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Mike Taubitz spent 43 + years with General Motors in a variety of engineering and human resource positions. He held every safety position from plant safety supervisor to Global Director of Safety and Ergonomics. In the late 90s, he learned lean and continuous improvement thinking for office and business systems and used that as a foundation when he developed and led GM's emerging issues process from 2000 until retirement in 2008.

In this last assignment, Mike spent considerable time in the diverse world of global standards and regulation creating linkages between operations management and sustainability. He is a frequent speaker at professional and industry group meetings and is often referenced in articles, magazines and technical papers. He is co-chair of the national Lean & Safe Network and a member of the Accredited Standards Committee that developed and is updating ANSI Z10, the US National Standard for Occupational Health and Safety Management Systems.

Mike joined FDR Safety in 2010 where he manages safety issues influencing continuous improvement and sustainable growth.