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“To encourage, develop and maintain cooperation between mutual insurance companies and associations of Indiana by promoting and protecting the principles of mutuality, by encouraging and promoting reasonable and uniform enactment, interpretation and administration of insurance laws applicable to the membership; to keep the membership advised of all matters which will benefit this association, its members and the public; and to educate the membership on subjects of common interest.”

MICAI HISTORY

Founded in 1897 in the office of former Governor James A. Mount, MICAI has a proud history of service to mutual property and casualty companies throughout the state of Indiana and, indirectly, to their many thousands of policyholders. Membership currently includes multiple line companies, nearly 40 farm mutuals and several associate members, including reinsurers.

Through workshops, an annual convention, periodic bulletins and agent continuing education programs, MICAI maintains a strong program of educational subjects to keep the industry updated on a host of topics concerning both the property and casualty fields as well as safety and loss prevention. MICAI also participates in grassroots legislative activities at both the state and federal levels.

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