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**DOLLAR GENERAL'S JOB FAIR AIMS TO FILL MORE THAN 400 NEW POSITIONS**

***Prospective Employees to Meet Staff, Learn About Opportunities. Fair Highlights  
Continued Montgomery County Job Growth***

(AMSTERDAM, NY) — National retailer Dollar General, which is nearing completion on a new 750,000-square-foot distribution center in the Town of Florida, Montgomery County, will host a job fair this Saturday, Aug. 17 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Riverfront Center in Amsterdam. When finished, the site is expected to employ more than 400 people.

The facility, which is slated to open in October, was made possible in part from the sale of 103 acres from the Montgomery County Industrial Development Agency. The transaction was facilitated by the Montgomery County Business Development Center, which has been working with the company since 2015. Dollar General joins other national brands including Target, Beech-Nut, and Sticker Mule in making a major commitment to doing business in the county.

“Dollar General’s faith and investment in Montgomery County will mean hundreds of additional jobs for our area and is another positive shot in the arm for our economy,” stated Ken Rose, CEO of the Montgomery County Business Development Center and IDA. “Our staff have been working hard to make this new facility here a reality and it’s exciting to see the project nearing completion. From entry-level positions to jobs in management, there are hundreds of exciting career opportunities at Dollar General. Prospective employees from across the Mohawk Valley, Capital Region and Central New York, should plan on attending Saturday to learn more about this great company and state-of-the-art facility.”

Dollar General is investing nearly \$100 million into its Amsterdam distribution center, making it the latest major national name brand to call Montgomery County home. The county is also seeing job growth and new investments being made by other companies like Vida-Blend and the Executive Group, Inc.

“Industry leaders like Dollar General have chosen to make their home in Montgomery County and we are proud to have them here as part of our community,” said Rose.

“Dollar General has chosen to invest here because they know our community is strong and thriving,” Montgomery County Executive Matthew L. Ossenfort said. “Our historic sites and recreational opportunities, in addition to the easy commute and low cost of living, make Montgomery County a great place to live, work and play.”

To learn more about the range of career opportunities in Montgomery County, or to learn how the Montgomery County Business Development Center can assist employers find new team members, visit [www.MontgomeryCountyWorks.org](http://www.MontgomeryCountyWorks.org).

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