

IAAP “Rock Solid” Safety Awards

For the past fifteen years, the Illinois Association of Aggregate Producers (IAAP) Safety Committee has encouraged companies to adopt systems and practices that prevent injuries or illnesses by recognizing members with its “Rock Solid” safety award program. Before this year’s awards were announced, Pat Kirk (MSHA Peru Field Office Supervisor) addressed everyone in attendance at the IAAP convention and commended their ongoing efforts to ensure miners remain safe and healthy.

In developing this program, Safety Committee members identified a comprehensive list of important activities or policies required for a successful safety and health program and then assigned points for undertaking and documenting each one. Point total determines Gold, Silver or Bronze level awards. This highest award, Rock Solid Excellence in Safety, is granted to companies that achieve Gold Status plus: (a) experience zero MSHA reportable or OSHA recordable injuries or illnesses; (b) experience no MSHA elevated actions (or OSHA serious violation); (c) VPID less than the national average; and (d) attain a total of 7 points in the 1-point and 15 points in the 5-point categories. **Of the 33 companies and 103 operations receiving awards at the convention, 52 operations achieved Rock Solid Excellence in Safety status.**

ROCK SOLID EXCELLENCE IN SAFETY

First-Time Rock Solid Excellence Award Recipients in Bold Print

<i>Company</i>	<i>Operation</i>	<i>Company</i>	<i>Operation</i>
Allendale Gravel	Pinkstaff Plant	RiverStone Group	Cordova Sand & Gravel (MC-17)
Bluff City Materials	South Beloit	RiverStone Group	RiverStone Permanent Wash Plant
Buckley Powder	Pittsfield, Illinois	RiverStone Group	Valley Plant #7
Carri Scharf Materials	Darrah Pit	RiverStone Group	Vermilion Plant (MC-47)
Central Stone	Antonia (CS-56)	Rowe Construction	Carmichael Pit
Central Stone	Butler Hill Granite (CS-58)	A Division of UCM	
Central Stone	Central Stone (CS-53)	Shakespeare Aggregates	Brush Creek Quarry
Central Stone	LaGrange Sand & Gravel Pit (CS-61)	Shakespeare Aggregates	Keyesport Sand & Gravel
Central Stone	Morse Mill Quarry #60	Shakespeare Aggregates	Madison County Sand
Central Stone	Moscow Mills Plant (CS-57)	Shakespeare Aggregates	Shawnee Stone - Cypress Quarry
Central Stone	St. Francois Quarry (CS-54)	Thelen Sand & Gravel	Antioch Pit
GZA GeoEnvironmental		Thelen Sand & Gravel	Lange Road Pit
Hanson Material Service	Algonquin Sand & Gravel	Thelen Sand & Gravel	Peterson Pit
Hanson Material Service	Fairmount Stone Quarry	Tuscola Stone	Tuscola Quarry
Hanson Material Service	Federal Stone Quarry - Underground	Unimin Specialty Minerals	Tamms Plant
Hanson Material Service	Morris Sand & Gravel	Vulcan Materials	Bartlett Underground
Knox County Stone	Edina Plant	Vulcan Materials	Bolingbrook Underground
LafargeHolcim	Algonquin Sand & Gravel	Vulcan Materials	DeKalb Quarry
LafargeHolcim	Utica Quarry	Vulcan Materials	Elk Grove Recycle
LeClaire Investments	LeClaire Portable Crusher #1	Vulcan Materials	Kankakee Quarry
Nokomis Quarry Company of Illinois	Nokomis Quarry	Vulcan Materials	Laraway Quarry
Pekin Sand & Gravel	Pekin Plant	Vulcan Materials	Lemont Underground
R.A. Cullinan & Son	Farmdale	Vulcan Materials	Macon County Sand and Gravel
A Division of UCM		Vulcan Materials	Plainfield Yard
R.A. Cullinan & Son	Lowry Pit	Vulcan Materials	Rochester Sand and Gravel
A Division of UCM		Vulcan Materials	Sycamore Quarry
Raimonde Drilling Corp.		Western Aggregates	Triumph Plant
RiverStone Group	Albany/Cordova Plant #1		

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Gold Award

<i>Company</i>	<i>Operation</i>
Bluff City Materials	Bluff City Industrial Park
Bluff City Materials	Gifford Central
Central Stone	Central Stone Portable Plant #1 (CS-48)
Central Stone	Central Stone Portable Plant #2 (CS-49)
Central Stone	Central Stone Portable Plant #3 (CS-50)
Central Stone	Florence Plant (CS-33)
Central Stone	Fort Bellefontaine (CS-31)
Central Stone	Huntington Plant (CS-01)
Delta Companies	Southern Illinois Stone
Dyno Nobel	Morris, Illinois
Fred Weber	Bluff City Minerals
Fred Weber	Mississippi Lime Prairie Du Rocher
Hanson Material Service	Federal Stone Quarry Surface
Hanson Material Service	Indian Point Quarry
Hanson Material Service	Nokomis Stone Quarry
Hanson Material Service	Romeo Stone Quarry
Hanson Material Service	Thornton Stone Quarry
Kinkaid Stone	
LafargeHolcim	Conco Western Stone
LafargeHolcim	Elburn Sand & Gravel
LafargeHolcim	Joliet Quarry
LafargeHolcim	Marengo Sand & Gravel
LafargeHolcim	Rosiclare Plant
LafargeHolcim	Sheridan Sand & Gravel
LafargeHolcim	The RS&D Mine (Fox River Quarry)
LafargeHolcim	Henry Quarry
Ozinga Materials	Riverside
R.A. Cullinan & Son A Division of UCM	
RiverStone Group	Allied Stone Plant #30
RiverStone Group	Cleveland Quarry Plant #31
RiverStone Group	Midway Stone #45
RiverStone Group	Troy Grove Stone Quarry (MC-46)
Rogers Group	Newton County Stone
Shakespeare Aggregates	Brenda Kay Sand
Shakespeare Aggregates	Shawnee Sand & Gravel
Shakespeare Aggregates	Shawnee Stone, LLC Jonesboro Quarry
Unimin Specialty Minerals	Elco Plant
VCNA Prairie	Yard 88 - Pontiac
VCNA Prairie	Yard 95 - Manteno
VCNA Prairie	Yard 99 - Ashkum
Vulcan Materials	Lisbon Quarry
Vulcan Materials	Manteno Quarry
Vulcan Materials	McCook Quarry

Silver Award

<i>Company</i>	<i>Operation</i>
Anna Quarries, Inc.	Anna Quarry
Illinois Cement Company	LaSalle Plant
LafargeHolcim	McHenry Sand & Gravel
Rogers Group Inc.	Interstate Sand & Gravel
Vulcan Materials	Grayslake Rail Yard
Vulcan Materials	Lake Bluff Rail Yard
Vulcan Materials	Pershing Road Recycle

Bronze Award

<i>Company</i>	<i>Operation</i>
American Bin & Conveyor	
Fairmount Santrol	Wedron Silica Company



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