



KOCH PIPELINE COMPANY LP



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## News Release

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### WISCONSIN ORGANIZATIONS HONOR KOCH MATERIALS COMPANY AND KOCH PIPELINE COMPANY

**WICHITA, Kan.** — Sites operated by Koch Materials Company and Koch Pipeline Company, L.P. today received recognition for their safe operating practices in 2003 from the Wisconsin Council of Safety and the Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development.

Koch Materials' asphalt plants in Stevens Point and Green Bay, Wisc., and Koch Pipeline's entire Wisconsin operation earned the Outstanding Achievement Certificate for Excellence in Safety awards for their lost-time incident rates, and the Certificate of Safety Excellence for completing the year with no lost-time incidents.

"A proactive safety culture is a key to the success of every company," said Bryan Roessler, WCS director. "It impacts every employee and makes Wisconsin businesses more competitive and profitable. Both the WCS and DWD applaud Koch Materials and Koch Pipeline for outstanding leadership in safety."

Koch Pipeline has earned the awards for the second consecutive year. Overall, Koch Pipeline Company, which is based in Wichita, Kan., has worked more than 3.4 million hours without a lost-time incident.

Koch Materials Company's overall lost-time incident rate is 98 percent lower than the industry average.

Wisconsin Council of Safety is a non-profit, non-governmental organization dedicated to making Wisconsin a safe and healthy place to work. The WCS promotes safety and health programs, resource services and educational materials and community outreach.

*Koch Materials Company, North America's largest supplier of liquid asphalt products, develops and markets high-quality products and systems under its Koch Pavement Solutions registered servicemark. Koch Pipeline Company, L.P. operates about 8,000 miles of liquid pipelines in North America. Both companies are subsidiaries of Koch Industries, Inc., a Wichita, Kansas-based firm that owns a diverse group of companies engaged in trading, investment and operations worldwide. For more information, refer to [www.kochmaterials.com](http://www.kochmaterials.com), [www.kochpipeline.com](http://www.kochpipeline.com) or [www.kochind.com](http://www.kochind.com).*