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38 Companies Named ‘Best’ for Workplace Safety

Governor, Mayor issue ‘Safety Week’ proclamations for May 4-10

PHOENIX – Thirty-eight Arizona businesses will be honored Monday with an SCF Arizona “Best of Best” award for their workplace safety (see list below) during a dinner banquet to kick off the fifth annual Safety Works Expo, Tuesday and Wednesday, at the Black Canyon Conference Center, 9440 N. 25th Ave. in Phoenix.

“A good safety record is no accident,” says Don Smith, SCF Arizona president & CEO. “The most important reason to maintain a safe workplace is to ensure that your employees can go home to their loved ones at the end of the workday.”

Smith adds that by keeping workplaces safe, companies can control their bottom lines, especially as medical costs continue to rise rapidly. Companies that work with SCF to prevent workplace injuries help to keep Arizona’s workers’ compensation costs among the lowest in the nation, which in turn helps business and economic growth throughout the state.

“Keeping employees and employers safe on the job helps everyone,” Smith says. “The best way to do this is by reducing risk and stopping injuries before they happen.

“These 38 companies, including five businesses that are policyholders from our SCF Premier Insurance Co., understand this and work hard to help us create a culture of safety throughout Arizona,” Smith says.

Recognition of the companies’ safety records coincides with Gov. Janet Napolitano proclaiming May 4-10 as “Workplace Safety Week” and City of Phoenix Mayor Phil Gordon issuing a proclamation that declares the same days to be “Safety is Good Business Week.”

The Arizona Chapter of the American Society of Safety Engineers cosponsors SCF Arizona’s Safety Works Expo, which is designed for safety professionals and others who are responsible for workplace safety at their respective businesses. The conference features:

- Seminars for anyone responsible for employee safety
- Exhibit floor for displaying the latest safety products and services
- Networking opportunities with other safety professionals
- Occupational Safety & Health Administration training sessions

Cost for the Safety Works Expo is \$89, which includes a continental breakfast and lunch both days. For information or to register, go to www.scfaz.com or call 602.631.2002.

SCF Arizona is the state’s largest provider of workers’ compensation insurance covering nearly 70 percent of Arizona’s businesses.

Workplace Safety 'Best of the Best'

Avondale

Standard Construction Co.
Avondale Nissan

El Mirage

Sutter Masonry

Gilbert

Swain Electric Inc.
Yellow Jacket Drilling

Goodyear:

Rudolfo Bros. Plastering Inc.
Good Neighbor Support Services

Phoenix

Bootz & Duke Sign Co.
Copper State Rubber
Desert Tree Farm
Dickens Quality Demolition
Five G Inc
Global Water
Pipeline Dynamics
Rockhard Designs
Roswell Bookbinding
Shiya-Strephans Contracting
Star Plastering
Star Roofing
Valley Anesthesiology
Wyndham Phoenix Hotel

Cave Creek

Starkweather Roofing

Chandler:

Curran Masonry Corp.
Walker Painting Specialists

Glendale

Diamond Trucking
J-Rock Drywall Inc.
Kimbell Electric

Mesa

J.F. Ellis
Liberty Concrete
Metric Roofing
Nammo Talley Inc.
Sundance Framing

Scottsdale

Mark – Taylor Residential
PB Bell Companies
Schumacher European
The Renaissance Companies
Westminster Village

Tempe

National Aviation