

ADSC Safety Committee

New Orleans, Louisiana

February 3, 2011

Meeting Minutes

Opening:

The Annual meeting of the ADSC Safety Committee was called to order at 12:40 PM on 2/3/2011 at the New Orleans Marriott by Rick Marshall.

Present:

See attached list

A. Approval of Minutes

The October, 2010 BOD minutes unanimously approved as distributed.

The Committee thanked Mr. Stephen Wiltshire (ECS Mid-Atlantic, LLC) for his work with the C-DAC and welcomed him as a new member of our committee. We also welcomed new members Don Medeiros (Deep Foundations Contractors) and Keith Miller (Long Foundations).

B. Old Business

Technical Library – Safety Booklets Review – is an ongoing but slow task. Three booklet reviews are complete, and we are awaiting their proofs for final publication for purchase.

A contaminated soil recognition awareness hard hat sticker is now complete and has been submitted to ADSC National for printing made available for purchase.

C. Open Issues

Our ASSE/ANSI A10.23-Drilled Shaft Installation Safety standard committee has been accepted and is officially moving forward.

WC Chapter Alliance renewal had some procedural issues arise due to changes in the alliance program requirements. We must now include labor (union or committee of craft employees) into an alliance agreement. Work continues with Dale Cavanaugh (OSHA) working with the chapter.

D. New Business

2010 – 2011 ADSC Safety Committee Goals

1. Continue active participation and involvement in ADSC / OSHA on a National level.
2. Continue to pursue Regional and or Local Alliances through ADSC Chapters.
 - North East Chapter and OSHA Region II
 - Mid-Atlantic Chapter and OSHA Region III
 - Ohio Valley/Midwest Chapters and OSHA Region V
3. Review and update existing ADSC Safety Materials.
4. Complete and publish ANSI/ASSE A10.23, Safety Requirements for the Installation of Drilled Shafts.
5. Exploring any opportunity to work with USACE Safety Division.
6. Create and then provide Safety Training Session(s) at March 2012 Equipment Expo.

No comments were mentioned by our members, so the goals shall stand for 2011.

The NE Chapter continues to explore their alliance with Region 2 and has a meeting with OSHA contact Mike Yarnell on February 18, 2011. They also have a good fix on another alliance with the Braintree Massachusetts local OSHA office, in Region 1.

It was decided by our committee to keep going forward with the Alliance's at the chapter level.

2012 Expo Opportunities were discussed and kicked around the following is a list of possible topics to speak about. It is our goal to mimic whatever topic(s) the other product committees present on.

Hazardous Communication

Mud on Your Boots

Marketing Safety

Behavior Based Safety

Our new ANSI drilled shaft standard

Noise Standards

Site Safety Plans

The committee has decided whatever we decide to speak on, it will be presented by an existing member, not a guest speaker.

The Chairman asked the group if anyone has been inspected by OSHA citing the new crane standard. None reported so far, and there is no date as to when they will start, however the members will share information on any news.

Adjournment:

Meeting was adjourned at 1:40 PM by Rick Marshall. The next committee meeting will be held in April, 2011 at the BOD meeting in Irving TX.

Minutes submitted by: Gregory Lewis

Approved by: Rick Marshall