

## GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Wednesday, March 20th from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm @ Speedway Restaurant

Dave Lawson, Safety Manager for Bergstrom Electric, Grand Forks, will explain and discuss the detailed employee safety training tracking roster he has created.

## OSHA Targets High-Hazard Worksites for Inspections This Year

This year, as in years past, OSHA is directing enforcement resources to workplaces where the highest rates of injuries and illnesses occur.

The site-specific targeting (SST) program is one of OSHA's main programmed inspection plans for high-hazard, non-construction workplaces that have 20 or more workers. The SST plan is based on data collected from a survey of 80,000 establishments in high-hazard industries.

"Through the SST program, we can prevent injuries and illnesses, and save lives by focusing our inspection resources on employers in high-hazard worksites where workers are at greater risk," says OSHA chief David Michaels.

## State-Plan Selection Criteria

Selection of workplaces to be inspected under this year's STT for participating state-plan states will be based on 2010 establishment of specific injury and illness rates.

The SST plan initially selects for inspecting all establishments with the following DART and DAFWII case rates:

- Manufacturing establishments with a DART rate at or above 7.0 or a DAFWII case rate at or above 5.0.
- Non-manufacturing establishments (except for nursing and personal-care facilities) with a DART rate at or above 15.0 or a DAFWII rate at or above 14.0.

Never drive faster  
than your guardian  
angel can fly!



### EVENING SOCIAL

Our Evening Social will be March 28<sup>th</sup> at Eagles Crest from 5-7 pm. Make plans to attend for an evening of networking and fine food!! RSVP to [info@nosha.net](mailto:info@nosha.net)

## NOSHA Member of the Month



## BOARD MEETING

Board members meet the first Thursday of the month – 6:00-8:00 pm at the Valdak Corp. 1149 36<sup>th</sup> Ave. S (Valley Dairy)

**NEXT MEETING** April 4th

### 2013 BOARD MEMBERS

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## COMMITTEES

**Communication Committee**  
*(Linda Wiley)*

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**Education Committee**  
*(Rick Else)*

Upcoming GM Meeting Presentations

**April 17<sup>th</sup>** – Dave Elsing, Safety Manager for Transport Leasing Company, Grand Forks will explain the system they use to help educate drivers and maintenance personnel to identify, report, and make sure there is constant awareness of the daily hazards associated with their jobs.

**Membership Committee**  
*(Dave Opp, Eric Pearson)*

**NOSHA News Editor**  
*(Dan Mankie)*

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**NOSHA** is a non-profit organization formed to provide area safety professionals a direct way of sharing safety concerns, goals, and ideas to promote workplace safety.