

## **Employ the Older Workers Program Honored**

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On September 23rd, 2009 at the Public Meeting the Armstrong County Commissioners signed a proclamation adopting September 20 through 26, 2009 as Employ the Older Workers Week. The Board of Commissioners recognized the workforce contributions of older workers, and encouraged employers and workers of all ages to recognize the many ways in which older employees contribute to a successful working environment.

Ms. Debbie Reesman an Older Worker Employment Specialist with the Armstrong County Area Agency on Aging spoke at the meeting. She praised the older workers for the wealth of knowledge and experience they bring to their jobs. Statistics show that 15.6 percent of the commonwealth's current population is age 65 and older.

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