



***South Louisiana Chapter  
New Orleans***

**National Safety Council  
South Louisiana Chapter**

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and  
The Clem Buckman  
Occupational and Fleet  
Safety Awards Banquet**

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**MISSION STATEMENTS**

“The purpose of the safety council shall be to promote accident prevention in all fields of safety including work, home, motor vehicle and public activities through education and proper means and through assistance to private persons, corporations, public officials and agencies involved in education, enforcement and engineering for accident prevention. Its activities shall be concentrated in south Louisiana, specifically in the zip codes of 70\*\*\* and may lend assistance to other safety organizations as warranted by mutual interest.”

**SOUTH LOUISIANA CHAPTER BY-LAWS**

"The National Safety Council saves lives by preventing injuries and deaths at work, in homes, communities and on the roads through leadership, research, education and advocacy."

**NATIONAL SAFETY COUNCIL BY-LAWS**

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# **CEREMONY AGENDA**

**WELCOME**

**INVOCATION**

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**INTRODUCTION & MASTER OF CEREMONIES**

**KEYNOTE SPEAKERS**

Mr. Horace “Topper” Thompson, III  
OSHA Review Commission Chairman

Ms. Dorinda Folse  
Area Director, Occupational Safety & Health Administration, Louisiana

**OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AWARDS**

**FLEET SAFETY AWARDS**

**SEATBELT HONOR ROLL AWARD**

**SPECIAL AWARDS**

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## KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

### HORACE A. "TOPPER" THOMPSON, III

On June 20, 2007, the President George W. Bush designated Horace A. "Topper" Thompson, III to serve as Chairman of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission, an independent Federal adjudicatory agency created to decide contests of citations resulting from OSHA inspections of American work places.

Prior to joining the Commission in June of 2006, Mr. Thompson, a life-long resident of New Orleans and the Mississippi Gulf Coast, lived with his wife Susan in Pass Christian, Mississippi. During his entire 38-year career as an attorney, he concentrated his practice in labor and employment law, with a focus on occupational safety and health law.

From 2002 through 2006, Mr. Thompson served as Co-Chair of the Labor and Employment Law Practice Group of the Law Firm of Watkins, Ludlam, Winter, & Stennis and held a resident position in the firm's Gulfport, MS and New Orleans, LA offices.

Prior to that, he co-founded the New Orleans based Labor Relations and Employment Law Firm of *McCalla, Thompson, Pyburn & Ridley* and from 1980 through 2002 participated as a member of its management committee. From 1968 to 1980, Mr. Thompson was a member of the Labor Law Section of the New Orleans based law firm of *Jones, Walker, Waechter, Poitevent, Carrere & Denegre*.

Mr. Thompson received his Juris Doctor (JD) from Tulane University in 1968, and before that studied undergraduate engineering at the Georgia Institute of Technology. He co-edited the ABA Treatise on OSHA Law (BNA, 1983) and in each year of its publication contributed to the ABA/BNA Treatise on International Labor Law. From 1979 to 1984, he served as Management Co-Chair of the Occupational Safety and Health Law Committee American Bar Section on Labor and Employment Law.

Mr. Thompson served as Chairman of the Board of Directors for the South Louisiana Chapter of the National Safety Council and is an Honorary Life Member of the Board.

### DORINDA FOLSE

Dorinda Folse began her career with the Occupational Safety and Health Administration in the Baton Rouge Area Office 17 years ago as an Industrial Hygienist.

In 2003 she became the Compliance Assistance Specialist where she worked to develop and support the Baton Rouge Area Office's partnerships and alliances as well as participating in the ever-growing number of Voluntary Protection Participation audits.

Ms. Folse then moved into the position of Assistant Area Director from 2007 until 2008 before becoming the Area Director of the Baton Rouge Area Office last March.

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## **OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AWARDS**

Contest Period 1/1/08 – 12/31/08

The Occupational Safety Contest uses the incidence rate to determine the contest winners, more specifically the lost workday incidence rate. This incidence rate is determined by multiplying the total number of OSHA recordable cases that resulted in lost workdays (column H of the OSHA 300 Log) by 200,000 and dividing by the number of employee hours the company worked during the calendar year.

At our last awards presentation for calendar year 2007, the average lost workday incidence rate of the participating companies was 0.51. The average of the participating companies for the contest period of the calendar year of 2008 contest is 0.44. The most recent edition of the National Safety Council *Injury Facts* indicates the incidence rate of lost workday cases for all industries was 1.2. Obviously, our participants did better with less than half the national average.

Participants in our Occupational Contest were divided into category ranges by hours worked. The participating company with the best (lowest) incidence rate in each category, but under the average of the participants for that year, will receive the Award of Honor. Those with rates between the lowest and average in each category range will receive Awards of Merit. A Certificate of Participation will be given to those with incidence rates over the average of the participating companies.

### **2008 OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AWARDS**

*\*Indicates no lost workday cases for the contest period.*

#### **Award of Honor**

##### **15,000 - 30,000 Hours Worked**

- ❖ Owensby & Kritikos, Inc. at Shell Norco\*

##### **30,00 - 50,000 Hours Worked**

- ❖ Owensby & Kritikos, Inc. at Conoco Phillips\*

##### **50,000 - 100,000 Hours Worked**

- ❖ Boland Marine & Industrial, LLC\*
- ❖ Chand, LLC\*
- ❖ Citadel Builders, LLC\*
- ❖ DynMcDermott Petroleum Operations Company – Bayou Choctaw\*
- ❖ Industrial Safety & Health, Inc.\*
- ❖ Owensby & Kritikos, Inc. / Gretna Division\*
- ❖ Owensby & Kritikosk, Inc. at Motiva Norco\*
- ❖ Seal-Tite International\*

##### **100,000 - 250,000 Hours Worked**

- ❖ Bollinger Fouchon, LLC\*
- ❖ Bollinger Lockport Repair\*
- ❖ Bollinger Shipyards, Inc.\*
- ❖ Bollinger Texas City, LP\*
- ❖ Chemtura Corporation\*
- ❖ DynMcDermott Petroleum Operations Company – West Hackberry\*
- ❖ Naval Support Activity\*
- ❖ Owensby & Kritikos, Inc. / Lafayette Division\*

## 2008 OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AWARDS (Continued)

### Award of Honor

#### **250,000 - 500,000 Hours Worked**

- ❖ Bollinger Amelia Repair, LLC\*
- ❖ Gly-Tech Services, Inc.\*
- ❖ Hoist and Crane Service Group, Inc.\*

#### **500,000 – 1,000,000 Hours Worked**

- ❖ Bollinger Larose, LLC\*
- ❖ Bollinger Morgan City, LLC\*

#### **1,000,000 - 2,000,000 Hours Worked**

- ❖ Rubicon, LLC\*
- ❖ Wink Companies, LLC\*

#### **4,000,000+ Hours Worked**

- ❖ Lockheed Martin Space Systems Company - New Orleans

### Award of Merit

#### **250,000 - 500,000 Hours Worked**

- ❖ Carl E. Woodward

#### **500,000 – 1,000,000 Hours Worked**

- ❖ ALON USA
- ❖ Bollinger Marine Fabricators

#### **1,000,000 - 2,000,000 Hours Worked**

- ❖ Bollinger Lockport New Construction
- ❖ Cox Communications Louisiana, LLC
- ❖ Dupre' Transport, LLC

### Certificate of Participation

#### **100,000 - 250,000 Hours Worked**

- ❖ Bollinger Algiers, LLC

#### **250,000 – 500,000 Hours Worked**

- ❖ Bollinger Calcasieu Repair, LLC
- ❖ Bollinger Gretna Machine, LLC
- ❖ Bollinger Quick Repair, LLC
- ❖ Broadmoor, LLC
- ❖ Cabot Corporation Canal
- ❖ DynMcDermott Petroleum Operations Company – New Orleans
- ❖ Terrebonne Association for Retarded Citizens, Inc.

#### **500,000 - 1,000,000 Hours Worked**

- ❖ Coca-Cola Enterprises MSC Production
- ❖ Coca-Cola Enterprises New Orleans Sales

## **FLEET AWARDS**

Contest Period 1/1/08 – 12/31/08

The frequency rate is used in the Fleet Contest. The frequency rate is determined by multiplying the number of recordable cases by 1,000,000 and dividing by the number of miles operated by the fleet during the calendar year.

At our last awards presentation for the calendar year of 2007, the average of the contest participants was 1.39. The average frequency rate of the participants for the calendar year of 2008 was 1.26.

Participants in the Fleet Contest were divided into two divisions: Passenger Vehicles (or cars) and Trucks (which includes all vehicles other than passenger cars). Each division was then divided into categories by ranges of miles driven. The participating company with the best (lowest) frequency rate for each category range, but under the average, will receive the Award of Honor. Those with rates between the lowest and the average in each category range will receive an Award of Merit. A Certificate of Participation will be given to those with frequency rates over the average.

### **2008 TRUCK VEHICLES DIVISION**

*\*Indicates no recordable cases for the contest period.*

#### **Award of Honor**

##### **50,000 – 100,000 Miles Driven**

- ❖ Lockheed Martin Space Systems Company, New Orleans\*

##### **250,000 – 500,000 Miles Driven**

- ❖ Boland Marine & Industrial, LLC\*

##### **1,000,000+ Miles Driven**

- ❖ Carl E. Woodward, LLC

#### **Certificate of Participation**

##### **1,000,000+ Miles Driven**

- ❖ Dupre' Transport, LLC

### **2008 PASSENGER VEHICLES DIVISION**

#### **Award of Honor**

##### **50,000 - 100,000 Miles Driven**

- ❖ Lockheed Martin Space Systems Company, New Orleans\*

#### **Certificate of Participation**

##### **1,000,000+ Miles Driven**

- ❖ Cox Communications Louisiana, LLC
- ❖ Hoist and Crane Service Group, Inc.

### **SEATBELT HONOR ROLL AWARD**

- ❖ NAVAL SUPPORT ACTIVITY

## **SPECIAL AWARDS**

### **DELTA SAFETY SOCIETY SPONSORED MOST IMPROVED 2007 TO 2008**

- ❖ DYNMCDERMOTT PETROLEUM OPERATIONS COMPANY – BAYOU CHOCTAW
- ❖ DYNMCDERMOTT PETROLEUM OPERATIONS – WEST HACKBERRY

## **JUNE IS NATIONAL SAFETY MONTH®**

Throughout June 2009, National Safety Month activities will address the most significant reasons for unintentional injuries and deaths in the American workplace, on the road and in the home and community. To help with the planning of your organization's activities, we offer this schedule of National Safety Month weekly topics:

**Week 1:** June 1-7 Teen Driving

**Week 2:** June 8-14 Falls Prevention

**Week 3:** June 15-21 Overexertion

**Week 4:** June 22-28 Distracted Driving

### **NSM Materials**

Find a variety of materials to help you and your colleagues stay safe including weekly risk and tip sheets, safety posters, informational webinars, safety puzzles, and much more. Visit <http://www.nsc.org/nsm/> for information and tools on each of the weekly themes and for materials to use throughout the whole month.

NSM is just one way for businesses to demonstrate their concern for safety and health to their employees. NSC membership is another. If you're not already a Council member, we urge you to check out members' exclusive educational and other benefits, at NSM and throughout the year.

## **THANKS TO OUR BUSINESS PARTNERS**

### **EXHIBITORS**

Louisiana Highway Safety Commission  
Louisiana Operation Lifesaver  
Louisiana Passenger Safety Task Force  
Louisiana State Police  
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### **DOOR PRIZES**

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# National Safety Council Training

## Emergency Care

### Individual Courses

- First Aid, CPR and AED
- Pediatric First Aid, CPR, AED
- Bloodborne and Airborne Pathogens
- First Responder and Refresher
- First Aid, CPR, AED Online

### Instructor Courses

- First Aid, CPR and AED
- Pediatric First Aid, CPR, AED
- Bloodborne and Airborne Pathogens

## Presentations

- 1 Hour or 2 Hour

## Consulting / Auditing

## Driver Improvement

### Individual Defensive Driving Courses (DDC)

- DDC-4
- DDC-8/6
- DDC-PC Online
- DDC-Alive at 25
- DDC for Professional Truck Drivers
- DDC-PTD Online

## Driver Improvement (continued)

### Instructor Courses

- DDC-4
- DDC-8/6
- DDC-Alive at 25
- DDC for Professional Truck Drivers

### Specialty Vehicle Courses

- Coaching the Lift Truck Operator
  - Train-the-Trainer
- Coaching the Van Driver
- Coaching the Utility Truck Driver
- Coaching the Emergency Vehicle Operator
- CEVO Online

## Occupational Safety Training

- Advanced Safety Certificate
  - Principles of Occupational S & H
  - Safety Training Methods
  - Safety Management Techniques
  - Industrial Hygiene
- Certificate in OSHA Compliance
- Certificate in Principles of Safety
- OSHA 10 Hour Construction
- Incident Investigation (Root Cause)
- Safety Management for Small Business
- Supervisors' Development Program
- Construction's Focus Four Hazards Program
- Electrical Hazards for Small Business
- And Many More



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