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 healthful workplace for California workers.

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

September 14, 2017
Walnut Creek City Hall
Council Chambers
1666 N. Main Street
Walnut Creek, CA 94596
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.

B. ADJOURNMENT OF THE PUBLIC MEETING

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.
III. **PUBLIC HEARING**

A. **EXPLANATION OF PROCEDURES**

B. **PROPOSED SAFETY ORDERS (Revisions, Additions, Deletions)**

   1. **TITLE 8: GENERAL INDUSTRY SAFETY ORDERS SAFETY ORDERS**
      Section 5155
      *Airborne Contaminants - Benzyl Chloride*

IV. **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 SAFETY ORDERS FOR ADOPTION**

   1. **TITLE 8: CONSTRUCTION SAFETY ORDERS**
      Sections 1711, 1712, 1713, 1717, and 1721
      *Reinforcing Steel Concrete Construction and Post-Tensioning Operations* (Heard at the December 15, 2016, Public Hearing)

B. **PROPOSED PETITION DECISIONS FOR ADOPTION**

   1. James T. Dufour, J.D., C.I.H.
      *Petition File No. 565*

      Petitioner requests the Board amend various General Industry Safety Orders concerning employer use of engineered platforms mounted on industrial lift trucks to elevate date palm harvesting employees.

C. **PROPOSED VARIANCE DECISIONS FOR ADOPTION**

   1. *Consent Calendar*

D. **OTHER**

   1. Division Update on Hotel Housekeeping Timeline
   2. Executive Officer’s Report
   3. Future Agenda Items
E. ADJOURNMENT OF THE BUSINESS MEETING

Next Meeting: October 19, 2017
Costa Mesa City Hall
Council Chambers
77 Fair Drive
Costa Mesa, CA 92626
10:00 a.m.