



Newsletter

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OSHA Inspections & Attitude

On Friday, June 14th OSHA visited our Hilton Garden Inn project in Brookfield and performed an unscheduled inspection on all contractors, including Corner Stone. On Tuesday June 25th I got a call from the Milwaukee OSHA office and spoke with the inspector. He first explained that Corner Stone was doing a nice job in regards to safety and OSHA was not pursuing any citations. GREAT NEWS! But the other part of the conversation turned out to be just as significant as no citations. The inspector went out of his way to comment on the professional level of conduct by the crew and the foreman during the investigation, stating they were "very helpful and courteous".

First of all I want to personally thank those guys for taking care of business on the safety end. With hydros, fall protection, and other contractor's cranes flying in wall sections for each floor level – there was more than enough exposure to hazards to warrant a citation had we not done our job. But I don't want to speed past our attitude during the inspection without giving thanks as well. If that crew had shown the OSHA inspector negative attitude,

he wouldn't have walked away without finding something to cite us for.

YOUR ATTITUDE MATTERS! Attitude is the invisible driving force behind the way we live our lives. Attitude lies behind our thought patterns. It determines how we view our world, what we think, what we do, what we don't do, what we pay attention to, and what we choose to ignore. Literally every facet of our lives is greatly influenced by attitude. What makes a company a great place to work isn't about pay or stability; it is the attitude of the people you interact with each day.

The thing to remember about attitude is you have the power to decide if you have a positive or negative attitude. If you go home tonight expecting to get into a fight with your wife, guess what...you're getting into a fight with your wife! So when obstacles arise on the job, don't sweat the small stuff and try to keep a positive outlook on the situation. Subtle changes in attitude will yield great results.

Keep up the great work! Every day we continue to grow and reinforce the fact that we are a great team and company.

Around the Water Cooler

Congratulations to our team additions:
Bricklayers – Jim Robertson & 1st yr
Apprentice Ridge Roussel

Upcoming Work

Below is a list of signed contracts for current and upcoming work:

- Upland Hills Health - Dodgeville
- Olbrich Botanical Gardens Expansion Phase 1 - Madison
- Ronald McDonald House – Madison
- VA Hospital Food Production
- Brookfield Square Mall Expansion
- Lake Country Restaurant - Baraboo
- International Crane - Baraboo
- Hilton Garden Inn – Brookfield
- Walnut Street Flats – Reedsburg
- ABC Supply new Office Building
- Delavan Public Works Facility
- Festival Foods – Verona
- Westside Community Bldg – Sun Prairie
- Columbus Hospital Addition
- Oak Park Place Addition – Janesville
- Asbury Church Addition – Janesville
- Mercy Hybrid OR Addition – Janesville
- GHC Sauk Clinic Addition – Madison
- Zimbrick Audi Addition – Madison
- Catalent Pharma Phase 1 – Madison
- Madison Youth Performing Arts Center – Madison
- Verizon MSC Addition – New Berlin

