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INCMA's Monthly Newsletter

June 2022

INCMA ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE CHAIRS

The INCMA Environmental Affairs Committee met June 2nd to review multiple issues.

Tim Higgins (right) stepped down as Committee



Co-Chair after many years of service. Special thanks to Tim for his leadership. We look forward to his continued participation as an active member of INCMA. New co-chairs were

named including: Earl Miller, Hiler Industries



and Wesley Fleming, KERAMIDA Inc. Members may request a summary of the meeting issue discussions.

EPA PROPOSES EXPANDING GREENHOUSE GAS REPORTING

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is proposing amendments to specific provisions of the Greenhouse Gas Reporting Program (GHGRP) to improve the

quality of the data collected under the program by addressing changes in industry practices; adopting improved calculation and monitoring methods; and collecting new data to understand new source categories or new emissions sources for specific sectors. The agency is currently soliciting feedback but it is believed that it will only



impact foundries who already were reporting, perhaps with more detailed reporting requirements. [Click here](#) for a fact sheet on the new effort. [Click here](#) for the rulemaking notice. [Click here](#) for the official program website.

INCMA GOLF OUTING REGISTER NOW

The 2022 INCMA golf outing will once again be held at the Pretty Lake Golf Club in Plymouth, IN. The event will be held on Tuesday August 30, 2022 with a member dinner held on the night before -

August 29th. More details to follow but registration to play or sponsor the outing is now open. Please plan to participate in this excellent fellowship and networking opportunity! [Click here for more information!](#)

PURDUE WORKSHOPS ON WORKER RETENTION & MORE

Purdue Manufacturing Extension Partnership (MEP) offers numerous workshops, in-person, virtual, and on-demand. A few free online workshops coming up on employee retention and attraction include:

June 24th: [Why Connection In The Workplace Matters](#)

June 28th: [Employee Retention Is An Organizational Metric](#)

July 13th: [What Is The True Cost Of Your Employee Turnover?](#)

[View the complete MEP calendar here.](#)

TRADE DEFICIT SHRINKS

REUTERS - The U.S. trade deficit narrowed by the most in nearly 9-1/2 years in April as exports jumped to a record high, putting trade on course to contribute to economic growth this quarter. The sharp

decline reported by the Commerce Department last week reversed March's surge and suggested that trade could be shifting back to a more normal pattern. [More info.](#)

INCMA DUES NOTICES

Members should have recently received their 2022/23 membership dues invoices. Your support is deeply appreciated as we work to maintain a strong Indiana foundry sector. Please contact INCMA with any questions.

CHARTER MEMBERSHIP

Special thanks to [Barnes & Thornburg](#), our first Charter member to renew their commitment for the 2022/2023 membership year. Charter membership is available to Associate members and reflects a higher level of financial support for INCMA. It includes recognition on INCMA's homepage at www.INCMA.org. All associate members are eligible to upgrade. Check your dues invoice for the option!

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