



## ILA-UMX JOINT SAFETY COMMITTEE

1  
OSH Circular 2016-06 (10 May 2016)

### Speed Kills!



The sign shown above was observed at a marine terminal in Oakland, California recently. It reflects an awareness that excessive vehicular speed is dangerous and has no place on the waterfront.

Whether it's a terminal bus transporting marine terminal workers to various locations inside the facility, an over-the-road truck driver in a hurry to get in and out of a marine terminal, or perhaps a terminal service pickup being driven down a long stretch of a crane backreach area, allowing the operators to travel at an excessive speed threatens the lives of every other nearby member of our waterfront workplace. That's unacceptable...

A worker's ability to go home, safe and sound, at the end of his/her shift should not be put in question or in jeopardy by anyone! Complying with speed limits shows you care for yourself and for your fellow workers. Don't be afraid to show you care!

**Marine terminal speed limits should be established, posted *and enforced*.**

***Anyone* observed violating the posted speed limit, should be taken to task by terminal management immediately.**

### Working Together For The Benefit Of All

ILA-UMX OSH Circulars are devised to reflect the best possible information and guidance, and are products of diligent research and the most up to date subject matter knowledge. Consequently, while the information contained herein is believed to be accurate, owing to a host of factors ILA-UMX can convey no direct or implied warranty relative to the reliance of parties upon content.