

Whether you are employed by a private company, a business owner, or work for a public agency, you and your co-workers can benefit greatly from attending this safety conference.

The purpose of this event is to enhance workplace hazard recognition and strengthen a culture of workplace safety, thereby reducing employee injuries and illnesses.

While these conferences are intended for hourly employees, we encourage all companies to also send members of their safety committees, supervisors or managers with safety responsibilities, and any others who might benefit from basic safety training. Nursing home administrators and nurses may also use this training for continuing education purposes.

The registration fee of \$25 covers lunch and conference materials. Pre-registration is encouraged, as this allows the event organizers to plan accordingly. Cancellations will be accepted until two days prior to the conference and substitutions are permitted.

All Major Credit Cards Accepted



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Workers' Safety CONFERENCE

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Theme: Building Safety Forward



Little Rock Jacksonville March 12, 2026

Parks and Recreation Center
5 Municipal Drive
Jacksonville, AR 72076



Little Rock Jacksonville

AGENDA



Workers' Safety Conference ~ Registration Form ~

Little Rock/Jacksonville
March 12, 2026

7:15 am: Registration

7:45am: Opening:
Sherree Bynum, Little Rock Water Reclamation Authority, and Daryl Bassett,
Secretary ADLL

8:05am: Patriotic Period

8:10am: Clark Thomas Safety Award 2026: Michael Marrs, J.A. Riggs

8:20am: Introduction of Vendors

8:35am: OSHA Overview: John Wolfe, U.S. Dept. of Labor/OSHA
This presentation will cover the overall functions of the OSHA program.

9:10am: Break/(Hands on search and find)
Each attendee will be given time to look at items to determine what hazards exist and record those hazards. (a gift will be given out to the one who finds the most)

9:25am: How to Lead When You Are Not in Charge: Bryan Lamb, BadBoy Mowers
This presentation will establish that front-line workers have more influence than management and illustrate 5 ways to lead safety with authority. "Small actions create big culture changes!"

10:05am: Break/(Hands on search and find)

10:15am: Effective Onboarding and When to Follow Up: LaShunda Briggs, L'Oreal
This presentation will address steps that should be taken at the initial hiring that will help to assimilate the potential workers on how to work safely and when to follow up with their employee to make sure they have maintained the initial on boarding information.

10:55am: Stand-Up Break

11:00am: Value of Employee: Michael Marrs, J.A. Riggs
This presentation will highlight the role employees play to help employers become successful.

11:45am: Lunch

12:30pm: Hurry Up to Get Hurt: Keneasha Scott, K Scott Consults, LLC
This presentation will define the "Hurry Syndrome" and equip participants with tools to navigate it to slow the hurry, thus reducing the risks of rushing. "If we can halt the hurry, we can reduce the rush!"

1:15pm: Break

1:30pm: Panel: Trust Before Rules: Sherree Bynum, Facilitator
This panel discussion will highlight how to build trust that will create an environment where rules are received and embraced.

2:30pm: Adjourn

Participant Name

Company Name

Company Mailing Address

City, State, Zip

Phone

E-mail Address

Please check the appropriate circle(s):

Hourly Employee Management

Exhibitor Temp. Worker

Check this circle if you require any special Is your company:
 Union / Non-Union

Public Sector

Complete one form for each attendee and return with check or money order payable to:
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Registration Fee: (Please Check One)

In Person - \$25.00

Zoom - \$25.00

Registration Fee: EXHIBITORS -\$30

A \$10 late fee will be applied to registrations & payments received after March 6, 2026.

To register online, go to
www.labor.arkansas.gov/online-services & click
"SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES"

*add \$1.25 for online registration