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MANY OLDER WORKERS WHO LOST JOBS DURING THE DOWNTOWN ARE TOO YOUNG TO RETIRE AND USUALLY WOULD NOT BE CONSIDERED IDEAL FOR RETRAINING. INDEPENDENT GROUPS LIKE THE NATIONAL FUND FOR WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS, WHICH IS WORKING WITH LOCAL COMMUNITIES AND BUSINESSES TO BUILD SKILLS AND CAREERS FOR WORKERS AND JOB SEEKERS, ARE WORKING TO DEBUNK THAT MYTH. IN THE LAST FOUR YEARS, THE FUND HAS HELPED ABOUT 1,860 AMERICANS 55 YEARS AND OLDER RETRAIN FOR NEW JOBS.

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