

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](mailto: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