



Michigan Pest Control Association

January 12, 2009

Dear Members:

I hope everyone is having a Happy New Year. The 2009 MPCA Winter Meeting is fast approaching, don't miss the early registration deadline of January 30, 2009. Also hotel rooms need to be booked by January 18, 2009, to receive MPCA's group rate. During the General Membership meeting, two important issues will be discussed. One being changing the name of the Michigan Pest **Control** Association to The Michigan Pest **Management** Association. The next issue concerns updating the by-laws section 1, article 5. The article currently reads:

LIFE MEMBERSHIP: An individual who has been the authorized representative of an active member may upon retirement from the industry be eligible for life membership. Life membership is conferred after recommendation by a majority of the Board of Directors, and approved by two-thirds of the members present at the next General Membership Meeting. Life members shall not be liable for dues or assessments.

With the proposed changes it will read:

LIFE MEMBERSHIP: An individual who has been the authorized representative of an active member and upon discretion of the board of directors may be eligible for life time membership. Life membership is conferred after recommendation by a majority of the Board of Directors, and approved by two-thirds of the members present at the next General Membership meeting. Life members shall not be liable for dues or assessments.

Both of these issues will be voted on at the General Membership meeting. Hope to see everyone there.

Sincerely,
Bill Welsh
MPCA President