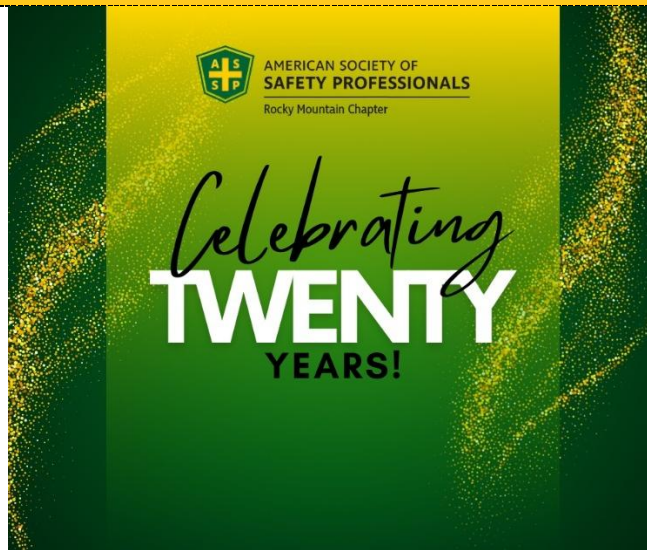


April Newsletter

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PRESIDENTS/CHAPTER MESSAGE



In recent months, we have led our Chapter Updates with our ASSP commitment:

WE ARE

the community that protects people, property and the environment.

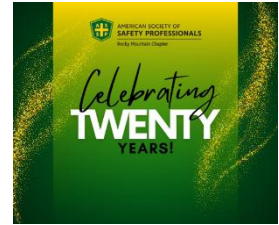
WE BELIEVE

that safety, health and well-being are the inherent right of every worker.

WE ARE ASSP



Now in our 20th year and growing our base in Northern Colorado-Wyoming to include membership from across the state, region and nation, we're proud to be helping our members learn, network and grow as professionals.



As part of that effort, we are encouraging everyone to join Society's effort to support NIOSH at this critical juncture in its history as the federal institute responsible for conducting research and making recommendations for the prevention of work-related injury and illness.

Please take a moment to click on the links below to read up on Society's position, and consider taking action by reaching out to your local senator and/or representative to request their support as well.

Take Action: Support NIOSH

With the recent news regarding significant cuts to NIOSH, we're encouraging ASSP members, as well as anyone who values the role of worker safety, to contact their congressional representatives to express support for the agency. To help make your voice heard, we've created a template to assist you in crafting a personal message included on our [position statement](#) share your voice section. [Find your members of Congress](#)

PLEASE JOIN US WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23RD FOR A SPECIAL SESSION!
Jennifer McNelly, Society's CEO will present on the 2025 Corporate Listening Tour – Tackling Today's Safety Challenges.
Jennifer's content will focus on today's C-Suite Pain Points, and what role Safety Professionals can play in addressing those concerns from a business perspective.

See details and a link to register for this FREE breakfast session below!

Stay Safe and Well,

Dona Leonard / President

Steve Monson / Vice-President / President-/Elect



CHAPTER EVENTS



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Rocky Mountain Chapter

APRIL - JUNE 2025

CHAPTER EVENTS CALENDAR

**16
APRIL**

REGION 2 SUPER MEETING

- Virtual - A CSHO Lived Experience

**23
APRIL**

SPECIAL WEDNESDAY SESSION

- Tackling Today's Safety Challenges w.
Jennifer McNelly, ASSP's Chief Executive Officer

**8
MAY**

MAY MEMBER MEETING

- Hybrid - Guided Tour of the BLS Website - How to
use site maps and tools for a deep dive into the data

**10
MAY**

VOLUNTEER EVENT

- Larimer County Food Bank Volunteer Event

**12
JUNE**

JUNE MEMBER MEETING

- Technical Tour at Rawhide Energy Station

**14
JUNE**

SUMMER PICNIC & CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT!



This schedule is updated on a monthly basis.

Stay up-to-date with our events by visiting the
Rocky Mountain Chapter website!

SPECIAL WEDNESDAY SESSION

Executive Presentation

APRIL 23, 2025

TOPIC

Tackling Today's Safety Challenges

Jennifer McNelly, CEO of ASSP, will lead this special **Wednesday morning** session exploring the evolving landscape of workplace safety and critical challenges organizations face. Based on ASSP's 2025 Corporate Listening Tour, attendees will gain insights on OSH trends shaping the workforce and how to engage safety teams for strategic collaboration and alignment.

DETAILS

MEETING FORMAT:
Hybrid

MEETING TIME:
8:00 am - 10:00 am

LOCATION:
MSC Safety Solutions
4020 Kodiak Ct, Longmont, CO 80504



Jennifer McNelly
ASSP CEO



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No Fee to Attend! Seating Limited to 30!

Breakfast sponsored by INNOVISE Business Consultants

REGISTER TODAY!

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

Treasurer



*Dave Tolbert, CSP
Regional Safety Director,
CSUSA*

Secretary



*Ivanna Butenschoen
EHS Engineer
Seagate Technology*

Rocky Mountain Chapter Elections

The Rocky Mountain Chapter election will be held via E-ballot beginning May 5th and running through May 19th.

Please watch your email for that ballot and cast your vote.

Information about the nominees can be found on our Website [here](#)

If you have any questions, please reach out to our [Nominations & Elections Chair](#).

Rocky Mountain Chapter SPY Nominations

The Chapter Safety Professional of the Year (SPY) Award is a long-established annual award, intended to recognize a deserving Rocky Mountain Chapter member for outstanding leadership and service in the Safety Profession.

Nominate a local superbly talented and amazing safety professional who rocks it every day!

Applications are due May 30, 2025.

Applications are now open! click [here](#)



MAY MEMBER MEETING

MAY 08, 2025

TOPIC

Guided Tour of the BLS Website – How to use site maps and tools for a deep dive into the data

Join us in-person or virtually for our May Member Meeting where Julie Percival, PhD, Bureau of Labor Statistics, will present a " Guided Tour of the BLS Website- How to Use Site Maps and Tools for a Deep Dive into the Data.

DETAILS

MEETING FORMAT:
Hybrid

MEETING TIME:
11:30 am - 1:00 pm

LOCATION:
High Country Beverage
4200 Ronald Reagan Blvd,
Johnstown, CO, 80534



Julie Percival, PhD
Bureau of Labor Statistics



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

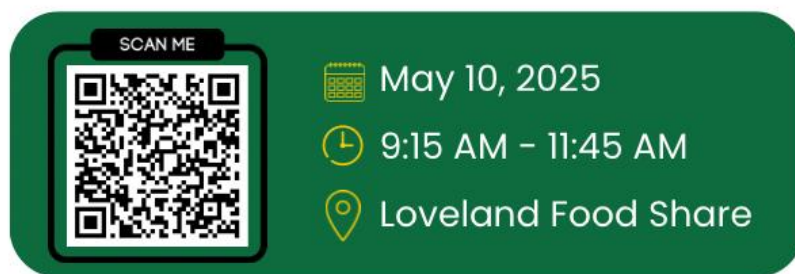


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VOLUNTEER WITH US!

Join us for our upcoming volunteer event supporting the Larimer County Food Bank! Friends and family are welcome.



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

JUNE MEMBER MEETING

JUNE 12, 2025

TOPIC

Technical Tour - Rawhide Energy Station

Join us for a technical tour at Platte River Power Authority's Rawhide Energy Station.



DETAILS

Check registration link for specific tour notes

MEETING FORMAT:
In-Person

MEETING TIME:
1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

LOCATION:
Rawhide Energy Station
2700 E County Road 82,
Wellington, Colorado, 80549



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

SUMMER PICNIC & CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT



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**SATURDAY,
JUNE 14, 2025**

**FROM
11 AM - 2 PM**

TWIN SILO PARK

5552-5564 Ziegler Rd,
Fort Collins, Colorado, 80528

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

SAFETY MATTERS

Student Section

Mountain & Plains ERC Research Day

The MAP ERC invites you to join the annual Research Day Symposium – Wednesday, **April 23, 2025**

For More Info: click [MAP Research Day](#)



MOUNTAIN & PLAINS ERC

A NIOSH Education and Research Center for
Occupational & Environmental Health & Safety

Become a BCSP Ambassador

Are you an outspoken safety advocate who encourages others to achieve safety certification?

The BCSP Ambassador program engages select volunteers among BCSP credential holders to represent BCSP at events and speaking engagements that include other stakeholders in the safety, health, and environmental (SH&E) field.

Applications are being accepted through Wednesday, **April 30, 2025**.

For More Info: click [here](#)



Become a BCSP Ambassador



ANSI/ASSP Fall Protection and Restraint Implementation Course

Working at height is risky, but in this Stand Up for Standards 2-hour webinar on May 8th led by ANSI/ASSP Z359 and ASSP experts, you'll gain valuable insights on fall protection best practices, key requirements and OSHA compliance. Your registration includes all the standards in the Z359 Fall Protection Code.

For More Info: click [here](#)



Career Development Grants

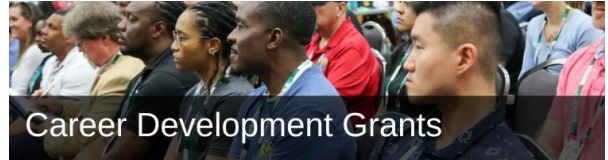
Since 1990, the ASSP Foundation has awarded more than \$6 million in academic scholarships and Career Development Grants to occupational safety and health students and professionals working towards their educational goals.

Career Development Grants are available for individuals within the occupational safety and health field (either students or professionals) who need financial support for certification expenses, conference attendance, webinar attendance, workshop attendance, and similar professional development support.

To Donate or Apply for a Grant: click [here](#)



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Career Development Grants

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To learn more about what we are doing, please visit our Website, Join Us on Social Media, or [Contact Us](#) to see how you can get involved.







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The RMC is always looking for reputable organizations to sponsor meetings. There are four sponsorship levels with corresponding benefits. **For More Info:** [click here](#)

 BRONZE LEVEL	- \$400	One Member Meeting (catering) <u>or</u> One Table at the Member Appreciation Event (portion of catering - 5 Tables available for sponsorship) - Brand placement at Event, Introduction at Event, and One-Month Sponsor Thank-You with Logo on our Sponsorship Page - same Month as event sponsored.
 SILVER SPONSOR	- \$800	OSHA 10-hour Certification for students (General Industry or Construction) and Two-Month Sponsor Thank-You with Logo on our Sponsorship Page.
 GOLD LEVEL	- \$1,200	Premium Placement at Member Appreciation Event and Three-Month Sponsor Thank-You with Logo on our Sponsorship Page
 Platinum Level	- \$1,600	Sponsor of the Year- Sponsor a Region 2 Super Meeting hosted by Rocky Mountain Chapter (Brand visibility throughout the Western US) and Twelve-Month Sponsor Thank-You with Logo on our Sponsorship Page

GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS

New OSHA Leadership

On April 2, 2025 OSHA welcomed Lori Chavez-DeRemer as the 30th United States Secretary of Labor. With more than two decades of public service, she has focused on strengthening communities, supporting workers and driving economic growth. "I'm prepared to work with business and labor, and with every agency across this department, to ensure our priorities reflect the needs of America's workforce," said Secretary Chavez-DeRemer.

For More Info: click [here](#)



Lori Chavez-DeRemer

New EPA Region 8 Administrator

On February 17, 2025 the U.S. EPA announced that President Donald J. Trump has appointed Cyrus M. Western to serve as the EPA Region 8 administrator.

As regional administrator, Western will lead the implementation of the administration's environmental agenda priorities in Colorado, Utah, Wyoming, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota and with 28 federally-recognized Tribes.

For More Info: click [here](#)



Cyrus M. Western

ASSP Remembers Deadly Fire That Spurred Workplace Safety

On March 17, 2025, the American Society of Safety Professionals (ASSP), remembers that workplace safety and health became national news 114 years ago next week when the Triangle Shirtwaist Factory fire in New York City led to the deaths of 146 garment workers — primarily women and girls as young as 14 years old — in 1911. The incident in lower Manhattan is still the deadliest industrial disaster in New York City history.

For More Info: click [here](#)



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Report Identifies Corporate Themes That Shape Workplace Safety

On March 25, 2025, the American Society of Safety Professionals (ASSP), has published the fourth installment of a corporate safety insight report that contains firsthand views and experiences of business leaders from all industries. Environmental health and safety (EHS) professionals can use these key observations to make strategic decisions that drive improvements at their companies and around the globe.

For More Info: click [here](#)



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MEMBERSHIP

Rocky Mountain Chapter Membership

We are at 398 members and growing!

Welcome New Members!

*Carmen Herrera, Windsor, CO
Chad Lippincott, Johnstown, CO
Yessica Martinez, Fort Collins, CO
Hillary Moore-Embry, Fort Collins, CO
Matt Stine, Loveland, CO*

Membership Anniversaries

5-years

*Donald Archibald, Boulder, CO
Heather Gutierrez, Englewood, CO*

20-years

Matthew Ogle, Denver, CO



Member Spotlights

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

[Let us know](#) so we can spotlight someone in an upcoming newsletter!

Get a New Member!

For every member you recruit to our Chapter you receive an award; [Contact Us](#) to receive your gift.

For More info: click [here](#)

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CAREER OPPORTUNITIES



Job Openings

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