

Thursday, July 25, 2019

Meeting Minutes

The Greater Marion County Manufacturers Association met today at 11:30 am CST at Western Sizzlin in Jasper.

* Meeting was called to order by Co-Chair Duane Johnson
	+ Stated no new introductions from participants
	+ Discussed previous meeting minutes found on the GMCMA website
	+ Introduced the guest speaker: Jeff Francis with Bureau of Workers’ Compensation
* Speaker – Jeff Francis, Assistant Administrator, Bureau of Workers’ Compensation
	+ Gave a mini introduction of himself and what he does and doesn’t do within the scope of his role
	+ Talked on things to improve your workplace culture & worker’s compensation
	+ Went over an in-depth PowerPoint on benefits of Workers’ Compensation per state guidelines
	+ During presentation handed out various forms to post on site and also updated format of form to post for Workers’ Comp awareness in our own facilities
	+ Informed the group about Ombudsman, which is a help-desk tool for Workers’ Comp. Also gave their phone number if needed: 1-800-332-2667
	+ Explained that each claim has an insurance adjustor and told the group that the adjustor annual training will be August 20, 2019 – 21st
	+ Gave out his personal contact information:
		- Jeff.francis@tn.gov
		- Phone: 615-253-6269
	+ He did state he would email out the PowerPoint for the good of the group
* Meeting adjourned by Co-Chair