Later today, I’ll join President Donald Trump, Energy Secretary Rick Perry, Interior Secretary Ryan Zinke and Environmental Protection Agency Administrator Scott Pruitt for an “Energy Week” event at the Department of Energy headquarters here in Washington, D.C.

President Trump is expected to give a speech on American energy independence and “dominance.” This is the kind of leadership manufacturers want to see.

Access to affordable, reliable and diverse energy sources is essential to growing manufacturing in the United States. It’s about more than keeping the lights on; it’s about powering the heart of the American economy.

Manufacturing accounts for roughly one-third of all the energy consumed in the United States. If you make energy more abundant, you make it easier for companies of all sizes to expand their operations in the United States—and to hire more workers. **There is a direct line between American energy access—or “dominance,” as the president puts it—and creating new jobs for Americans.**

Over the years, manufacturers have produced the innovative new technologies that have allowed us to harness new sources of energy—and to improve our
lead the world in the development and deployment of all these energy forms.

Learn more about manufacturers’ energy agenda [here].
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