

ELIZABETH — MiLEAP

Elizabeth came into the Ludington Michigan Works! West Central service center to get help with tuition for her CDL. She had recently moved to Michigan from California.

She had been in the area for a few months and struggling to make ends meet. She was working as a part-time home health aid and making very little money to support herself.

When she walked through the door of our office, she came prepared – she already had received her Permit for her CDL and just needed help for the 3-week training at Pinnacle

Truck Driver Training. She even had a job lined up at WolfRunners as a contract driver, driving with her boyfriend. But in order to be able to drive, she needed her CDL.

She was over income for WIOA Adult, but MiLEAP was able to help her out with the cost of training. MiLEAP paid \$3,000 of her CDL training with Pinnacle Truck Driver Training.

Elizabeth past her driving test on June 24, 2022, and is now be working over the road with her now husband for WolfRunners as a full-time driver.

Elizabeth is extremely

happy and thankful that Michigan Works! West Central was able to help provide her the opportunity to become licensed commercial driver. She continues to send our MiLEAP Navigator pictures of architecture and landscapes while she is out on the road.