

Pneumatic Post Pounder Operation – Driving Post

Facility:	Written By:	Approved By:	Date Created:	Date of Last Revision

Hazards Present:	PPE or Devices Required:	Additional Training Required:
High pressure fluid	Safety glasses	See operators manual
Flying debris	Steel toe boots	
Electrocution	Gloves	
Crushing	High visibility vest/clothing	
Rollover		

Safe Work Procedure:

1. Use the hydraulic control valve to position the hammer.
2. Raise impact head approximately one to two feet above the post before driving the post down.
3. Continue driving the post until the desired height is achieved.
4. After completing the job, ensure that the pounder mast is in the lowered position.
5. Lean the mast back into the transportation position. Fully extend hitch cylinder.
6. Reduce engine speed to a low idle to allow motor to cool off.
7. Once motor has cooled down, shut engine off.

If an emergency situation occurs while conducting this task, or there is an equipment malfunction, engage the emergency stop and follow the lock out procedure

REPORT ANY HAZARDOUS SITUATIONS TO YOUR SUPERVISOR

<p align="center">Guidance Documents/Standards:</p> <p>MB Workplace Safety & Health Act & Regulations: <i>Part 6 – Personal Protective Equipment</i> <i>Part 16 – Machines and Tools</i> <i>Part 22 – Powered Mobile Equipment</i></p>	<p align="center">This Safe Work Procedure will be reviewed any time the task, equipment or materials change and at a minimum of every three years</p>
	<p>Reviewed By WSH Committee:</p> <p>Date:</p>