

# STOP WORK AUTHORITY

Stop Work Authority should be initiated for conditions or behaviors that threaten danger or imminent danger to person(s), equipment or the environment. Situations that warrant a SWA may include, but are not limited to the following:

- Alarms
- Change in conditions
- Changes to scope of work or work plan
- Emergency situation
- Equipment used improperly
- Lack of knowledge, understanding or information
- Near-miss incident
- Unsafe conditions

## Stop Work Authority Process

Stop Work Authority is a several step process - stop, notify, investigate, correct, resume and follow-up



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