

Observation Number:	201925670
Originator:	
Date Created:	26-Sep-2019
Business Unit:	Specialist Technical Solutions
Business Group:	Automation & Control
Project/Office:	Houston Process
Service Line:	Process North America
Site/Office Name:	Houston Process - Other Clients
Home or Work Related Observation?:	Work
Exact Location or Project of Act/Condition/Safe Behaviour:	The elevators in the Stallion building
Observation Type:	Unsafe Act
Observer Name:	John kelley
Observer Email Address:	jkelly2@marathonpetroleum.com
Stakeholder:	Wood
Observation Date:	18-Sep-2019
Observation Time:	11:45
Observation Close Date:	26-Sep-2019
Observation Category:	Tools and Equipment Safe / unsafe condition
Details of safety observation:	On multiple occasions this month I have observed persons using their hands, feet, and body to hold open the doors to an elevator instead of using the door open button or allowing the doors to close and waiting for another elevator. When viewed from a safety perspective, elevators represent a confined space machine, and as with any machine that humans interact with there are normal controls and safety controls. The sensors in the doors of an elevators are safety controls to prevent injury, the door open button is the correct way to hold the door open for persons getting into the elevator.
Immediate action taken:	Coach and recommend that people use the door open button and not their body when holding the elevator doors.
Supporting Information:	
Feedback required?:	No