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NTSP Website History

- ◆ <http://www.telsafe.org>
- ◆ Website Purpose
- ◆ Created in September, 1999



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TO: Telecommunications Safety Managers

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FROM: Kent Kunce

National Chairman –

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The National Telecommunications Safety Panel maintains this web site in order to keep in touch relating to industry safety topics that concern all of us throughout the year and not only at our annual conference. We are very pleased that our NTSP site <http://www.telsafe.org/> is available for your use.

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The Panel posts items of interest periodically for your use and has established a committee that will act as "Gatekeepers" for the site. That committee, Chaired by Sally Higgins with AT&T Broadband, determines what will go on line and what does not. If you have an item or article that you would like to share with the industry (remember, this is not a secured site, ANYONE with the address can access our information) please send it to Sally at shiggins@broadband.att.com.

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Please take full advantage of this site to communicate with each other throughout the year and to stay informed of what topics the Panel is involved in from an industry standpoint. The site also gives you an opportunity to share your opinion.

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Finally, we are very grateful to Sally and Branden Jones for all their efforts in maintaining this site for us.

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- ◆ Mission:

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- The National Telecommunications Safety Panel is a consortium of telecommunications safety professionals dedicated to promoting employee safety and health and preventing accidents throughout the telecommunications industry.

- [Publications](#): to help promote safe workplaces, the NTSP develops "Best Practices" documents pertaining to the Telecommunications industry.

- The National Telecommunications Safety Panel strives to provide a united voice and constructive input in the development and promulgation of safety standards and guidelines that affect the varied businesses within the telecommunications industry.

- [Advocacy](#): the panel maintains an active advocacy role, providing comments and recommendations to federal and state agencies where issues concern the Telecommunications industry.

- The Panel encourages and appreciates cooperation, correspondence and interaction from all companies that fall under the umbrella of the "Telecommunications Industry".

- [Policies](#): in order to clarify activities, programs, and responsibilities among panel members, the panel develops Policies which serve as a guideline for some activities.

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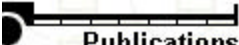
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- ◆ Provides direct access to other Internet sites.

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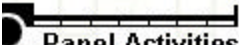
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- ◆ Ideas to improve NTSP website?
 - Content additions and revisions
 - Additional ideas
- ◆ This is YOUR website!
- ◆ Procedure for suggesting improvements



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- ◆ Thank you.
- ◆ Questions?



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