

POST Barricading Standard

The POST barricading standard is a mandatory minimum requirement for maintenance work area protection as well as when appropriate on construction sites (see below). This requirement is to help ensure that technicians are protected while working in high traffic areas.

Here is an overview of the specific barricading requirements along with photos showing proper implementation.

Stop Element

Use your service vehicle

Visibility–Use cones & flags Every 6 feet (1.8 m) 28 inches (71 cm) high Flags at least 48" (122 cm) high

Isolation Continuous barrier (poles or tape)

Safety Perimeter

6 feet (1.8 m) from workplace Speed bumps (optional)









Use vehicle to block work area



Place cones around work area



Place flags in cones



Isolate work area with caution tape



Complete paperwork