# Robert R. Reed

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EMPLOYMENT 12/12

August 2004 - Present

Reed Transportation Service Inc. Columbus, Ohio

Consulting and training services for maintenance, operation, performance, safety and regulations/standards involving commercial vehicles, construction and specialized equipment, hazardous materials transportation, investigation/analysis of crashes, inspection of equipment, third – party review, training and assistance.

*July 2001 – November 2005* 

Maintenance Shop Foreman, Pro-Terra Environmental Contracting, Co. Columbus, Ohio

Develop and implement maintenance programs, supervise, manage, and perform maintenance for trucks, trailers, construction and off-road equipment. Comply with DOT & OSHA regulations/records, safety, and cost containment. Provided truck driver and equipment operator training. Drive trucks and deliver equipment to jobsites as needed. Oversize loads, flatbed trailers, tanker trucks and trailers and bulk containers. Hazardous materials and hazardous waste transportation. Received & performed mandated OSHA 1926 training.

September 2000 – July 2001

Vehicle Maintenance Supervisor, Rumpke Transportation Columbus, Ohio

Manage and supervise garage employees repairing trucks, tractors, trailers, and specialized equipment used in the refuse and recycling industry. Comply with DOT records, safety and cost containment. Perform warranty work and claims.

June 2000 – September 2000

Transportation Consultant Columbus, Ohio

September 1999 – June 2000

Terminal Manager, Amstan Logistics

Columbus, Ohio

Open and manage regional operation for an international manufacturer. Secure outbound and inbound freight, supervise operations, dispatch, driver recruitment and retention, customer relations, maintenance, safety, and hiring of terminal.

August 1997 – September 1999

Director/Terminal Manager, Pro Transportation, Inc.

Columbus, Ohio

New start-up operation for a national carrier. Secure outbound and inbound freight, supervise operations, dispatch, driver recruitment and retention, customer relations, maintenance, safety, hiring, profitability, and growth of the 38 truck fleet.

#### January 1995 – August 1997

Terminal Manager, Continental Express Inc.

Columbus, Ohio

Manage regional terminal for a national carrier. Increased from 18 drivers to 44 drivers. Secure outbound and inbound freight, supervise operations, dispatch, driver recruitment and retention, customer relations, maintenance, safety, and hiring of terminal.

# 1993 – 1995 General Manager, Eagle Freight Express, Inc. Romito Corporation Columbus, Ohio

New start-up company 2 to 35 driver operation. Supervise operations, dispatch, driver recruitment and retention, customer relations, maintenance, set policy and procedures, open new terminals.

# 1991 – 1993 Safety and Maintenance Director, Seminole Intermodal Transport, Romito Corporation. Columbus, Ohio

Develop and supervise operations of five companies consisting of 135 tractors and 380 trailers. Control parts purchases, cost containment, driver training, accident investigation, tractor and trailer specs, preventive maintenance, breakdown/accident analysis, claims and compliance for DOT, EPA, OSHA, and labor relations.

# 1988 – 1991 Industrial Training Coordinator/Instructor, Belmont-Harrison Vocational School. St. Clairsville, Ohio

Develop curriculum, manage, and teach all phases of diesel mechanics and truck safety courses, work with employers and public relations. Conduct safety meetings for drivers and employees of the trucking industry. Develop, supervise and teach statewide "CDL" training classes for hundreds of drivers to educate on the written and road tests. Conducted "CDL" third party road tests 1990-1992. State teaching certificates: Truck Driver Training, Diesel Mechanics, and Diversified Industrial Training 1988 - 1992

# 1979 – 1988 Diesel Mechanic/Terminal Manager, National Tank Truck Delivery Shadyside, Ohio

Responsible for maintenance of tractors and trailers in over the road operations, manage shop, purchasing, DOT compliance and records. Last 16 months promoted to terminal. manager for all operations, supervise drivers, schedule dispatch, perform recordkeeping, time sheets and payroll. Set policy, procedures, and routing for drivers and safety.

# 1972 – 1979 Fleet Mechanic, City of Wheeling, West Virginia

Maintenance, repair and inspection of city vehicles, cars, trucks, trailers, tractors, loaders, backhoes, bulldozers, air compressors, and specialized equipment. Welding, brazing, and fabrication of metal. Certified WV State Inspector – Fleet Vehicles

- 1968 1972 Alignment/Brake Mechanic, Wheeling Tire Center, Wheeling, WV Align cars and trucks, front-end, steering, brake repairs, install lift kits and springs, change rear-ends, car, truck, and industrial tires and recap tires. Worked part-time until 1982.
- 1967 -1968 Mechanic/Wrecker Driver, McGrath's Esso Service Station, Wheeling, WV Service Station mechanical repairs, operated wreckers for AAA road service, accidents and breakdown of cars and trucks, worked part-time through 1972

#### **EDUCATION**

### **Bridgeport High School**

Bridgeport, Ohio

#### **American Technical Institute**

Cleveland, Ohio

1 year - Mechanical Drawing

## **General Motors Training Center**

Pittsburgh, PA

Diesel/Gas Engines, Air Brakes

#### **Ohio Division of Safety and Hygiene**

- 1. Teaching the Safe Operation of Industrial Trucks November 28, 29, 1989 –OSHA Regulations
- Accident Investigation Root Cause & Prevention November 7, 8, 1990
- 3. Hazardous Waste and Emergency Response
  June 18, 19, 1991 DOT Hazmat & EPA Regulations

#### **Ohio Department of Highway Safety**

56 clock hour's CDL Examiner Training Commercial Driver License Standards/Regulations Examiner # 7875 12/30/89

#### U.S. Department of Labor

Mine Safety and Health Administration MSHA Training & Instructor Card 12/90

#### **Ohio Department of Education**

Vocational Instructor - Proper Training & Curriculum In-service training 1988-1991

#### **Motion Control Industries/Carlisle Brakes**

Air Brake Technical Training/DOT December 19, 1991

# **Liberty Mutual Insurance**

Decision Driving Course for Driver Trainers DOT Regulations/Driver Safety Standards February 19, 20, 21, 1992

#### John Deere Insurance, June 1995

1995 Compliance Drug & Alcohol Abuse DOT Regulations

#### **Business Medical Services** 2/23/96

Supervisor Training – Drug & Alcohol Abuse

#### **North American Transportation Institute**

Motor Fleet Accident Investigation Feb. 15, 16, 17, 2005

### NAPARS - "Crash Investigation & Reconstruction Update 2005"

OSHP - Academy - Columbus, Ohio June 27, 28, 2005

# Association of Equipment Management Professionals

- 1.Excavator Trouble Shooting Training October 12, 2002
- 2. Hydraulic Hoe Ram Safety, Maintenance, & Operation October 12, 2002

Wheel End Maintenance
Seal Installation and Wheel Bearing Adjustment
Chicago Rawhide April 30, 2001

#### **Charles Management Inc.**

OSHA 29CFR 1910.177 Servicing Truck Rims, Tires, and Wheels January 30, 2003

#### **Builders Exchange of Central Ohio**

DOT & PUCO Regulations January 29, 2003

## **BP/Global Alliance Safety Training**

12 - 2003 & 11 - 2004

#### **SafeX Training**

- 1.Drug-Free Workplace Employee Education September 6, 2003
- 2.Drug-Free Workplace Supervisor Education September 6, 2003
- 3.Health, Safety, and Environmental Training 40 hr. Hazardous Waste Operations DOT Hazmat, EPA & 29CFR 1910.120 Regulations - January 25-29, 2004

#### American Red Cross

Standard First Aid and Adult CPR February 27, 2004

#### **National Safety Council**

Defensive Driving Instructor 1990-1997 Course Completion Date Jan. 1990 Ohio Traffic School Remedial Training Instructor

# Over 25 Year ASE Certified Medium / Heavy Truck Technician

Certified thru 2017 in Gasoline Engines, Diesel Engines, Drive Train, Brakes, Suspension and Steering, and Preventative Maintenance and Inspection.

### CONTINUED EDUCATION

Powered Industrial Trucks: Developing a Training Program

OSHA Regulations - April 18, 2006 Ohio BWC-Division of Safety & Hygiene Columbus, Ohio

NAPARS - 40 Hour Commercial Vehicle Course

Maine State Police Headquarters Augusta, Maine May 15-19, 2006

**Understanding & Protecting Your Hispanic / Latino Workforce** 

August 1, 2006

Ohio BWC- Division of Safety & Hygiene Columbus, Ohio

14<sup>th</sup> Annual T.I.D.A. Industry Seminar

Memphis, TN

October 11, 12 & 13, 2006

Commercial Vehicle Brake Safety Symposium

Commercial Vehicle Safety Alliance (CVSA) Indianapolis, Indiana December 5-7, 2006

Conmet - Pre-Set Hub Training

April 24, 2007

Ohio Safety Congress - Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulation - Update

April 1& 2, 2009 Disabilities and the Truck Driver

Load Securement: How a loose load can ruin your day & Are you safe for Travel

Ohio Safety Congress – State & Federal Motor Carrier Regulation Update March 30, 2010 OSHA Required Training for General Industry

CSA 2010 Update

Worker Comp Claims - Trucking Industry

State of Alabama Department of Public Safety – Alabama Metal Coil Certification 5/5/2009 General Cargo Securement Standards

**U.S. DOT/PHMSA** – Bulk Package Safety Training Seminar – May 6 & 7, 2009 – Columbus, Ohio Hazmat Regulations, Packaging, Loading, Tankers

NAPARS - "Heavy Vehicle Crash Reconstruction" – October 7, 8 & 9, 2009 – Ocean City, MD. 18 ACTAR CEU's

OTA - Maintenance Council - Wheel Ends - Stemco Hub Caps, Seals, and Wheel Bearings. April 13, 2010 Stemco Total Quality Maintenance Program

# OSHA 1926 Construction Standards – Mandated Training 2001-2005

Over 4 years direct employment in construction industry received 40 hour, 30 hour, 10 hour, 8 hour yearly refreshers on hazardous materials and substances, hazardous waste, hazard communication, confined space, fall protection, lock-out/tag-out, cranes/hoist, personal protection, material handling and storage, aerial lifts, hand and power tools, welding and cutting, signs, and barricades and traffic control and other safety issues.

Train the Trainer

Proper Training Techniques May 3, 4, 2006 Ohio BWC Division of Safety & Hygiene Columbus, Ohio

**Accident Analysis** 

Root Cause & Prevention Ohio BWC Division of Safety & Hygiene May 25, 2006 Columbus, Ohio

Lockout/Tagout & Other Safety Related Practices – OSHA Regulations

> Ohio BWC Division of Safety & Health August 21, 2007 Columbus, Ohio

**Temporary Traffic Management** 

Ohio BWC – MUTCD & OSHA Division of Safety & Health August 30, 2007 Columbus, Ohio

# U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION/TRANSPORTATION SAFETY INSTITUTE COURSES

DOT/TSI Accident Countermeasures for Management -5/30/2007

DOT/TSI Defensive Driving for CMV Drivers - 6/1/2007

DOT/TSI Commercial Driver's Regulations - 6/1/2007

DOT/TSI Driving Commercial Motor Vehicles: Rules of the Road - 6/02/2007

DOT/TSI Driver's Guide to Driver Qualification Regulations - 6/2/2007

DOT/TSI Driver's Guide to Inspection Requirements - 6/3/2007

DOT/TSI Safety Fitness Rating Process and SafeStat: Getting the Score - 6/5/2007

DOT/TSI Driver's Guide to Driving CMVs - 6/5/2007

DOT/TSI Financial Responsibility for Property-Carrying Motor Carriers - 6/6/2007

DOT/TSI Driver's Guide to CDL Requirements - 6/6/2007

DOT/TSI Inspection, Repair, and Maintenance for Motor Carriers - 6/7/2007

DOT/TSI Motor Carrier General Applicability: Who and When - 6/8/2007

DOT/TSI Driver's Guide to Drug and Alcohol Regulations - 6/8/2007

DOT/TSI Drugs and Alcohol: Keeping it Straight - 6/9/2007

DOT/TSI Driver's Guide to Hours of Service - 6/10/1007

DOT/TSI Parts and Accessories Necessary for Safe Operation - 6/10/2007

DOT/TSI Hours of Service for Safety Management Personnel - 6/11/2007

DOT/TSI Motor Carrier Driver Qualifications - 6/11/2007

DOT/TSI Master Certificate - Professional Driver's Safety Compliance Program 6/10/07

Commercial Drivers License – Ohio Class A with S, T, P, & X Endorsements for School & Passenger Bus, Doubles-Triples, Tanker/Hazardous Materials. TSA background check (HME)

**Employer OSHA Annual, Specific & Refresher Training -** Construction Safety & OSHA 1926 Construction Regulations 2001-2005

**Employer and DOT Annual, Specific & Refresher Training** – Transportation & Workplace Safety, DOT& OSHA 1910 Regulations - 1967-2005

#### ARC NETWORK MEMBER #ARC0512

Member – Ohio Trucking Association & OTA Safety and Maintenance Council Member – The ATA Maintenance Council (TMC)

# **PUBLICATIONS**

#### 1. Article on Air Brakes and Tractor Trailer Accidents

- a. Wheeling News Register Newspaper
- b. Published: June 13, 1989

## 2. Article on Commercial Truck Safety

- a. Wheeling News Register Newspaper
- b. Published: September 25, 1989

#### 3. Truck/Tractor Trailer Brakes and Accident Reconstruction

- a. www.trucxpert.bizhosting.com
- b. December 10, 2002
- c. Published: March 25, 2003 accidentreconstruction.com
- d. Accident Reconstruction Newsletter vol. V Issue 3

### 4. Performance Based Brake Testers

- a. www.trucrite.7p.com
- b. February 25, 2003
- c. Published: March 17, 2003 fleetxchange.com

#### TRAINING MANUALS PUBLISHED

- 1. Modern Trucking Forensic Guide and Training Manual 238 Pages
  - a. Published: April 1, 2004
  - b. Reed Transportation Service Inc.
- 2. Modern Trucking Air Brake

Training Guide – 100 Pages

- a. Published: April 1, 2004 & 2006
- b. Reed Transportation Service Inc.
- 3. Law Enforcement Reconstruction & CMV/Tractor -Trailer Issues 99 Pages
  - a. Published: April 1, 2004 & 2006
  - b. Reed Transportation Service Inc.

#### PUBLICATIONS CONT.

#### 5. General Air Brake Tolerance and Procedures

- a. www.trucrite.7p.com
- b. February 25, 2003
- c. Published: March 17, 2003 fleetxchange.com

### 6. The Employer Is? PEO's - Lease Drivers

- a. www.trucxpert.bizhosting.com
- b. March 8, 2003
- c. Published: March 21,2003 trucksafety.org

#### 7. Air Brakes – Automatic Slacks not Automatic

- a. www.trucrite.7p.com
- b. May 29, 2003
- c. Published: July 7, 2003 fleetxchange.com

# 8. Truck Crash Reconstruction "OBC" / "GPS" / "ECM'S"

- a. www.accidentreconstruction.com
- b. Published: October 25, 2003
- c. Accident Reconstruction Newsletter vol. V Issue 10

#### 9. ON THE BERM

### "Highway Work-Zone Crashes"

TRAO Newsletter Volume 9, Issue 3 March 1, 2005

#### 10. ON THE BERM

#### "Crashes and Warning Devices"

TRAO Newsletter Volume 9, Issue 4 April, 2005

CONT.

#### 15. EDD FOR THE TRUCKING INDUSTRY

- a. www.accidentreconstruction.com
- b. Published December 18, 2006
- c. Accident Reconstruction Newsletter Volume Eight, Issue 11

#### TRAINING MANUAL - CONT.

4. Annual Inspection Training Guidea. Published: November 4, 2006b. Reed Transportation Service Inc.

#### PUBLICATIONS CONT.

#### 11. IN THE BAY

## "CMV Annual Inspections"

TRAO Newsletter Volume 9, Issue 12 December 1, 2005

#### 12. ON THE BERM

# "FMCSR / CDL Training Update"

TRAO Newsletter Volume 10, Issue 3 April 27, 2006

# 13. AIR BRAKE ANALYSIS AND ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION/RECON.

- a. www.accidentreconstruction.com
- b. Published: September14, 2006
- c. Accident Reconstruction Newsletter Vol. Eight, Issue 8

#### 14. General Air Brake Tolerances and Procedures

- a. www.accidentreconstruction.com
- b. Published: October 20, 2006
- c. Accident Reconstruction April 1, 2005

# 18. GPS Positioning/Tracking System Accuracy & Reliability

- a.www.accidentreconstruction.com
- b. Published April 8, 2009
- c. Accident Reconstruction Newsletter Volume 11, Issue 99

# 16. Commercial Vehicle Towing, Storage Fees and Payment in Accident Situations

- a. Towing and Recovery Association of Ohio-Newsletter (TRAO)
- b. Published August 18, 2008
- c. Volume 12 Issue 8 August 2008

#### 17. ECM & SPEED DATA

- a. www.accidentreconstruction.com
- b. Published September 2, 2008
- c. Accident Reconstruction Newsletter Volume 10 Issue 96

# 19. LED LIGHTING

- a. Pennsylvania Towing Association
- b. Published April 20, 2009
- c. The Keystone Cable Newsletter 4/09
- d. www.trucrite.7p.com

#### PUBLICATIONS - CONTINUED

#### 20. CARGO & SECUREMENT

- a. www.accidentreconstruction.com
- b. Published: February 15, 2010
- c. Accident Reconstruction Newsletter Volume 12 Issue 101

# 22. Air Brakes & Reconstruction

# **New Regulations & Technology**

- a. www.accidentreconstruction.com
- b. Published April 8, 2011
- c. Accident Reconstruction Newsletter Volume 13 Issue 104

#### 21. TRUCK TRACKING & BUSINESS RECORDS USE

- a www.accidentreconstruction.com
- b. Published: November 4, 2010
- c. Accident Reconstruction Newsletter Volume 12 Issue 103

#### **PRESENTATIONS**

**Commercial Drivers License Seminars -** Statewide Ohio 1989-1992 for County Engineers Assn., Ohio State Building Construction Trades Training Foundation, ODOT, and The Ohio State University, Technology Transfer Center.

Seminar – Introtech Crash Reconstruction Services, Grafton, Ohio October 9, 2003, Modern Trucking Technology

Guest Lecture – Ohio Peace Officer Training Academy – London, Ohio CMV Reconstruction Class December 4, 2003, Modern Trucking Technology

**Guest Instructor** – Ohio Peace Officer Training Academy, London, Ohio CMV Investigation and Inspection 40 hour class May 17-21, 2004

**Presentation -** Stark County Academy of Trial Lawyers, November 19, 2004. Using "Black Box" Technology in Truck Collision Cases

Lake County Bar Association – Mentor Ohio
CLE Luncheon – Speaker – Pre-suit Litigation – Modern Trucking & Communications
June 28, 2006

Training Clinics – NAPA Auto Parts, Heavy Duty Sales, Columbus, Ohio District Air Brakes - Columbus, Ohio – September 8, 2005 Air Brakes - Dayton, Ohio – October 14, 2005

**CLE Training -** Cuyahoga County Bar Association, Cleveland, Ohio - Commercial Vehicles: Presentation Understanding Liability Cases December 29, 2005

**CLE Training -** Lorman Education Service - Trucking Litigation & D.O.T. Regulations in Ohio Presentation

January 23, 2007 - Columbus, Ohio

CLE Training – Ohio Association for Justice – Trucking Accident Litigation September 13, 2012 – Fairborn, Ohio

ARBITRATION – FOUR APPEARANCES – John Lavelle, Athens, Ryan Fisher, Cleveland, Mark DiCello, Mentor, Dave Laite, Cincinnati

**EXPERT TESTIMONY** – Testified in State and Federal Courts in West Virginia, Ohio, Texas, Michigan, Kansas, New Jersey, New Mexico and Florida.