## LEHMAN BUSINESS SERVICES, LLC

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Owner: A. Richard Lehman

Lehman Business Services, LLC is a consulting company that specializes in Government Affairs, Sales and Marketing Problem Solving, Strategic and Long Range Planning, Management Consulting, and Advice and Council on Business Issues.

## A. Richard Lehman Biography:

Rich Lehman started Lehman Business Services, LLC after a successful career as Vice President of Sales, Marketing, and Government Affairs positions with the Edw. C. Levy Co. (1996-2008) and senior management positions with Graftech Inc (1972-1996) (formerly Union Carbide). At the Edw. C. Levy Co., Lehman was responsible for Marketing and Sales of Aggregate products, and managing the Levy trucking companies in Southeast Michigan. The Edw. C. Levy Co. was the leading producer of Construction Aggregates and Blast Furnace and Steel Furnace Slag Aggregates in Michigan. Mr. Lehman was actively involved with the Michigan's asphalt and concrete pavers in their Michigan projects. Prior to joining Levy, Lehman was employed by Graftech Inc. Parma, Ohio. Graftech was a global leader in the production and sales of Carbon and Graphite Products.

In Michigan's heavy construction industry, Lehman was an active leader in the successful campaign to increase Michigan transportation funding (gas tax) in 1997. He was an industry leader in many organizations and industry associations. He served on the Board of Directors for the Michigan Chamber of Commerce; Board of Directors of the Michigan Concrete Paving Association; Trustee in National Stone Sand and Gravel Association's AFTRE (Aggregate Foundation Trust for Research and Education); Advisory Board of ICAR (International Center for Aggregate Research); Steering Committee Michigan Transportation Team; Board of Directors Michigan Road Builders Association; Board of Directors MiTA (Michigan Infrastructure Transportation Association); Board of Directors ARTBA (American Road and Transportation Builders Association); and Technical Advisory Board for Michigan Tech University Aggregate Research Center. In 2000, Michigan Governor John Engler appointed Lehman to the Citizens Advisory Committee on Transportation. In 2008, the Michigan Infrastructure Transportation Association honored Lehman by making him the first recipient of their LIFE MEMBER AWARD for "...years of outstanding leadership and dedication to the promotion and advancement of the heavy construction industry".

Lehman has a BS Electrical Engineering and an MS Engineering Management Degrees from the University of Missouri-Rolla. He lives with his wife Marlene in Brooksville, Florida and has two grown children.