

# GREAT WEST CASUALTY COMPANY

## SAFETY AWARDS

### Reporting Requirements for MONTANA State Truck Safety Contest

Statistics and rates must be listed for statewide operations. ***The Fleet Safety Contest is based on Montana miles and DOT recordable accidents that occurred in Montana during January 1, 2024 to December 31, 2024.*** Frequency rates shall be expressed in terms of the number of accidents per 1 million miles as determined by the following formula:

Name of Contestant Company \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Name and Title of Person Submitting Application \_\_\_\_\_

DOT Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Contest Division (Please check one box for Montana miles):

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 0 to 250,000 miles             | <input type="checkbox"/> 750,001 miles to 1,500,000 miles   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 250,001 miles to 500,000 miles | <input type="checkbox"/> 1,500,001 miles to 2,500,000 miles |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 500,001 miles to 750,000 miles | <input type="checkbox"/> 2,500,001 miles and over           |

Total Mileage \_\_\_\_\_

Montana Mileage \_\_\_\_\_

Montana Crashes: \_\_\_\_\_

Montana Frequency Ratio \_\_\_\_\_

$$\text{MT FREQUENCY} = \frac{\text{NUMBER OF MT ACCIDENTS} \times 1,000,000}{\text{TOTAL MT MILEAGE}}$$

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## Grand Trophy Application

If you are interested in applying for the Fleet Safety Grand Trophy Award, please answer the following questions:

- 1) Please provide a description of how your company promotes safety including the following areas and any other information you feel the committee should consider:
  - Management's commitment to safety
  - Hazard Recognition
  - Accident Investigation
  
- 2) Please provide a description with how your company is involved with the following MTA events/committees:
  - Annual Convention
  - Board of Directors/Committees
  - Truck Driving Championship
  - Share the Road
  - Safety Trainings

We hereby certify that the information submitted above is correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. We agree that a check of the records may be made prior to the announcement of any award to this organization.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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# Scoring

## Fleet Safety Awards Scoring

- First, Second, and Third place winners are determined in each category according to the greatest mileage vs least accidents.
- First place winners are then notified and All companies with zero crash records are asked to compete for Grand Trophy
- First and Second Place winners are presented plaques from Great West Casualty Co. Third Place winners are presented certificates from Great West Casualty Co.
- Zero accident certificates are presented to all entries in each category that have no recordable crashes. Certificates are provided by Great West Casualty Co. Five Year Zero Accident Certificates are presented from MTA.
- MTA Staff will compile results and coordinate with MCSAP for confirmation of crash data.

## Grand Safety Awards Scoring

The scoring panel will be comprised of mainly MDT and MVD staff involved with the trucking industry in Montana.

### 10 % Out of Service Safety Score

Both the Driver and Company out of service will be used equally for the Out of Service Score.

### 50% Application Factors

These will be rated based equally on the responses to the two questions: How the company promotes safety and how involved the company is with MTA

### 30% SMS Score

The Unsafe Driving, Hours of Service, Driver Fitness, Controlled Substance and Vehicle Maintenance percentages will be scored equally for the SMS Score.

### 10% Crashes

The number of non-preventable Montana crashes as determined by the judges will be used for this score. Zero crashes will be given the full 10%.