

**THE LABOR COMMISSION
OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADVISORY COUNCIL**

**Friday, January 8, 2016 – 12:30 P.M.
Room 346C, Utah Labor Commission Offices
Salt Lake City, Utah**

The following Advisory Council members were in attendance:

Lee Roberts, Okland Construction
Brad Willson, Wadman Corporation
Lee Peacock, Petroleum Association
Rod Hamson, Utah Safety Council
Ross Ford, Utah Home Builders

Members Excused

Todd Bingham, UMA
Brooke Wahlquist, Utah Safety Council
Dale Cox, Utah AFL-CIO
Rich Fullmer for Joey Gilbert, AGC-Utah
Chris DeHerrera, ABC Utah

Others Present:

Jacson Maughan, Deputy Commissioner
Chris Hill, UOSH Division Director
Sara Danielson, Utah Labor Commission, Administrative Assistant
Tiffany Brady, Utah Roofing Contractors Association
Steve Morrill, BOMA
Jacob Barnhart, Labor Commission PIO

WELCOME

Welcome –Chris Hill brought the meeting to order at 12:35 p.m. Mr. Hill asked that those who were attending introduce themselves.

Legislative/Legal Issues:

Chris Hill stated that rule changes discussed at prior meetings became effective on December 28.

Jacson Maughan explained that the proposed Whistleblower legislation (SB33) had been drafted and was present at interim committee meetings. He also explained that HB116 has been drafted and the Commission does not see much impact on UOSH.

No other legislative matters were presented.

Evaluation of the Amputation LEP:

Chris Hill explained that an Amputation LEP was created and an evaluation of the first year of the activities related to the LEP has been done. He distributed a copy of the evaluation and mentioned some of the highlights.

Accident Statistics:

Chris Hill distributed a copy of accident statistics for Federal Fiscal Year 2016 and highlighted some of them. He asked if this information was helpful and how the information was being used. It was mentioned that the information had been placed in organization newsletters and safety trainings. It was suggested that a breakdown by industry/trade would be helpful.

Member Issues/comments:

It was mentioned that Residential construction would like to do better, but did not know how. Chris stated that UOSH would be willing to provide training at meetings.

It was mentioned that a discussion of training on what the role of a temporary agency was in providing workers for work sites was. Do they have to provide the PPE and training?

Public Comment:

Tiffany Brady stated that she had been told that if an inspection was done a citation would be issued. Chris assured her that that was not the way UOSH works. If an inspection is done, and violations are found, then yes a citation would be issued, however, if no violations were found, then no citation would be issued.

Steve Morrill complimented UOSH on collaborating on legislative matters.

Workplace Safety Grants:

Jacob Barnhart stated that application for workplace safety grants would be accepted in the fall for calendar year 2017. He stated that he would be happy to meet with any group and provide more information on the grants and the process.

NEXT MEETING

April 12, 2016 at 12:30 pm.

Meeting adjourned at 1:12 pm.