

# Smart and Safe Cell Phone Use

*a tip sheet*



## Don't let your smart phone cause you to make a dumb decision

### Workers

- Keep your phone in your pocket when you're in the yard, terminal or loading dock.
- And of course, don't text or talk while driving.

### Employers

- Designate cellphone use areas and cellphone-free zones on your property.
- Train drivers to stay in their cab or other safe area and to use designated walking paths during loading and unloading.

### Bonus safety tip for forklift drivers

- Always drive with load lowered and in reverse if the load will impede visibility.

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