

<b>Virginia Wadsworth Wirtz Center for the Performing Arts</b> <b>Northwestern University</b> 1949 Campus Drive. Evanston Il. Wirtz Center		<b>Date:</b>
<b>Wirtz MEWP Rescue Plan</b>		
<b>Mobile Elevated Work Platforms</b>		
1949 Campus Drive. Evanston Il. Wirtz Center		

Please note: Rescue should only be carried out by appropriately trained personnel. Additional information on MEWP rescue plans can be found [here](#)

Situation	Proposed Response
Medical emergency or incapacitation.	Call 911
Equipment Entanglement	Do not attempt to free the stuck or entangled equipment. Do not climb down the exterior. Call 911. Workers must be rescued prior to attempting to move or free the equipment.
Primary platform controls are not responding.	Operator should activate platform auxiliary controls to lower the machine to the ground.
Auxiliary platform controls are not responding, or the operator is incapacitated or unable to function.	Person on the ground who is familiar with the machine ground controls should use the primary ground controls to lower the machine.
Primary ground controls are not responding.	Person on the ground who is familiar with the machine ground controls should use the emergency ground controls to lower the machine.
All ground controls are not responding.	Immediately contact onsite qualified personnel to assess the situation and provide further guidance.

Ground personnel who have received familiarization and are authorized to operate the ground controls:

Onsite Qualified Personnel:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_