

**Washtenaw County Road Commission
Personal Protective Equipment - Quick Reference Chart**

Type of Work	Eye & Face Protection					Protective Clothing			Leg & Foot Protection		Head Protection		Body Protection		Hand Protection					Hearing Protection		Respiratory Protection	
	Safety Glasses w/ Side Shields	Goggles	Clear Face Shield	Tinted Face Shield	Wire Mesh Face Shield	Welders Helmet	Welders Jacket	Safety Vest	Protective Footwear	Leg Chaps	Forestry Helmet	Hard Hat	Safety Lanyard Body Harness	Seat Belt	Work Gloves	Welders Gloves	Disposable Latex/Nitrile Gloves	Rubber or Solvent Resistant Gloves	Thermal Resistant Gloves	Ear Plugs	Ear Muffs	Respirator	Dust Mask
Aerial Lift Work	M	O	O					M	M		M	M		O						5	O		
Asphalt Distributor	M	O	O						M								O	M		5	O		
Asphalt Patching	M	O						M	M				1	O						5			
Asphalt Paving	M	O	O					M	M		O			M			O			5	O		
Asphalt/Concrete Cutting	M	O	O					M	M					M						M	O		O
Bridge Repair	M	O	O					M	M		M			M						5	O		
Brush Cutting	M							4	M	M	M			M						M	O		O
Catch Basin Repair/Construction	M	O	O					M	M		O			M			O			5			
Chipping	M	O	O	O	O			4	M	O	O	M		M						M	O		
Concrete Pouring	M	O	O					M	M		O			M			O			5	O		
Crack Sealing	M	O	O					M	M					M				O		5			
Dead Animal	M							M	M					M		O				5			
Ditching (Laborer)	M							M	M		M			O						5	O		
Fence Repair	M	O	O					M	M					M						5			
Field Operations (Inspecting, Observing, Surveying)	O							M	M		O			O						5			O
Guardrail	M	O	O					M	M					M						5	O		O
Jack Hammer	M	O	O					M	M		M			M						M	O		O
Janitorial	O	O	O						M					M		O	O			5	O		
Joint/Crack Cleaning	M	O	O					M	M		M			M						M	O		O
Lawn Mowing	M	O	O						M				1	O						5	O		O
Loading Brine/Chloride	M	O							M								M			5	O		
Operating Heavy Equipment								3	M		O		1	O						M	O		
Operating Power Tools	M	O	O						M					O						M	O		O
Operating Trucks									M				M							5			
Power Washing	M	O	O						M					O		O	O			5	O		O
Road Sweeping	3	O						3	M				M	O						5			O
Roadside Clean Up	M							M	M					M		O				5			
Roadside Mowing	3								M				M							5	O		O
Shop Work/Equipment Maintenance	M	O	O					2	M					O		O	O			5	O		O
Sign Installation	M	O	O					M	M		M	M		O						M	O		
Sign Removal	M	O	O					M	M		M	M		O						5	O		
Stump Grinding	M	O	O	O	M			M	M	O	M			M						M	O		O
Tire Repair	M	O	O					2	M					O						5	O		
Torching/Cutting	M	O	O	O		O	O		M					M	O					5		O	
Traffic Regulators	M	O						M	M		M			O						5			
Tree Cutting	M							4	M	M	M			M						M	O		O
Vactor	M	O	O					M	M		O		1	M			O			5	O		O
Weed Whipping	M	O	O					2	M					O						M	O		
Welding	M	O				M	O		M						M					5			

This non-exhaustive list of work activities and PPE provides quick reference to WCRC staff. This list does not supersede the need for sound judgment in conformity with Federal and State regulations or WCRC safety policies and procedures. Employees are responsible for consulting with their immediate Supervisor and referring to their Safety Policy Handbook for additional details and information.

NOTES:

- 1. Mandatory while in transit, and/or when equipped with "ROPS"
- 2. Mandatory during roadside work
- 3. Mandatory except when enclosed cab is provided
- 4. Mandatory 5 point tear away vest
- 5. Mandatory when noise exposure levels equal or exceed an 8-hour time weighted average sound level of 85 dBA

LEGEND:

M - Mandatory
O - Optional