

**Introduction: HEAD ON A SWIVEL!** Year after year construction workers are crushed, run over, pinned by, or struck by moving equipment. These accidents can be evented through simple measures. **BEFORE** we move equipment, make sure warning devices and lights function properly. Make sure glass is clean and clear and perform a safety walk-around of the machine. If the machine is equipped with rear-view mirrors, make sure they are clean and adjusted. **ALWAYS** look to the rear of the machine before backing.

## BE SAFE!!!

### SAFETY TIPS FOR MOBILE MACHINERY

- Never position yourself in an area or location where equipment operators cannot readily see you.
- Wear reflective clothing to ensure high visibility when necessary to walk or work near moving equipment.
- Before operating mobile equipment, always ensure that other workers are not in the area of your intended travel.
- Sound warnings when starting and moving equipment, and when the operator's visibility is obstructed, such as when making tight turns, reversing direction.
- Do not get in between moving machines and other stationary or moving objects or machines.



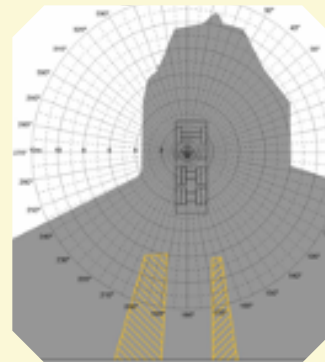
**ALWAYS DO A 360-DEGREE WALK-AROUND BEFORE BACKING.**



**SEE OTHER WORKERS AND HAND SIGNALS BY KEEPING MACHINE GLASS CLEAN.**



**KEEP YOUR BODY OUT FROM BETWEEN MACHINES AND STATIONARY OBJECTS.**



**MANY CONSTRUCTION MACHINES AND TRUCKS HAVE VERY LARGE BLIND AREAS.**



**EXCAVATION EQUIPMENT HAS POOR VISIBILITY TO THE REAR. KEEP LIGHTS, HORN AND BACKUP ALARM WORKING.**

