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Dear ,

Today we released some of the biggest news our organization has ever had! **We have acquired the Indianapolis Marathon, and the merger will take effect on December 1, 2015.** In short, this is a huge step forward for our organization and our growth towards being a national destination marathon in Indianapolis.

What does it mean for you?

- 1) Both events remain unchanged in 2015
- 2) In 2016, the Indianapolis Marathon will become the Indianapolis Half Marathon and take place on Saturday, October 8th, 2016 with a Half Marathon and 5k only
- 3) The IMM will continue to operate as a Marathon, Half Marathon, 5k and Kids Fun Run on the first Saturday of November in 2016.

Want to learn more? Our Executive Director, Blake Boldon, has all the details:



What does the acquisition mean?

[To read our full press release and all the details, click here.](#)

Want to read more of the buzz? See what the experts are saying:

Ray Steel of 93.1 WIBC announced [he's running his first full marathon at the IMM in an article following a radio segment. \(Click to Read\)](#)

Track and Field expert, David Woods, also [covered the story in the Indy Star \(Click to read\).](#)

Are you registered? We're quickly approaching sellouts in both the marathon *and* half marathon! **The marathon is at nearly 90% and the half marathon is nearly at three quarters full!** Don't miss your spot!


 [\*\*Register for November\*\*](#)

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