

## **MEMBERSHIP MINUTE**

#### **GHS Reminder**

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# Motor Vehicle Safety in the 1960s

In the 1960s, many advancements were made towards vehicle and driver safety. The National Safety Council introduced the first Defensive Driving courses, seat belt installations became mandatory, and the U.S. Department of Transportation was founded.

Along with these improvements, the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 was put in place to help reduce not only crashes, but the number of deaths and injuries that resulted from traffic crashes. This Act provided a coordinated national safety program and helped establish new safety standards in vehicles. In the years following, vehicles were built with improved safety features, highways were made safer, and the enforcement of new traffic laws helped to change driver and passenger behaviors.

Today, the Utah Safety Council offers a variety of Defensive Driving courses to help meet your safety needs on the road. See our website for a full list of classes.

# About Our Staff

Brandee Sommer began working at the Utah Safety Council in 2002. She has held several positions and is currently our Vice President of Operations. Brandee is a strong leader and a great example to our staff.

When not at work, Brandee enjoys spending time with her family, especially her nieces and nephew, and is expecting a new addition to her family soon.

Brandee is committed to seeing the Utah Safety Council continue to grow with new opportunities. Please reach out to her with questions at **bsommer**@utahsafetycouncil.org.



# Emergency Medical Services in the 1960s

The development of the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) System began during the 1960s. Until that point, the local undertaker transported victims of emergencies in a hearse, receiving only a ride without any medical treatment. Eventually, the "Ambulance Attendant" was replaced by an Emergency Medical Technician (EMT).

As a relatively new profession, EMS has seen a tremendous change in the past 50 years. Advancements made in medicine have improved the guality of care to the critically ill or injured patients in a pre-hospital setting.



National EMS Week is celebrated May 15-21, where communities come together to honor the dedication of those who provide the day-to-day lifesaving services of medicine's "front line." This month we would like to honor two of our FMT instructors.

Golden Barrett has served as a professional firefighter and EMT for over 17 years. He is currently the Training Specialist for Hill Air Force Base Fire Department. With 12 years of instructing emergency care courses, Golden has been teaching for the Utah Safety Council for over five years.

Brandon Woods started teaching for the Utah Safety Council one year ago. He has served as a professional firefighter and EMT for over 18 years. He is currently with the Ogden Fire Department, and has been teaching emergency care courses for 12 years.

We are proud to have knowledgeable EMS professionals as instructors for the Utah Safety Council. Thank you for all you do in the communities you serve and for us at the Utah Safety Council.





Council is encouraging everybody to Take Safety Home!

This free booklet was created to highlight the top five leading causes of unintentional home injury deaths: poisoning, falls, choking, drowning, and burns.

Order the newly updated Take Safety Home booklets online or contact Brittany Pitcher at 801.746.SAFE (7233) or email bpitcher@ utahsafetycouncil.org.

# **ONLINE** DEFENSIVE DRIVING



Before your drivers take to the roads, protect them and your company with our Defensive Driving Course (DDC) Online.

For more information, or to purchase user IDs, gram Manager at 801.746.**SAFE** (7233) or email iwilliams@utahsafetycouncil.org.







# Fire Extinguishers: From the Middle Ages to Today

Although fire extinguishers appear to be a modern invention, they have been helping people fight fires since the Middle Ages. From squirting pumps used in the 1666 Great London Fire all the way to our modern-day red cylinders, the fire extinguisher has gone through many changes in design.

By the 1960s, fire extinguishers had developed into small, dry chemical units made for use at home. Further advancements were made with the invention of the chemical Super-K in the early 1960s. A few years later, the US Navy came out with Purple K, which is now considered the second most effective dry chemical for fighting flammable liquid fires.

To learn how to operate a fire extinguisher and gain hands-on experience with our live fire simulator, attend our Fire Extinguisher course on:

## May 27<sup>th</sup> | 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Or contact Nicala Wood, our Occupational Safety Program Manager, to schedule an onsite training today!



## **Safety Certificate Courses**



- Safety Inspections: May 3
- Job Safety Analysis: July 11



- OSHA 10-Hour Outreach Course for the Construction Industry: May 9-10
- Machine Guarding: May 12
- Fire Protection: June 1



- Workplace Violence Planning & Management: May 2
- First Aid, CPR and AED for Business: May 18, June 8
- Fire Extinguisher Training: May 27

# Helping You Implement Safety in Your Facility

By individually matching our safety consultants to each organization, our consulting program allows us to help companies implement safety as never done before.

Call us today for a quote at 801.746.SAFE (7233)

# **MSHA News Update:**

MSHA 24-Hour Surface and 32-Hour Underground Training now include First Aid, CPR and AED certification.

Beginning April 1st, new pricing for these MSHA programs has taken effect: 24-Hour Surface Training is \$275, and 32-Hour Underground Training is \$375.



For more information, contact Sara Hernandez at 801.746.SAFE (7233) or email shernandez@utahsafetycouncil.org.







## Product Picks

#### **GHS Made Easier Handbook**



This handbook gives employees critical HazCom and GHS information to better ensure safety around hazardous chemicals.

Handbook Price: \$7.39

## How do you motivate and encourage vour staff?

Let us make your job easy with our "Serious about Safety" mugs.

You can even personalize our incentive mugs with your company logo!



#### Give Your Company the Power to Save a Life



Sudden Cardiac Arrest is the number one cause of death in the United States.

Prompt External Defibrillation with an Automated External Defibrillator (AED) is the known treatment for Sudden Cardiac Arrest. Is your company prepared?

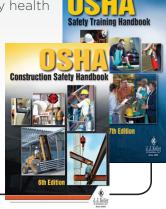
Give us a call for pricing information.

#### **OSHA Safety Training Handbooks**

Helping you review key health and safety topics!

Handbooks available for General Industry and Construction.

Price: \$10.50



## **NOW AVAILABLE**

2016 OSHA Manuals for **General or Construction Industry** 

Product # OSHA1910 (General Industry) OSHA1926 (Construction Industry)

Member: \$35.00 | Non-Member: \$45.00 \*plus shipping

Compliance is made easier with these comprehensive manuals. Use the Quick-Find Index in the manual to quickly and easily access the information you need.



## **Be Prepared**

Basic First Aid Kit

Member: \$35 | Non-Member: \$50

Deluxe First Aid Kit

Member: \$60 | Non-Member: \$75



For more information, or to place an order for any of the products listed above, please give our office a call at 801.746.SAFE (7233) or email safety@utahsafetycouncil.org.



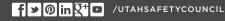


# Are you getting the most out of your benefits?

The highlighted classes listed below could be FREE based on your membership level! For more information, please contact Sadee at spistoia@ utahsafetycouncil.org or by calling 801.746.SAFE (7233).

Date	May Courses	Member Discounted Price
May 2	Workplace Violence Management and Planning Course	\$52. <sup>50</sup>
May 3	Contractor Safety Orientation (UITC)	\$75
May 3	Safety Inspections	\$252
May 5	Forklift Trainer Certification Course	\$560
May 6	First Aid Instructor Update	FREE
May 9	MSHA 8-Hour Annual Training for Experienced Metal/Non-Metal Surface Mir	ners \$75
May 9-10	OSHA 10-Hour Outreach for the Construction Industry	\$95
May 10	Contractor Safety Orientation (UITC)	\$75
May 11	Qualified Signal Rigger	\$203
May 11-14	MSHA 32-Hour Training for New/Inexperienced Underground Miners	\$375
May 11-13	MSHA 24-Hour Training for New/Inexperienced Metal/Non-Metal Surface Mi	ners \$275
May 12	Machine Guarding: OSHA Compliance Series	\$112
May 13	MSHA 8-Hour Annual Training for Experienced Underground Miners	\$75
May 16	MSHA 8-Hour Annual Training for Experienced Metal/Non-Metal Surface Mir	ners \$75
May 17	Contractor Safety Orientation (UITC)	\$75
May 18	First Aid, CPR and AED for Business	\$63
May 20	2 <sup>nd</sup> Annual Crazy Pants Golf Tournament	\$125
May 23	MSHA 8-Hour Annual Training for Experienced Metal/Non-Metal Surface Mir	ners \$75
May 24	Increasing Employee Involvement: Breakfast Safety Seminar	FREE
May 25-27	MSHA 24-Hour Training for New/Inexperienced Metal/Non-Metal Surface Mi	ners \$275
May 27	Fire Extinguisher Training	\$45
Date	June Courses	Member Discounted Price
June 1	Fire Protection: OSHA Compliance Series	\$112
June 1-3	First Aid, CPR and AED Instructor Course	\$371
June 6	MSHA 8-Hour Annual Training for Experienced Metal/Non-Metal Surface Mir	ners \$75
June 7	Contractor Safety Orientation (UITC)	\$75
June 8	First Aid, CPR and AED for Business	\$63
June 8-10	MSHA 24-Hour Training for New/Inexperienced Metal/Non-Metal Surface Mi	ners \$275
June 9	Office Ergonomics	\$101.50
June 13	MSHA 8-Hour Annual Training for Experienced Metal/Non-Metal Surface Mir	ners \$75
June 13	Focus Four Hazards in Construction   New for 2016	\$105
June 14	Traffic Safety Management Seminar	FREE

Courses held at the Utah Safety Council Training Center, 1574 West 1700 South, Salt Lake City. Register online at UTAHSAFETYCOUNCIL.ORG or by calling our office at 801.746.SAFE (7233). See complete course list online.





1574 West 1700 South Salt Lake City, UT 84104

#### ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED

Just a reminder: our mailing address has recently changed (not our location). We're no longer living the "suite" life. See updated address above.



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## **Your Membership Benefits**

- Streaming Safety Videos
- Safety Media Library
- Members Only Website
- NETS Membership
- OSHA 10-Hour
- First Aid, CPR and AED for Business Course
- Defensive Driving Live Course
- Member Appreciation Events
- Breakfast Safety Seminars
- Discounts on Occupational Safety Training
- Health & Safety Fair Participation
- Family Safety & Health Magazine
- Monthly Publications and Email Updates
- Annual Awards & Luncheon Banquet
- Membership Recognition on Website
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