

Loading Dock Safety & FOB 10

The Occupational Health & Safety Administration (OSHA) requires that fall protection be provided at elevations of four (4) feet in general industry workplaces.

- **At FoB 10, one location that has a drop of over 4 feet is our loading docks.**
- **When the doors are opened and there is not a truck trailer locked in place, falling from height is a major concern.**
- **In the past few months, guarding gates have been installed at all of our dock doors to protect against getting too close to the edge when performing tasks like taking out the plastics, cardboard, and trash.**
- **The installed gates must remain in place and locked at each end to protect you and your co-workers against falls from the open dock.**
- **Only Warehouse Employees and those directly involved in Shipping & Receiving may open the gates, and then ONLY after a trailer is locked in place.**