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Jim Kendzel, MPH, CAE currently serves as the Vice President, Advocacy for the American Supply Association (ASA). ASA is the leading trade association in the U.S. representing wholesalers/distributors, manufacturers and manufacture representatives in the plumbing and industrial pipe/valve/fitting markets. Prior to coming to ASA, Jim served as the Executive Director and CEO of the American Society of Plumbing Engineers (ASPE), the Executive Director for the Institute for Credentialing Excellence and the Senior Vice President, Administration at NSF International.

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