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## PRESIDENTS/CHAPTER MESSAGE

### Rocky Mountain Chapter Signs OSHA Alliance!

On April 3, 2024, the ASSP Rocky Mountain Chapters and the U.S. Department of Labor formed an OSHA Alliance during the annual Professional Development Conference in Longmont, CO.



The Alliance is a great accomplishment and recognizes the value of a collaborative relationship to foster safety and health practices and to improve American workplaces.

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Rocky Mountain Chapter  
Newsletter Editor

## CHAPTER EVENTS

### May 9<sup>th</sup> – Member Meeting

Speaker: TBD

Topic: TBD

Meeting Format: Hybrid

Time: 11:30 am – 1:00 pm

Registration and More Info is forthcoming.

### June 13<sup>th</sup> – Member Meeting

Speaker: TBD

Topic: TBD

Meeting Format: Hybrid

Time: 11:30 am – 1:00 pm

Registration and More Info is forthcoming.

## SAFETY MATTERS

### Rocky Mountain Chapter Nominations and Elections

#### Hurry – Voting Ends Monday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> !

The Rocky Mountain Chapter of ASSP is holding elections for chapter officers for the 2024-2025 year, which begins July 1, 2024.

The official ballot will close on Monday, April 22nd.

**For More Info:** click [here](#)

### Vice President



Steve Monson



Nathan Zdunich

### Secretary



Tyranny Bergin

### Treasurer



Dave Tolbert

## Community Outreach

### 100 Squares FUNdraiser

There are still some tickets left!

Enter for a chance to win a Keola e-bike and help support our charities. \$25 per entry.

Each ticket purchased will be randomly assigned a number. Once 100 tickets “squares” have been sold, a winner will be drawn.

**For More Info:** click [here](#)





### **Seeking Colorado Chapters Volunteers**

Join your Rocky Mountain Chapter (RMC) and other Colorado chapter members alike to help with hosting the annual ASSP 2024 Conference + Expo in Denver. \

We will be making available opportunities for free Expo passes, T-Shirts, a Photo Opportunity and More!

Here are the ways in which you may be able to help society host the upcoming event:

**Booth in the Expo** – Local volunteers staffing a booth on the expo floor to provide information about the chapter experience, and how to connect with our local chapter.

**Mile-High Mixer** – Wednesday night social support. Local volunteers help with wayfinding within the conference to the social event & serve as greeters during the event to help attendees feel welcome and help them make connections to other members.

**Local University/Colleges Outreach** – Local volunteers seek out student relationships or career centers at campuses to invite students to learn more about safety as a career choice.

**Individual Chapter Photo Opportunity** – Local volunteers to ask fellow members to gather for a social event and take a Chapter photo at the conference for a group photo as a fun, easy way to connect with each other.

August 4-6, Pre-Conference Courses

August 7-9, Conference + Expo

[Let us know](#) to express your interest as a Volunteer!

### **ASSP Safety 2024**

The Annual Safety Conference + Expo is Coming to Denver!

August 4-6, Pre-Conference Courses  
August 7-9, Conference + Expo

**Flagship Video** (2 minutes): click [here](#)

**Registration and More Info:** click [here](#)



**SAFETY24**  
CONFERENCE + EXPO

Register Now! August 7-9

**Safety 2024**  
**Denver**



### **BCSP Global Learning Summit 2024**

The Board of Certified Safety Professionals' (BCSP) Global Learning Summit (GLS) will harness the strengths of virtual learning to provide high-quality professional development opportunities at a low cost to professionals engaged with safety around the world.

Date: May 7-9, 2024

Format: Virtual Learning (Remote)

**For More Info:** click [here](#)



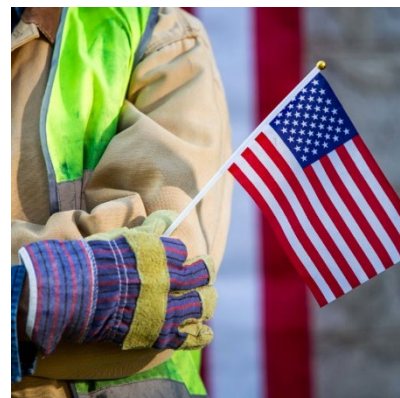
### **Workers Memorial Day Event**

Join us as the U.S. Department of Labor's Occupational Safety and Health Administration and the Mine Safety and Health Administrations hosts multiple events this Workers Memorial Day.

Dates: April 22-25, 2024

Format: Virtually and In-Person at the Frances Perkins Building (200 Constitution Ave NW, Washington, DC 20001)

**For More Info:** click [here](#)





## SOCIAL MEDIA



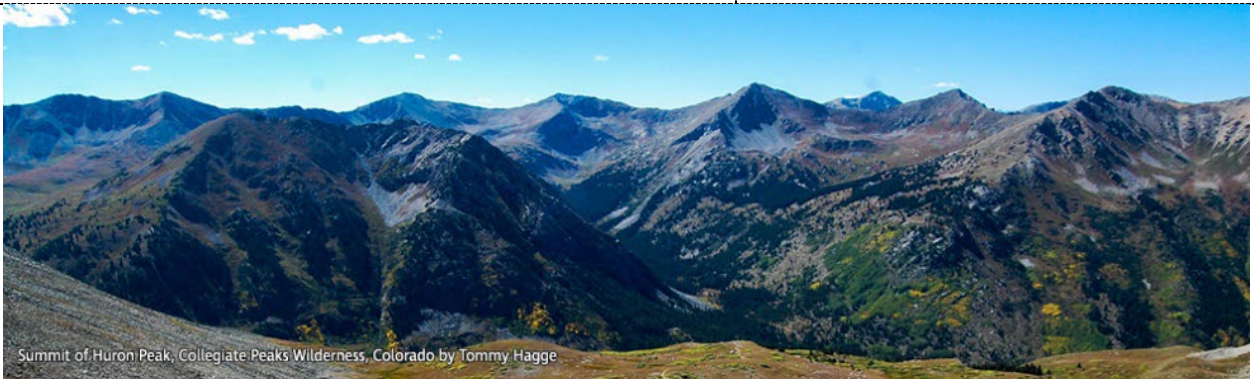
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Rocky Mountain Chapter

<https://rockymountain.assp.org/>

**Welcome!**

To find out about current activities and how you can get involved, please use the [Contact Us page](#) to email the chapter leadership team.



Click [here](#) to  
add RMC on LinkedIn.



Click [here](#) to  
add RMC on Facebook.

## GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS

### OSHA Focus 4 Campaign

Four (4) hazards have accounted for the vast majority of injuries and fatalities in the construction industry.

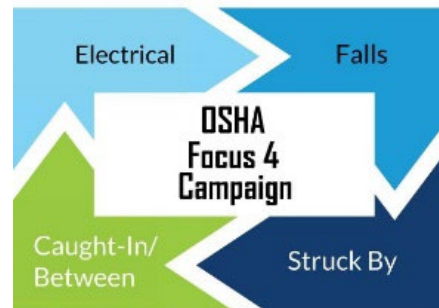
- March – Electrical Hazards
- April – Struck-by Hazards
- May – Fall Hazards
- June – Caught-in/Between

In an effort to prevent future injuries and fatalities, OSHA has initiated a “Focus 4 Hazards” Campaign.

The goal of this campaign is to raise awareness in the recognition, evaluation, and control of these hazards through the delivery of toolbox talks, onsite visits, and hands-on educational sessions for employers and employees.

***Help us spread the word and save a life!***

**For More Info:** click [here](#)

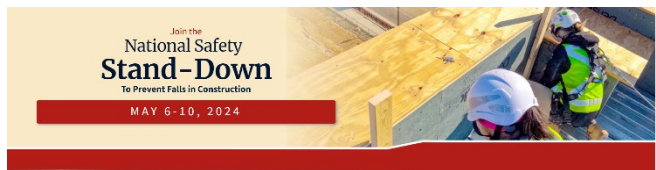


### 11<sup>th</sup> Annual National Safety Stand Down to Prevent Falls

Help us to eliminate fatal falls by joining workers and employers across the country May 6-10 in the National Safety Stand-Down to Prevent Falls.

Anyone who wants to prevent fall hazards can participate. Companies can conduct a Safety Stand-Down by taking a break for a toolbox talk or other safety activity such as conducting safety equipment inspections, developing rescue plans, or discussing job specific hazards.

**For More Info:** click [here](#)



### **OSHA Rule on Employee Representatives during an Inspection**

OSHA posted a Final Rule on the Worker Walkaround Representative Designation Process that will be effective on May 31.

The rule clarifies that a non-employee representative may be reasonably necessary to conduct an effective and thorough inspection based upon skills, knowledge, or experience. The representative(s) authorized by employees may be an employee of the employer or a non-employee third party;

**For More Info:** click [here](#)



### **EPA Safer Communities by Chemical Accident Prevention**

On February 27, 2024, EPA finalized revisions to the Risk Management Program (RMP) to further protect vulnerable communities from chemical accidents, especially those living near facilities in industry sectors with high accident rates.

The final rule includes new safeguards such as identifying safer technologies and chemical alternatives, requiring implementation of safeguard measures in certain cases, more thorough incident investigations, and third-party auditing.

**For More Info:** click [here](#)





## **MEMBERSHIP**

### **Rocky Mountain Chapter Membership**

**357 Members**

#### **Welcome New Members!**

*Charles Canning, Orange Beach AL  
Ryan Dumont, Riverton, UT  
Jeremy George, Fort Collins, CO  
Katy Gonzales, Cheyenne, WY  
Margot Lee, North Canton, OH  
Sabrina Lee, Loveland, CO  
Mai Vigil, Denver, CO  
Sam Warehime, Greeley, CO  
Curtis Boswell, Cheyenne, WY  
Terence Fambro, Colorado Springs, CO  
Lazaro Lopez, Loveland, CO  
Diego Navarro, Denver, CO  
Ciara Norman, Colorado Springs, CO  
Jesse Romanchak, Westminster, CO  
Jamie Shirey, Kansas City, MO  
Neil Temmer, Greeley, CO  
Lucas Wilcox, Cheyenne, WY  
Payton Zierolf, Casper, WY*

#### **Membership Anniversaries**

##### **5-years**

*Karen Godman, Cheyenne, WY  
Brandi Howard, Fort Collins, CO*

##### **10-years**

*David Heller, Englewood, CO*

##### **20-years – Oh My!**

*Steven Cox, Denver, CO*



## Member Accomplishments

### We love to celebrate our Members!

Have you, your company, or someone you know been recently recognized (award, publication, certification, or degree)?

[Let us know](#) so we can spotlight you or your company in an upcoming newsletter!

## Get a New Member!

For every member you recruit to our "Rocky Mountain Chapter" you receive a \$10 gift card, so [let us know](#).

Get two (2) or more members for bigger rewards. **More info:** click [here](#)

## MEMBER get a MEMBER

**JOIN US!**  
**INVITE**  
Invite fellow OHS professionals to join the ASSP Rocky Mountain Chapter.

**SHARE**  
Share how your ASSP membership has benefited you. Don't forget to mention the educational meetings, networking opportunities and friendships made!

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**REWARD**  
The more members you recruit, the more rewards you earn: including gift cards, free webinars, and a chance at winning a free trip to Safety 2022!

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES



## Job Openings

[Commercial Lines Account Executive](#)

[Senior Risk Manager](#)

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