TransPORTs is leading the development of nationally-registered apprenticeship programs and partnerships in transportation, distribution and logistics (TDL). It is a federally-funded U.S. Department of Labor initiative to expand apprenticeship as a proven form of workforce development and training for TDL employers.

Registered apprenticeship is an employer-driven workforce development and training model that combines on-the-job learning with related classroom instruction to increase an apprentice’s skill level and wages. It is a proven solution for businesses to recruit, train, retain and promote skilled workers. Registered Apprenticeship can be utilized by private sector businesses, government agencies, nonprofit organizations as well as union AND non-union labor organizations.

Apprentices can be new hires OR incumbent workers selected by the employer for upskilling and a career pathway to move up the ladder to more skilled technical positions or professional-level occupations within the business.

Benefits for Employers: Registered Apprenticeship has proven to…

- reduce worker turnover
- increase productivity
- increase workers’ skill base and job competency
- diversify the workforce
- build a company’s pipeline of qualified employees for advancement

TransPORTs can provide employers with:

- Financial assistance to offset costs for required classroom, online or hybrid instruction
- Technical assistance to design and build a customized, effective apprenticeship program that meets internal workforce needs for in-demand occupations
- Registered apprenticeship program sponsorship, taking the majority of the paperwork and administrative burden off the employer’s plate
- Connection to education providers able to provide relevant, customized training
- Guidance on sources of additional funding to support apprenticeship program development, expansion and sustainability
- Marketing outreach tools to develop pipelines to students, veterans, underserved populations

For more information, contact:

**Barbara R. Murray**
TransPORTs Executive Director, National Apprenticeship SME
Phone 757.401.8259 | barbara.murray@transportsapprenticeship.com

**Alan Walker**
TransPORTs Registered Apprenticeship, Program Development & Outreach Executive
Phone 757.434.3548 | alan.walker@transportsapprenticeship.com

WWW.TRANSPORTSAPPRENTICESHIP.COM