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Initiatives like the CCC welding technology program and the new machinist training program at GST BOCES represent critical tools in the overall effort to make the Southern Tier economy more attractive to manufacturers, industries and other employers. They're perfect examples, I believe, of the type of locally based workforce development models and investments that the Senate will seek to encourage, enhance and expand across the board.

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This week, "**Matching jobs with workers**"

[See attached copy above of Senator O'Mara's column in The Leader on September 18, 2016]