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## **2016 OSHA TRAINING!**

Project BEST Safety Consultant Ty Lollini of 1949 Consulting, LLC will be conducting the class listed below for Project BEST contributors in WHEELING at the OVCEC safety training room located at 21 Armory Drive in Wheeling, WV and in STEUBENVILLE at 626 North 4<sup>th</sup> Street, (IBEW Hall) Steubenville, OH. Please note which location the class is being held.

AUGUST 23-26: 30 Hour in **WHEELING**



**PRE-REGISTRATION IS MANDATORY! CLASS SIZE IS LIMITED TO 20 PERSONS.**

**CONTACT LISA AT: (304) 214-9800 OR AT [LISA@PROJECTBEST.COM](mailto:LISA@PROJECTBEST.COM).**

Reminder: All safety training classes will be **FREE** to Project **BEST** Contributors.

**No shows who have made reservations  
will be charged **\$25.00**.**

*Even though OSHA has no expiration date on the 10 and 30 hour safety training cards, they might be considered by our customers as outdated, requiring you to obtain a new card. You are advised to check accordingly before you go to the work site.*

**Other Training Information:** The 10-hour, 30-hour and specific type training classes can be provided by contacting the safety consultant and scheduled so long as (5) or more persons are scheduled for attendance and advance notice of one week is made with the instructor. Locations for training will be dependent upon availability and suitability of training space accommodations.

**INSTITUTE, WV – WEST VIRGINIA STATE UNIVERSITY – RENOVATION OF F. RAY POWER BUILDING – DEMOLITION PACKAGE**

BID DATE: August 3, 2016 – 3:00 p.m. BIDS TO: West Virginia State University  
 ARCHITECT: Edward Tucker Architects, Huntington, WV PRE-BID: **MANDATORY – 07/22/16 (10:00 a.m.)**  
 PLANS RECEIVED: 07/18/16

**KINGWOOD, WV – PRESTON COUNTY COURTHOUSE SIDEWALK & RAILING IMPROVEMENTS – PLANS ON CD AT FRONT DESK**

BID DATE: August 5, 2016 – 3:00 p.m. BIDS TO: Preston County Commission  
 ARCHITECT: Alpha Associates, Inc., Morgantown, WV PRE-BID: **TBD**  
 PLANS RECEIVED: 07/15/16

**PARKERSBURG, WV – MILLWRIGHTS #1755 JATC BLOCK STORAGE BUILDING – ON THE ON-LINE PLAN ROOM**

BID DATE: August 10, 2016 – 2:00 p.m. BIDS TO: e-mail: billboso@hotmail.com  
 OWNER: Millwrights #1755 JATC, Parkersburg, WV PRE-BID: **MANDATORY – 07/27/16 (2:00 p.m.)**  
 PLANS RECEIVED: 07/20/16 Pre-Bid Minutes & Sign-in Sheet

**WHEELING, WV – CITY OF WHEELING – MAIN STREET STORM SEWER – ON THE ON-LINE PLAN ROOM**

BID DATE: August 24, 2016 – 2:00 p.m. BIDS TO: City of Wheeling, Wheeling, WV  
 ENGINEER: Eng. Dept., City of Wheeling, Wheeling, WV PRE-BID: **MANDATORY - 08/10/16 (10:00 a.m.)**  
 PLANS RECEIVED: 07/27/16

**APPARENT LOW BIDS**

**WHEELING, WV – CITY OF WHEELING – MT. WOOD WATERLINE**

APPARENT LOW: O'Brien's Rent-All, Wheeling, WV Fax: 304-233-6266

**WHEELING, WV – CITY OF WHEELING – HILDRETH AVE. WATERLINE**

APPARENT LOW: **\*Savage Construction, Wheeling, WV Fax: 304-242-3104**

**WHEELING, WV – CITY OF WHEELING – IDABELLE AVE. WATERLINE**

APPARENT LOW: **\*James White Construction, Weirton, WV Fax: 304-748-8183**

**WHEELING, WV – CITY OF WHEELING – SOUTH ISLAND WATERLINE**

APPARENT LOW: O'Brien's Rent –All, Wheeling, WV Fax: 304-233-6266

**ST. CLAIRSVILLE, OH – BELMONT-HARRISON VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT - INTERIOR RENOVATIONS – BELMONT-HARRISON CAREER CENTERS – COMM. 1116**

APPARENT LOW: CLV Corporation, Steubenville, OH Fax: 740-491-7505

**HUNTINGTON, WV – ALTERATIONS TO ROBERT C. BYRD INSTITUTE FOR FLEXIBLE MANUFACTURING – PHASE TWO – MARSHALL UNIVERSITY**

APPARENT LOW: EP Leach and Sons, Huntington, WV Fax: 304-523-1238

**\*Denotes Member OVCEC**



# Remember In **NOVEMBER** PICNIC



**SEPT.**  
**25**  
SUNDAY

*Laborers & Neighbors*

HAMBURGERS & HOT DOGS

*Inflatables by JK Tank Rental*

DOOR PRIZES HALF PRICE WRIST BANDS

*Cornhole Tournament*

WHEELING PARK

**10-6**  
AM PM



**ADMISSION** *2 Cans of Food*

FOOD WILL BE DONATED TO CATHOLIC CHARITIES  
& WHEELING SOUP KITCHEN



For More Information Call 304.541.9766 or Email [emolz@wvdsi.net](mailto:emolz@wvdsi.net)





**SAFETY FIRST. . . . .**

**THE SAFE WAY IS  
THE BEST WAY**



**DISTRACTED DRIVING IS ANY ACTIVITY THAT COULD DIVERT A PERSON'S ATTENTION AWAY FROM THE PRIMARY TASK OF DRIVING. ALL DISTRACTIONS ENDANGER DRIVER, PASSENGER, AND BYSTANDER SAFETY. THESE TYPES OF DISTRACTIONS INCLUDE:**

- Texting
- Using a cell phone or smartphone
- Eating and drinking
- Talking to passengers
- Grooming
- Reading, including maps
- Using a navigation system
- Watching a video
- Adjusting a radio, CD player, or MP3 player

But, because text messaging requires visual, manual, and cognitive attention from the driver, it is by far the most alarming distraction.

In 2014, 3,179 people were killed, and 431,000 were injured in motor vehicle crashes involving distracted drivers.

As of December 2014, 169.3 billion text messages were sent in the US every month. (CTIA)

Ten percent of all drivers 15 to 19 years old involved in fatal crashes were reported as distracted at the time of the crashes. This age group has the largest proportion of drivers who were distracted at the time of the crashes. (NHTSA)

Drivers in their 20s are 23 percent of drivers in all fatal crashes, but are 27 percent of the distracted drivers and 38 percent of the distracted drivers who were using cell phones in fatal crashes. (NHTSA)

The percentage of drivers text-messaging or visibly manipulating handheld devices increased from 1.7 percent in 2013 to 2.2 percent in 2014. Since 2007, young drivers (age 16 to 24) have been observed manipulating electronic devices at higher rates than older drivers. (NHTSA)

At any given daylight moment across America, approximately 660,000 drivers are using cell phones or manipulating electronic devices while driving, a number that has held steady since 2010. (NOPUS)

A 2015 Erie Insurance distracted driving survey reported that drivers do all sorts of dangerous things behind the wheel including brushing teeth and changing clothes. The survey also found that one-third of drivers admitted to texting while driving, and three-quarters saying they've seen others do it. (ERIE INSURANCE)

Five seconds is the average time your eyes are off the road while texting. When traveling at 55mph, that's enough time to cover the length of a football field blindfolded. (2009, VTTI)

Smartphone ownership is growing. In 2011, 52 percent of drivers reported owning a smartphone, and by 2014 that number had grown to 80 percent. The greatest increases in smartphone ownership are among adults age 40 and older. (STATE FARM)

More than half (53%) of all adult cellphone owners have been on the giving or receiving end of a distracted walking encounter. (PEW RESEARCH)

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It is imperative that all labor and management affiliates of Project BEST be aware of the importance of this weekly safety reminder page which serves as the vital communication link between the Project BEST Safety Committee and all contributing members, **especially those working in the field**. This safety reminder can be easily copied and distributed via each employer's internal mailing system such as a paycheck envelope or equivalent method. Your assistance in this matter is greatly appreciated. Thank you!