

Did your driver have a nice trip last fall?



Climbing on top of rolloff boxes and other containers or structures is unsafe and could be an OSHA violation, if more than six feet above the ground. Drivers need to inspect loads and deploy tarping and securement on virtually every load. Make sure you have some method or equipment to avoid the trip and fall hazards that many drivers have experienced. A fall from a slippery container can have deadly serious consequences. OSHA requires that we have some means of controlling a working-at-heights exposure above 6 feet, be it mechanical aids (ladders) or personal protective equipment (harbess & lanyard). Portable ladders might be the easiest option, and getting drivers to change their old habits should be everyone's goal. If you avoid the height., you can avoid the fall... and the likely injury too!