


# BEST PRACTICES




## EXEMPLARY AWARD

### DOLESE • OKLAHOMA CITY, OK

- Website: [dolese.com](http://dolese.com) 
- Number of employees: 900

At Dolese, transportation safety is a key safety focus. Employees are required to wear their seat belts at all times and are not allowed to touch their phone while driving. During orientation, Dolese utilizes **Our Driving Concern** resources to discuss distracted driving, impaired driving, and speeding/aggressive driving—as they enforce a **zero-tolerance policy for all**. Drivers are trained during orientation on the **importance of stopping work if they feel unsafe at any time**.

### TULSA CITY COUNTY LIBRARY • TULSA, OK

- Website: [tulsalibrary.org](http://tulsalibrary.org) 
- Number of employees: 400


The Tulsa City County Library worked with the Oklahoma Safety Council to develop a training program consisting of the National Safety Council's Defensive Driving and the Our Driving Concern Oklahoma Transportation Safety Program. Staff utilize **pre-trip and post-trip driving checklists** to ensure the vehicles are safe to operate. In the year since the driver's safety program was implemented, there has been a **60% decrease in incidents** and a **50% decrease in repair cost**.

[okdrivingconcern.org](http://okdrivingconcern.org)

The library is trying to improve the safety of the staff and community and be a leader for bookmobile driver safety for all mobile libraries in the United States.

## AWARD

### ENLINK MIDSTREAM • CALUMET, OK

- Website: [enlink.com](http://enlink.com) 
- Number of employees: 1600

At EnLink, all drivers receive training through the National Safety Council and other online resources before stepping behind the wheel of a company vehicle. As an active member of the community, EnLink **partners with the Energize for Safety Coalition**, and holds their contractor workforce to the same high standards of taking care of public roadways and being a good community steward.

EnLink's vehicle policy addresses expectations on safe operations of company vehicles including obedience of traffic laws, seatbelt usage and mobile device usage. They have seen a **22% decrease in overall vehicle incidents in 2018** compared to 2016 and 2017. EnLink believes they have the responsibility to reduce risk by putting safe, capable drivers on the roadway.



## OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT OF PARKING AND TRANSPORTATION • STILLWATER, OK

- Website: [parking.okstate.edu](http://parking.okstate.edu)
- Number of employees: 40



Oklahoma State University Department of Parking & Transportation uses the **Our Driving Concern** looping presentation on break area kiosks, scrolling safety information for all employees to see. They have a **daily safety brief** before each shift and post **Our Driving Concern Toilet Tabloids** in their restrooms. **Vehicle safety checks are mandatory** and each driver reviews and signs all policies.

## USIC • OKLAHOMA CITY, OK

- Website: [usicllc.com](http://usicllc.com)
- Number of employees: 9,000



USIC's new hire training consists of instructor-led driver safety courses and **commentary drivers**. Supervisors utilize infographics and recent incident information with lessons learned in their **weekly tailgate talks**. USIC has a comprehensive driver safety policy that addresses leadership and driver roles and responsibilities.

**"We all spend nearly half of our waking hours at work or traveling to work. Employer-based outreach can make a big difference in reducing travel risk and improving safety. And it's a win-win-win for the employer, the employee, and everybody else that travels."**

*Robert C. Wunderlich, P.E., Director,  
Center for Transportation Safety, Texas A&M  
Transportation Institute*

## HONORABLE MENTION

### ACCURATE SAFETY COMPLIANCE LLC • NORMAN, OK



- Website: [accuratesafetyco.com](http://accuratesafetyco.com)
- Number of employees: 65

Accurate Safety Compliance utilizes **Our Driving Concern** to provide transportation safety training to the public and their clients. The company's updated driver policy places an increased focus on driving safety—with **zero tolerance for using a cell phone, handheld or hands free**, while driving a company vehicle. Impaired driving elements have also been added. There were **no vehicle incidents in 2018**, and Accurate Safety and Compliance wants to keep it that way!

### CITY OF STILLWATER, OK

- Website: [stillwater.org](http://stillwater.org)
- Number of employees: 575



The City of Stillwater provides **Defensive Driving Training for every employee** within the organization, as well as cargo containment for employees transporting tools or large equipment. Seat belts must be worn at all times by all drivers and passengers. Safe driving practices include **steps to ensure the driver's total concentration** and safe operation of their vehicle. The City wants every employee to be safe drivers at work and outside of work.

Companies who implement traffic safety programs have a positive impact on their communities, building a reputation for caring about their employees and the community at large.

