

A Clean Truck is a Safe Truck

Keeping Highways Safe by ensuring everything is secure and clean

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What Happened

- Driver was traveling down Hwy 302 when a portion of a metal vise fell off of a truck and came thru his windshield.
- Vise hit the dash by the gauge cluster, propelling it towards the roof, barely missing the driver and landing in back seat.
- Driver was not injured

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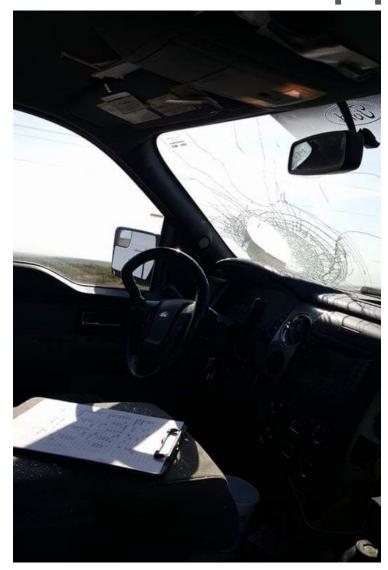
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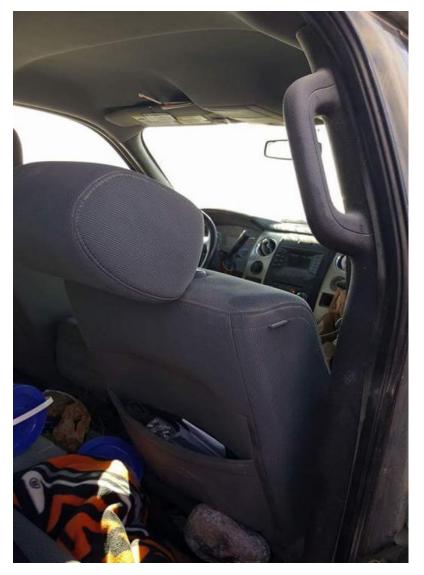


What Happened (Non-Shell Related)

- Driver was traveling from New Mexico to Texas on Hwy 285 towards Orla
- Just after crossing into Texas a rock was thrown from oncoming truck.
- Rock came thru driver side front windshield, hitting the steering wheel which took most of the blunt of the hit.
- Driver was not injured

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Summary

- Before leaving yard or site, do a 360 walk-around to ensure there are no loose objects and that everything is secure.
- After traveling a route with large rocks on the road, a good recommendation would be to stop before entering highway to ensure there are no rocks trapped between the dual tires.
- If hauling material with large rocks, do a 360 walk around after dumping to ensure there are no rocks between the dual tires or trapped in other areas that could become dislodged on the highway.

Consider this:

What if it were a family member or even a co-worker that was following your truck that lost a large item off of the load or that a large rock became dislodged and went thru their windshield.

Brick thru Windshield