

SAFETY COUNCIL
OF THE OZARKS

2010 OZARKS CORPORATE SAFETY AWARD

HONORING ARKANSAS & MISSOURI EMPLOYERS
ACHIEVING SAFETY AND HEALTH EXCELLENCE

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS July 30, 2010
Award winners must agree to attend the Award
Lunch on September 23, 2010.

WHY APPLY?

Benchmark: The process of applying requires your organization to benchmark where you have been, where you are, and where you are headed. It can be used as an opportunity to evaluate your current situation, your prospects, and progress.

Prestige: Award winners have used the Corporate Safety Award to promote their organization and products in their internal communication, marketing material, web site, sales presentations and publicity.

Morale Booster: Many winners of these awards cite their workers as deserving the majority of the credit for the award. Many winning organizations use the award as an opportunity to show appreciation to their associates for a job well done.

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Making our World Safer®

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AWARD CATEGORIES

LES REYNOLDS COMMITMENT TO EXCELLENCE AWARD

This award was established to honor Les Reynolds, founder of the Safety Council of the Ozarks, who was committed to Making Our World Safer. The Les Reynolds Commitment to Excellence Award was established to recognize those who worked to make the world safer and is the highest regional award presented by the Safety Council of the Ozarks.

The criteria is based on the Experience Modifier, the Total Case Injury and Illness Rate (TCIIR) and the Days Away Restriction Transfer (DART). An average of the most recent three calendar years will be compared to the average industry rate. The company with the largest percent difference between their industry average and their internal record will be recognized with this award.

A winner will be selected from each category listed to the right.

AWARD CATEGORY	TOTAL MAN HOURS WORKED PER COMPANY
Category I	20,000–50,000 hours
Category II	50,001–100,000 hours
Category III	100,001–200,000 hours
Category IV	200,001+ hours

OZARKS REGIONAL SAFETY EXCELLENCE AWARD

The Ozarks Regional Safety Excellence Award will be presented to those companies that strive to provide a culture of safety at their workplace. The criteria for this award is based on the Total Case Injury and Illness Rate (TCIIR) and Days Away Restriction Transfer (DART). The average of the most recent three calendar years will be compared to the average industry rate. The top four companies with the largest percent difference between their industry average and their internal record will receive this award.

SAFETY CHAMPION AWARD

Do you have a Safety Champion in your company? Someone who always practices safety, puts their training to use and motivates others to be safe? In one page, tell us why you feel they should be recognized and submit your entry to the Safety Council by the award deadline.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

ELIGIBILITY:

Applicants must be a member of the Safety Council of the Ozarks or located in the Safety Council service area. To confirm that you are a member or located in the service area, contact the Safety Council at 1-800-334-1349 or info@nscozarks.org.

Divisions of corporations may submit a separate application for each facility if they can certify that:

- They operate in a separate location.
- Have a distinct line of business identity for the division.
- Are managed independently from other divisions of their corporate parent for safety and loss control (i.e. independent procedures and programs for safety).

AWARDS PRESENTATION: Award winners will be announced during an awards lunch at the 24th Annual Safety and Health Conference of the Ozarks. All award winners must agree to attend the Awards Lunch on Thursday, September 23, 2010, noon to 2:00 p.m., Hilton Convention Center, Branson, Missouri.

JUDGES: A panel of safety and health professionals will judge application papers.

APPLICATIONS: Application forms should be sent to: Safety Council of the Ozarks, ATTN: Debora Biggs, 1111 S. Glenstone, Springfield, MO 65804 or fax to 1-417-869-2133. Applications may also be submitted online at www.nascozarks.org.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: All applications must be received by the Safety Council of the Ozarks no later than July 30, 2010. Late entries will not be accepted.

ANY OTHER QUESTIONS? For more information or to receive additional application forms, contact Debora Biggs, Executive Director, Safety Council of the Ozarks, 1-800-334-1349 or dbiggs@nscozarks.org.

ALL INFORMATION PROVIDED WILL BE KEPT IN STRICT CONFIDENCE; HOWEVER, THE SAFETY COUNCIL RESERVES THE RIGHT TO PUBLICIZE THE NAMES OF THE AWARD WINNERS.

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AWARD APPLICATION FORM

Please complete the following information for entry in the 2010 Ozarks Corporate Safety Award Program. Entry deadline is July 30, 2010. Late entries will not be accepted.

Company: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Contact: _____ Title: _____

Phone: _____ FAX: _____

Email: _____

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|--|-------------------------------------|
| 1. Number of Employees: _____ | 2. In how many locations: _____ |
| 3. Number of shifts normally run: _____ | 4. Total annual hours worked: _____ |
| 5. Number of recordable cases in 2009: _____ | In 2008: _____ In 2007: _____ |
| 6. Number of lost workday cases in 2009: _____ | In 2008: _____ In 2007: _____ |
| 7. Current year Experience Modification: _____ | Previous year: _____ |

Briefly describe your company's safety program (development, administration and training.). Attach additional page if necessary.

I. MANAGEMENT COMMITMENT

A. Please check below which of the following apply to your company.

- Safety Committee
- Regular Safety Meeting of the Safety Committee (with minutes kept of meetings)
Number held in 2009 _____
- Regular Safety Inspections by the Safety Committee (with report issued)
Number held in 2009 _____
- OSHA Voluntary Inspection Program

- Lockout-Tagout Training
- Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) Training
- NFPA 70E Training
- Other (describe): _____

B. How many safety related activities (documented safety meetings, inspections or accident investigations) are attended by:

- | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> The Owner | <input type="checkbox"/> General Manager | <input type="checkbox"/> Safety Director | <input type="checkbox"/> Hourly Production Personnel |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Production Manager | <input type="checkbox"/> Controller/H.R. Manager | Comments: _____ | |

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II. EMPLOYEE INVOLVEMENT

How many of your company's safety policies/procedures have been developed with significant employee input? _____

Please describe _____

How many documented plant wide inspections were performed by company supervisory personnel in 2008? _____

Do you track the hazards to resolution? Yes No

How many documented department specific inspections were performed by non-supervisory personnel in 2008? _____

Do you track the hazards to resolution? Yes No

Employee safety incentive program? Yes No

Please Describe _____

III. TRAINING COMMUNICATION

Written Safety Manual (Please attach a copy of your manual index.) Employee Safety Training Bilingual

Please describe content and method _____

What safety programs and activities should the Safety Council of the Ozarks pursue? _____

Please describe any other unique safety program or plant safety innovation not covered above (attach additional page if necessary).

Signature

Date

Return To:
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