



Great Promise Partnership

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PPI family of companies

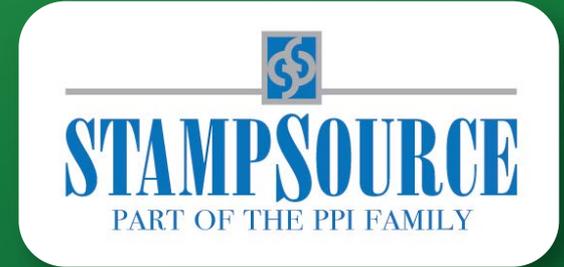
Athens, GA



Rabun Gap, GA



Charlotte, NC





PPI products can be found...



On power lines throughout the United States, Mexico and the Caribbean



In factories utilizing smart cabinets for consumables



Housing cellphone tower batteries



In stores where electronics are sold



In businesses using metal racks



In home improvement stores



In carbon neutral buildings (Hong Kong)



A part of the framing of steel buildings



PPI's Vision

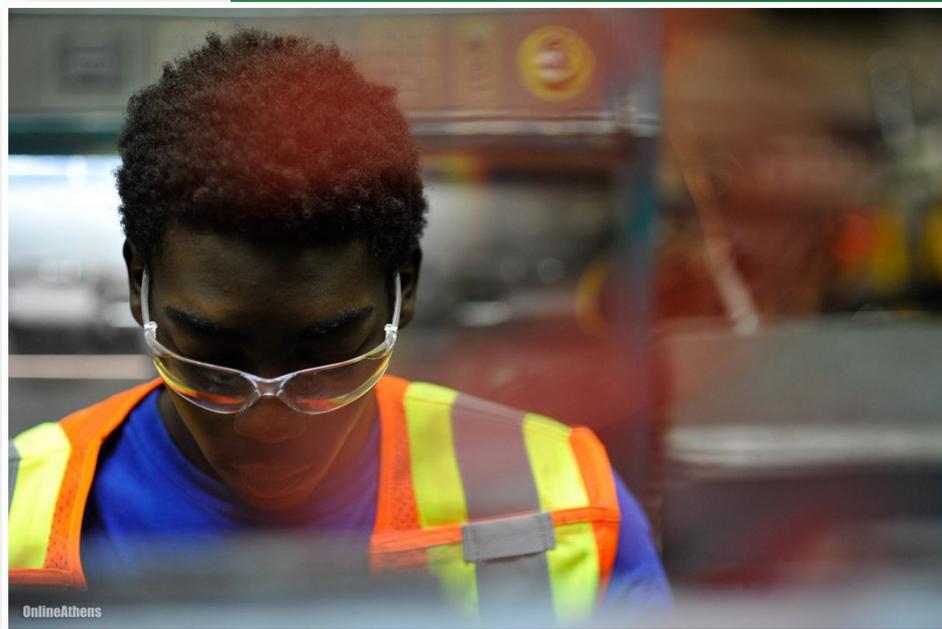


**“Transforming
the world
through
innovative
manufacturing”**



Great Promise Partnership (GPP)

A promise of partnership





What is Great Promise Partnership?

- At risk youth
- Their promise
- Our support and help





GPP as a hub in NE Georgia

- Origin: Inspired by Southwire Company's "12 for Life"
- GPP Process Flow
- Statewide GPP; not just manufacturing





Impact: Student Numbers

466 *youth served by GPP during the 2014/15 school year.*

143 *of those youth participated in Workplace.*

317 *positions promised to GPP students by participating businesses for the 2015/16 school year.*

That's an increase of **174** new positions and that number is expected to continue growing throughout the 2015/16 school year.



Impact: Participating Communities

28 *communities in Georgia currently facilitate GPP programming*

20 *participating counties in 2014/15*

Bartow	Dooley	Haralson	Monroe
Chattooga	Elbert	Houston	Polk
Clarke	Gordon	Jackson	Union
Coffee	Gwinnett	Laurens	Walton
Dekalb	Habersham	Lowndes	Whitfield



Participating Job Sectors

Retail

Transportation

Energy

Educational

Manufacturing

Medical

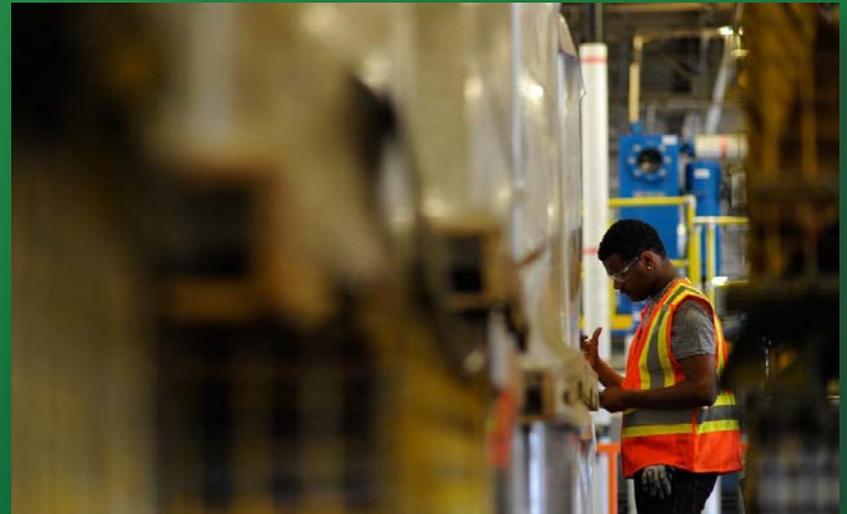
Non-Profits

State & Local Gov't

Food



Our experience so far





Keys

- Sustainability
- Our Team
- Our Community:
Mfg. roundtable,
Schools, Parents





Tyrus' Story

- One of our first students
- Our first high school graduate!
- Now a full time PPI employee
- Enrolling at Athens Technical College, funded by the Dr. Sherrie Ford memorial scholarship





Orientation Night

- 13 students currently
- Will ramp to 20 by end of 2015
- “More than I make”

