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Dothan mayor to speak at event for local students with disabilities

DOTHAN – Mayor Mike Schmitz will speak at a conference for students with disabilities.

About 150 students with disabilities from local school systems will attend an Employment Training Conference on Tuesday, Feb. 23, from 8:30 a.m. until 1 p.m., at Cloverdale Baptist Church.

The event is sponsored by the Dothan Area Committee on Employment of People with Disabilities, a program of the Alabama Department of Rehabilitation Services.

Students from Dothan City and Houston, Geneva, and Henry county schools will participate in the event.

Experts will be on hand to provide the students with useful information about job resources, interviewing skills, and college preparation. Several businesses and individuals in the community are participating and contributing to the half-day event.

Cloverdale Baptist Church is located at 806 Dexter St.

The Alabama Department of Rehabilitation Services is the state agency whose mission is to enable Alabama's children and adults with disabilities to achieve their maximum potential.