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NON-DISCRIMINATION WORKSHOP PLANNED

(St. Joseph, MO) -- The St. Joseph Chamber of Commerce and the St. Joseph Human Rights Commission are partnering to present a Non-Discrimination Workshop on Tuesday, Oct. 15. The event will be from 8 to 9:30 a.m. at emPowerU, 518 S. Sixth St. It's free and open to the public.

Titled "Building a Better Community Through Valuing Diversity and Inclusion," the non-discrimination workshop is specifically designed to empower people with the critical knowledge, awareness and skills needed to serve consumers and customers, manage diverse teams, and build more inclusive workplaces.

Participants will:

- Learn the meaning and impact of diversity and inclusion
- Explore their assumptions and unconscious biases
- Identify the seemingly small ways we unintentionally exclude others
- Understand the effect of establishing trust and respect with others
- Practice the value and nuance of inclusive communication
- Discover three key principles for leading positive change
- Apply strategies to be more inclusive in your interactions and more

Dr. Tim Crowley will lead the discussion. For more than 25 years, Dr. Crowley has engaged, motivated and educated audiences to change their actions and attitudes in ways proven to empower people and organizations. Impacting more than a million people, Dr. Tim is trusted by Fortune 500 corporations, U.S. Government agencies, small and mid-sized businesses and organizations, universities, schools, and non-profit agencies worldwide to deliver inspiring keynote speeches and presentations.

This event is free, but RSVPs are requested as a continental breakfast will be provided. RSVP on the events calendar at saintjoseph.com, by calling 232-4461 or e-mailing humbert@saintjoseph.com

About the Chamber: Since its inception in 1862 as the Board of Trade of St. Joseph, the St. Joseph Chamber of Commerce has been the catalyst for economic growth and development in Northwest Missouri. The Chamber strives to be the unified voice of business that advocates, promotes and inspires the St. Joseph area. The Chamber's mission, supported by more than 1,200 members, is to create an environment that allows business to thrive and the community to prosper.

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