TIME OUT FOR SAFETY!

Ag Cooperative Safety Director’s Association

Leadership Conference 2014

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Council Bluffs, IA
January 14-16
Please join us in Council Bluffs, IA January 14th - 16th for the 2nd annual Cooperative Safety Director’s Leadership Conference.

“TIME OUT FOR SAFETY” is our 2014 conference theme. As safety directors we often find ourselves surrounded by regulatory and administrative work. It is easy to look past our primary responsibility of being safety leaders. Take a time-out! Join us in Council Bluffs to learn from a wide range of safety coaches how to become more effective safety leaders.

Meet your Safety Leadership Coaches

**KEYNOTE SPEAKER: ‘Gus’ Gustafson**

*Raised on a farm in Lyons, Nebraska, Ron "Gus" Gustafson was a standout basketball player in high school in spite of having lost his right arm and shoulder in a tragic childhood farm accident. After a knee injury ended his collegiate basketball career, he was devastated. But, once again, his faith and courage sustained him and he redirected his energies, building outstanding academic and business careers.*

**Safety Cultures and Cooperatives**

*Dr. Mike Boland, University of Minnesota*

Michael Boland (Mike) holds the Koller endowed Professorship in agribusiness management at the University of Minnesota where he has teaching, research, and outreach responsibilities in agribusiness management, food marketing, and in particular, agricultural cooperatives. Mike will share a unique perspective on cooperatives and safety cultures he gained through a joint project with Dupont and several agricultural cooperatives.

**Getting your Safety Performance To the Next Level**

*Bob McCall*

Bob is General Manager, Fleet Services, Duke Energy from Charlotte, North Carolina. Bob’s team building message will be sure to inspire you to try new ways to strengthen your companies safety culture.

**Coach a Good Game**

*Liz Weatherhead*

Liz Weatherhead has over 12 years of experience as a public speaker, facilitator, trainer and educator. As a certified 4MAT Master Trainer, Liz connects with learners in energetic, interactive workshops particularly in the areas of train-the-trainer, communication and teaming. Liz’s delivery style has been described as engaging and distinctive.

**6-1/2 Simple Tools to Prove Value, Gain Cooperation, and Save Lives**

*Rodney Grieve*

Rodney is a founding partner in BRANTA Worldwide. He has nearly 20 years of industry and consulting experience helping organizations, teams and individuals create a culture of success. A nationally known speaker on safety leadership, co-author of SOAR: A Gate-to-Gate Journey of Leadership Essentials and author of the best selling Defend Your Profits: Safety Tools for Bottom Line Improvements.

**All-In Safety**

*Aaron Anderson*

Aaron is a the corporate safety director for Wietz Construction Company. Aaron will share with us his journey of discovering his company’s safety culture and the methods his company has employed to ensure everyone is ALL-IN for safety.
Time Out For Safety!

WHERE
Hilton Garden Inn
Attached to Horseshoe Casino
2702 Mid America Dr.
Council Bluffs, IA

Room Reservations:
Phone: (712) 309-9000

Room Rate $94.00
Block Name ask for: AGSAFE

REGISTRATION INFO
Early Bird Registration Before November 15
$275 per attendee

After November 15
$300 per attendee

Registration includes Tuesday night reception with hors d’oeuvres as well as breakfast and lunch on Wednesday and Thursday

SCHEDULE
Tuesday January 14th
7:00 - 9:00 PM  Reception / Socializer with Hors d’oeuvres

Wednesday January 15th
7:00 - 9:00 AM  Breakfast & Vender Booths
9:00 - 10:15 AM  KEYNOTE - Ron ‘Gus’ Gustafson
10:15 - 12:00 PM  Safety Leadership Coaching Sessions
12:00 - 1:00 PM  Lunch
1:00 - 5:00 PM  Safety Leadership Coaching Sessions

Thursday January 16th
7:00 - 8:00 AM  Breakfast
8:00 - 12:00 PM  Safety Leadership Coaching Sessions
12:00 - 1:00 PM  Lunch & Conference Closing Statements

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Registration Form

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After November 15th $300 per attendee

Registration is open to all ag cooperative safety directors, managers, supervisors, and all other safety & insurance professionals serving ag cooperatives. If you have any questions about the conference or registrations please call Brad Bousquet at (402) 649-3972. Please make checks payable to “ACSDN”. Mail your completed registration form along with payment to:

**Ag Coop Safety Directors of Nebraska**
P.O. Box 286
Holdrege, NE 68949

Please list contact information for all attendees:

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