

SAFE WORK PRACTICE

TITLE	Asphalt Paving Crew
GENERAL	Protecting Workers from injuries associated with paving
APPLICATION	As per job description
PROTECTIVE MECHANISMS	As per job description
SELECTION AND USE	As per job description
SUPERVISOR RESPONSIBILITY	To facilitate and/or provide proper instruction to their workers on protection requirements
WORKER RESPONSIBILITY	<p>Flagperson - Flagpersons should be visible at all times, dressed in PPE and trained. When performing his/her duties, should be in standing position facing oncoming traffic at all times. He/she should stand alone and not mingle with the work crew or the travelling public.</p> <p>Rakeman - The raker should be positioned so that the experienced raker is located on the side of traffic and the inexperienced raker works the protected side. Rakers should wear long pants, long sleeve shirts, hard hats, safety boots, and reflective vests in order to be visible and protected from the hot asphalt.</p> <p>Screedman - The screedman shall be protected from asphalt burns by means of safety boots, long pants, long sleeve shirts and other appropriate PPE.</p> <p>Paver Operator - The operator shall remain on the paver at all times. He/she shall wear long pants, long sleeve shirt, hard hat, safety boots, and reflective vest during paving operations. The paver shall be operated in accordance with Company Safe Job Procedures and according to manufacturer's Safe Operating Procedure. The operator will refrain from using hand-held devices (cell-phones, two-way radios) while the equipment is in motion.</p> <p>Barricade Man - Person laying out the construction signs and barricades shall wear PPE. They shall position the barricades and signs in accordance with local laws.</p> <p>Roller Operators - Roller operators shall remain on their equipment during paving operations. He/she shall wear proper PPE. He/she shall operate the equipment in a safe manner as per the job procedure and in accordance with the manufacturer's Safe Operating Procedure. The operator will refrain from using hand-held devices (cell-phones, two-way radios) while the equipment is in motion.</p>

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