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THE WHITE HOUSE
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****NEW DETAILS - MEDIA ADVISORY****

Vice President Biden to Travel to Indiana, Ohio on Monday

Washington, D.C. – On Monday, August 23rd, Vice President Biden will travel to Indianapolis, Indiana, and Toledo, Ohio.

In the morning, the Vice President will attend the Veterans of Foreign Wars 111th National Convention in Indianapolis. At 11:00 AM EDT, the Vice President will deliver remarks addressing the drawdown of U.S. troops in Iraq as we near the goal of ending our combat mission on August 31st, as well as our support for our troops in Iraq, Afghanistan, and throughout the world. The Vice President will also discuss the Administration's commitment to serving our veterans as well as they have served us. This event is open press.

In the afternoon, Vice President Biden will travel to Toledo, Ohio, for a Middle Class Task Force visit to the Chrysler Toledo Assembly Complex, which includes the main assembly plant producing the Jeep Wrangler and three of the plant's suppliers. At 3:00 PM EDT, the Vice President, Chair of the White House Middle Class Task Force, will deliver remarks about the success thus far of the Administration's actions to strengthen the American auto industry. The Vice President will be joined by Governor Ted Strickland, Senator Sherrod Brown, and Representative Marcy Kaptur.

The Vice President will emphasize the role of the Administration's investments in GM and Chrysler, as well as their suppliers, in helping these companies return to profitability, retain and hire workers, and keep plants open. These investments, along with the steps the Administration and Congress have taken with Cash for Clunkers and the Recovery Act, have not only strengthened the auto industry, but have stimulated economic activity and job growth across the country. This event is open press.

Additional media details are below.

Media Details:

Vice President Biden to address VFW Convention in Indianapolis, Indiana

Date: Monday, August 23, 2010

Location: Indiana Convention Center
100 South Capitol Ave
Indianapolis, IN 46225

Live truck parking: Sidewalk at the corner of Maryland Avenue and West Street

General press parking: Downtown parking garages

Press entrance: Main Entrance at corner of Maryland and Missouri Streets

Restricted access: 4:00 AM – 5:30 AM EDT

Camera pre-set: 5:30 AM EDT

Press arrival: 5:30 AM EDT

Final press access: 9:30 AM EDT

Event begins: 8:00 AM EDT

Remarks begin: 11:00 AM EDT

Cable run: 500 feet

Throw: 60 feet

RSVP: This event is OPEN PRESS, but media must RSVP with the NAME, MEDIA OUTLET, PHONE AND EMAIL for each person planning to cover the event to press@ovp.eop.gov, by Sunday, August 22nd, at 6:00 PM EDT. At the event, you will be required to wear your media credential at all times, either around the neck or pinned to clothing.

Press logistics contact: Catherine Welker, [REDACTED]

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Vice President Biden to visit Chrysler Toledo Assembly Complex in Toledo, Ohio

Date: Monday, August 23, 2010

Location: Chrysler Toledo Assembly Complex
4400 Chrysler Drive
Toledo, Ohio

Live truck parking: Main trucking entrance off of N. Expressway Drive. Will be escorted from that entrance (Linker House) to the parking lot.

General press parking: Main trucking entrance off of N. Expressway Drive. Will be escorted from that entrance (Linker House) to the parking lot.

Press entrance: Main trucking entrance off of N. Expressway Drive. Will be escorted from the Main Trucking entrance (Linker House) to the event site.

Camera pre-set: 9:00 AM – 9:30 AM EDT

Restricted access: 9:30 AM – 1:00 PM EDT

Press arrival: 1:00 PM EDT

Final press access: 2:15 PM EDT

Program begins: 2:30 PM EDT

Cable run: 650 feet

Throw: 60 feet

RSVP: This event is OPEN PRESS, but media must RSVP with the NAME, MEDIA OUTLET, PHONE AND EMAIL for each person planning to cover the event to press@ovp.eop.gov, by Sunday, August 22, at 6:00 PM EDT. At the event, you will be required to wear your media credential at all times, either around the neck or pinned to clothing.

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