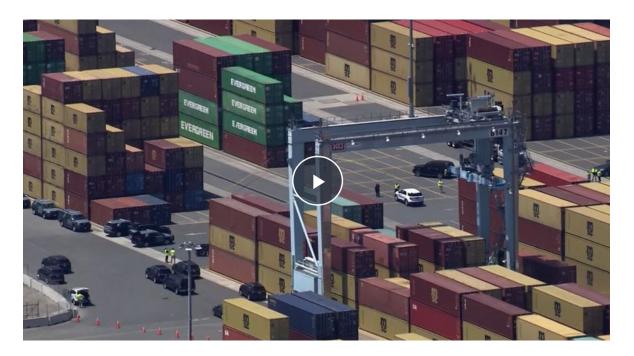


## Boston's Conley Container terminal closed after worker hit, killed by truck

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**BOSTON** —A busy container port along Boston Harbor was closed Wednesday after a Massachusetts man who works as a truck driver was struck and killed by a trailer.

Massachusetts State Police officials said the incident at the Conley Container Terminal in the Seaport occurred around 11:40 a.m.

Flying overhead Sky5 saw a large portion of the terminal was ringed in yellow crime scene tape. At least two trailers were stopped within the scene.

State police said the early investigation indicates that a 72-year-old man from Revere was driving a truck with a trailer within the terminal when the trailer struck a pedestrian.

The pedestrian, a 41-year-old Billerica man working as a truck driver within the terminal, was pronounced dead at the scene.

"The safety and security of those that use our facilities is our top priority," said Massachusetts Port Authority (Massport) spokesperson Jen Mehigan. "The unfortunate accident this morning involved the death of a truck driver accessing Conley on behalf of a private trucking company. An investigation into the accident is currently underway."

Conley Container Terminal is <u>operated by Massport</u>. Recently, the state has invested in dredging the harbor and installing three enormous cranes to expand the terminal and keep pace with the sizes of modern ships.