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Empowering People...Enriching Lives

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## Herkimer Industries Honors Employees with Longevity Awards

Herkimer Industries (HI) honored thirty workers for their contribution and years of service at the HARC vocational work center, located in Herkimer, NY.

HI provides competitive subcontracting services in commercial sewing, packaging, and assembly, and offers a full line of first responder safety products.

Those honored include: **Thirty years:** Joan Gardner.

**Twenty five years:** Jim Cariglio, John Baird, Don Devendorf, Debbie Gillen, Wayne Cook, Denise Harris, Laura Fiesinger, JJ Smith, Donald Reid, Mary Morvitz, Sandy Stoltz, Joe Ferris, and Gerry Dineen.

**Twenty years:** Laurie Ballard, Debbie Moynihan, Rocco Pasquale, Cindy Reed, Diane Duffy, Christine Merrick, Jean Dolson, Bud Mosher, Jane Bullock, Louis Greenarch, Renee Gollegly, Marty MacCammon, John Durajack, Shirley Sweet, Ed Curley, and Richard Haines.

Michael Lamb, HARC director of Industrial Operations, comments, "In my years with the organization, I can tell you today we are honoring some of our most dedicated and enthusiastic workers. Their longevity tells the story that Herkimer Industries is an enjoyable place to work."

With a workforce of over 150 reliable workers, comprised of individuals with disabilities supported by non-disabled employees, HI has been providing competitive subcontracting services throughout the United States since 1973. To learn more about HI, contact Wayne Tucker, strategic partnership specialist, at (315) 574-7517 or visit [www.herkimerindustries.com](http://www.herkimerindustries.com).

For more information regarding HARC and its mission to enable people with disabilities, and others in the community, to achieve full potential and to live enriched lives, visit [www.herkimerarc.org](http://www.herkimerarc.org) or call (315) 574-7000.



*Herkimer Industries (HI) honored workers for their contribution and years of service. Individuals honored for 25 years include, front from left, Jim Cariglio, Denise Harris, Laura Fiesinger, JJ Smith, Donald Reid, Mary Morvitz, and Sandy Stoltz. Back, from left, John Baird, Don Devendorf, Debbie Gillen, Wayne Cook, and Mike Lamb, HARC Director of Industrial Operations. Absent from photo: Thirty year recipient, Joan Gardner, and twenty five year recipients, Joe Ferris and Gerry Dineen.*



*Individuals honored for 20 years include, front from left, Laurie Ballard. Second row, from left: Debra Moynihan, Rocco Pasquale, Cindy Reed, Diane Duffy, Christine Merrick, Jean Dolson, and Bud Mosher. Back row, from left, Jane Bullock, Louie Greenarch, Renee Gollegly, Marty MacCammon, John Durajack, Shirley Sweet, and Mike Lamb, HARC Director of Industrial Operations.*