OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY
AND HEALTH STANDARDS BOARD
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MISSION STATEMENT

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 healthy workplace for California workers.

AGENDA

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH STANDARDS BOARD MEETING

November 19, 2026
10:00 a.m.

In-Person:

Hilton Garden Inn Monterey
Big Sur Ballroom
1000 Aguajito Road
Monterey, CA 93940

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Public Comment Queue:
If attending the Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board (Board) meeting in person, you will be added to the public comment queue upon completing a comment card on the day of the meeting using your real name or pseudonym.

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† Information requested is voluntary and not required to address the Board.

I. CALL TO ORDER AND INTRODUCTIONS

A. Spanish translation instructions

II. REMARKS FROM THE CHAIR

III. PUBLIC HEARING

A. Explanation of Procedures

B. Proposed safety orders (revisions, additions, deletions)

1. TITLE 8: **GENERAL INDUSTRY SAFETY ORDERS**
   Sections 5006.1 and 5006.2
   Recertification of Crane Operators

   a. Briefing on the Proposal

b. Board Member Comments and Questions

c. Public Comment

IV. BUSINESS MEETING

Note: The purpose of the Business Meeting is for the Board to conduct its monthly business. All matters on this agenda are subject to discussion and action as determined to be appropriate by the Board Chair. Items may be taken out of order.

There will be a public comment period before board action on each item, except for the Consent Calendar. Public comment will be limited to two minutes per speaker or four minutes for speakers requiring concurrent English translation.

A. PROPOSED PETITION DECISION FOR ADOPTION

1. Fire Emergency Preparedness for Aerial-Device Work
   Petition 615

The Petitioner requests to the Board to "review an under-discussed hazard affecting utility workers, electrical contractors, line-clearance workers, tree-care personnel, and other employees who perform work from aerial devices and elevated work platforms: fire occurring at or near the worker's elevated position."

The Petitioner asserts:

• Aerial-device fire emergencies present a distinct operational problem that may not be fully addressed by existing general aerial device requirements, portable fire extinguisher rules, or emergency action planning requirements

• A review of OSHA accident summaries and public reports identifies multiple fire-related aerial platform incident patterns

• Requiring specific personal protective equipment (PPE) may be necessary when engineering and administrative controls have failed

- Briefing by Board staff on proposed petition decision for adoption
- Public comment on proposed petition decision for adoption

- Board discussion

2. Type II Helmets
   Petition 616

The Petitioner requests the Board to consider amending title 8 to require all employees who are using active fall protection systems to wear helmets meeting the ANSI Z89.1-2014 Type II requirements

The petitioner identifies their experience as a Fall Protection Qualified Person Instructor, serving as an expert witness, and a member of ANSI Z359. The petitioner cites several incidents which workers sustained serious injuries or fatalities where a "hardhat" that is rated for side and top impacts, secured with a harness to hold the hardhat on their head may have mitigated the severity of the incidents.

The petitioner states that:

- Falls from height continue to be the leading cause of death in construction and cites industry experience, incident examples, and statistical data to support their request that the Board consider requiring ASNI Z89.1-2014 Type II helmets for all at-height workers.

- The petitioner contends that improved head protection has the potential to "significantly reduce fatalities and life-changing injuries" at a "relatively low cost" and that these changes could be put into the walking-working surfaces regulations, "where head protection [is] perhaps needed the most."

    - Briefing by Board staff on proposed petition decision for adoption

    - Public comment on proposed petition decision for adoption

    - Board discussion

B. PROPOSED VARIANCE DECISIONS FOR ADOPTION

- Consent Calendar
- Vote on consent calendar

C. REPORTS

- Executive Officer's Report
    - Process Update
    - Regulations Update
    - Staffing Update
- Legislative Update
- Cal/OSHA Report
    - Regulations Update
- Public comment on reports

D. BOARD DISCUSSION: PLACEMENT OF AGENDA ITEM "PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS OR TO PROPOSE NEW OR REVISED STANDARDS"

- Briefing and Board Discussion
- Public comment on Board Discussion

E. BOARD DISCUSSION PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS OR TO PROPOSE NEW OR REVISED STANDARDS

This portion of the meeting is open to any interested person proposing new or revised standards to the Board or commenting on occupational safety and health issues (Labor Code section 142.2) not on the agenda. The Board is prohibited from acting on or responding to items that are not noticed on the agenda but may refer items to staff for future consideration.

Public comment will be limited to two minutes per speaker or four minutes for speakers requiring concurrent English translation.

The Board encourages comments on occupational safety and health matters not included on the monthly agenda. If you have a comment and cannot attend during the non-agenda comment period, OSHSB staff will do their best to read emailed comments into the record. Please send your non-agenda comment to oshsb_nacomments@dir.ca.gov by 5:00 PM the day prior to the meeting. Your comment should be clear, concise and 500 words or less.

Any individual or group wanting to make a presentation during the Public Meeting should visit https://www.dir.ca.gov/oshsb/presentations-for-oshsb.html for further information.

F. COMMENTS BY BOARD MEMBERS

Any Board member may identify a topic of interest during the Board meeting. However, the Board may not substantially discuss or act on any matter raised during the meeting that is not included on this agenda, except to decide to place the matter on the agenda of a future meeting. (GC sections 11125 & 11125.7(a).).

G. CLOSED SESSION

Pending Decisions (GC section 11126(c)(3))

- Permanent Variance No. 23-V-580 (Dragados)

Pending Litigation (GC section 11126(e)(1))

- Western States Petroleum Association (WSPA) v. California Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board (OSHSB), et al. United States District Court (Eastern District of California) Case No. 2:19-CV-01270

- WSPA v. OSHSB, et al., County of Sacramento, CA Superior Court Case No. 34-2019-00260210

Personnel: to consider the appointment, employment, evaluation or performance, or dismissal of a public employee or to hear complaints or charges brought against that employee pursuant to Government Code section 11126, subdivisions (a) and (b).

H. RETURN TO OPEN SESSION

- Report from closed session

I. ADJOURNMENT OF THE MEETING

Next Meeting: December 17, 2026
California State University, Stanislaus
Mary Stuart Rogers Building, Room MSR 130
One University Circle
Turlock, CA 95382
10:00 a.m.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Public Hearing

In the event of a Public Hearing, members of the public may provide comments regarding standards that have been noticed to the public for a 45-day comment period. An individual wishing to comment must complete a speaker comment card. Efforts will be made to accommodate everyone who signs up to speak.

Each individual who submits a comment card will get up to two minutes to speak. The Board Chair may extend the speaking time allotted when practical.

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CONSENT CALENDAR—PROPOSED VARIANCE DECISIONS
NOVEMBER 19, 2026, MONTHLY BUSINESS MEETING
OF THE OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH STANDARDS BOARD

PROPOSED DECISIONS FOR BOARD CONSIDERATION, HEARD ON OCTOBER 21, 2026

Docket Number	Applicant Name	Safety Order(s) at Issue	Proposed Decision Recommendation
1. 17-V-392M2	Metro Owners Association	ELEVATOR	GRANT
2. 18-V-077M2	Metro Owners Association	ELEVATOR	GRANT
3. 18-V-135M2	Metro Owners Association	ELEVATOR	GRANT
4. 18-V-136M2	Metro Owners Association	ELEVATOR	GRANT
5. 18-V-508M1	Westlake Realty Group, Inc.	ELEVATOR	GRANT
6. 23-V-092M1	Open DTHLA RE Holdings, LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
7. 26-V-004M1	SyNoor, LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
8. 26-V-162	UCSF Health	ELEVATOR	GRANT
9. 26-V-175M1	Coombs Street LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
10. 26-V-233M1	292 Barham LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
11. 26-V-351M1	Logos St Rest Holdings 1, LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
12. 26-V-483	Bay Area Rapid Transit District (BART)	ELEVATOR	GRANT
13. 26-V-489	Luis O. Ramallo	ELEVATOR	GRANT
14. 26-V-490	Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District	ELEVATOR	GRANT
15. 26-V-491	Primestor Norwalk Entertainment, LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
16. 26-V-492	15 South Hope Associates, L.P.	ELEVATOR	GRANT
17. 26-V-493	CFT NV Developments LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
18. 26-V-494	BH Luxury Residences, LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
19. 26-V-495	BH Luxury Residences, LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT

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20. 26-V-496	The Board of Trustees of the Leland Stanford Junior University	ELEVATOR	GRANT
21. 26-V-497	GMMR Stone, LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
22. 26-V-498	City of Ontario	ELEVATOR	GRANT
23. 26-V-499	Wilton Rancheria Gaming Authority	ELEVATOR	GRANT
24. 26-V-500	Red Tail Multifamily Land Development LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
25. 26-V-501	Chino Valley Unified School District	ELEVATOR	GRANT
26. 26-V-502	UCSF Health	ELEVATOR	GRANT
27. 26-V-503	UCSF Health	ELEVATOR	GRANT
28. 26-V-504	Sophia Foundation	ELEVATOR	GRANT
29. 26-V-506	Rainbow Investment Co.	ELEVATOR	GRANT
30. 26-V-507	El Camino Hospital	ELEVATOR	GRANT
31. 26-V-508	Harmony at Cote Vera, LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
32. 26-V-509	Harmony at Cote Vera, LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
33. 26-V-510	Navajo Road Housing Associates, L.P.	ELEVATOR	GRANT
34. 26-V-511	Harmony at Cote Vera, LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
35. 26-V-512	Harmony at Cote Vera, LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
36. 26-V-513	LA Sanitation	ELEVATOR	GRANT
37. 26-V-517	SPI 80 Grand Broadway, LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
38. 26-V-519	MDNI Group LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
39. 26-V-520	525 Water Street LP	ELEVATOR	GRANT
40. 26-V-521	The Glen at Heather Farm Walnut Creek CCRC LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
41. 26-V-522	SHAC 11 ECR Apartments LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
42. 26-V-523	San Mateo County Community College District	ELEVATOR	GRANT

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43. 26-V-524	Balboa Park Properties, LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
44. 26-V-525	Balboa Park Properties, LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
45. 26-V-526	Balboa Park Properties, LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
46. 26-V-527	College of the Sequoias	ELEVATOR	GRANT
47. 26-V-528	Long Beach Community College District	ELEVATOR	GRANT
48. 26-V-529	Rise 30th St LP	ELEVATOR	GRANT
49. 26-V-530	DICK's Sporting Goods, Inc	ELEVATOR	GRANT
50. 26-V-531	Dry Creek Commons L.P.	ELEVATOR	GRANT
51. 26-V-532	Camino de Salud LP	ELEVATOR	GRANT
52. 26-V-533	BC Oregon LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
53. 26-V-534	Tule River Tribe Gaming Authority	ELEVATOR	GRANT
54. 26-V-535	Midtown Flats, LP	ELEVATOR	GRANT
55. 26-V-536	TH II Los Angeles 2617 Crenshaw LP	ELEVATOR	GRANT
56. 26-V-537	Lone Oak – Los Angeles, L.L.C.	ELEVATOR	GRANT
57. 26-V-538	Eastbank QOZB LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
58. 26-V-539	Pacific BMW	ELEVATOR	GRANT
59. 26-V-540	6171 Mission Gorge Owner, LP	ELEVATOR	GRANT
60. 26-V-541	4417 Rutherford Owner, LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT
61. 26-V-542	US 1902 Wilshire Owner, LLC	ELEVATOR	GRANT

PROPOSED DECISIONS FOR BOARD CONSIDERATION, HEARD ON OCTOBER 28, 2026

Docket Number	Applicant Name	Safety Order(s) at Issue	Proposed Decision Recommendation
62. 26-V-316	Sugar Bowl Corporation	Section 3162	GRANT