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# CATERPILLAR SAFETY NEWS

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## Win an iPod!

Get your chance to win a new iPod by completing online safety courses on [SAFETY.CAT.COM™](http://SAFETY.CAT.COM™)

Need a device to load all of your safety videos on? Maybe you already have an iPod, but need more storage space? Your chance to win a new 80GB iPod Classic is here! SAFETY.CAT.COM™ is giving away two yellow and black iPod Classics with the Cat logo on the back and the SAFETY.CAT.COM trade mark on the front. In addition, these Cat branded iPods will come pre-loaded with all of the Safety Basics videos currently featured on SAFETY.CAT.COM.

**Simply complete online training courses on SAFETY.CAT.COM between May 1, 2010 and August 31, 2010 for your chance to win.** The two people with the most online training courses completed over the duration of the promotion will be designated as the winners.

Don't miss this opportunity to watch your safety videos in style with a new iPod Classic! **The winner will be selected on September 1, 2010.** In the event of a tie between two people with the same number of courses taken, the winner will be randomly selected.

**Eligibility:** Unless otherwise exempted herein, the Promotion is open only to legal residents of the fifty (50) United States and the District of Columbia age eighteen (18) years or older. Employees, directors and officers, and their immediate family members (spouses and siblings, parents, and children and their spouses) and household members (whether related or not), of Caterpillar Inc. and its subsidiaries and affiliates, distributors, dealerships and companies involved in the implementation and execution of the Promotion (collectively "Sponsor"), are not eligible. **The Promotion is void where prohibited.** Please see [SAFETY.CAT.COM/Training](http://SAFETY.CAT.COM/Training) for the rules and regulations in their entirety.



## New safety resources related to Mining Safety & Health Administration (MSHA) now available on SAFETY.CAT.COM

SAFETY.CAT.COM recently developed new materials related to MSHA regulations for customers. These documents outline the safety resources available on SAFETY.CAT.COM that correlate with the MSHA Rules to Live By and the Top 10 MSHA Violations (top 5 violations in both surface and underground mining for coal and metal / non-metal).

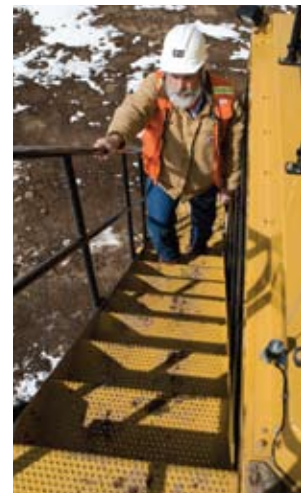
These safety resources include online training courses, Toolbox Talks, videos and more. They can be used to help follow MSHA's rules and regulations. Both resources can be found on SAFETY.CAT.COM in the following locations:

### MSHA Rules to Live By:

Go to [SAFETY.CAT.COM](http://SAFETY.CAT.COM) > Click on "News and Events" link on home page > Click on "**MSHA Rules to Live By**" in the News box

### Help Prevent MSHA's Top 10 Violations:

Go to [SAFETY.CAT.COM](http://SAFETY.CAT.COM) > Click on "News and Events" link on home page > Click on "**Help Prevent MSHA's Top 10 Violations**" in the News box



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## John Gilbert III of Gilbert Engineering awarded 2010 Caterpillar Safety Award, presented by Customer Safety Services

For the Caterpillar Safety Award, Caterpillar Customer Safety representatives look for contractors who include these four safety elements throughout their company:

- **Clarity:** Ensuring all levels of the organization are held accountable for actionable goals that further the safety effort.
- **Engagement:** All levels of the organization clearly understand their role associated to safety and are equipped with the right tools to do so.
- **Support:** Safety is integrated into every process to ensure a safety culture.
- **Commitment:** Conduct formal / informal reinforcement to acknowledge individuals and team safety results to help promote and encourage safe cultures. This also includes the company's commitment to helping promote a safety culture within their community.

The 2010 Caterpillar Safety Award winner was John Gilbert III of Gilbert Engineering. Gilbert took over a long-running, family-owned business whose safety program needed to be brought into the 21st century. Gilbert Engineering specializes in water and wastewater treatment plants, pump stations and underground pipelines. These projects often involve trenching, confined spaces and fall hazards. In addition to trench work, the company often performs underwater jobs, such as lake crossings and intake structures, where safety is vitally important.

Gilbert's wife, Anna, joined the business in the mid-'90s and took over responsibility for marketing. She soon realized there was a need to revamp the company's safety program. She learned everything she could about the company's operations then took that knowledge to rewrite and update all of the safety manuals and programs.

Today, their safety program is closely tailored to their needs including specific Toolbox Talks designed for each crew. They constantly update their training information and have a variety of safety resources.

As a proactive approach, Gilbert has turned to an independent source to monitor the safety program. They have a safety consultant who performs jobsite inspections. The audits are always random and no one, including Gilbert, knows when they will take place. The consultant is able to monitor the effectiveness of the safety program based on what he sees at the jobsite. Because of this, Gilbert is able to know what injuries could have happened and makes changes before they happen.

His Cat sales representative, Mitch Christenberry, at Carolina Cat, nominated Gilbert Engineering for these awards.

**Below are the 2010 Safety Award finalists and their respective dealerships:**

### **CONTRACTOR BUSINESS**

Felix Chavez & Son Construction  
Cox Contractors, Inc.  
Gilbert Engineering Company  
Tennoca Construction  
R.D. Jones Excavating  
C. Laney and Sons Construction  
Elk Valley Development, Inc.  
Phillips Brothers Construction  
Raydon, Inc.  
Showalter Construction  
Eagle Mountain Construction  
Bluestem Landscape & Design

### **DEALERSHIP**

Wagner Equipment  
Holt Cat  
Carolina Cat  
Carolina Cat  
Ohio Cat  
Stowers Machinery  
Wagner Equipment  
Whayne Supply Co.  
Warren Cat  
Carolina Cat  
Empire Machinery  
Stowers Machinery

## Occupational Safety & Health Administration (OSHA) online training courses available on SAFETY.CAT.COM

Companies operating heavy equipment are required to provide safety training and awareness materials to their jobsite workforce. SAFETY.CAT.COM provides an OSHA Essentials library so employees can be properly trained to meet the applicable guidelines. These courses can be easily accessed and are ready whenever you have time to complete them.

### Course Offerings:

- OSHA 10-Hour for Construction \*
- OSHA 10-Hour for General Industry
- Introduction to OSHA
- Introduction to OSHA for Construction
- OSHA 300 Recordkeeping
- OSHA Inspections for Construction and Multi-Employer Worksites

Visit [SAFETY.CAT.COM/Training](http://SAFETY.CAT.COM/Training) and select the Register button to sign up for one of these courses today!

*Note: The asterisk (\*) denotes courses available in Spanish.*



## Help Prevent the Occupational Safety & Health Administration's (OSHA) Top 10 Violations

OSHA released their top 10 cited violations during 2009, and SAFETY.CAT.COM has several resources available that will help prevent violations from occurring in the future when integrated into existing safety programs. Review the "Prevent OSHA's Top 10 Violations" document to see the top 10 violations and corresponding online training courses, Toolbox Talks and videos on SAFETY.CAT.COM. You can find the document in the following location:

### Help prevent OSHA's Top 10 Violations:

Go to [SAFETY.CAT.COM](http://SAFETY.CAT.COM) > Click on "News and Events" link on home page > Click on "Help Prevent OSHA's Top 10 Violations" in the News box