

United States Capitol  
First Street SE  
Washington, D.C. 20004

July 22, 2021

Dear Member of Congress,

On behalf of manufacturers nationwide and the millions of Americans who stand to benefit from revitalized U.S. infrastructure, we write to urge you to take up and pass the bipartisan infrastructure deal recently announced by President Biden and leaders in Congress.

Manufacturers have spent years calling for bold, bipartisan infrastructure investments that bolster America's competitiveness, and now is the time to act on this historic opportunity. Businesses have highlighted the need for robust infrastructure investment through multiple administrations and watched as previous congressional sessions ended with no long-term plan of action. As an elected leader, you have the chance to realize the promise of American economic prosperity by working with your colleagues to enact the bipartisan framework that was recently announced.

For too long, we have seen America's infrastructure deteriorate as other nations invested in their own systems, aiming to outcompete the United States. This framework, which leaders in both parties have embraced, will strengthen manufacturers' global competitiveness, improve safety for the American workers who daily utilize our nation's infrastructure and ultimately create more high-skill, high-paying manufacturing jobs.

Importantly, this agreement advances these historic investments without putting at risk the competitive gains achieved for American businesses through tax reform, allowing manufacturers to reinvest in their facilities, their communities and their employees.

With this bipartisan agreement and its framework for investment in roads and bridges, waterways, the electric grid, advanced telecommunications and so much more, we can make history. This is how we build the future. This is how we build to win.

I urge you to work with your congressional colleagues to advance this agreement and pass bipartisan legislation that invests in American infrastructure that ensures long-term American economic prosperity.

Sincerely,

AICC, The Independent Packaging  
Association  
Air-Conditioning, Heating, and Refrigeration  
Institute  
The Aluminum Association  
American Bakers Association  
American Beverage Association  
American Boiler Manufacturers Association  
(ABMA)  
American Coatings Association  
American Forest & Paper Association

American Frozen Food Institute  
American Gear Manufacturers Association  
American Home Furnishings Alliance  
American Iron and Steel Institute  
American Pet Products Association  
American Welding Society  
American Wire Producers Association  
AMIGOS: Arizona Mining and Industry Get  
Our Support  
AMT - The Association For Manufacturing  
Technology

Anderson (SC) Area Chamber of Commerce  
Arkansas State Chamber/Associated Industries of Arkansas  
Arizona Rock Products Association  
Asheville (NC) Area Chamber of Commerce  
Associated Equipment Distributors  
Associated Industries of Florida  
Association for Unmanned Vehicle Systems International (AUVSI)  
Association of Washington Business  
Aurora (CO) Chamber of Commerce  
Auto Care Association  
Avery County (NC) Chamber of Commerce  
Beer Institute  
Brick Industry Association  
Butler County (PA) Tourism & Convention Bureau  
California Manufacturers & Technology Association  
The Carpet and Rug Institute  
Cedar Rapids (IA) Metro Economic Alliance  
Chandler (AZ) Chamber of Commerce  
Charlotte Regional Business Alliance  
Chesterfield (VA) Chamber of Commerce  
Colorado Advanced Manufacturing Association (CAMA)  
Composite Can & Tube Institute  
Composite Panel Association  
Concrete Reinforcing Steel Institute  
Dayton Region Manufacturers Association  
Delaware County (PA) Chamber of Commerce  
Development Authority of Macon County (GA)  
ECIA - Electronic Components Industry Association  
Fabricators and Manufacturers Association, International  
Forging Industry Association  
Fountain Inn Chamber of Commerce (SC)  
Global Business Alliance  
Greater Greer (SC) Chamber of Commerce  
Greater Phoenix Leadership  
Greater Reading (PA) Chamber Alliance  
Greenwood SC Chamber  
Gwinnett (GA) Chamber of Commerce  
Illinois Manufacturers' Association  
INDA, The Association of the Nonwoven Fabrics Industry

Independent Lubricant Manufacturers Association  
Industrial Fasteners Institute  
Industrial Truck Association  
Institute of Scrap Recycling Industries, Inc  
Institute of Shortening and Edible Oils  
Interlocking Concrete Pavement Institute  
Iowa Association of Business and Industry  
Iowa Business Council  
Kentucky Association of Manufacturers  
Loudoun County (VA) Chamber of Commerce  
Manufacturer & Business Association  
Manufacturers Association of Central New York, Inc. (MACNY)  
Maryland Chamber of Commerce  
Metal Powder Industries Federation  
Metals Service Center Institute  
Mississippi Manufacturers Association  
Moore County (NC) Chamber of Commerce  
Motor & Equipment Manufacturers Association  
Myrtle Beach Area Chamber  
National Association of Manufacturers  
National Association of Trailer Manufacturers  
National Fastener Distributors Association  
National Glass Association  
National Lime Association  
National Marine Manufacturers Association  
National Shooting Sports Foundation  
National Stone, Sand & Gravel Association  
National Tooling and Machining Association  
National Wooden Pallet & Container Association  
NC Chamber  
New Mexico Business Coalition  
New Jersey Business and Industry Association (NJBIA)  
Nogales-Santa Cruz County (AZ) Chamber of Commerce  
Non-Ferrous Founders' Society  
North American Association of Food Equipment Manufacturers (NAFEM)  
North American Millers' Association  
Northeast PA Manufacturers & Employers Association  
Northwest Douglas County (CO) Chamber & EDC  
Ohio Manufacturers' Association  
Oregon Business & Industry

Oregon Manufacturers and Commerce  
Outdoor Power Equipment Institute  
Plastic Pipe and Fittings Association  
Plastics Pipe Institute  
Plumbing Manufacturers International  
Polyisocyanurate Insulation Manufacturers  
Association  
PRINTING United Alliance  
Railway Supply Institute  
Roanoke (VA) Regional Chamber of  
Commerce  
Rocky Mount (NC) Area Chamber of  
Commerce  
Rowan (NC) Chamber of Commerce  
Savannah Area Chamber of Commerce  
(GA)  
Schuylkill Chamber of Commerce (PA)  
Society of Chemical Manufacturers and  
Affiliates (SOCMA)  
South Carolina Chamber of Commerce  
Specialty Tools & Fasteners Distributors  
Association (STAFDA)  
Steel Manufacturers Association  
Steel Valley Authority  
Texas Association of Business  
Texas Association of Manufacturers  
Textile Care Allied Trades Association  
Treated Wood Council  
U.S. Tire Manufacturers Association  
United Veterinary Services Association  
Vail Valley (CO) Partnership  
Valley Industrial Association (IL)  
Valley Partnership (AZ)  
Valve Manufacturers Association