Indiana Vegetable Growers Association Annual Report November 30, 2013

Membership. IVGA had 112 regular and 13 corporate paid members in 2013, up about 5% from last year.

Web Site. The website remains at ivga.org.

Arrangements with Other Organizations. In 2013 Meister Publishing offered a one-year subscription to American Vegetable Grower magazine at no charge to IVGA members.

Gifts and Grants.

IVGA donated \$1000 to Mid America Food Processors Association to support efforts of the Save our Crops Coalition.

IVGA issued a call for proposals in late 2012, received two proposals, and voted to fund the following with a gift of \$1,000:

• *"Listeria monocytogenes* persistence and movement in cantaloupe plants and fruit" Amanda Deering and Haley Oliver, Food Science, Purdue

Indiana Horticultural Congress. IVGA co-sponsored the 2013 Indiana Horticultural Congress with Purdue University and other producer organizations. IVGA provided financial services and assisted with planning the vegetable program.