I would like to thank everyone for participating in our discussions on safety and situational awareness/safety in the mundane. Your interest, input and suggestions indicate to me that ASD understands the concepts and appreciates the connection between ISM and situational awareness. The next step is to demonstrate our understanding 24/7. Please continue to bring up suggestions and opportunities for improvements to help James Lang and me in this integration.

Argonne has shown an increase in incidents which contain indicators of a lack of situational awareness. Please remember that a change in the scope of work, identification of additional hazards, or unexpected conditions or situations can lead to problems. Remembering to actively engage in these situations will help us remain aware of the scope of work and to control the hazards.

Let’s pay particular attention to our positions of work, the proper use of tools, hand safety and correct PPE for the task. Please take a few minutes to visit the safety glove display in the stockroom. The display helps to choose the right glove for the job.

When we take the time to put on our PPE, or sign a work request, or before we begin a task let’s actively engage our safety brain and ask ourselves: Am I authorized and trained to do this task? How does my work affect my safety? How is my safety affected by others work? How does my work affect the safety of others? Don’t proceed until everything is safe.

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