

## **Safety Message of the Day for IMEA Members**



## The Deadly Dozen Safety Message

The Deadly Dozen are the 12 unsafe acts that are the cause of nearly every accident.

## YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE BY TAKING THE TIME TO PERFORM YOUR WORK SAFELY

- #1 FAILURE TO WEAR PROPER PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT
- #1 UNAUTHORIZED USE OR OPERATION OF EQUIPMENT
- #2 FAILURE TO SECURE OR TIE DOWN MATERIALS TO PREVENT UNEXPECTED MOVEMENT
- #3 WORKING AND OPERATING EQUIPMENT TOO FAST
- #4 FAILURE TO ISSUE WARNINGS OR SIGNALS AS REQUIRED
- #5 USING DEFECTIVE TOOLS OR EQUIPMENT
- #6 REMOVING GUARDS
- #7 IMPROPERLY USING TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT
- #8 STANDING IN AN UNSAFE PLACE-OR ASSUMING IMPROPER POSTURE (LIFTING)
- #9 SERVICING MOVING EQUIPMENT
- #10 RIDING EQUIPMENT NOT INTENDED FOR PASSENGERS
- #11 HORSEPLAY
- #12 UNAUTHORIZED USE OR OPERATION OF EQUIPMENT

## **RESPECT THE UNEXPECTED - THINK THROUGH YOUR RISKS**