

Safety Stats

Number of recordable free days:

195

Safety is Everyone's responsibility!



Information, Updates, & Recognition

Trans-West has adopted a **GO GREEN** philosophy, participates in various programs, and utilizes processes that respect the environment! This includes internal processes, as well as, external in the field. These efforts consist of, but are not limited to the following:

- *Increasing our fleet of hybrid vehicles.
- *Use of environmentally friendly, certified cleaning products.
- *Transition to a paperless reporting, documentation, and information sharing system
- *Reduction of waste through an aggressive recycling program within the office and with product used.
- *Management of waste/materials in a safe and environmentally friendly manner.

Trans-West has also made significant efforts to give back to our community. In 2010, in coordination with the City & County and the Tree Foundation of Kern County, Trans-West planted over 120 trees at local parks in the City and County.

You can help the environment, too!

Did you know the average American discards 7-1/2 pounds of trash per day? Much of the material thrown away can be recycled, such as: newspaper, cardboard, junk mail, and #1 & #2 plastic bottles. Curbside recycling collection is available to all residents of the City of Bakersfield. For more information, call the Solid Waste Division at 661-326-3114 or log on to www.bakersfieldcity.us/cityservices/pubwrks/solidwaste.



Save Money & Energy in your home



- Switch to cold water washing and save 80 percent on energy used for laundry and you will save an estimated \$60 a year. Hang dry your clothes, instead of using the dryer, and save 700 pounds of CO₂ a year.
- Plug anything that can be powered by a remote control or that has a power cube transformer (little black box) into a power strip,; turn it off, and/or unplug it when not in use. (Power cubes are 60-80 percent inefficient.)
- Keep your tires inflated to improve gas mileage by 3 percent. Every gallon you save, also saves 20 pounds of CO₂ emissions.
- Switch to compact fluorescent, from regular incandescent bulbs, and use 60 percent less energy per bulb and save 300 pounds of CO₂ a year.
- Turn off the lights when you are not using them and reduce your direct lighting energy use by 45 percent. Stop using heat-producing halogen lamps (they can also be fire hazards). Install occupancy or motion sensors on outdoor lights.

Don't forget the 5 keys to Safe Driving!

- 1. Aim high in steering**
(look ahead a minimum of 15 seconds)
- 2. Get the big picture**
(4-second minimum following distance, scan mirrors every 5-8 seconds)
- 3. Keep your eyes moving**
(avoid focusing on one object for more than 2 seconds)
- 4. Leave yourself an out.**
(surround yourself with space)
- 5. Make sure others see you.**
(eye contact)



Happy Anniversary!

1 year

Matthias Williams
Michael Flores
Jason Wood

2 years

Maria Martinez
Isaac Hernandez
Christopher Woodman
Roy Salazar

3 years

Jose Vasquez
Ralph Brookshire
Francisco Martinez
Loren Carlson
Leo Rufino
Matthew Christensen

4 years

Cecilia Dominguez

6 years

Gary Estas

7 years

Michael Mickey

8 years

Sandra Wipf

9 years

Dwane Brooks

12 years

Brain Oliver
Helen Ramirez

14 Years

Rosita Jimenez

17 Years

Vincent Anslinger

**Thank you for
your service!**

Trans-West Security Employee

of the Month for July is:

JOSH SOTO

Josh has worked for Trans-West since August 2009. He has assumed duties as a Trans-West Healthcare Security Officer at KMC. In May of 2010, he was promoted to shift leader at our Trans-West KMC location. He is being recognized for his tremendous strides as an officer and now as a Shift Leader. He has an amazing natural sense for safety and security. He serves as a positive role model for his fellow officers and continues to seek further training, knowledge, and growth in healthcare security by engaging in the IAHSS program. He has successfully completed the advanced course in IAHSS. Congratulations Josh on your outstanding performance!



Trans-West Services Employee of the Month for July is:

RAYMONDO DOMINGUEZ

Raymondo has worked for Trans-West Services since February 2008. He is being recognized for his **amazing** work ethic, kind attitude, and dependability. He serves a positive role model to other workers. Congratulations Raymondo for being such an amazing employee and thank you for everything you do!

Welcome Aboard!

Alex Gody

Manaury Montoya

Reynaldo Rodriguez

Carlos Magana

Ronnie Marquez

Mario Medez

Oscar Hernandez

Charmain Colvin

July Birthdays!

Robert Sheckler

Shannon Todd

Alex Gody

Michael Huff

Tyler Alcala

Richard Brown

Trevor Mattson

Mayra Valdez

Jefferey Carrera

Victor Elliott

Christine Warren

Roger Oxford

Albert Lopez

Ryan Dicks

Dominik Ceconello

Vincent Anslinger

Jennifer Morales

Abel Vasquez

Walter Mcconn

Katy Williams

Ricky Rodriguez

Joshua Soto

Wade Boydston

Linda Holt

Krystal Snelson

Richard Waters

Judy Whitman

Daniel Majeed

Chris Oakleaf

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