

40903 – Tower and Energy Construction

PAYROLL

2021 PAYROLL

\$83.9M

PAYROLL PERCENTAGE
OF CLASSIFICATIONS

3%

2020 REBATE

\$157K

PROPORTION OF
PAYROLL CERTIFIED

39%

SEVERE INJURIES

2019

41

2020

27

2021

7

TIMELOSS INJURIES

2019

78

2020

50

2021

16

RATE RISK CATEGORY

200%

TOP THREE INJURIES

PRIMARY CAUSE
OF THE INJURY

Fall to floor, walkway
Bodily reaction/exertion
Overexertion

PRIMARY SOURCE
OF THE INJURY

Sprains, strains, tears
Dislocations
Systemic diseases/
disorders

NATURE OF
THE INJURY

Bodily motion/position
of injured worker
Viruses
Ground

BODY PART
INJURED

Knees
Shoulders
Lumbar region



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This classification continues its decline dropping more than half its payroll in 2021 reported at \$83.9M.

This probably speaks to the nature of the work within the classification. A good portion of the work is Manitoba Hydro project work completed by out of province contractors or companies that have a limited life-line as they have only been established for the purposes of the project.

In addition to the payroll drop, Severe Injuries also continue to reduce. There were a total of (7) in 2021 down from (26) the previous year. One of these injuries took place in a safety certified work environment.

The classification has 88 remaining accounts and the payroll certification percentage increased from 22% to 39%, probably more of a reflection of non-certified employers closing their accounts.

This classification currently resides in the 200% Risk Category although it is trending towards the 250% Risk Category.

Sub-Group 409-03, Tower and Energy Construction Industry Sector 4: Construction

Rate Risk Category	200%
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Included	Similar but Classified Elsewhere
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Construction of power lines and replacement of decayed power line poles. Includes incidental clearing of right-of-way for power lines. ✓ Construction and maintenance of power plants, power stations and transformers. ✓ Construction or demolition of windmills. ✓ Erection and maintenance of radio and cellular towers. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✗ Ground line inspection and treatment of power line poles is found under 704-02, "Inspecting & Testing". ✗ The maintenance of wind turbines on a wind farm is found under 605-03, "Heavy Industrial Equipment Sales & Service".
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Installation and maintenance of street lights and standards. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✗ Installation of street signs is found under 401-04, "Installing Metal Products". ✗ Installation of outdoor decorative/holiday lighting is found under 706-05, "Yard Maintenance & Pest Control"
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Construction and maintenance of grain elevators. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✗ Construction of other types of agricultural buildings is found under 401-02, "Building Construction". ✗ Installation of grain bins is found under 406-03, "Installing Heavy Machinery".

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Included	Similar but Classified Elsewhere
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Work at height, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Construction, painting or demolition of church steeples • Erection, repair or demolition of industrial chimneys • Installation of fall arrest systems • Construction of zip lines • Installation of lightning rods 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✗ Washing the exterior windows of buildings 706-04, "Window Cleaning".