Metro



Board Report

Los Angeles County
Metropolitan Transportation
Authority
One Gateway Plaza
3rd Floor Board Room
Los Angeles, CA

File #: 2015-1106, File Type: Informational Report Agenda Number: 29.

CONSTRUCTION COMMITTEE SEPTEMBER 17, 2015

SUBJECT: SAFETY REPORT ON CRENSHAW/LAX PROJECT

ACTION: RECEIVE AND FILE

RECOMMENDATION

RECEIVE AND FILE the monthly report on Crenshaw/LAX safety.

ISSUE

The Metro Board of Directors at its April 30, 2015 meeting directed Metro Staff to report monthly on safety-related matters on the Crenshaw/LAX project. This report is responsive to the Board directive, and represents the fourth of such reports, with the latest report submitted in July 2015.

DISCUSSION

This monthly report provides an update on safety related issues and activities on the Crenshaw/LAX project for the months of June and July 2015. The details of these issues and activities are shown in Attachment A.

ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A - Safety Report on Crenshaw/LAX Project - September 2015

Prepared by: James Brown, Director, Construction Safety, (213) 922-4223

Reviewed by: Greg Kildare, Executive Director, Risk, Safety and Asset Management

(213) 922-4971

Phillip A. Washington Chief Executive Officer

WSCC's Safety Update on Crenshaw/LAX Project

Construction Committee Meeting
September 17, 2015
Greg Kildare, Executive Director
Risk, Safety, and Asset Management



Injury Incidents – June/July 2015

- Project-to-Date Total Recordables = 13
- •Six (6) of the thirteen (13) recordable incidents were restricted/modified duty
- •WSCC reported three (3) recordable incidents in June (fractured ankle, finger laceration and puncture wound)
- •WSCC reported three (3) recordable incidents in July (shoulder strain, fractured finger and heat related illness)

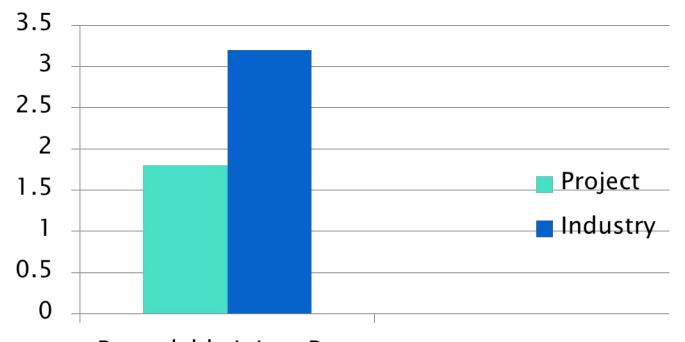
Metro/WSCC Joint Safety Activities

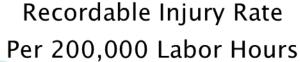
- WSCC's Project Manager and Metro's Executive of Risk, Safety, and Asset Management conducted safety audits on July 1st, 24th, and August 14th.
- Metro participated in WSCC's Tool-Box Safety meetings on July 6th and 13th.
- Metro participated in WSCC's Executive Safety meeting on July 24th.
- WSCC's Executive Management participated in Metro's All Hands Safety meeting on July 30th.



Project To Date Recordable Injury Rate – June/July 2015

- Project-to-Date Work Hours (1,423,680)
- Rate per 200,000 Labor Hours: 1.8
- National Heavy Construction Rate (2013): 3.2

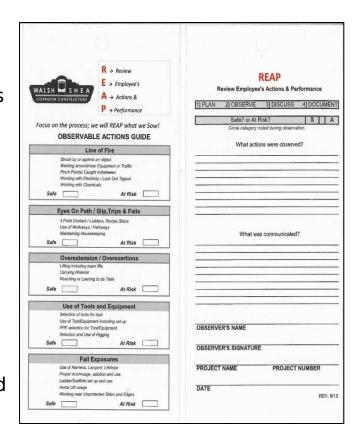






Other Safety Efforts

- WSCC implemented mitigation safety measures such as an internal monitoring program (Review Employee's Actions & Performance-REAP) where supervisors plan, observe, discuss and document safe/risk work activities; Disciplinary Action and Safety Training.
- WSCC's supervisors are required to complete one REAP report on a weekly basis.
- WSCC's supervisors completed 189 REAPs in June.
- WSCC shared employee and subcontractor discipline data. Four (4) employees were disciplined in June and one (1) employee was disciplined in July for violating safety procedures.
- WSCC safety staff now number 15, including Gas Testers and EMTs.





Metro Safety Efforts

- Metro is currently working to fill additional Metro Safety staff positions approved in the FY16 budget.
- In the interim, consultant safety staff are being used to augment contract compliance activities.
- Consultant safety staff will be released as each vacancy is filled via the on-going recruitment process.

