



Program Partner Name: Winona ORC Industries, Inc.
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Vision Statement: Winona ORC Industries, Inc envisions a world where all people are uplifted by working. Through pride, dignity, continuous learning and respect for all, we build a healthier community.

Mission Statement: It is the mission of Winona ORC Industries, Inc. to provide employment, vocation training and comprehensive job related services to people with special needs. Winona ORC Industries, Inc. will design programs to work harmoniously with other community resources to maximize benefits to persons served.

CORE VALUES:

- Dignity for all people
- Respect for quality work and programs
- Learning organization

Brief Organization Overview: Everyone looks for a purpose, a reason to wake up in the morning. Our neighbors with disabilities strive to find work and independent lives. Winona ORC provides job opportunities to over 310 people on a daily basis in Southeast Minnesota, helping them realize their potential. We partner with over 40 businesses to create job opportunities. Since 1973, Winona ORC serves people with a variety of disabilities including; developmental disabilities, mental illness, physical disabilities, brain injuries, people recovering from chemical dependency and people receiving welfare benefits. Winona ORC has national accreditation from CARF.

Winona ORC operates a series of programs all designed to help people with special needs become employed at the highest level possible and to become more independent. Everyone benefits when people with disabilities are working and leading productive lives. Our clients have the ability to give back to the community through spending, saving, paying taxes and our programs lessen dependency on other costly governmental programs. Programs include: Extended Employment (EE), Supported Employment, Community Based Employment, Center-Based Employment, Special Program for People with Mental Illness (SPPMI), Welfare-to-Work, and Day Training and Habilitation (DT&H)/Career Options.

Winona ORC - Helping to Build Opportunity.

