



Suiting Up for Success Clothing Drive

HRACC Luncheon September 16, 2008

Many of us can remember buying a suit for our first job interview, wondering if we should wear black, blue, or an interesting pattern. Some people in our community approach that interview with other questions such as, "How will I afford a new suit for the interview?" Many individuals trying to make a better life for themselves must ask that question. As partners to the community, we can help!

At our September luncheon, HRACC will hold the annual Suiting Up for Success Clothing Drive to assist students participating in the Fresno City College Welfare to Work program. Now is the time to look into your closet and part with your gently used men's and women's professional attire.

We're looking for all sizes (but particularly larger sizes) of clothes including:

Men's and women's suits, dress shirts, blouses, jackets, skirts, dresses, slacks, ties, scarves, handbags, accessories, jewelry and nylons.

We ask that the garments be in good repair, cleaned and on a hanger when you bring them to the September 16th luncheon.

Your clothing donation is tax deductible. The Fresno City College Welfare-to-Work student who adopts the garments you have donated will have successfully completed courses preparing them for gainful employment. Equipped with newly developed skills, increased self-confidence and the proper interview attire, we can "help others help themselves."

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