

HEALTH & SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING

Louis Bray Construction Limited
 308 Corduroy Road, Vars ON K0A 3H0
 August 22, 2018 (10:00)

MEETING MINUTES

| Committee Members | | | |
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| Neil Falls, Chair | Andre Brunet | Nicky Iannucci | Andy Johnston |
| Chris Brent | Wayne Tackaberry | | |
| Regrets | | | |
| Michelle Richer | Deborah Mohr-Caldwell | Kyle Munshaw | Mike Casey |
| Ty Arslan | Chris Keeping | Jr Lesage, Co-chair | |
| Guests | | | |
| Philippe Malouin | | | |
| Staff | | | |
| Kathryn Sutherland | | | |

| Previous Items | |
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| 1 | Next 2019 Education Series planning meeting is scheduled for August 27, 2018. Action: KS to let the committee whether any health and safety topics are proposed. |

| Current Topics | |
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| 2 | <p>NCHCA/City Liaison</p> <p>At the NCHCA / City Liaison meeting June 22, 2018, the City advised that there was a recent incident where traffic cones were placed over VIA Rail tracks. Working in proximity to VIA Rail corridors was addressed at a previous Education Series event. The City will provide a copy of the presentation used. VIA has an online orientation module for contractors.</p> <p>The City has provided access to its Grade Crossings Regulations and Standards Awareness Training here: https://ulearn.ottawa.ca/index.php. It is not available for download.</p> |
| 3 | <p>Ministry of Labour</p> <p>Safety data sheets need to be reformatted by the end of the year and training needs to be</p> |

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| | <p>completed by December 17, 2018.</p> <p>Blitzes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May 1, 2018 – March 31, 2019: quarries & blasting procedures. This blitz is ongoing. Expect yearly or bi-yearly meetings with mining producers. The current focus is on noise and dust at the worker level. Want to look at where industry is focusing its efforts with a view to better compliance without issuing orders or doing spot inspections. • August 1, 2018: utility work. • Currently, blitz on reversing equipment. |
| 4 | <p>Ministry of Transportation</p> <p>No items reported.</p> |
| 5 | <p>Safety Groups</p> <p>August 21, 2018, meeting was cancelled.</p> |
| 6 | <p>Medical Marijuana</p> <p>As of July 1, 2018, there will be zero tolerance for drugs and alcohol for CVOR drivers.</p> <p>ACTION: AB to forward a copy of Louis Bray's policy.</p> <p>ACTION: NI to confirm whether Cavanagh has a fit for duty policy.</p> |
| 7 | <p>Theft</p> <p>There have been recent thefts in Ottawa of generators, submersible pumps and batteries. Batteries are being stolen for use at hunting camps.</p> <p>Trespassing – swimming at quarry and dirt bikes.</p> <p>Tomlinson has had some experience with people moving arrow boards.</p> |
| 8 | <p>NCHCA Information</p> <p>Next event is the Fall Dinner Dance on November 3, 2018, at the Brookstreet Hotel.</p> |
| 9 | <p>New business</p> <p>Traffic control: many recent incidents of drivers disobeying traffic control measures. Suggestions were to invite police to monitor the site, ask MTO if they could install cameras to monitor the site, record vehicle and plate information and provide it to the police. Consider use of GoPros and dashcams.</p> <p>Higher fines for drivers who disobey the law pertaining to crosswalks and pedestrian crossovers effective September 1, 2018, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If a driver fails to stop at a crosswalk or obstructs it, fines are doubled and could lead to a charge of careless driving. • Fines for careless driving will increase from a maximum of \$2,000 to a maximum of \$50,000, in addition to six demerit points and a maximum of two years in jail. Courts can also suspend a driver's licence for up to five years. • Failing to yield at a pedestrian crosswalk, whether a person is injured or not, will carry fines of up to \$1,000 and four demerit points, up from a current \$500 and three demerit |

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| | <p>points.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fines for failing to stop for a school bus will go up from \$2,000 and six demerit points to \$4,000 and six demerit points. This offence also comes with the possibility of up to six months in jail. • The higher fines will be doubled in school or community safety zones. <p>Workplace Safety and Prevention Services Conference “Shifting Landscapes in Health and Safety” will be held in Ottawa on October 10, 2018, at the Ottawa Conference and Event Center, 200 Coventry Road Ottawa, ON. More information and to register: http://www.wsps.ca/Shop/Conferences-and-Events/Conferences/Eastern.aspx</p> <p>WSPS has a Legislation Tracker that provides updates on Federal and Ontario OHS legislative changes. Register for updates here: http://www.wsps.ca/Information-Resources/Legislation/Home</p> |
| 10 | <p>July Safety Award</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No candidates for July. |
| 11 | <p>The meeting was adjourned at 10:50.</p> |

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| | Next Meeting |
| Site: | Thomas Cavanaugh Construction Limited, 9094 Cavanagh Road, Ashton, ON K0A 1B0 (Beckwith) |
| Date: | September 18, 2018 at 10:00am |