

# CAWP WEEKLY

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May 1, 2023



## Safety Stand Down, Construction Safety Week and Mental Health Month Begin TODAY!

Are you prepared to participate in two upcoming national safety-focused programs May 1-5 and Mental Health Awareness Month? Visit the [CAWP Stand-Down](#) page for information on all three initiatives.

### **National Safety Stand-Down**

A Safety Stand-Down is a voluntary event for employers to talk directly to employees about job hazards, protective methods, safety policies and goals. It can also serve as an opportunity for employees to talk about fall hazards -- and other job hazards -- that they see.

### **Construction Safety Week**

Hosting a Safety Week event is an engaging way for your team to celebrate safety where you work.

### **Mental Health Awareness Month**

May has been designated as Mental Health Month for more than 70 years. This year, the campaign is focused on how surroundings impact mental health, and individuals are called to *look around, look within*. In an effort to raise awareness of mental health within the construction industry, CAWP partnered with Youturn health to present Safety on the Inside, a discussion of how mental health struggles effect individuals, safety on the jobsite, and how

you can help.

Visit CAWP's 2023 National Safety Stand-Down & Construction Safety Week site for more information on participating in these programs, to view Safety on the Inside, and to share your photos.

## CAWP STAND-DOWN SITE



## CAWP Partners with the Builders Guild to Host OJT Recruitment Event

We know that it is difficult to recruit candidates to fill PennDOT On-the-Job Trainee (OJT) positions on projects. As a result, CAWP is teaming up with the Builders Guild to host an event that will provide our contractors the opportunity to meet and interview possible OJT candidates.

The recruitment session will take place on Saturday, May 13 from 9 am to 12 pm at the Penn Hills Fire Department Station #227, 125 Universal Road, Penn Hills, PA 15235. The event is being promoted to various community-based organizations located in and around Allegheny County. In addition, representatives of the Laborers' Union will be on hand to assist in getting selected candidates entered into their apprenticeship program.

If your company is interested in participating in this event, please register below.

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REGISTRATION



## ICYMI: Work Zone Awareness Week a Success!

The 2023 National Work Zone Awareness Week took place



April 17-21 with the theme “**You play a role in work zone safety. Work with us.**” CAWP participated in this national initiative to educate the traveling public once again about the deadly dangers of inattention at highway work areas.

CAWP would like to thank the following member companies for submitting photos of their participating in National Work Zone Awareness Week:

**The Beaver Excavating Company**

**B&K Enterprises**

**Crews Control**

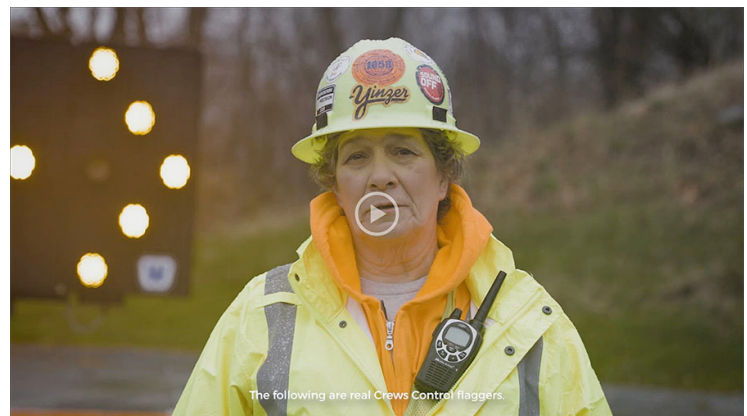
**Donegal Construction Corporation**

**Charles J. Merlo, Inc.**

**Francis J. Palo, Inc.**

**Rae-Lyn Enterprises, Inc.**

The Association would like to give a special shout out to **Crews Control** for producing powerful and informative videos during their NWZAW activities.





If your company participated in National Work Zone Awareness Week, you can still submit your photos for the gallery at the below link.

[VIEW PHOTOS](#)

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## 2023 WORK ZONE AWARENESS SURVEY



## Help AGC Improve Highway Work Zone Safety by Completing the 2023 Highway Work Zone Safety Survey by Friday, May 12

*AGC and survey partner HCSS will use survey results to urge motorists to be careful during the summer travel season.*

AGC of America and its survey partner, [HCSS](#), are asking all highway and transportation members to help improve work zone safety by completing this brief [survey](#). AGC wants to collect information on the number, severity, impacts and potential solutions to highway work zone crashes. The results of this survey will be used for a media and public education campaign AGC will launch the week before Memorial Day to encourage motorists to be more careful in work zones.

Please take a few minutes to complete this important highway work zone safety survey **by May 12th**. Contact Brian Turmail at 703-459-0238 or [brian.turmail@agc.org](mailto:brian.turmail@agc.org)



with any questions, comments or concerns about this survey and AGC's plans to use it to promote highway work zone safety.

## SURVEY

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

May 1-5  
**Safety Stand-Down**

May 26  
**CLC Sporting Clays**

### **RECENT BULLETINS**

April 19  
Drug & Alcohol Abuse  
Program  
**CAWP Labor Bulletin**  
**#08-23**  
*(Member Account Needed)*

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