



**AMERICAN SOCIETY OF SAFETY PROFESSIONALS  
Columbia Willamette Chapter  
Mount Saint Helens Section**



**MINUTES  
General Meeting – February 16, 2023**

**Statement of Purpose:** To promote community well-being through representation of its members with regards to employee safety concerns in the business community and promote a safe work environment supportive in its members business and civic activities.

**Members Present:** Rob Dahl, David Tucker, Susan Knowles-Berry, Larry Gunder, Tim Hislop, Matt Strand, Dave McNeil, Bill Wood, Melinda Coker, Tony Howard

**1. Welcome & Introductions**

- a. Meeting was opened at 7:30 a.m.
- b. Members and guests were introduced and shared safety moments for all

**2. Announcements**

- a. OR Governor's Occupational Safety & Health Conference – March 6-9, 2023 – Oregon Conv Ctr
  - i. <https://oregongosh.com/>
- b. MSHS Professional Development Seminar – First Aid/CPR/AED – TBD

**3. Approval of previous minutes**

- a. January minutes were approved as distributed.

**4. Treasurer's report**

- a. Checking: \$295.21
- b. Savings: \$9464.73
- c. Restricted: \$12,857.35
- d. Balance: \$22,617.29

**5. Old Business:**

- a. Discussed PDS for January. Proposed Date / Time did not work out. New date/time yet to be determined. First Aid / CPR / AED
- b. GOSH Sponsor / Volunteer Update – Dave M provided an update to the sponsorships for GOSH as well as the need for volunteer staffing. A schedule was passed for those present to sign up.

**6. New Business:**

- a. No new business to discuss

**7. SPEAKER:** **Tony Howard, Hoffman Construction**, presented on "Serious Injury & Fatality Prevention Programs" and the Hoffman approach to this critical issue.

8. **Good of the Order:** Members present participated in a drawing for various door prizes. All present were able to put their name in the barrel for next meeting. A \$100 drawing was done today from the names of those who attended in January. Josh McCoy was drawn but not present to win.
9. **Meeting Adjournment:** The meeting was adjourned at 9:00 a.m.

**Next Meeting: March 16th      Topic: Heat Illness Prevention**



## 2022- 2023 Speaker Calendar



**Note:** All meetings are from 7:30 am - 9:00 am unless otherwise noted.

When	Where	Speaker	Topic	Coordinator	Status
September 15, 2022	KELSO ELKS	DEDE MONTGOMERY	TOTAL WORKER HEALTH	ROB D	
October 20, 2022	KELSO ELKS	DAVID TUCKER	FIRE PREVENTION PLANNING	ROB D	
November 17, 2022	KELSO ELKS	CHANTEL GORTON	ERGONOMICS “PREPARED”	ROB D	
December 16, 2022	TBD	N/A	HOLIDAY DINNER	CHAIR	
January 19, 2023	KELSO ELKS	ROB DAHL	FIRST AID / CPR & AED PROGRAMS	DAVID T	
February 16, 2023	KELSO ELKS	TONY HOWARD	SERIOUS INJURY & FATALITY PREVENTION	ROB D	
March 16, 2023	KELSO ELKS	TBD	HEAT ILLNESS PREVENTION PROGRAMS	MATT S	
April 20, 2023	KELSO ELKS	TBD	WA L&I POLICY UPDATES	ROB D	
May 18, 2023	KELSO ELKS	ROB D	RISK REDUCTION BY LEADING INDICATORS	ROB D	
June 16, 2023	TBD	Officer Installation Dinner			
July/August 2023	Off – Annual Summer Planning Session – MSHS E-board				