



KOCH PIPELINE COMPANY LP

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KOCH PIPELINE COMPANY EARNS INDUSTRY'S HIGHEST SAFETY AWARDS

WICHITA, Kan. — Koch Pipeline Company, L.P. received the American Petroleum Institute Occupational Safety Performance Award at the organization's 57th annual pipeline conference.

"We are very proud to be honored for safety performance in an industry which has such high standards for excellence," said Bob O'Hair, president of Koch Pipeline Company. "This award recognizes not only recent safety results but a long history of commitment and continuous improvement to safety performance by Koch Pipeline employees."

Koch Pipeline Company, which operates about 4,000 miles of pipeline in the United States, had no recordable injuries in 2005. The company's employees have worked more than four years without an injury resulting in days away from work.

The API award recognizes operators achieving the lowest U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration recordable incident rates in 2005. The company also earned the API's "No Days Away From Work" and "Most Improved Safety Performance" awards for occupational safety performance.

In addition to the API awards, Koch Pipeline Company received other health and safety awards for its 2005 performance:

- National Safety Council's Occupational Excellence Achievement Award, Safety Performance Award and Perfect Record Award
- Iowa-Illinois Safety Council's Outstanding Achievement in Accident Prevention
- Texas Safety Association's Award of Honor
- Wisconsin Safety Council's Outstanding Achievement and Certificate of Safety Excellence

In Texas, Koch Pipeline Company operates crude oil gathering pipelines, as well as refined products systems that connect affiliate Flint Hills Resources' Corpus Christi refining complex to markets in San Antonio, Austin, Bastrop, Waco and Dallas/Fort Worth. The company also operates crude oil, natural gas liquids and refined products pipelines in Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa and Missouri.

Koch Pipeline Company, L.P. owns or operates about 4,000 miles of pipelines that transport crude oil, refined petroleum products and natural gas liquids. Koch Pipeline Company, L.P. is an affiliate of Flint Hills Resources. More at www.kochpipeline.com.

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