

# Lawrence County Safety Council

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## MISSION STATEMENT

To promote and enhance the safety and health of all employees of the member organizations of the safety council, through communications, training, sharing of skills and expertise among council members.



## **February 28, 2007 – Minutes**

Mary Sue Troup hosted the February meeting of the Lawrence County Safety Council at Country Cottage. There were a total of 12 members and 1 guest in attendance.

### **Old Business**

- There is still no word from the county nurse on Summertown's AED. Beth Keaton to check status.
- Tom will contact Don Brown with AlgoSol to update website.
- The minutes were approved by the group.

### **New Business**

- Mary Sue and Christie are still soliciting ideas for National Safety Month activities. If anyone has an idea please contact Mary Sue or Christie.
- The second week in October has been mentioned as the potential date for our annual conference.
- Bill Pettus suggested and volunteered to check on signs for member industries to place in their yard to promote the Council. He will report back to the group in March.
- UCAR is having a HazMat refresher as well as HazWoper training and if any member has employees that need this please contact Beverly Philpot.

### **Treasurer Report**

- As of 2/28/2007 the LCSC had a balance of \$8551.1

### **Program**

- Mary Sue gave a brief program on Safety at home for the elderly. She distributed a handout of things to consider when caring for an elderly family member such as, replacing doorknobs with levers, or using nonskid mats under rugs. Other ideas are installing faucets with a single control, or installing a hand held shower to help those with limited movements. Several items on the list are everyday things we as "youngsters" take for granted, but by taking this list and applying a few items it would go a long way towards making your mother or grandmother's everyday life much easier. For more information or a copy of this list

please contact Mary Sue Troup at Country Cottage , 766-0660 or at [www.cottageassistedliving.com](http://www.cottageassistedliving.com).

**Next Meeting**

- Our next meeting is March 28, 2007 at UCAR. Hope to see you there!