



Tool Talk Safety Meeting

Date – 6/10/2019

Topics – Know Your Surroundings

Recently an incident occurred in the Troy yard involving two people and a truck being loaded with an SCB onto the trailer that resulted in a person's foot being run over.

A truck connected to an SCB trailer was parked in the SCB Loading area of the yard. The driver was out of the cab, behind the truck and in the process of securing the SCB to the trailer.

Another person decided to move the truck and in the process ran over the feet of the driver who was behind the truck securing the SCB to the trailer. Fortunately, no one was seriously injured and the accident did not result in what could have been a tragedy.

Think!! How could this have been avoided? What could be done differently?

1. Inspect - Before operating or driving any truck or piece of equipment perform a walk around checking to see that the area is clear of hazards or other people
2. Know your surroundings – yard facilities are an active place with hazards that pose a risk of injury that is higher during peak times of activity
3. Be visible to others - When connecting a trailer or loading and unloading equipment the beacons and truck four way flashers shall be on. Beacons and four way flashers will provide a visual communication that the truck is in use.
4. If you are assigned to drive a truck let the truck warm up where it is parked. Do not drive up to fill water jugs or get ice.
5. A qualified Yard Supervisor will be on site coordinating traffic and managing personnel during peak times

If you have any questions about Tool Talk Topics or other safety items contact Kurt Shea at 269-207-2055 or kurt@pkcontracting.com



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DATE: _____ **DIVISION:** _____

Foreman's/Presenter's Name: _____

Attendees sign and print name below

Printed Name	Signature	Printed Name	Signature

ADDITIONAL TOPICS AND/OR SUGGESTIONS FOR NEXT TOOL TALK

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