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**GOVERNOR MITCH DANIELS TO LEAD INDIANA  
DELEGATION TO AICHI WORLD EXPO 2005**

**Nagakute – August 4, 2005.** Governor Mitch Daniels will lead the largest delegation of Hoosier business, government and academic representatives in state history on a visit to the Aichi World Expo 2005 and to the U.S. Pavilion on August 5, 2005.

“The U.S. Pavilion welcomes Governor Mitch Daniels and his delegation from the State of Indiana to World Expo 2005 as they meet with Japanese friends and explore additional business opportunities,” said Ambassador Lisa Gable U.S. Commissioner-General.

"Our large group reflects the diversity of the interests we share with Japan, particularly with the *monotsukure*, manufacturing culture of the Chubu region of Japan," said Governor Daniels. "More than 45,000 Hoosiers take great pride in their work for more than 200 Japan-invested companies in Indiana. It is a great pleasure to visit the World Expo and US Pavilion to expand our friendship with our many current and future Japanese business partners."

“Indiana Day” at the World Expo will feature a visit by Governor Daniels and the delegation, entertainment provided by groups from Indiana’s Japanese sister-state, Tochigi Prefecture, and display of an IndyCar.

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