



ABC Committee Meeting Minutes

May 18, 2009

11:00am ABC Office

In Attendance:

Richard McCormack- JC Glass
Jimm Cooper- Ref- Chem
Terry Nadir- Teal Construction
Russell Hamley- ABC
Sandy DeKeyser- ABC
Jim Shelton - OSHA
Ralph Riley- S&B Engineers & Constructors
Chris Walker- Turner Industries

David Doucet - OSHA
Keith Coulter – Andrews, Myers, Coulter & Hayes
Gary Grant- Accurate Air Systems
Mark Jumper – Performance Insulation Cont.
Brian Redmond- Jacobs
Steve Satterly – Burton Construction
Rhonda Mitchell – Aggregate Technologies
John Johnson- JMP & Associates, LLC

New Business:

- OSHA Partnership – All of the STEP Applicants will be called to participate in the partnership the goal is to have 12 by September 1st.
- Brown Bag Topics – A calendar and a list of topics were discussed for the remainder of the year. June meeting topic will be presented by Keith Coulter with Andrews, Myers, Coulter & Hayes on OSHA Investigations and lunch will be hosted by Richard McCormack with JC Glass. See attached list for topics that still need presenters.
- Build Houston Articles – John Johnson with JMP will be doing an article on equipment faults, there have been some incidences where inspections are not being conducted on stick lifts and boom lifts.

Company Incident Reports

- The committee discussed Company incident reports:
 - Minor First Aid
 - Near misses
 - 1st recordable ever for one company in Canton, Ohio.
 - A major accident happened in the Medical Center that resulted in death and is now being investigated by OSHA.

OSHA Update

- Fatalities for 2009 in Houston area are at a higher level, as of 5/1 there were 38 over last year's 21 in the south office. Check the website for new quick cards and fact sheets just released. You may now find OSHA on military facilities and any sites that contain Industrial Hygiene Components will be watched by OSHA.

Old Business:

- Safety Stand Down – several companies participated
- Safety Survey – Will be reviewed and corrected to meet our contractor's needs by the task force (Jim Johnson, Ralph Riley & John Brightwell) and brought to the June meeting.
- Construction Expo – date has been set for October 21st at the Pasadena Convention Center.

Next Meeting will be Monday, June 29th at the ABC Office at 11:00am