



Indiana Manufacturers Association
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Indiana Manufacturers Association Elects New Executive Committee

Indianapolis, IN - The Indiana Manufacturers Association announced the election of the organization's new executive committee for 2003. Norman E. (Ned) Pfau, Jr. has been elected IMA Chairman of the Board. Mr. Pfau has been president and CEO of Geo. Pfau's Sons Company since 1965. He has been an IMA director since 1996, when he was elected to his first term.

A native of Jeffersonville, Mr. Pfau is a graduate of the Indiana University School of Business. In addition to his IMA activities, Mr. Pfau is a member of the Indiana University Foundation and the Southern Indiana Economic Development Council. He also was a director with the NBD Bank for 25 years and a director with the Indiana Port Commission for 20 years. He has received numerous awards and assisted many educational and charitable organizations.

The 2003 executive committee of the Indiana Manufacturers Association was elected at the organization's board of directors meeting held on January 15th. The board of directors meeting was held in conjunction with the organization's largest legislative event of the year, the IMA Legislative Briefing and Reception. Both events were held at the Westin Hotel in downtown Indianapolis with the reception attracting more than 400 business leaders and elected officials.

The Indiana Manufacturers Association, Indiana's leading voice for industry, was formed in 1901. The IMA is a business advocacy organization representing nearly 1,600 Indiana companies and promoting economic development and the creation of high-wage jobs in Indiana.

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The 2003 IMA Executive Committee includes:

Chair: Mr. Norman E. Pfau Jr., Geo. Pfau's Sons Co., Jeffersonville, Indiana

First Vice Chair: Mr. Norman Bafunno, Toyota Motor Manufacturing, Indiana, Princeton, Indiana

Second Vice Chair: Mr. Thomas R. Hamblen, Hamblen Gage Corporation, Indianapolis, Indiana

Committee Members:

Mr. Charles N. Hetrick, Maxon Corporation, Muncie, Indiana

Mr. David R. Christian, AMPCOR II, Inc., LaPorte, Indiana

Mr. Mark Smith, Ontario Corporation, Muncie, Indiana

Ms. Marian Ramsey-Ford (*Past Chair*), All State Manufacturing, Terre Haute, Indiana

President, CEO & Treasurer: Mr. Patrick J. Kiely, IMA Staff, Indianapolis, Indiana