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Alabama Goodwill Industries, Inc.
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Something Good Just Moved!

Alabama Goodwill celebrates its Grand Re-Opening in Athens, AL.

Athens, Alabama, June 7th, 2021 — Alabama Goodwill Industries (AGI) is excited to share the grand re-opening of the best convenient way to shop and donate.

The newest Goodwill Shopping and Donation center is the latest component of the organization's ongoing expansion of its retail network, which is designed to generate more revenue to support mission programs and services for people who face barriers to employment.

Located at 613 US Hwy 72 W, the new Goodwill Shopping and Donation Center will be converted from the old Goody's Store into its newest installment. With a capital investment of 125k, this center is sure to put people to work and create jobs for the community.

The nonprofit organization will be creating approximately 14 full time jobs for the Athens Community.

Community members may join the AGI Team for the Grand Re-Opening/Ribbon-cutting on Wednesday, June 23th, 2021 at 10am, where there will be giveaways, door prizes, and more to celebrate this convenient way to give back!

"This is a significant way to support job growth in our community," said David Wells, President and CEO of Alabama Goodwill. "We need to focus this on job creation for those that need to get back to work, jobs that provide training and support for new hires to help them work toward their life goals. "

AGI offers programs like Employment Development Services, Work-based Learning, Digital Skills Literacy Training, TransfrVR and more!

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About Alabama Goodwill Industries

Alabama Goodwill Industries (AGI) is a 501 (c) (3) nonprofit organization that offers employment opportunities, job placement and skills training for individuals in the community that are disabled and/or disadvantaged. Through funding partnerships and the sale of donated goods, AGI creates employment and training opportunities with those who have barriers to employment and create self-sufficiency for those to learn, develop, and grow to become productive members of the community and reach their life goals.

Alabama Goodwill, incorporated in 1927, is operated by a local, volunteer board of directors and recognized with GuideStar's Silver Seal of Approval. When you donate to Goodwill, Goodwill creates jobs to process and sell those donations, and fund development programs for those in need. Thank you for providing "A hand up, not a hand-out" for those we serve!

For more information or to find a Goodwill location near you, visit alabamagoodwill.org or call (205) 323-6331. Follow us on Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter: @alabamagoodwill

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