

**Observation Report****Submitted By**[Santiago Talamantez](#)**Started On****Submitted On****Weather** 63°, cloudy**Version** V2 (latest)**Updated****Report No.** 2006914**Location****Observation Report****Field Office****Line of Business** [HSE](#)**Customer****Subcontractor:** *None***Observation Report Summary:**

On 12/12/2018 from 8:30 AM to 11:00 AM, I conducted a job site observation for a crew at 559 Solms Forrest in New Braunfels. I met with the supervisor, Humberto, along with his crew as they started a residential job. They had a few issues with PPE and as discovered during this past quarter's training, operators of powered platforms are still lacking training. All else was fine, their employees use safe work methods while climbing ladders and stabilizing themselves when working at heights.

**Add File or Photo** *None***WHAT DID YOU OBSERVE?****Unsafe Act** Yes**Safe Act** No**Safe Employee (non-Hazard Scout User)** *None***REACTIONS OF PEOPLE****Addressing Paperwork** Yes



All powered platforms should have record-keeping means for inspection.

<b>Action</b>	The manlift had no form of record for daily inspection. Recommend: Obtain a daily log, or keep individual inspection forms on hand and on record.
<b>Photos</b>	None

**UNUSED/IMPROPER PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT**

**Eyes & Face / Eyewear** Yes



Employee not wearing eye protection.

<b>Action</b>	Four of the five employees were not wearing eye protection. They stated that it was in the crew truck that left briefly. Recommend: Carry extra eye and ear protection in the tool boxes of trailers and in the trucks.
<b>Photos</b>	None
<b>Fall Protection</b>	Yes



Nieves had a harness on that was too big for him.

<b>Action</b>	Nieves was wearing a harness that fit him big. He stated that his harness was in his supervisor's work truck but the supervisor called in sick for the day. Recommend: Find a method for having employees transport their own issued PPE.
<b>Photos</b>	None

#### VEHICLES AND DOT COMPLIANCE/FORKLIFT

**OTHER Vehicle Issues** Yes



Emergency break battery box needs to be recharged.

<b>Action</b>	The emergency breakaway device battery was dead. Recommend: Replace or recharge the battery.
<b>Photos</b>	None

#### CORRECTIVE ACTION(S):

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