

City of St. Paul
Labor/Management Safety Committee Minutes
from April 7, 2010

Present: Chris Cowen, John Ross, Tom Perrier, Mike Dufour, Mike Dreis, Catherine Grilz, Mark Cahill, Derek Hollanitsch, Tom Vail, John F. Blackstone, Glen Kadrlík, Bill Gunter, Keith Morehead, Mary Jo Kiewel, Pat Gerlach, Ron Hauth, Lyn Waldorf, Jean Karpe, Jack Serier, Tom Bosman, David Schuler, Lorrie Brown.

The committee met at the Police Headquarters and Central District Offices - 367 Grove Street. This was the first Labor Management Safety Committee "site" meeting.

Assistant Chief Matt Bostrom gave a brief introduction and overview of the Police Department structure.

Mayor Coleman gave a brief presentation on the importance of the Safety Committee's work and read the proclamation to designate June as National Safety Month in St. Paul. Pictures were taken with the Mayor and committee members that were present. The Proclamation and photos will be posted on the website in June.

Safety Committee meeting commenced.

Tom Bosman will replace Ron Edlund, who retired, as the Public Works Safety Representative. Catherine Grilz is representing local 70, operating engineers, on the committee.

Reviewed and approved minutes from the March 3, 2010 meeting.

The Safety Website had received an anonymous suggestion and a response had been posted. There was an inappropriate submittal, but safety precautions have been implemented to prevent future issues.

The Libraries Department will be starting their safety subcommittee.

The Police Department will be starting their safety subcommittee at the end of April and will be meeting quarterly.

Ron Hauth gave a brief update on the Parks safety subcommittee.

The next meeting will be at the SPRWS offices.

Mary Jo Kiewel stated that the minutes from the subcommittees should be submitted and would be posted on the website.

Meeting was adjourned. Site tour commenced.