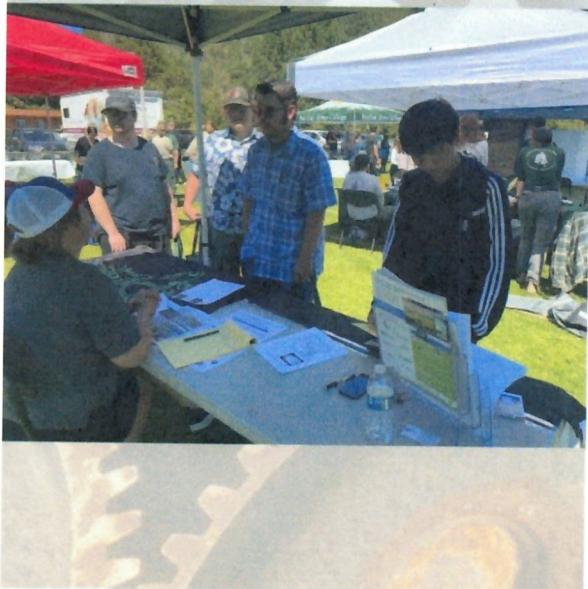




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 **ChicoSTART**

 **CleanStart**

1. Job Opportunity Announcement: Indian Valley Innovation Hub (IVIH) is currently inviting applications for the position of Administrative Assistant. This role will primarily support the Made in Plumas County (MIPC) program and IVIH's Online Business Resource Center, offering valuable assistance to businesses throughout Plumas County.

2. Feather River College Career Fair Participation: IVIH recently participated in the Feather River College Career Fair, where fruitful networking activities resulted in significant connections:

- Establishing connections with prospective interns.
- Establishing contact with a Principal from the Plumas County Office of Education, expressing interest in connecting student product makers with IVIH's Made in Plumas County Program and inquiring about IVIH's capacity to facilitate classroom workshops.
- Forging a connection with a high-school business and finance teacher who has requested IVIH and its partners to organize workshops that assist students in making informed decisions about their post-graduation paths.
- Receiving interest from the Director of the FRC Foundation in exploring potential partnerships with IVIH.

3. Collaborative Endeavors with Plumas County Chamber Coalition:

Coalition: IVIH is consistently engaged in discussions with the Chamber Coalition members throughout Plumas County, aiming to explore avenues of cooperation and mutual support.

4. Wildfire Leadership Summit Attendance: IVIH is planning to attend After the Fire's Wildfire Leadership Summit in Sonoma County, with the objective of gaining insights into the latest information and resources available to communities undergoing wildfire recovery. After the Fire is advocating for the Dixie Fire recovery in Washington, DC by working to overturn the wildfire settlement tax. The organization requested IVIH assist in developing a larger Plumas County based contingency for the summit and for future collaboration. They want more participation and more input from Plumas County wildfire prevention, response, and recovery leaders.

5. Microgrid Initiatives with ChicoSTART and CleanSTART: IVIH is pleased to announce that its partners, ChicoSTART and CleanSTART, are available to meet with Plumas County-based entities interested in the establishment of Microgrids within our region. CleanSTART, in particular, is an organization well-versed in assisting lead organizations in our area to facilitate the establishment of Microgrids.

6. Regular Updates at Plumas County Board of Supervisor Meetings:

Expect consistent updates from IVIH during Plumas County Board of Supervisor meetings, where we will provide the latest information on our initiatives and partnerships.