



Gateway Labor Management Conference

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**PRE-REGISTRATION DEADLINE FOR REGIONAL
LABOR MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE IS FAST APPROACHING**

Those Registering On or Before August 21st to Receive Discounted Fee of \$190

EDWARDSVILLE, ILL., August 14, 2006 . . . The pre-registration deadline is fast approaching for the Gateway Labor Management Conference set for September 20-22, 2006 at the Gateway Center in Collinsville, Ill. Those interested in attending can pre-register by August 21st for the discounted fee of \$190. After that date, the cost of registration increases to \$230.

The event, spearheaded by The Labor-Management Committee of the Leadership Council Southwestern Illinois, is expected to be one of the most well-attended labor-management-related conferences in the bi-state area. It will feature keynote Thomas A. Kochan, the leading labor management relations expert at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and well as an impressive line-up of speakers, workshops and special guests. Scheduled workshops will cover topics ranging from the Mississippi River Bridge Project, labor agreements, workplace issues and economic development to workforce and workplace diversity, education, arbitration and more.

The conference aims to foster cooperation between parties, address issues of mutual concern, and create a “labor-management friendly” environment that ultimately promotes economic development and growth. Sponsorship opportunities remain for interested unions, companies and organizations. All sponsors are recognized throughout the event and in all printed materials used during the conference and for promotional purposes. For more information or to register, please call Marv Finkelstein at (618) 650-2681.

The Labor-Management Committee was formed in 1983 by the Leadership Council Southwestern Illinois and exists to serve employers and unions in Madison and St. Clair counties in Illinois. For more information about the Labor-Management Committee of the Leadership Council Southwestern Illinois, please call (618) 650-2681 or visit the Labor-Management Committee Web site at www.gatewaylabormanagement.org.

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