

HiSAN and Toyota donate \$10,000 to Hospice of Knox County



Left to right: Vicki Anelick Carney, HR Manager, HiSAN; U.S. Representative Bob Ney; Eric M. Carroll, Plant Manager, HiSAN; Kristina Leiter, RNC Executive, Hospice of Knox County; Jim Wiseman, Vice President, Toyota Motor Manufacturing North America, Inc.

U.S. Representative Bob Ney attended HiSAN's Community Connection celebration on July 18, 2005 at their facility in Mount Vernon, Ohio. HiSAN and Toyota announced a \$10,000 gift to Hospice of Knox County.

"Hospices around the country have provided invaluable care to thousands of terminally-ill patients and their families, and we are fortunate to have the Hospice of Knox County in our area," said U.S. Rep Bob Ney. "I cannot think of a better organization to receive this very generous donation from HiSAN Mt. Vernon and Toyota and I thank the Hospice, HiSAN and Toyota for doing their part to make Knox County a better place to live for its citizens."

HiSAN Plant Manager Eric Carroll said, "Part of HiSAN's mission is to be 'a company where people work hard, are dedicated, have fun, celebrate each others success, and care about the community'. It's an honor that we could join our efforts with Toyota to support both our mission and a well-respected local organization such as Hospice, which is dedicated to providing needed services at a time when people need it most."

HiSAN is a joint venture of ITT Industries and Sanoh Industrial Co., Ltd., both recognized for innovative automotive products. The HiSAN Mt. Vernon plant supplies nylon fuel tank jumper lines and fuel tank vent hoses for Toyota. HiSAN's global network of industry-leading technology, engineering, and production enables HiSAN to develop fluid handling solutions that are highly competitive in terms of price, not just performance. The Mt. Vernon plant began in 1993, and has been a Toyota supplier since 1995. HiSAN has achieved ISO 14001 and ISO 9002 certification at all plants, and won the 2001 Toyota Quality Award and 2001 NUMMI Triple Crown Award.



Plant Manager Eric Carroll answers questions from US Rep Bob Ney and Toyota Vice President Jim Wiseman during plant tour.