



Meeting Minutes

Mission Statement

Partners working together, advancing safety excellence in the New Jersey Construction industry, protecting workers and the community.

Date: July 23, 2008

**Place: Operating Engineers Local 825 Training Center
338 Deans Rhode Hall Road
South Brunswick, NJ
732/798-2170**

Report Date: July 30, 2008

Minutes prepared by: Don Howard

Start: 9:00 am End: 12:00 pm

Attended by:

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Welcome and Introductions

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Report of Executive Board

The Executive Board met on July 11 and reported the following

We are working to put together a three year plan which will encompass both short and long term goals.

Non Profit status

Executive board currently working on the requirements.

Memorandum of Understanding

Take to principals of organizations for signatures.

Training goals

Using network of Build Safe NJ members offer consultations, assessments and training to assist organizations comply with memorandum of Understanding and other regulatory measures.

Alliance with OSHA

Reports of Sub-Committees

Logo Committee Joanne Dean, Kevin Goldstein, Bob Sagendorf
Thank You!!! To all involved in the design of the Build Safe NJ Logo.

Memorandum Committee Special Committee that will meet once a year to review the Memorandum of Understanding.

Website Committee Steve Roberts (lead), Tom Kearns
Purchased domain name for 1 year of hosting (thank You to McGowan Builders)
Site is up and running www.buildsafenj.org
Comments and suggestions are welcome

Membership Committee Gail Hoffman (lead), Bob Jennings, Joanne Kreisberg, Ken Hoffner,
Working on Member orientation for new members
Poster development
Collection of signed Memorandums of Understanding

Officer/By Laws Committee Eric Voight (lead), Greg Philpott, Joanne Kreisberg

Site Safety Survey tom Kearns (lead), Ralph Desiderio, Sandy Drysdale, Terry McLaughlin

Strategic Planning and Marketing Dave Korman (lead), Lou Lento, Tom Kerns, Bob Jennings, Joanne Dean

Government Regulations Mike Travostino
This report was tabled until August meeting

Treasury Report
None

Presentation on Crane Safety

Thank you to Len Hull and his staff at Local 825 Training Center for the presentation and for hosting the meeting.

Thank you to Virginia Construction for donating the food and beverage.

Next Meeting

Date/Time

Wednesday August 27, 2008
9:00 am

Location

Turner Construction Company

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