



# NOSHA News

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## GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Wednesday, April 17th from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm @ Speedway Restaurant

Dave Elsing, Safety Manager, Transport Leasing Company, Grand Forks, will explain their hazard awareness training program.

### CONGRATULATIONS!!

NOSHA member Opp Construction won first place at the National Safety Excellence Awards in the Municipal and Utility division in the man hour category and also took home the GRAND award, which is awarded to the company with the best safety program in the nation, regardless of division or man hours worked. A huge honor!!!! The judges attributed the win to the improvements Opp Construction has made since 2010!



On behalf of **NOSHA**  
and all of its members,  
**CONGRATULATIONS!**  
Opp Construction!!



### 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 May 2nd**

#### 2013 BOARD MEMBERS

**Dan Mankie** (President)  
*Cirrus Aircraft*

**Eric Pearson** (Vice-President)  
*UND Campus Safety & Security*

**Joe Strang** (Treasurer)  
*Valley Dairy Car Wash*

**Cindy Holweger** (Secretary)  
*Development Homes*

**Carol Gierszewski**  
*Gierszewski Enterprises*

**Davis Hoverson**  
*Workforce Safety & Insurance*

**Rick Else**  
*Workforce Safety & Insurance*

**Dave Opp**  
*Opp Construction*

**Sally Opp**  
*Opp Construction*

**Joe Reynolds**  
*Grand Forks Honda*

### COMMITTEES

Communication Committee  
*(Linda Wiley, Joe Reynolds)*

Visit us at [www.nosha.net](http://www.nosha.net) for the latest updates and announcements!

Education Committee  
*(Rick Else)*

Upcoming GM Meeting Presentations  
**May 15<sup>th</sup>** - Christine Roob, ND Dept. of Health, will present laws, rules, compliance assistance, training, and pollution prevention procedures for hazardous and solid waste programs in North Dakota.

Membership Committee  
*(Dave Opp, Eric Pearson)*  
NOSHA News Editor  
*(Dan Mankie)*

*"60 Members Strong and Growing!"*

**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.

### EVENING SOCIAL

Our Evening Social was held March 28<sup>th</sup> at Eagles Crest. There was a fair turnout, and the food was great! Door prizes of a deluxe carwash from Valley Dairy were given out, and everyone had the chance to visit, meet new members, and enjoy some great conversation in a relaxed atmosphere! Our next after hours event will be our summer picnic on July 17<sup>th</sup>. Make plans now to attend!!



### Member of the Month



### NOSHA Welcomes New Member

