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Governor's Workplace Safety Award Applications Now Open

INDIANAPOLIS (Nov. 19, 2014) – Employers can now apply for the 2015 Governor's Workplace Safety Awards. These annual occupational safety and health awards honor Hoosier employers that advance the health, safety, and prosperity of Hoosiers in the workplace in one of the following categories:

- Innovations
- Internal education and outreach
- External education and outreach
- Partnerships

Indiana workplaces of all types and sizes are eligible for the awards, including businesses, municipalities, unions, schools, service organizations, and nonprofits. Awards are presented to organizations that have demonstrated exceptional workplace safety and health programs as well as processes or techniques relative to each organization's size.

To download an award application, visit www.in.gov/dol/2381.htm. Applications must be received by the Indiana Chamber of Commerce no later than 5 p.m. (EST), Friday, Jan. 30, 2015.

The annual Governor's Workplace Safety Awards is a cooperative effort between the Indiana Department of Labor, the Indiana Chamber of Commerce, and the Central Indiana Chapter of the American Society of Safety Engineers. The 2015 awards will be presented during the Governor's Workplace Safety Awards Luncheon at the annual Indiana Safety and Health Conference on March 18, 2015.

For more information about the 2015 Indiana Safety and Health Conference, visit www.insafetyconf.com.

About the Indiana Department of Labor:

The mission of the Indiana Department of Labor is to advance the safety, health and prosperity of Hoosiers in the workplace. In order to make significant strides, we emphasize both enforcement and compliance assistance by employers. www.in.gov/dol

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