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To All Indiana SUVCW Brothers:

This year on June 6th in Kokomo, we will be celebrating our 129th Department of Indiana Annual Encampment! While the number alone is significant what makes this year even more special is that the National SUVCW Commander in Chief, Tad Campbell of Gilroy, California will also be attending.

In case you are not aware, the Commander in Chief is invited every year as a courtesy but usually due to his busy schedule he is unable to attend. Why, because in addition to his usual duties that could require him to be anywhere in the US, the other Departments are holding their Annual Encampments and also inviting him to attend. So this comes as an honor to the Department of Indiana that he accepted our invitation.

That's why I am writing this letter, to urge you and your fellow Camp Brothers to make every effort to attend this year's Annual Department Encampment. If you haven't attended in a number of years or if you have never attended then please make this the one you do! Many are unable to attend the National Encampment due to the length and the distance which can prohibit many from attending but the Department Annual Encampment is just one day located centrally in Kokomo.

In addition to getting caught up on Department and Camp business you will meet Brothers from other camps, hear an interesting program, and enjoy an excellent lunch. And, this year you will be able to hear the CinC speak as well.

Won't you please fill out the registration form, and send it in immediately along with your lunch payment to the address listed on the form? Also please pass this letter around your camp to be sure all are aware and have the opportunity to attend

Yours, in Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty

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