TOWNSEND

WEEKLY TAILGATE: PREVENTING FALLS, 2 POINTS OF CONTACT
Week of

CORPORATE MESSAGE
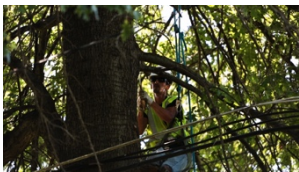
PREVENTING FALLS, 2 POINTS OF CONTACT

Always be tied in to the tree with at least two points of attachment when operating in a tree with a hand saw or chain saw.

The intent of two attachments is to **prevent a fall if** the **climbing line is** accidentally **severed**.

Think before you cut; **plan your cuts.**

Look at the path the saw will take when the cut will be finished.

Attachment to the tree **can include climbing line and lanyard or double-crotched climbing line.**

SAFETY VIDEOS

English: **vimeo.com/townsendcorp/18te** | Spanish: **vimeo.com/townsendcorp/18ts**

GOALS   REGIONAL/LOCAL OPERATIONS

Last Week

This Week

IMPORTANT REMINDER

DAILY SAFETY NUGGETS

MONDAY
Always maintain two points of attachment when using a chainsaw while climbing aloft.

TUESDAY
What is required before you cut! Plan all of your cuts. Be actively engaged in work procedures.

WEDNESDAY
When cutting, where should an arborist look? Look past the cut and at the path the saw may take after finishing.

THURSDAY
How often is an arborist required to inspect their climbing line? Inspect climbing lines before each use.

FRIDAY
What was the Safety Alert issued last week? It's tornado season; be aware.

SATURDAY
True/False…   Arborists can rig small limbs to the tail of their climbing line as long as they are not large enough to damage the climbing system. FALSE The only exception: climbing line may be used to raise and lower tools.

DRIVE SAFETY TIP

YIELD ANYWAY!
"Nobody ever yielded their way into a collision." Think about it. If you are in doubt about who has the right of way, give it away. The other guy may be wrong, but you can end up hurt or dead. We often say no one HAS the right-of-way until it is yielded to them. When it comes to driving safely, it's not the principle, but the outcome, that counts.

PREVENTING FALLS, 2 POINTS OF CONTACT
Weekly Tailgate Sign-in

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Supervisor: _____   Date: _____

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