



HEALTH, SAFETY,
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Safety Alert



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Start the Year Strong – Safety First, Every Task

A new year is an opportunity to reset, refocus, and recommit—to ourselves, our coworkers, and our families. Starting the year strong means putting **Safety** at the center of everything we do, from the first task of the day to the last.

After time off, schedule changes, or new assignments, it's easy to fall back into routines without thinking. That's when incidents happen. **Complacency** is one of the greatest hazards we face. Take the time to slow down, re-engage, and approach each job with fresh eyes.

Before you begin any task:

- Stop and think through the job
- Review the JSEA and required permits
- Identify hazards and verify controls are in place
- Ensure tools, equipment, and PPE are in good condition
- Hold your **Safe-to-Start** conversation
- Ask questions if something doesn't look or feel right

Remember, shortcuts save seconds, but cost injuries. No schedule, production goal, or pressure is more important than going home safe at the end of the shift. Watch out for one another—if you see an unsafe act or condition, **speak up**. A quick intervention today can prevent a serious injury tomorrow.

As we move into the new year, commit to:

- Working on your training and keeping it current.
- Following procedures every time
- Taking ownership of your safety and the safety of others
- Stopping work when conditions change or become unsafe

Let's make this year one defined by strong decisions, open communication, and zero injuries. Safety isn't just how we start the year—it's how we work every day.

Start strong. Stay focused. Go home safe.

Proper use of the GIS LIFE Processes can help to create a **FAIL-SAFE** Work Environment.

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