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Dear Associate Member,

The Indiana Municipal Electric Association is excited to invite you to the 2026 Annual Meeting and Vendor Expo. We deeply appreciate your ongoing loyalty and support of the organization, and we look forward to seeing you in Florence, Indiana, October 13 - 15.

For event registration, hotel details, and further information, please visit our website at [www.imea.com](http://www.imea.com) . If you have any questions or need assistance, don't hesitate to reach out to me or Janel Sparks at [janel@imea.com](mailto:janel@imea.com) .

For your review, please find the following documents:

- IMEA Annual Meeting & Vendor Expo Agenda
- Annual IMEA Golf Scramble Brochure
- Annual Meeting Entertainment
- Associate Member Event Itinerary
- Associate Member / Affiliate Sponsorship Levels

One of IMEA's key roles is facilitating the exchange of ideas, information, and best practices among member systems. We are committed to offering cost-effective, service-oriented programs and representation, ensuring that your membership remains a valuable investment.

We look forward to seeing you at the Belterra Casino & Resort.

Sincerely,  
Duane Richardson

**2026  
Annual Business Meeting &  
Vendor Expo  
Belterra Casino & Resort**



**Tuesday, October 13**

7:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.

12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Expo Check-in Sponsor Display Set Up (*Showroom*) Trailers /  
Trucks Outside  
Golf Scramble, *Belterra Golf Club (Located at Resort)*  
Board of Directors Meeting, (*Board Room C*)  
IMEA Welcome Reception, (*Showroom*)

**Wednesday, October 14**

7:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.

9:00 a.m.

9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

10:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.

10:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

8:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m.

Registration (*Showroom Prefunction*)  
Breakfast Buffet, (*Showroom*)  
Welcome & Introductions (*Ballroom B*)  
Business Meeting (*Ballroom B*)  
*Break / Expo (Showroom)*  
Rates and Case Studies, O.W. Krohn & Associates, LLP  
(*Ballroom B*)  
Associate Member Meeting (*Showroom*)  
Lunch (*Showroom*)  
Spouse Event  
Lightning Talks (*Ballroom B*)  
Pole Attachment Agreements, EUDS Consulting (*Ballroom B*)  
*Break / Expo (Showroom (Showroom))*  
Accountability & Ethics, *Lauralee Hites (Ballroom B)*  
IMEA Dinner & Awards Banquet (*Showroom*)  
Entertainment Comedy Show (*Showroom*)

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Thursday, October 15

7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.

8:40 a.m.

8:45 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.

9:45 a.m. – 10 a.m.

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

Breakfast Buffet, *(Ballroom B)*

Welcome & Introductions *(Ballroom B)*

TBD, *(Ballroom B)*

Break, *(Prefunction, Ballroom B)*

Mutual Aid & Safety Round Table, *Duane Richardson*  
*(Ballroom B)*

Closing Remarks

2026 IMEA

# GOLF

## SCRAMBLE



**13 OCTOBER - 12 PM**

**Belterra Golf Club**



Belterra Casino & Resort - 777 Belterra Dr, Florence, IN 47020



The 2026 IMEA Annual Meeting Golf Scramble will take place at the Belterra Golf Club. Range balls will be available. Lunch will be served at 11:00 a.m. Shotgun starts at 12 p.m. The cost to play is \$85 / per person.

Prizes for the outing are as follows:

- 1) A prize for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place teams.
- 2) Two longest drive prizes.
- 3) Two closest to the pin prizes.
- 4) Door prizes.

At this time, we are seeking donations for prizes and hole sponsorships. If you are able to donate to this event through a gifted item and/or hole sponsorship, please complete the information by going to [www.imea.com / events](http://www.imea.com/events) registration. Sponsors will be recognized through signage at the hole. A portion of the proceeds will be directed to the IMEA Educational Scholarship Fund.

We invite you to participate! Please visit: [www.imea.com / events](http://www.imea.com/events) to register as a participant and be a golf hole sponsor. Golf hole sponsorship is \$100 each per golf hole. Email new artwork to: [janel@imea.com](mailto:janel@imea.com).

For Additional Details and Information please contact: Duane Richardson at (765) 366-5506, or email at [Duane@imea.com](mailto:Duane@imea.com).

# ELITE SPONSORSHIP



## ELITE SPONSOR IMEA ASSOCIATE / AFFILIATE MEMBER: \$1,000

### 2026 ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING & VENDOR EXPO

#### Benefits:

- Logo featured prominently on Event Page of [www.imea.com](http://www.imea.com)
- Logo featured prominently in the conference E-Bulletin marketing brochure.
- Logo on the cover of 2026 Annual Business Meeting & Vendor Expo Program.
- One complimentary Annual Meeting registration, which enable your representatives to attend all Annual Meeting sessions and social events.

- One display table in the registration area throughout the duration of the conference
- Identifying sponsor logo on all name badges
- One Full Page promotional ad provided during the dinner banquet and awards recognitions
- One golf hole sponsor at the IMEA Golf Scramble

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# DIAMOND SPONSORSHIP



## 2026 ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING & VENDOR EXPO

**DIAMOND SPONSOR PLATINUM SPONSOR  
ASSOCIATE MEMBER / AFFILIATE MEMBER :  
\$750**

### Benefits:

- Logo on all Business & Financial Conference Pages during Member Business Meeting
- Logo featured in the Annual Business Meeting
- Logo featured in the Annual Business Meeting marketing brochure.
- Logo on the 2026 Annual Business Meeting & Vendor Expo Brochure
- Pre- and post conference attendees lists in Excel (Name, title, organization, U.S. Postal Address. Association policy prevents the sharing of attendee emails and phone numbers
- Logo on table tents at Welcome Reception
- One exhibit table near Conference registration for a sponsor showcase
- One complimentary conference registration
- Identifying Sponsor logo on all conference name badges
- One exhibit table at the 2026 Annual Business Meeting & Vendor Expo.

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# PLATINUM SPONSORSHIP



## 2026 ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING & VENDOR EXPO

**ASSOCIATE MEMBER / AFFILIATE MEMBER : \$500**

### Benefits:

- Logo in the Annual Business Meeting marketing eBulletin
- Logo in the 2026 Annual Business Meeting & Vendor Expo Program Brochure
- Logo on table tents at all 2026 Annual Business Meeting Networking Receptions
- Pre- and Post- Annual Meeting attendee lists in Excel Name, title, U.S. postal address. (Association policy prevents the sharing of attendee emails and phone.)
- Identifying sponsor logo on your Annual Business Meeting name badges
- One exhibit table at the 2026 Annual Business Meeting & Vendor Expo

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# 2026 IMEA Annual Business Meeting & Vendor Expo



Building Connections One Step At A Time

## ASSOCIATE MEMBER ITINERARY

### Showcase Schedule

Belterra Casino & Resort 777 Belterra Dr,  
Florence, IN 47020

#### **Tuesday, October 13**

7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. - Registration /  
Expo Check-in

7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. - Attendee  
Network Reception

1:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. - Lightning Talks

3:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. - Expo Break

3:30 p.m. - Expo Breakdown

6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. - IMEA Dinner &  
Awards

#### **Wednesday, October 14**

7:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. - Registration

7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. - Breakfast Buffet

10:15 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. - Expo Break

11:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. - Associate  
Member Meeting

12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. - Lunch and Expo

#### **Thursday, October 15**

7:30 am - 8:30 am - Breakfast Buffet

8:30 am - 8:45 am - Welcome &  
Introductions

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. - General Session

9:45 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. - Break

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. - General Session

11:00 a.m. - Closing Remarks

# COMEDY

*Night*

8:30 PM



14  
*October*

**SHOWROOM  
ENTERTAINMENT**

WE HOPE YOU WILL JOIN US!