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**Goodwill Southern California To Celebrate Goodwill Week With Job Fair On May 8**

*Goodwill SoCal Helps People Earn Jobs, Advance Their Careers and Transform Their Lives*

Los Angeles, CA, May 5, 2025 – Each year, during the first full week of May, Goodwill organizations throughout the U.S. and Canada celebrate Goodwill Week. The observance raises awareness of all the ways Goodwill organizations help people thrive through access to life-changing job opportunities and educational programs.

This year, Goodwill Week runs from May 4-10, 2025. In celebration of Goodwill Week, Goodwill Southern California will host a Job Fair on Thursday, May 8 at the non-profit's Los Angeles campus. More than 30 employers and resource providers will be present. Job seekers can access assistance with resumes, completing job applications and interviewing.

What: Goodwill Southern California Job Fair

When: Thursday, May 8 10am – 1pm

Where: 342 N. San Fernando Rd., Los Angeles, CA 90031 – Auditorium

For more than 100 years, Goodwill Southern California's mission has been to Transform Lives Through the Power of Work. Goodwill Southern California leads workforce development efforts across Los Angeles, San Bernardino, and Riverside counties.

"During Goodwill Week, we celebrate the transformative power of work," said Jorge Marquez, Goodwill Southern California's Chief Impact Officer. "This week, we're spotlighting the people we serve and hosting a job fair to connect talent with opportunity."

Goodwill also provides a place to donate gently used items that are then sold in Goodwill stores. When people shop and donate items to Goodwill, they help people in our community find jobs and promote environmental sustainability by extending the life of useable goods.

Visit [powerofwork.goodwillsoocal.org](http://powerofwork.goodwillsoocal.org) to learn more about how Goodwill SoCal helps our local community.

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**About Goodwill Southern California**

Transforming lives through the power of work, Goodwill Southern California (GSC) serves individuals with barriers to employment by providing education, training, work experience and job placement services. Each year, GSC prepares and places thousands of individuals into sustainable employment through programs and services offered at three campuses, Career Resource Centers, WorkSource Centers, Youth and Veteran Employment Programs throughout Los Angeles (north of Rosecrans Ave.), Riverside and San Bernardino counties. GSC supports its mission with proceeds generated from more than 80 stores and freestanding attended donation centers. GSC spends 95 percent of its budget on programs and services. Committed to caring for the earth, last year GSC diverted over 130 million pounds of reusable or recyclable goods from landfills. Goodwill is GOOD for Everyone! Follow Goodwill SoCal on social media - @GoodwillSoCal. For more information, visit [www.goodwillsoocal.org](http://www.goodwillsoocal.org).

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