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I welcome you to review the information from my recent weekly commentaries and ask that you share this information with others.

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Increased Manufacturing Means More Jobs For Americans!

If anyone asked you where particular products are available for sale, I'm sure you could offer them some suggestions on where to shop. If you were asked which stores offered the largest selection of American made products, could you answer that question with some authority? Changing the lack of knowledge about what is actually made in America has been one of the major goals of the Buy American Made Campaign. We continue to ask our supporters to look at labels and spend more of their money on items made in America so we can keep the jobs we presently have and create more jobs to meet the demands of America's consumers.



In recent years we have focused our efforts on the fact that too many products are being made outside of America and not enough are being manufactured in the United States of America. As we contacted national elected leaders we were often told that we live in a FREE MARKET ECONOMY so it's difficult to create laws to keep

businesses in America. That being said, there is NO REASON why the American people can't create their own demand for American made products. Every time WE buy American made WE not only help private sector businesses remain operational in the U.S.A. but also creates an ongoing demand for products being made in America right now. Most importantly, why can't America's national leaders help businesses in America to be more competitive by offering them long-term tax incentives to make doing business in America the best way to do business.

After 30 years of America being flooded by cheaper foreign imports, it's time for the American people to take charge of their own destiny and support the businesses and industries that are employing Americans. It's hard to understand how we allowed it to reach the point where 90% or more of products traditionally made in America are NOW being imported from overseas.

As we promote our 2015 theme "GROW JOBS IN AMERICA", I urge you to take the Buy American Made Challenge and direct all of your buying power in support of American workers from the point of production to the point of sale. Thanks for promoting our efforts! America Needs US!

2015 Theme "Grow AMERICA'S Economy"

Every year I ask supporters of the Buy American Made Campaign to promote a special theme. This year in conjunction with the panel of American Workers Radio you are asked to unite behind the theme "Grow America's Economy".

With this theme in mind, we urge you to go out of your way to support the private sector businesses manufacturing and selling products made in America so they will not only remain stable but also be able to grow and produce quality and competitive products in the U.S.A.

As we promote the theme "Grow America's Economy" it is also imperative that every American focus on EDUCATION and restoring vocational education programs in America's schools. By increasing vocational educational programs, "The Trades", in schools paid for with taxpayers dollars, students will have the opportunity to graduate with at least one career opportunity in addition to an academic diploma.

I am always concerned when I hear business leaders tell me that we don't have enough qualified students available for the types of jobs needed to expand industries in America, so we outsource manufacturing and other services around the world. This is difficult to hear, but in many cases, it is a fact, and I'm sure we all agree it's time to restore all vocational education programs "The Trades" in every school possible so that students not only have the ability to read, write and count, but also have the ability to list what trades they have been exposed to in junior high and high school. It's up to America's taxpayers to insist that the NEW long-term goal of EDUCATION in America should be preparing America's young people to enter the job market at graduation based on the education and guidance they received from America's schools. Help us support a NEW direction in America's schools by contacting your local school board and your local elected officials. If we contact those involved in making the decisions on what is being taught in America's schools, we will have more possibilities for positive changes and lasting results and more possibilities of restoring the 50/50 balance of what is made and sold in America.

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2015 Museum Raffle

Dear Members, Friends and Supporters,

Every year at this time the Polish American Cultural Center Museum Volunteers sponsor a fundraiser to benefit the operational expenses of the Museum Exhibit Hall, which welcomes thousands of tourists each year from across America and around the world during their visit to Historic Philadelphia.

Since its founding in 1988, the Museum has depended on its members and supporters for donations to maintain the Museum's Exhibit Hall located in the Heart of America's Most Historic Square Mile. The Exhibit Hall highlights Polish history, culture and pride and the accomplishments of Great Men and Women of Polish and Polish American Heritage. The Museum is also prominently listed on street signs, tourist maps, on Internet sites and in various publications, all made possible by our members and supporters.

At this time, we ask you to support our \$2015 Raffle. Tickets are \$10.00 each. The drawing takes place on Wednesday, April 15th, at 3 P.M., in the Museum (Winners do not need to be present). For your convenience, we have printed a ticket order form below.

For additional information, call the Museum, Monday through Friday, between 10 A.M. and 4 P.M., at: (215) 922-1700, or visit our Internet site: **PolishAmericanCenter.com.**

Thanks for your participation. We wish you good luck on April 15th!

Sincerely,
Board Members and Volunteers
Polish American Cultural Center Museum

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Wednesday April 15, 2015 - 3 P.M.

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Proceeds benefit Museum and Cultural Programs
Donation \$10.00. Winner need not be present.

Complete the below ticket order form and return it with your remittance.

Polish American Cultural Center \$2015 Raffle Request Form

Kindly send me (___) raffle ticket(s) at \$10 per ticket to:

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____

Make your check payable to: Polish American Cultural Center

I have enclosed \$ _____ for the tickets.

Upon receipt of your remittance, the ticket stub(s) will be completed with the above information and your portion of the stub will be mailed to you for your records.

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