



WEST CENTRAL FLORIDA
SAFETY ALLIANCE

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MEETING NOTES

July 17, 2009, 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM at
Tampa Area Safety Council

*Our thanks to Patty Fernandez with TASC for the meeting room
and to Joan Spencer with OSHA – Tampa Office, for lunch.*

ATTENDEES:

Patty Fernandez	Anthony Rosa	Joan Spencer	Robert Miller
Greg Spears	Joe Halle	Jodie Ciccareillo	Ryan Little
John Wells	Ernie Harben	Dottie Williams	Roger Badcock
Carl York	Luke Vaughn	Jim Ulseth	Sandi Potts

OLD BUSINESS:

1. WEB SITE – Ernie Harben

- a. Home page has been updated for this meeting (and will be updated for the next meeting).
- b. No activity on adding links to public / agency safety sites.
- c. Ernie to verify the Web Support Service agreement.
- d. Ernie to have the September 23rd Fleet Safety class added to the Events section.
- e. Ernie to e-mail Carl York with the web service contact information.

2. RESOURCE GUIDE – Carl York

- a. The content has been developed and is ready for posting on the web site.
- b. Carl will get with the web service to have it added.
- c. Anyone who wants to be listed in the Resource Guide should e-mail him at carl.york.CTR@macdill.af.mil with the following information:
 - i. Name
 - ii. Firm's Name
 - iii. Phone Number
 - iv. E-Mail address
 - v. The category you want to be listed in (list all that apply)

3. SAFETY DAY

- a. Jodie Ciccareillo of SPI offered WCFSA a table at their vendor expo and a room for our business meeting at the Safety Products Inc. Safety Conference in 2011. Jodie also offered to let us provide a couple of free presentations on safety topics at their Conference.
- b. The WCFSA agreed to partner with SPI instead of organizing our own independent Safety Day.

4. WCFSA SHIRTS – Jody Ciccarello

- a. Email Jody at jjiccarello@spisafety.com to order your WCFSA embroidered shirt.

5. FLEET SAFETY PROGRAM – Joan Spencer

- a. A FREE Seminar on Commercial and Non-commercial Fleet, Vehicle and Driver Safety is scheduled for September 23rd at the Tampa Area Safety Council office as part of the Safety Council's alliance with OSHA.
- b. Topics will include: DOT Regulations, Operations, Maintenance, Training, and Incident / Accident Response.
- c. Some Fleet Safety "tools" will be handed out.
- d. Next Fleet Safety sub-committee teleconference call will be August 13th at 2:00 PM; Ernie will send out notification to the sub-committee members.

6. BUILDING CONTRACTORS' SAFETY ALLIANCE

- a. Ryan Little with Bovis Lend Lease is helping to form a local alliance of contractors to help insure safe worksites.
- b. For more information or to join an alliance in your area, please e-mail Ryan at Ryan.Little@bovisleadlease.com

7. GUEST SPEAKER

Joan Spencer arranged to have two speakers from the Hillsborough County Health Department. Ryan Pedigo and Steve Huand provided an excellent presentation regarding the pandemic H1N1 influenza virus covering stats on confirmed cases, vaccines and how the virus threatens all of us personally and professionally. Recommendations to avoid contamination were: frequent hand washing using soap & water; cover your mouth with your arm when you sneeze or cough; sanitize door knobs/handles, stair rails and chairs on a consistent basis.

8. NEXT MEETING

- a. August 21st, 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM **(Location TBA)**
- b. Business meeting: 11:00 AM – Noon
- c. Guest speaker**(TBA)**: Noon to 1:00 PM
- d. **Bring your own lunch.** Patty Fernandez will provide ice and soft drinks; Carl York will bring dessert.

(Notes respectfully submitted by WCFSA Co-Chair, Ernie Harben)