMG's website (greatermankato.com/gmg-publicaffairs.php).

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