

LESS THAN OBVIOUS HAZARDS

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The Mining and Tunneling (M&T) Unit is responsible for: Investigating complaints of hazards and reports of accidents in mines and tunnels, and issuing citations ...

California Code of Regulations, Title 8, Tunnel Safety Orders, Article ...

<https://www.dir.ca.gov/title8/sb20a24apb.html>

TUNNEL AND MINE SAFETY. Chapter 1. Tunnels and **Mines**. 7950. This part shall be known and may be cited as "The Tom Carrell Memorial **Tunnel** and Mine ...

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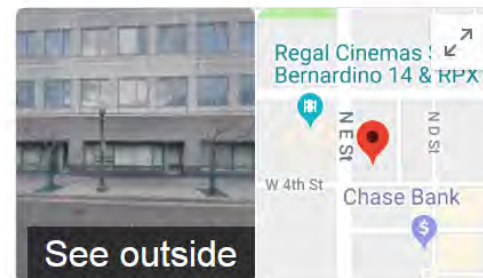
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Mar 27, 2017 - California enforces its own mining and tunneling regulations through **Cal/OSHA's Mining and Tunneling (M&T) Unit**. The main function of this ...



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Mining and Tunneling (M&T) Unit

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- Investigating complaints of hazards and reports of accidents in mines and tunnels, and issuing citations
- Conducting pre-job safety conferences and issuing permits prior to any initial underground mining or tunneling operation
- Performing periodic inspections of
 - Tunnels under construction
 - Underground mines
 - Surface mines and quarries
- Offering safety classes for mine operators and employees

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THIS IS WHAT WE
ARE SEEING

State Plan state



Falls from elevation

14 recent citations
issued by San Bern.
office alone “elevated
work locations unsafe
access”



Falls from elevation

- Too many times we have seen step ladders and extension ladders used routinely to work from and off



DIR Daily Report 2.22.19 - DOSH

- February 21, DOSH Long Beach district office was notified by XYZ Mobile Park of a fatality in Torrance. A maintenance worker fell while descending a ladder sustaining back and head injuries and was transported to hospital where he succumbed to his injuries on February 9. DOSH is investigating.



DIR Daily Report 2.22.19 - DOSH

February 21, DOSH Modesto district office was notified by the San Joaquin County Coroner's office of a fatality in Stockton. An owner of ABC Park Apartments fell from a ladder sustaining head injuries on February 18 and was transported to hospitals where he was pronounced brain dead-pulmonary death on February 21.

What ya talk'in about?



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Falls from elevation

More than 12 times per
year requires

“permanent elevated
work location”

- “Frequently”

Falls from elevation

§3270. Access General.

(b) Every permanent elevated work location, where there is machinery, equipment, or material which is customarily operated or frequently repaired, serviced, adjusted, or otherwise handled and every other permanent elevated work location, shall be provided with a safe platform or maintenance runway.

Falls from elevation

Article 1. Definitions

§3207. Definitions.

“Frequent. For the purpose of these orders frequent shall mean more than twelve times each year unless specifically stated otherwise in individual orders.”

Lock out Tag out

Six citations issued
on lockout tag of
which 3 were
serious

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- 50% serious is high for Cal OSHA

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- Routine inspections

We find procedural
errors

Lock out Tag out

Accident investigation....

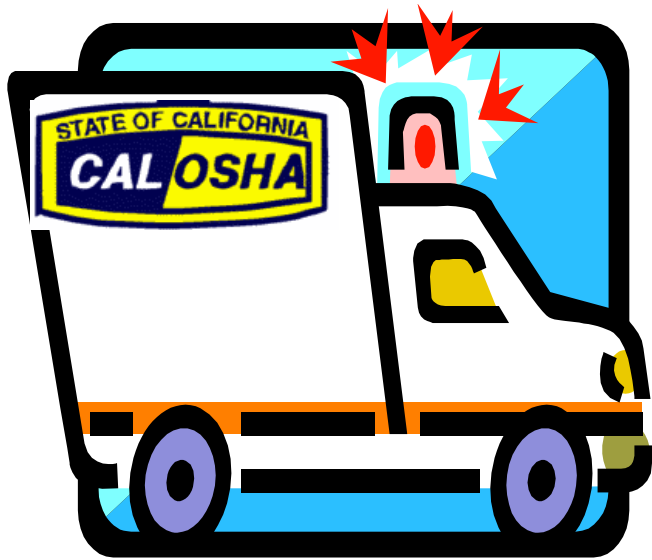
- We find no Lock
out

Mine Safety Committee

Safety committee shall
be organized at each
place of employment
to which the MSO
applies

Mine Safety Committee
once every month a
safety committee shall
make a detailed
inspection of all working
places, and equipment.

Thank you



Emergency

Let's not meet again . . .
by accident!