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Missouri Chamber honors Rep. John Diehl with 2014 Man in the Arena Award

JEFFERSON CITY – The Missouri Chamber of Commerce and Industry has recognized Rep. John Diehl with the 2014 Man in the Arena Award. The honor came during the Missouri Chamber's Annual Meeting and Awards Banquet held on Nov. 20 at the Chase Park Plaza in St. Louis.

The Man in the Arena Award recognizes one legislator who truly goes above and beyond to grow Missouri's economy.

"This year, Rep. Diehl was among the chief proponents for passing Missouri's first income tax reduction in nearly 100 years. Without his leadership, it may have been another century before our state saw this kind of tax relief," said Daniel P. Mehan, Missouri Chamber president and CEO. "For years, he has been one of Missouri's strongest advocates for pro-jobs legislation. The business community should look forward to more progress as he begins his service as Speaker of the House."

The Missouri Chamber of Commerce and Industry (www.mochamber.com) was founded in 1923 and is the largest business organization in Missouri, representing almost 3,000 employers, providing more than 425,000 jobs for Missourians.

Please see attached photo. From left: Dirck Clark, chairman of the Missouri Chamber Board of Directors and chief strategy officer for Mosaic Life Care; Rep. John Diehl; Dan Mehan, Missouri Chamber president and CEO.

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