

CONTAINER TRANSPORT WHAT TRUCK TO USE?

When organising the delivery of a shipping container, deciding on which type of truck will best suit your site is critical. Below is an overview of the typical truck types we use, and how they differ from each other. If in doubt please request a site visit prior to delivery. The majority of the time we can do this.

*Sometimes an additional fee may be incurred for this service.

THINGS TO CONSIDER:

- Are there overhead obstacles ie. power lines, trees, overhang from buildings etc
- No soft soil (boggy sand) or exposed drain pipes that can be damaged
- Fixed objects ie. tree's, fences, obstacles that the truck has to lift the container over
- Delivery site should be a flat surface with not too much slope, this makes delivery / collection easier and also helps to keep the container level so that the container doors are easier to open / close for your convenience
- f the truck will be stationary on or passing through grass, please let us know prior to delivery



SWINGLIFT

12m swinglift clearance requirements: Height: 5m - Width: 6m - Length: 19m

A swinglift is essentially a truck fitted with a loading system operating to one side for handling containers. It is important to consider which way the container should be loaded onto the truck at our depot (please inform our team at time of booking), as it can ONLY be unloaded from the right hand drivers' side. Would the driver need to reverse into the property or can he/she drive straight in?

Above is a great example of how a swinglift truck offloads a container from the drivers side, which hopefully gives you a good indication of the required space needed, including height clearance



HIAB

Variable height and width clearance requirements

A HIAB is a truck that has a crane attached to it. They are adaptable vehicles, capable of pin-point accuracy to deliver your unit in difficult access areas. HIAB delivery allows for containers to be delivered over obstructions such as high fences, and can be dropped at a 90 degree angle to the truck. They do have weight restrictions, so please speak to the team to discuss this prior to booking a HIAB truck.

We can also organise cranes to manoeuvre your container on site if required. Have a look at the below video to see how the HIAB trucks can easily deliver containers over obstacles and away from the delivering truck.

Still not sure?! Visit our website to view videos of container deliveries in action www.seacontainers.co.nz/container-transport



