

# OSHA ALLIANCE MEETINGS

Sponsored by the Grain and Feed Association of Illinois

## Two Convenient Locations!

June 9, 2009

**Grain and Feed Association  
Building in Springfield**

3521 Hollis Dr.  
Springfield, IL 62711

July 8, 2009

**Pontiac Elks Country  
Club in Pontiac**

459 Elks Club Rd.  
Pontiac, IL 61764

Not sure what needs to be updated or what is even considered a hazard? These Alliance Meetings will show you exactly how to identify and eliminate hazards that put you, your employees and your facility at risk.

## Agenda

- 8:00 am      **Registration**
- 8:30 am      **Opening Remarks**
- 8:40 am      **How Much do Accidents Really Cost** by *John Lee, Director of the Safety • Health • Environmental Services Program*  
Accidents are more costly than you may expect. This session will cover case studies to show how many hidden costs are involved with accidents and why it is simply best to invest in prevention.
- 8:55 am      **Record Keeping** by *Brian Bothast, Compliance Assistance Director*  
Many companies do not understand the importance of OSHA record keeping and many companies don't think they have to complete the OSHA logs. Brian will clarify the main points of record keeping rules.
- 9:40 am      **Break**
- 9:50 am      **Slips, Trips and Falls** by *John Lee*  
This simple problem causes a lot of injuries and is very prevalent in the grain and feed industry. Learn how to minimize your facility risks as well as important OSHA requirements.

- 10:10 am **Ergonomics** by Brian Bothast  
Sprains and strains continue to be one of the largest causes of lost time accidents. Many of the accidents could be prevented with an effective ergonomic program and simple fixes. This session will discuss OSHA's general duty standard as it applies to ergonomic hazards.
- 10:30 am **Machine Guarding** by John Lee  
Much of the equipment at grain and feed facilities can cause serious injuries or even death if it is not guarded. OSHA also has an amputation hazard emphasis program. This session will focus on machine guarding solutions and requirements.
- 10:50 am Break
- 11:00 am **Lockout/Tagout and Bin Entry Procedures** by Brian Bothast  
The last two years have seen 8 grain engulfment's in the state of Illinois alone and not following lockout tagout procedures played a part in every one of these accidents. Lockout/tagout is a critical component of any safety program and this session will cover the steps to completely isolate energy sources.
- 11:15 am **Emphasis Programs, New Standards and More** by Brian Bothast  
This session will address the OSHA emphasis programs on combustible dust, lead, silica, and powered industrial vehicles. Brian will describe when workers in the industry could be exposed to hexavalent chrome and potential occupational asthma issues. Brian will also address the new paying for personal protective equipment standard and common OSHA violations.

***Registration is \$20 per person.***  
***Please advance register by June 4, 2009.***

**To register, fax or mail this form with payment to:**

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*(Additional registration forms are available at [www.gfai.org](http://www.gfai.org))*

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Number attending \_\_\_\_\_ X \$20.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

