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SAFETY FIRST

By Connor Hardesty

Safety with precision. That is what you demand and that is what we deliver. A recent lift we completed with our Texas partner, 5 States Helicopter, required us to lift a 6,000 pound air handler up 32 stories and place in a 24' by 36' section of the roof. With the pre-planning and exceptional execution by the ground crew, we were able to complete this job safely, on time, and on budget. See the lift on [YouTube here](#).



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A PILOT'S VIEW

By Steve Phelps

Welcome to our first newsletter about all things Black Hawk Heavy Lift. First, let me tell you a little about myself. I have over 35 years experience in the aviation industry including test pilot, trainer, and logistics manager for the Army National Guard. As a professional Black Hawk pilot, I have more than 5,500 flight hours and have piloted over 250 heavy lift projects for customers across the nation.

One of the standard operation procedures we implement is a complete flight review plan for every job. This allows us to anticipate changes unique to each job, including wind and weather, staging area challenges, ground crew operations, and all ground-to-air safety protocols. In future issues, I will explain the technical capabilities of the UH-60A and UH-60A+ and how their performance combined with our focus on safety will allow you to book our services with confidence.



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NETWORKING

By Timothy Reather

At Black Hawk Heavy Lift, we want to make sure we aren't just telling you how great we are. We continually listen and adapt to the needs of our customers and the multiple environmental factors impacting heavy lifts. We look forward to sharing these industry insights to elevate operating standards.

"SELECTING AN AIR CRANE PARTNER IS ONLY ONE PART OF YOUR PROJECT, BUT IS AN ESSENTIAL ELEMENT IN MAXIMIZING YOUR BUDGET AND TIME "

We recently met with the Mechanical Contractors Association of Oklahoma to learn more about the challenges of the marketplace and the opportunities that exist in the ever-changing construction business. Their insight and recommendations on increased safety processes and environmental analysis allow us to put together more competitive bids. With these efficiencies in place, we look forward to bidding your job.



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The Black Hawk has lift capacity up to 8,000 pounds per lift, which is ideal for jobs that are difficult or impossible to perform with a ground-based crane. We specialize in longline/sling load work for tower construction, transmission line construction and antenna setting, HVAC placement, generator placement, fuel and water tank transport, pipeline construction and repair, powerline repair, and other infrastructure services.

Do you have a job that has unique challenges?

Let one of our experts give you a free consultation on our heavy lift services.



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