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*INCMA's Monthly Fax Newsletter*

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## ANTI CAP AND TRADE RALLY 8/25

There will be a rally on August 25 in Elkhart against Federal Climate legislation/Cap and Trade passed by the US House recently. The rally will last from 11:00 - 1:00 pm and be held at the RV Museum. Box lunches will also be provided. Please try to attend to show your concern about this proposed policy and the negative impacts it could have on your business. Directions and more information are available by contacting INCMA.

On a related matter, INCMA is working to set up a meeting to share our opposition to Cap and Trade directly with Senator Bayh.

## 2 WEEKS UNTIL INCMA's 20th ANNUAL GOLF OUTING

Register today to play and/or sponsor INCMA's Sept. 1, 2009 Golf Outing. This year promises to be another excellent event at beautiful Meshingomesia Country Club in Marion. Thanks to our Gold sponsors to date:

KERAMIDA Inc.  
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Bremen Castings  
Bahr Bros. Mfg.  
Fairmount Minerals

Log on now to [INCMA.org](http://INCMA.org) to reserve your sponsorship or to register to play!

## INCMA SUBMITS COMMENTS

INCMA recently submitted two sets of comments on a proposed "nonrule policy" from IDEM that



would impact how representative data may be used in lieu of new stack testing. The policy is meant to ease the burden associated with stack testing but a few concerns remain. Submitted comments are available upon request.

IDEM is also seeking comments on streamlining their approach to air permits. Contact INCMA if you would like to comment as they are due by 8/21.

## MICHIGAN FOUNDRY GATHERING

The Foundry Association of Michigan is hosting a full day fall meeting on Sept. 17 in Lansing with

industry panels, Congressional staff presenters and more. Log on to [michiganfoundries.com](http://michiganfoundries.com) to register or for more information.

## FOUNDRY WORKERS COMP SURVEY DEADLINE EXTENDED

If you haven't yet responded, please take a few minutes to respond to INCMA's Workers Comp. Benchmarking Survey recently emailed to foundry members. The deadline has been extended. Please contact INCMA if you did not receive the email with the online survey link.

## MIDWEST ENERGY EFFICIENCY EXCHANGE 9/10-9/11

This Midwest Exchange will be held in Detroit, Michigan with a networking reception on Sept. 9 and followed by a full day of sessions on Sept. 10. The goal of the event is to connect industry members with energy efficiency projects and regional and federal entities that have financial and technical resources to implement these types of projects. They will also be offering a

webcast of the morning sessions for those who can't attend. Please contact INCMA for copies of the promotional materials.

## CAMPAIGN FUNDRAISING SEASON

Below are a few fundraisers of note for foundry friends and key political leaders. Contributions may also be delivered by INCMA if desired.

>8.20.09 Senate Republican Outing, Fishers. 317.

>8.24.09 Speaker Baurer's Outing. South Bend. 317.231.6291

>9.2.09 Rep. Scott Pelath Reception. Indpls. 317.231.6291

>9.21.09 Rep. Dave Wolkins' Golf Outing. Winona Lake. 317.610.2016 or INCMA at 317.974.1830

>9.24.09 Rep. Tom Dermody Reception. Indpls. 317.610.2016

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