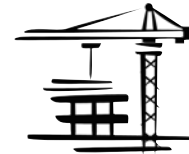
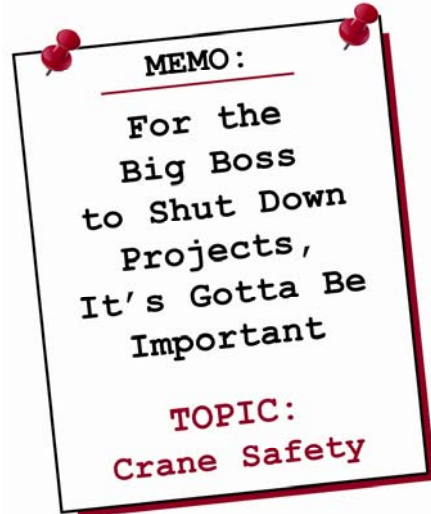


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Safety Pays!



Solid Foundation



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- Verify soil type
- Make sure adequate ground compaction
- Outriggers should be fully extended



Swing Radius Protection



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- Make sure swing area is barricaded
- Use red danger tape

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Boom Inspection



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- Lower Boom weekly
- Inspect tower and check bolts
- Check cab for banned objects

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Review Annual Inspection



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- Make sure current (12 months)
- Must be written (not just a sticker)
- Note any broken items (repaired?)
- Is it from a 3rd party source?

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Check Daily Inspection Logs



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- Review the operators daily logs
- Make sure any broken items are repaired

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Operator Training



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- Verify Operator's formal training
- Ask for NCCCO card

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Communication



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- Do not allow use of Nextel Radios
- Make sure each Operator has a designated channel
- Provide back up means of communication such as cell phone or CB radio
- Make sure each rigger has a radio
- Flagger should have radio contact with operator
- Need a dedicated channel

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Rigger



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- Have designated Rigger for each Operator
- Provide Rigging Training
- Review Standard Crane Hand Signals
- Designate in some way
(red X on hard hat or orange vest)

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Coordination



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- Coordinate hook time between all contractors
- Set up schedule board for “Hook Time”
- Determine swing path

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Erection & Dismantle



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- Provide clear open area
- Keep other trades out from under area

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