

**OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY  
AND HEALTH STANDARDS BOARD**

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*The mission of the Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board is to promote, adopt, and maintain reasonable and enforceable standards that will ensure a safe and healthful workplace for California workers.*

**AGENDA****PUBLIC MEETING AND BUSINESS MEETING  
OF THE OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH STANDARDS BOARD**

**May 19, 2016**  
**County Administration Center**  
**Room 310**  
**1600 Pacific Highway**  
**San Diego, CA 92101**  
**10:00 a.m.**

**I. CALL TO ORDER AND INTRODUCTIONS**

**II. PUBLIC MEETING (Open for Public Comment)**

- A. This portion of the Public Meeting is open to any interested person to propose new or revised standards to the Board or to make any comment concerning occupational safety and health (Labor Code Section 142.2).

This portion of the meeting is also open to any person who wishes to address the Board on any item on today's Business Meeting Agenda (Government Code Section 11125.7).

Any individual or group planning to make a presentation during the Public Meeting is requested to contact Sarah Money, Executive Assistant, or Marley Hart, Executive Officer, at (916) 274-5721 in advance of the meeting so that any logistical concerns can be addressed.

**DISABILITY ACCOMMODATION NOTICE:** Disability accommodation is available upon request. Any person with a disability requiring an accommodation, auxiliary aid or service, or a modification of policies or procedures to ensure effective communication and access to the public hearings/meetings of the Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board should contact the Disability Accommodation Coordinator at (916) 274-5721 or the state-wide Disability Accommodation Coordinator at 1-866-326-1616 (toll free). The state-wide Coordinator can also be reached through the California Relay Service, by dialing 711 or 1-800-735-2929 (TTY) or 1-800-855-3000 (TTY-Spanish).

Accommodations can include modifications of policies or procedures or provision of auxiliary aids or services. Accommodations include, but are not limited to, an Assistive Listening System (ALS), a Computer-Aided Transcription System or Communication Access Realtime Translation (CART), a sign-language interpreter, documents in Braille, large print or on computer disk, and audio cassette recording. Accommodation requests should be made as soon as possible. Requests for an ALS or CART should be made no later than five (5) days before the hearing.

B. General Industry Safety Orders, Section 5155, Airborne Contaminants, Wood Dust and Western Red Cedar – Continuation of Oral Comments

C. ADJOURNMENT OF THE PUBLIC MEETING

III. **BUSINESS MEETING – All matters on this Business Meeting agenda are subject to such discussion and action as the Board determines to be appropriate.**

The purpose of the Business Meeting is for the Board to conduct its monthly business.

A. PROPOSED PETITION DECISIONS FOR ADOPTION

1. James Sherman  
[Petition File No. 553](#)

Petitioner requests the Board amend Title 8, Telecommunication Safety Orders, Section 8615(g), with regard to fall protection for telecom workers point to point travel on poles, towers & similar structures.

B. PROPOSED VARIANCE DECISIONS FOR ADOPTION

1. [Consent Calendar](#)

C. OTHER

1. Legislative Update
2. Executive Officer’s Report
  - a. Hotel Housekeeping Update
3. Future Agenda Items

**Next Meeting:** June 16, 2016  
State Resources Building  
Auditorium  
1416 9th Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
10:00 a.m.