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AMSA Elects New Chair, Officers and Board Members

HEAD OF ONE OF THE NATION'S LARGEST INDEPENDENT MOVERS ELECTED TO LEAD AMSA



Glen Dunkerson, AMSA's immediate past chair, passes the gavel to J.D. Morrisette, president of Interstate Van Lines.

J.D. Morrisette, president of Interstate Van Lines, based near Washington, D.C., was elected the new chair of AMSA, succeeding Glen Dunkerson, chair and CEO of Atlas World Group in Evansville, Ind., who remains immediate past chair. In honor of Dunkerson's service as chair, AMSA made a generous donation on his behalf to the United Way of Southwestern Indiana.

"AMSA is fighting for us every day, in the halls of Congress and in the offices of federal agencies. Each of us can play a critical role in supporting that fight by becoming an advocate for our business and industry," said Morrisette. "I personally can attribute a great deal

of our company's success to our involvement with AMSA."

NEW OFFICERS

Vice chair: Katrina Blackwell, president of American Red Ball World Wide Movers, Indianapolis, Ind.

Secretary: Bill Paxton, COO and treasurer of The Paxton Cos., based near Washington, D.C.

Treasurer: Barry Vaughn, president and CEO of The Suddath Cos., Jacksonville, Fla.

Executive committee members: Jack Griffin, CEO and vice chair for Atlas World Group, Evansville, Ind.

Mark Kirschner, CEO of Wheaton | Bekins, Indianapolis, Ind.

Subsequent to this election, Blackwell resigned her officer position due to her company's acquisition by Interstate.

NEW ADDITIONS TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Brian Ferguson, president of IGC Software, Reynoldsburg, Ohio.

A.J. Schneider, executive vice president of Wheaton | Bekins, Indianapolis.

Wes Stewart, president of Stewart Moving & Storage, Midlothian, Va. ■