

**Welcome to the 2011
Indiana Environmental Health Summit**

**Air Quality
and Public Health**

A vibrant landscape featuring a lush green field in the foreground and a bright blue sky with scattered white clouds in the background. The text is centered in the sky area.

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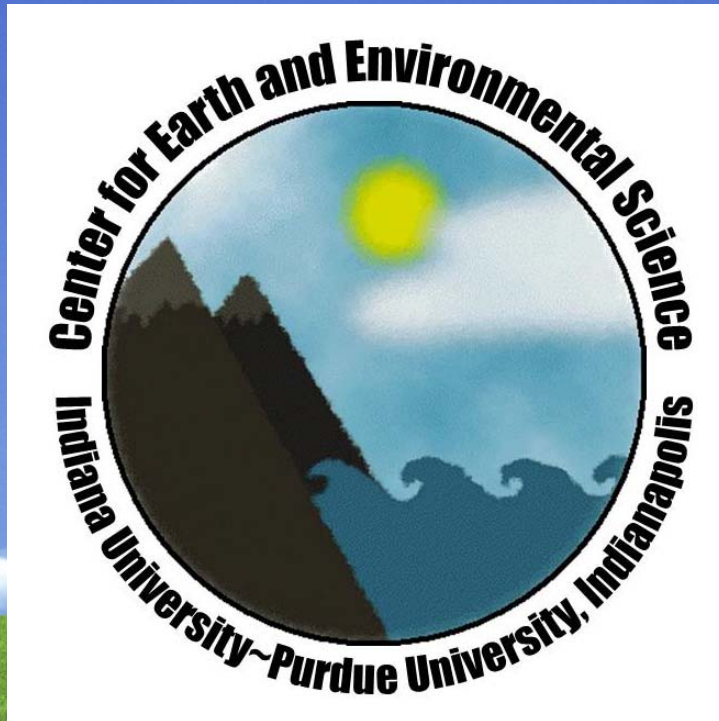


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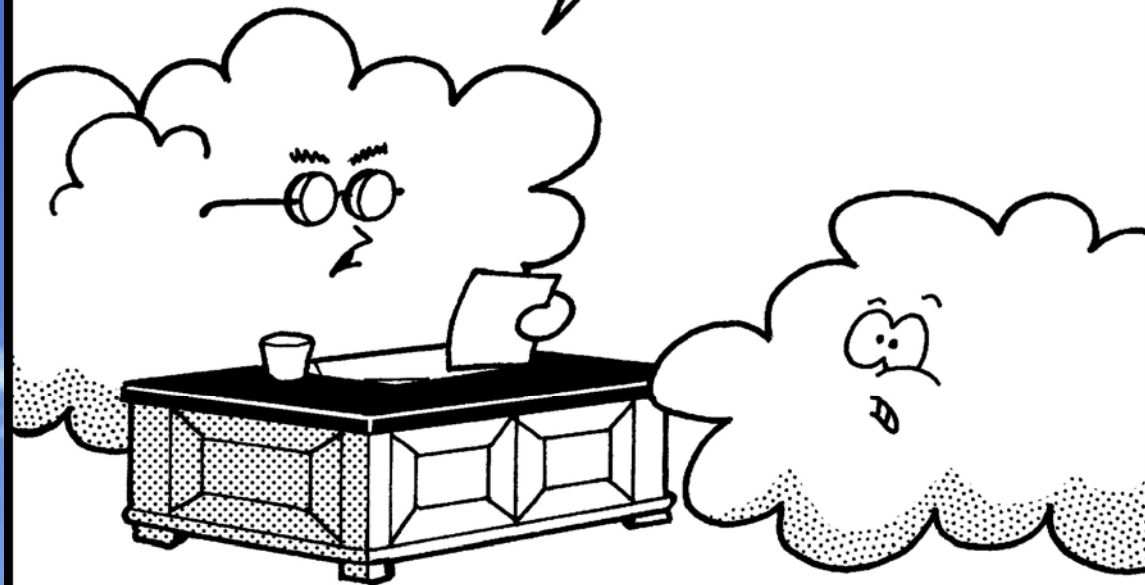
Top 5 Complaints to IDEM - 2010

1. Open burning
2. Odors from various sources
3. Open dumping
4. Fugitive dust
5. Odors from farming activities

Air Pollution...

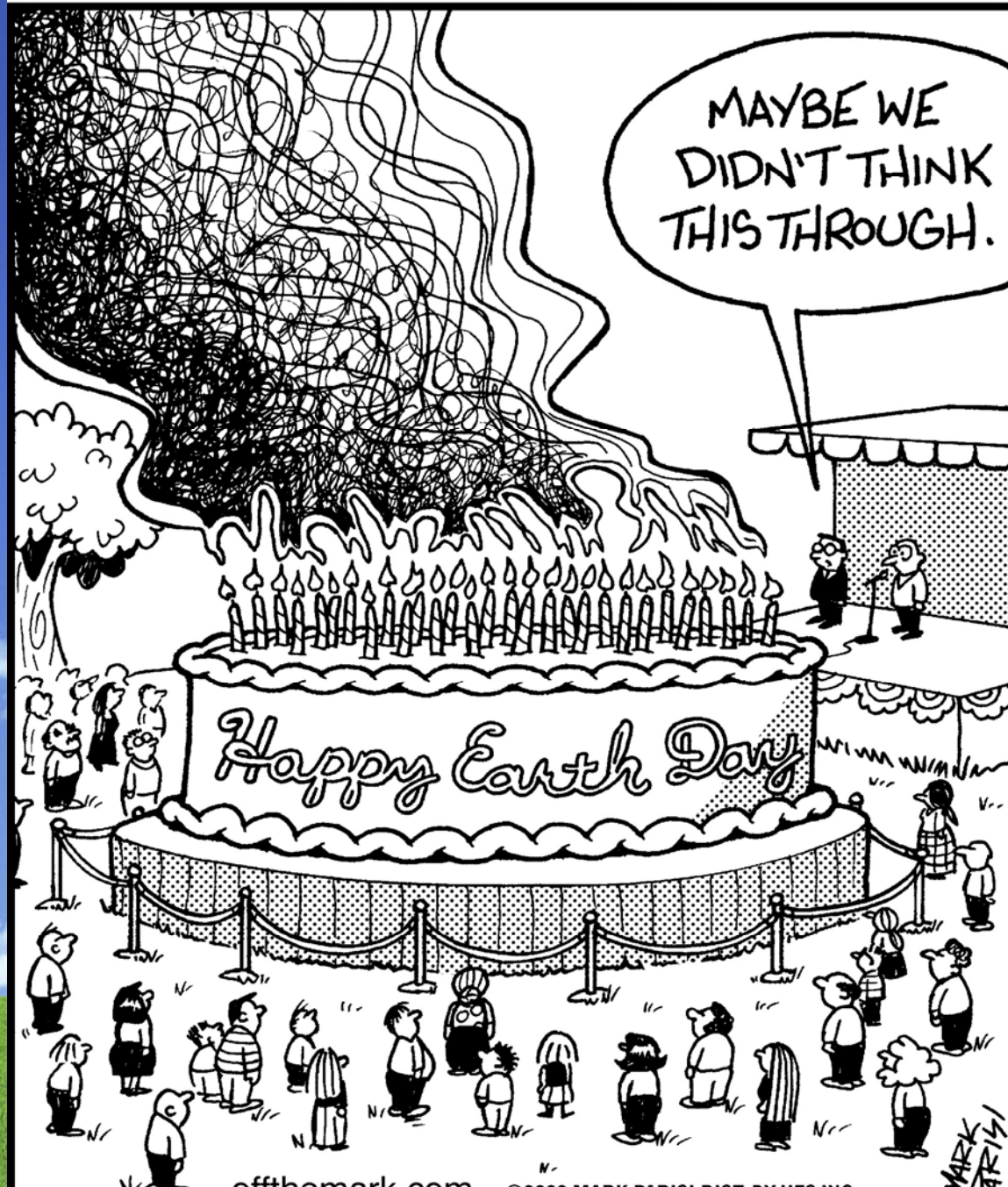
- Contributes to cancer, heart disease, neurological damage, birth defects, asthma attacks and premature death.

COLLINS, THE RESULTS ARE BACK
AND THERE WERE TRACES OF
ACID IN YOUR RAIN...



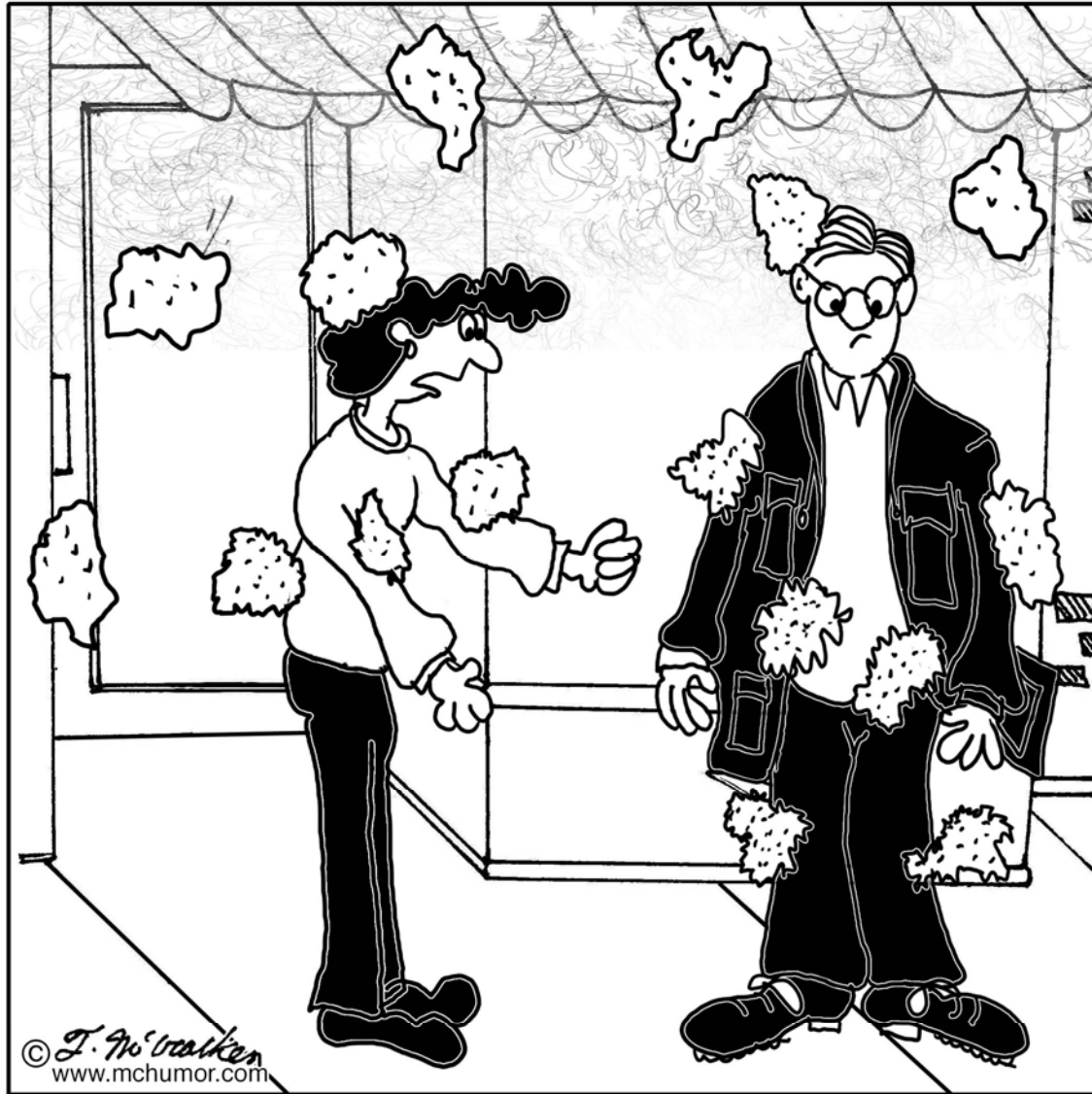
Effects of Mercury

- Mercury affects the developing nervous system of fetuses and small children, causing damage to cognitive thinking, memory, attention and language -- meaning **life-long loss of intelligence**



Asthma in Indiana

- Asthma is the third leading cause of hospitalization in Indiana among children under the age of 17 years.



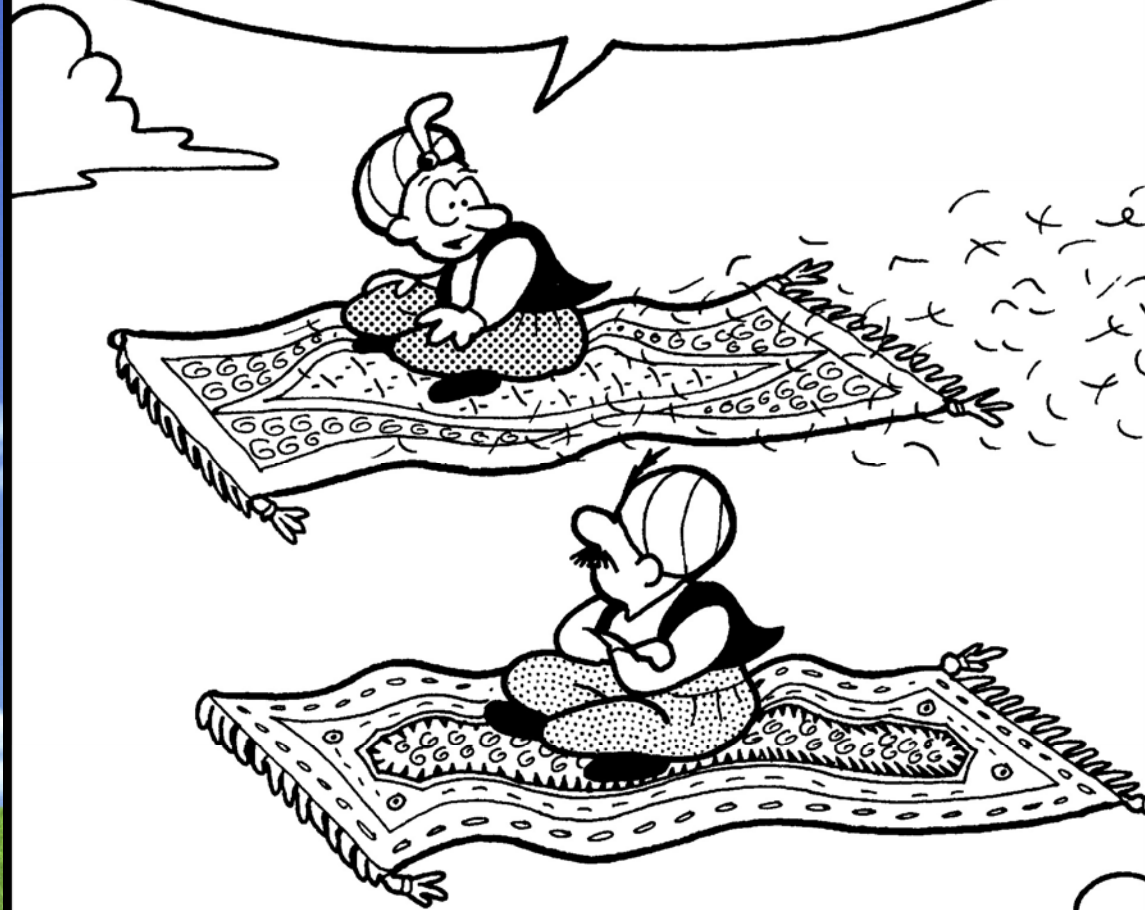
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“Do the particulates in the air
seem extra large today?”

In Indiana...

- There were more than 31,000 emergency department visits related to asthma in 2009 – an increase of nearly 3,000 (9.8%) from 2008.

THE BEST THING ABOUT BEING
A CAT OWNER IS I NEVER
GET TAILGATED...



Thank You to Our Planning Committee

- Gabriel Filippelli
 - Indra Frank
 - Stephen Jay
 - Cortnee Martin
 - David McSwane
 - Jodi Perras
- Richard Van Frank
 - Kathryn Watson
 - Julie Zimmer