

CONSTRUCTION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

MEETING July 6, 2005 Salem

Members present:

Joe Miller – Chair
Marilyn Schuster
Ellis Brasch
Barry Moreland

Present:

Mike Murphy
Dave Parsons
Dave Kaiser
Don Berg

Present:

Bob Harris
Stacey Elkins

The meeting was called to order at 9:10 A.M.

1. MINUTES OF THE June 1, 2005 AND ACTION ITEMS:

It was moved by Dale Matlock and seconded by Frank Upham that the minutes for the June meeting be approved with 2 changes. The meeting heading had the March 9th instead of May and Don asked that the language be changed regarding his comments on ladder safety. All committee members were in favor.

2. OLD BUSINESS:

Status of current rule review:

No new rule changes to report

Federal OSHA proposed changes to subpart V Generation, Transmission and distribution.

Any comments that the committee has are encouraged to be sent to Federal OSHA.

Oregon OSHA is working with ODOT to review the Short Term Traffic Control handbook.

502 Committee:

Bob Harris talked about the final draft for the newest publication for setting walls in construction (leading edge work..) They are still looking for a few more specific photo's to complete the final draft to illustrate the text examples.

The 502 committee will continue working on a new publication (Fall Protection for Special Trades) when they meet again in September.

The next 502 committee meeting will be the fourth Wednesday of September at Bob's office.

Safe Jobs Smart Business Action Plan:

Display stands - The committee discussed the amount of display stands that are left. Our database currently shows the following companies:

- Central Oregon Building Supply - Bend
- Kilgore Blackman Building Materials -Salem
- Safety and Supply Co. - Portland
- HBA Josephine Co. - Grants Pass
- Gerretsen's Building Supply - Roseburg
- Lumbermens - Klamath Falls
- Laborer's Local 320 – Portland
- Withers Lumber Co. - Salem

If you know of any other companies that have received a floor stand, please let Barbara Belcher know by emailing her the contact information as soon as possible so she can follow up with these

There is an information packet enclosed with each floor stand. Please remove the information sheet, fill it out and send it to Barb in the envelope provided in the information packet.

OR-OSHA's 2006-2010 Strategic Plan:

Nothing new to report.

3. NEW BUSINESS:

Health and Safety Issues (global/current):

Ergonomics

Ladder Safety

- Bob asked the committee what to do about the ideas that the committee came up with.
- Dave Parsons mentioned that the committee we need to continue efforts on ladder safety awareness because many of the accidents being reported are happening on ladders.
- Barry discussed that Warner Ladder Safety has a safety packet training program that he uses and he feels it is a good program. He will bring in copies for the next Construction Advisory Meeting.
- Marilyn shared with the committee the Smart Ladder brochure.

Anchors

Marilyn will report back at the next meeting on the GPCP Conference

Uniformity Issues: Nothing to report

Open Forum:

Dave informed the committee that NAOSH week is April 31 to May 6th 2006 and they will again be hosting a kids poster contest.

Stacey Elkins with Intel shared with the committee Intel's approach to reducing workplace accidents by encouraging employees to change their behaviors to reduce incidents.

Ellis Brasch with OR-OSHA came to the meeting to ask the committee what topics the committee would like to see in the next issue of the Construction Depot. Currently they are working on ladder safety articles and information and safety for young workers as topics. If the committee has any suggestions please contact Ellis.

The next meeting will be held August 3rd, 2005 at the L & I Building in Salem, **Room B.**