



# GEORGIA FLEET SAFETY AWARDS

**DEADLINE MARCH 19**

THE FLEET SAFETY AWARDS ARE AN ANNUAL RECOGNITION FOR CARRIERS OPERATING IN THE STATE OF GEORGIA WITH THE BEST SAFETY RECORD IN ITS CLASS. THIS IS AN OPPORTUNITY TO REWARD THE PROFESSIONAL EFFORTS OF OUR TRUCKING MEMBERS WHO HELP MAKE OUR GEORGIA HIGHWAYS SAFE. ALSO, THIS AWARD OFFERS YOU A CHANCE TO LET YOUR DRIVERS KNOW THE IMPORTANCE OF THEIR CONTRIBUTION TO YOUR COMPANY'S SAFETY ACCOMPLISHMENTS. THIS COMPETITION STRESSES THE IMPORTANCE OF SAFETY, RECOGNIZES PROFESSIONALISM, AND FOCUSES ON PRINCIPLES BEHIND SAFETY DRIVING.

# Great West Casualty Fleet Safety Awards



The Fleet Safety Awards are an annual recognition for carriers operating in the State of Georgia with the best safety record in its class. This is an opportunity to reward the professional efforts of our trucking members who help make our Georgia highways safe. Also, this award offers you a chance to let your drivers know the importance of their contribution to your company's safety accomplishments. This competition stresses the importance of safety, recognizes professionalism, and focuses on the principles behind safe driving.

Award winners will be announced at the Awards Banquet at the Georgia Truck Driving Championships on **May 9th**. Please plan to make your company a part of the competition this year.

**PLEASE REVIEW THE CONTEST RULES ON THE BACK AND RETURN THIS FORM BY March 19.**

**Company Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City & State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Company Safety Director:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

Check (  ) one contest division. Copy this form as needed for more than one division.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> General Commodities Truckload | <input type="checkbox"/> Household Goods  | <input type="checkbox"/> Flatbed                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> General Commodities LTL       | <input type="checkbox"/> Heavy Hauler     | <input type="checkbox"/> Dump Truck                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tank Truck                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Auto Transporter | <input type="checkbox"/> Miscellaneous (Specify Below) |
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2024 Georgia Fleet Data	Georgia Fleet Vehicle Miles	Georgia Fleet DOT Recordable Accidents	Georgia Fleet Frequency Rate <small>Frequency = <math>\frac{\text{Total Georgia Accidents} \times 1,000,000}{\text{Total Georgia Miles}}</math></small>
Line-Haul			
Local			
Total			

2024 Total Fleet Data (All Operations)	Total Fleet Vehicle Miles	Total Fleet DOT Recordable Accidents	Total Fleet Frequency Rate

Improvement Award Data: 2022 Georgia Fleet Information		
2023 GA Accidents _____	2023 GA Mileage _____	2023 GA Frequency _____

**THE FOLLOWING CERTIFICATION MUST BE SIGNED BY AN OFFICER OF THE COMPANY OTHER THAN THE SAFETY DIRECTOR.**

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 record may be made prior to the announcement of any award to this organization.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

# GREAT WEST CASUALTY FLEET SAFETY AWARDS

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

- ◇ Entries are limited to trucking company members of GMTA.
- ◇ Mileage and accidents will be reported for Georgia operations only (except where noted "Total Fleet Data").
- ◇ Reporting of Accidents: **All DOT recordable accidents, whether preventable or non-preventable**, should be reported.

Please note the following accident guidelines:

- A. The amount of damage or cost of repair is not a factor in determining if the occurrence is an accident.
  - B. DOT recordable accidents are those that must be recorded in the company accident register and available for review in the event of a FMCSA audit as described in 49 CFR 390.5.
  - C. These accidents include:
    - 1) Any accident involving a fatality;
    - 2) Any accident with bodily injury to a person who must be transported away from the scene for medical treatment;
    - 3) Any accident where one or more vehicles incur disabling damage and must be transported away from the scene by tow truck.
  - D. These accidents do not include:
    - 1) An occurrence involving only boarding and alighting from a stationary motor vehicle;
    - 2) An occurrence involving only the loading or unloading of cargo.
- ◇ A separate report must be filed for each division representing a different type of service performed within the state.
  - ◇ A plaque or other suitable recognition will be awarded for the lowest accident frequency ratio in each of the divisions.
  - ◇ A panel of judges selected by the GMTA Safety Management Council shall judge all entries and determine all winners. In addition, the panel will select from among the winners a "Grand Champion", giving consideration to the following factors:
    - Accident Frequency
    - Overall Safety Program
    - Interest Shown in Trucking Industry Safety Activities
    - Improvement in Safety Record

All entries must be received by March 19

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