

## Redwood Safety Association

### Purpose...

To provide opportunities to promote and improve safety understanding for employees, employers, and the general public in the geographical area surrounding Grants Pass, Oregon.

### Objective...

To provide

- Develop and/or promote educational programs for obtaining the knowledge required to perform the function of a safety professional.
- Develop and/or disseminate locally, information and materials that will carry out the purpose of the Association, and serve the public.
- Provide networking opportunities and support forums for the interchange and acquisition of knowledge among its members and the community.
- To foster liaison with local organizations or related disciplines.
- To conduct its affairs in a manner that will reflect the standard, purposes and objectives of the Association.

### Why join...

Meet and collaborate with others who share your goals to provide a safe and healthy workplace.

- Access to vast resources of knowledge and expertise.
- Join a group of professionals who are committed to continually improve safety & health of the community and their workplaces.

### Meetings...

General meetings are held the first Thursday of each month online through the RSA website. Membership is not required to attend.

- Monthly presentations cover a variety of safety and health topics
- Provides great opportunity to network and share your successes and challenges.

## Redwood Safety Association Operating Board

The 2019 Redwood Safety Association Operating Board consists of volunteer representatives who are responsible for the operation and management of the Association.

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[www.redwoodsafety.org](http://www.redwoodsafety.org)

**Promoting safety and health  
cooperation and understanding  
among employees, employers,  
and the general public...**

**Meets First Thursday of  
Every Month**

**12:00 noon -1:00 pm**

**Virtual Zoom Meeting**

**Go to our web page for the monthly  
topic and link to join the meeting.**

<https://www.redwoodsafety.org/>

## Who we are...

The Redwood Safety Association is a non-profit organization comprised of employees, employer representatives, governmental agencies, and others who want to promote the understanding and cooperation of safety and health.

## Membership

Open but not limited to individuals in the Grants Pass geographical area who would like to have an opportunity to promote safety and health in the workplace, their communities, and at home.

To learn more about becoming a member of the Redwood Safety Association please contact any of the board members listed on this brochure.

## What we do...

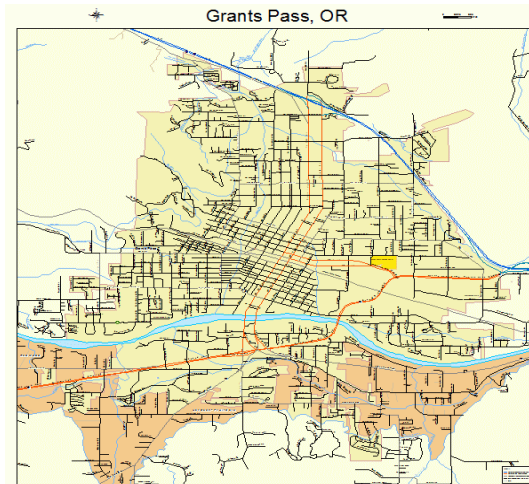
In fulfilling the purposes of a mutual benefit organization, the Redwood Safety Association provides training, networking, and mentoring opportunities. Involvement with the Association offers an opportunity to assist local companies, organizations and the community.

## Resources to Remember

Take advantage of these great resources. The websites are filled with great information on rules, regulations, and training.

- American Red Cross - Southern Oregon Chapter  
541-779-3773
- Grants Pass Police Dept. | Operations Bureau  
541 450-6260 non-emergency | 911 emergency
- NIOSH: [www.cdc.gov/niosh](http://www.cdc.gov/niosh) | 1-800-232-4636  
Southern Oregon OSHA office | 541-776-6030  
| [www.orosha.org](http://www.orosha.org)

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### Serving Grants Pass, Oregon

## Safety & Health Conferences

The Redwood Safety Association encourages those interested in promoting safety and health to attend safety conferences.

- January – Central Oregon Building Association Construction Summit, Bend, OR
- March (odd years) – Governor’s Occupational Safety & Health Conference, Portland, OR
- March (even years) – Cascade Occupational Safety & Health Conference, Eugene, OR
- June – Blue Mountain Occupational Safety & Health Conference, Pendleton, OR
- September – Central Oregon Occupational Safety & Health Conference, Bend, OR
- October – Southern Oregon Occupational Safety & Health Conference, Medford, OR

For more information: 1-888-292-5247

<http://www.cbs.state.or.us/osha/conferences/index.html>

## UPCOMING SAFETY TOPICS

The Redwood Safety Association schedules out presentations several months in advance. Topics are chosen based on interest and requests from the membership. Many of the training sessions turn into networking discussions.

The Association brings in various speakers each month to cover safety, health, ergonomic and human resource related topics. The RSA can provide a Training Certificate, signed by the instructor(s) for those who need to document their safety and health training.

## OSHA Training Sessions

Oregon OSHA also offers online classes in

- Accident Investigation,
- Ergonomics for Everyone,
- Fall Protection,
- Hazardous Communication Aligned with GHS,
- Hazard Identification and Control,
- Inspections: What to Expect from OSHA

For a look at several others, go to

<http://www.orosha.org/education.html>