

## Florida Crane Safety Alliance introduces Florida's First Annual Crane Safety Stand-Down

**In a bold move, several Construction Industry leaders created an alliance with OSHA, with a mission of creating safer Crane and Rigging working environments. Their first mission is the Crane Safety Stand-down.**

### What is the Crane Safety Stand-Down?

The Stand-Down is a meeting implemented by organizations to educate their staff on Crane and Rigging safety awareness.

### What are the benefits of the Stand-Down?

- A staff that is aware of safety risks and hazards is better prepared to avoid accidents
- May help reduce costs associated with accidents and hazards
- May reduce down-time associated with Crane accidents

### How do we implement a Stand-Down?

The Florida Crane Safety Alliance provides tips on creating a Safety Stand-Down. Click here to open a presentation with best practice ideas. (PPT Hyperlink)

### What are some Stand-Down topics?

- Crane Operations
- Crane Setup
- Rigging and Operating Conditions
- Energized Power Lines

### When is the Stand-Down?

November 4, 2009, 7:00 – 8:00 am

### Coming Soon From the Florida Crane Safety Alliance:

The Florida Crane Safety Alliance introduces the Rigging Awareness 101 course, the first of a four part educational series.

This 8-hour course will arm participants with the necessary safety knowledge to work safely with and around Cranes and Rigging.

The four education modules include:

- Rigging and Signaling
- Proper Crane Set Up
- Crane Inspections
- Operator Qualifications.

The courses begin early 2010.

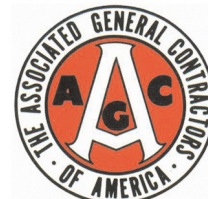
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