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### **Concrete Reinforcing Steel Institute Announces Safety Recognition Program Recipients**

(SCHAUMBURG, IL–May 18, 2017) The Concrete Reinforcing Steel Institute announces the recipients in their annual Safety Recognition Program.

The CRSI Safety Committee collected data from 247 member submittals for 2016, representing 182 fabrication shops and 65 placer organizations and branches. CRSI *Excellence in Safety Awards* were presented to 128 Member company locations (86 fabricating and 42 placing) that worked the year injury-free. Additionally, 16 Member locations (12 fabricating and 4 placing) that had an “Injury and Illness Rate (IIR)” and “Days Away, Restrictions and Transfers (DART)” rate of less than 50% of the industry average, received a CRSI *Safety Achievement Award*. The 2016 honorees are listed as:

#### **CRSI Excellence in Safety Award**

American Steel Fabrication, Inc.  
Barton Malow Company  
Commercial Metals Company (21 locations)  
Dayton Superior Corporation  
Gerdau (15 locations)  
Harris Rebar (79 locations)  
Lloyd Rebar Company  
Precision Rebar and Accessories, Inc.  
Re-Steel Supply Co., Inc. (5 locations)



Spiral-Fab, Inc.  
Upstate Rebar LLC  
Whitacre Engineering Company

**CRSI Safety Achievement Award**

Commercial Metals Company (5 locations)  
Gerdau (2 locations)  
Harris Rebar (7 locations)  
Re-Steel Supply Co., Inc.  
Sierra Rebar, LLC

Data used to determine safety performance was submitted during the month of April and compiled by CRSI staff. Information included the total number of hours worked per location and the number of on-the-job injuries and illnesses.

The CRSI Safety Committee congratulates and celebrates the safety accomplishments of these member locations!

***About the Concrete Reinforcing Steel Institute***

Founded in 1924, the Concrete Reinforcing Steel Institute (CRSI) is a technical institute and Standards Developing Organization (SDO) that stands as the authoritative resource for steel reinforced concrete construction. Among the Nation's oldest trade associations, CRSI offers many industry-trusted technical publications, standards documents, design aids, reference materials and educational opportunities.

CRSI's members represent over 80% of the U.S. manufacturers, fabricators and placers of steel reinforcing bar and related products with over 600 locations in 49 states, and with over 15,000 employees. Members produce, fabricate and install approximately 9 million ton of reinforcing steel per year using scrap steel in efficient manufacturing operations. It is estimated that the industry impacts over 75,000 people in steel transportation and placement in North America.

The CRSI membership also includes professionals across the country who are involved in the research, design, and construction of steel reinforced concrete. CRSI staff comprises a nationwide region network of industry professionals.