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RE: Announcing Release of the MWCIA Web-Based 2004 Annual Report

MWCIA is pleased to announce the release of our 2004 Annual Report. This report is available on the MWCIA website at www.mwcia.org.

For many years, MWCIA has placed our "paper" annual report on our website. However, it was just that, an electronic copy of our paper annual report. Some might ask, what is the difference? The difference is that we no longer produce a "paper" annual report. During the transition we went:

- From actually printing the report as well as developing it for our website;
- To producing CDs of our report for those that might want our annual report other than through our website; and finally
- To only developing our annual report for our website.

By not having to "print" our annual report, we are provided with much more flexibility in the development of our annual report and what we include. Through today's website functionality, navigation and power, we are able to develop an annual report that provides a wealth of information, but also provides the viewer the option to read selected portions of the report, to "drill down" in various sections for additional information, and to print those pages that are important to them.

Over the next several years, we will continue to look for ways to make the MWCIA Annual Report a more meaningful tool that our audience can use to access timely information throughout the year.

Please direct any questions you may have concerning this item to Kathleen Peterson at 952.897.6420 or by email at kathleen.peterson@mwcia.org.