

The Northern Ohio Chapter of the American Society of Safety Engineers (ASSE, Society) is committed to providing professional development to individuals engaged in the practice of protecting people and the environment. The Chapter is an extension of a global Society.

The Northern Ohio Chapter will support the Long Range Plan developed by Society and will organize, implement and maintain the following objectives in Membership, Professional Development, Government Affairs & Standards, and Image & Awareness.

## Membership

**Objective** Evaluate membership interest in sectioning Ohio members who used to be part of Penn-Ohio Chapter.

**Steps/Metric** Conduct a survey of those members to evaluate interest (by 12/31/11). Next steps TBD by survey results.

**Objective** Outreach to Construction Industry.

**Steps/Metric** Identify local construction trade organizations and establish a program to offer free safety presentations for them  $\geq 1$ /yr. (Establish program by 12/31/11).

## Professional Development

**Objective** Offer “tracks” (e. g. management, technical info, etc.) at PDC’s.

**Steps/Metric** Start PDC planning (poll for topics, etc.) by 5/1 every year to allow for expanded scope.

**Objective** Formalize a system for offering COC’s for all Chapter Dinners. Determine if other organizations are similarly simple.

**Steps/Metric** Formal system for COC’s in place by 3/10/11 dinner, and used for all. Add others as applicable by 12/31/11.

**Objective** Evaluate interest in an All-Ohio (or more regional) PDC.

**Steps/Metric** Contact Presidents of other Chapters by 1/1/12. Next steps based on interest level.

### Government Affairs & Standards

**Objective** Meet with new OSHA Area Director and establish communication system.

**Steps/Metric** Meet with Howard Ebert by 9/1/11 and participate in systems he establishes – communicate to all members.

**Objective** Develop a connection in Columbus for tracking a State activity.

**Steps/Metric** Get a volunteer to start this activity by 9/1/11.

### Image & Awareness

**Objective** Present at more high school career days.

**Steps/Metric** E-mail to members asking for contacts at their local high schools in May. Volunteers to make contacts at beginning of next school year and match presenters with interested schools.

**Objective** Evaluate advertising/sponsorship/Chapter nights with local sports teams.

**Steps/Metric** Volunteer to collect information by 12/31/11.

**Objective** Evaluate costs for a Northern Ohio ASSE table-top display (to be used at various marketing events).

**Steps/Metric** Volunteer to collect information by 9/1/11 and present for 2012 budget approval.