

"General Decision Number: WA20230078 01/06/2023

Superseded General Decision Number: WA20220078

State: Washington

Construction Type: Heavy  
including water and sewer line construction

County: Whatcom County in Washington.

HEAVY CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS (including sewer/water construction).

Note: Contracts subject to the Davis-Bacon Act are generally required to pay at least the applicable minimum wage rate required under Executive Order 14026 or Executive Order 13658. Please note that these Executive Orders apply to covered contracts entered into by the federal government that are subject to the Davis-Bacon Act itself, but do not apply to contracts subject only to the Davis-Bacon Related Acts, including those set forth at 29 CFR 5.1(a)(2)-(60).

If the contract is entered into on or after January 30, 2022, or the contract is renewed or extended (e.g., an option is exercised) on or after January 30, 2022:	. Executive Order 14026 generally applies to the contract. . The contractor must pay all covered workers at least \$16.20 per hour (or the applicable wage rate listed on this wage determination, if it is higher) for all hours spent performing on the contract in 2023.
If the contract was awarded on or between January 1, 2015 and January 29, 2022, and the contract is not renewed or extended on or after January 30, 2022:	. Executive Order 13658 generally applies to the contract. . The contractor must pay all covered workers at least \$12.15 per hour (or the applicable wage rate listed on this wage determination, if it is higher) for all hours spent performing on that contract in 2023.

The applicable Executive Order minimum wage rate will be adjusted annually. If this contract is covered by one of the Executive Orders and a classification considered necessary for performance of work on the contract does not appear on this wage determination, the contractor must still submit a conformance request.

Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections under the Executive Orders is available at <http://www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts>.

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CARP0030-016 06/01/2021

	Rates	Fringes
CARPENTER.....	\$ 49.18	19.01
PILEDRIVERMAN.....	\$ 49.58	19.01

(HOURLY ZONE PAY: WESTERN AND CENTRAL WASHINGTON - ALL CLASSIFICATIONS EXCEPT MILLWRIGHTS AND PILEDRIVERS

Hourly Zone Pay shall be paid on jobs located outside of the free zone computed from the city center of the following listed cities:

Seattle	Olympia	Bellingham
Auburn	Bremerton	Anacortes

Renton	Shelton	Yakima
Aberdeen-Hoquiam	Tacoma	Wenatchee
Ellensburg	Everett	Port Angeles
Centralia	Mount Vernon	Sunnyside
Chelan	Pt. Townsend	

## Zone Pay:

0 -25 radius miles	Free
26-35 radius miles	\$1.00/hour
36-45 radius miles	\$1.15/hour
46-55 radius miles	\$1.35/hour
Over 55 radius miles	\$1.55/hour

(HOURLY ZONE PAY: WESTERN AND CENTRAL WASHINGTON - MILLWRIGHT AND PILEDRIVER ONLY)

Hourly Zone Pay shall be computed from Seattle Union Hall, Tacoma City center, and Everett City center

## Zone Pay:

0 -25 radius miles	Free
26-45 radius miles	\$ .70/hour
Over 45 radius miles	\$1.50/hour

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ELEC0191-001 06/01/2020

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN.....	\$ 47.95	26.16

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ENGI0302-031 06/01/2022

	Rates	Fringes
Power equipment operators:		
Group 1A.....	\$ 54.20	24.47
Group 1AA.....	\$ 54.98	24.47
Group 1.....	\$ 53.40	24.47
Group 2.....	\$ 52.72	24.47
Group 3.....	\$ 52.12	24.47
Group 4.....	\$ 48.78	24.47

## Zone Differential (Add to Zone 1 rates):

Zone 2 (26-45 radius miles) - \$1.00  
Zone 3 (Over 45 radius miles) - \$1.30

BASEPOINTS: Aberdeen, Bellingham, Bremerton, Everett, Kent, Mount Vernon, Port Angeles, Port Townsend, Seattle, Shelton, Wenatchee, Yakima

## POWER EQUIPMENT OPERATORS CLASSIFICATIONS

## GROUP 1AA - Excavator/Trackhoe: Over 90 metric tons

GROUP 1A - Excavator/Trackhoe: over 50 metric tons to 90 metric tons; Backhoe-6 yards and over with attachments

GROUP 1 - Excavator/Trackhoe: over 30 metric tons to 50 metric tons; Dozer D-10; Screedman; Scrapers: 45 yards and over; Grader/Blade;Paver

GROUP 2 - Drilling machine; Excavator/Trackhoe: 15 to 30 metric tons; Horizontal/directional drill operator; Scraper: under 45 tons; Piledriver; Boring Machine; Backhoe: 3 yards and under, over 75 hp

GROUP 3 - Dozers-D-9 and under; Motor patrol grader-nonfinishing; Roller-Plant Mix; Excavator/Trackhoe: under 15 metric tons; Service Oiler; Forklift: 3,000 lbs and over with attachments; Boom Truck over 10 tons; Backhoe: 75 hp and under

GROUP 4 - Roller-other than plant mix; Forklift: under 3,000 lbs with attachments Grade Checker; Drill Assistant; Boom Truck 10 tons and under

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IRON0086-010 07/04/2022

	Rates	Fringes
IRONWORKER (Reinforcing, Structural and Ornamental).....	\$ 49.90	31.82

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LAB00292-006 06/01/2022

	Rates	Fringes
Laborers:		
GROUP 2.....	\$ 34.20	13.80
GROUP 3.....	\$ 42.86	13.80
GROUP 4.....	\$ 43.90	13.80
GROUP 5.....	\$ 44.62	13.80

## ZONE DIFFERENTIAL (ADD TO ZONE 1 RATES):

ZONE 2 - \$1.00

ZONE 3 - \$1.30

BASE POINTS: BELLINGHAM, MT. VERNON, EVERETT, SEATTLE, KENT,  
TACOMA, OLYMPIA, CENTRALIA, ABERDEEN, SHELTON, PT.  
TOWNSEND, PT. ANGELES, AND BREMERTON

ZONE 1 - Projects within 25 radius miles of the respective  
city hall

ZONE 2 - More than 25 but less than 45 radius miles from the  
respective city hall

ZONE 3 - More than 45 radius miles from the respective city  
hall

## LABORERS CLASSIFICATIONS

GROUP 2: Flagger

GROUP 3: General or Common Laborer; Form-Stripping

GROUP 4: Pipelayer; Handheld Drill

GROUP 5: Mason Tender-Brick; Mason Tender-Cement/Concrete;  
Grade Checker; High Scaler

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PAIN0005-008 07/01/2022

	Rates	Fringes
PAINTER (Brush, Roller and Spray).....	\$ 28.41	14.50

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TEAM0174-005 06/01/2019

	Rates	Fringes
Truck drivers:		
ZONE A:		
GROUP 2:.....	\$ 39.54	20.46

ZONE B (25-45 miles from center of listed cities\*): Add \$.70  
per hour to Zone A rates.

ZONE C (over 45 miles from center of listed cities\*): Add  
\$1.00 per hour to Zone A rates.

\*Zone pay will be calculated from the city center of the  
following listed cities:

BELLINGHAM	CENTRALIA	RAYMOND	OLYMPIA
EVERETT	SHELTON	ANACORTES	BELLEVUE
SEATTLE	PORT ANGELES	MT. VERNON	KENT
TACOMA	PORT TOWNSEND	ABERDEEN	BREMERTON

## TRUCK DRIVERS CLASSIFICATIONS

GROUP 2 - Semi-Trailer Truck

## HAZMAT PROJECTS

Anyone working on a HAZMAT job, where HAZMAT certification is  
required, shall be compensated as a premium, in addition to  
the classification working in as follows:

LEVEL C: +\$.25 per hour - This level uses an air purifying  
respirator or additional protective clothing.

LEVEL B: +\$.50 per hour - Uses same respirator protection as Level A. Supplied air line is provided in conjunction with a chemical "splash suit."

LEVEL A: +\$.75 per hour - This level utilizes a fully-encapsulated suit with a self-contained breathing apparatus or a supplied air line.

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SUWA2009-069 08/07/2009

	Rates	Fringes
CEMENT MASON/CONCRETE FINISHER...	\$ 24.50	6.30
LABORER: Landscape & Irrigation.....	\$ 12.27 **	2.73
OPERATOR: Asphalt Plant.....	\$ 34.14	0.68
OPERATOR: Bobcat/Skid Steer/Skid Loader.....	\$ 10.63 **	0.00
OPERATOR: Broom/Sweeper.....	\$ 27.03	4.67
OPERATOR: Crane.....	\$ 28.43	7.40
OPERATOR: Loader.....	\$ 26.84	7.60
OPERATOR: Mechanic.....	\$ 29.74	6.31
OPERATOR: Power Shovel.....	\$ 25.12	7.83
TRUCK DRIVER, Includes Dump Truck.....	\$ 20.40	5.90
TRUCK DRIVER: Dump (Trailer) Truck.....	\$ 13.00 **	0.26
TRUCK DRIVER: Flatbed Truck.....	\$ 22.74	6.29
TRUCK DRIVER: Lowboy Truck.....	\$ 22.89	5.72
TRUCK DRIVER: Water Truck.....	\$ 23.46	6.06

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WELDERS - Receive rate prescribed for craft performing operation to which welding is incidental.

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\*\* Workers in this classification may be entitled to a higher minimum wage under Executive Order 14026 (\$16.20) or 13658 (\$12.15). Please see the Note at the top of the wage determination for more information.

Note: Executive Order (EO) 13706, Establishing Paid Sick Leave for Federal Contractors applies to all contracts subject to the Davis-Bacon Act for which the contract is awarded (and any solicitation was issued) on or after January 1, 2017. If this contract is covered by the EO, the contractor must provide employees with 1 hour of paid sick leave for every 30 hours they work, up to 56 hours of paid sick leave each year. Employees must be permitted to use paid sick leave for their own illness, injury or other health-related needs, including preventive care; to assist a family member (or person who is like family to the employee) who is ill, injured, or has other health-related needs, including preventive care; or for reasons resulting from, or to assist a family member (or person who is like family to the employee) who is a victim of, domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking. Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections under the EO is available at <https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/government-contracts>.

Unlisted classifications needed for work not included within the scope of the classifications listed may be added after award only as provided in the labor standards contract clauses (29CFR 5.5 (a) (1) (ii)).

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The body of each wage determination lists the classification and wage rates that have been found to be prevailing for the cited type(s) of construction in the area covered by the wage determination. The classifications are listed in alphabetical order of ""identifiers"" that indicate whether the particular rate is a union rate (current union negotiated rate for local), a survey rate (weighted average rate) or a union average rate (weighted union average rate).

#### Union Rate Identifiers

A four letter classification abbreviation identifier enclosed in dotted lines beginning with characters other than ""SU"" or ""UAVG"" denotes that the union classification and rate were prevailing for that classification in the survey. Example: PLUM0198-005 07/01/2014. PLUM is an abbreviation identifier of the union which prevailed in the survey for this classification, which in this example would be Plumbers. 0198 indicates the local union number or district council number where applicable, i.e., Plumbers Local 0198. The next number, 005 in the example, is an internal number used in processing the wage determination. 07/01/2014 is the effective date of the most current negotiated rate, which in this example is July 1, 2014.

Union prevailing wage rates are updated to reflect all rate changes in the collective bargaining agreement (CBA) governing this classification and rate.

#### Survey Rate Identifiers

Classifications listed under the ""SU"" identifier indicate that no one rate prevailed for this classification in the survey and the published rate is derived by computing a weighted average rate based on all the rates reported in the survey for that classification. As this weighted average rate includes all rates reported in the survey, it may include both union and non-union rates. Example: SULA2012-007 5/13/2014. SU indicates the rates are survey rates based on a weighted average calculation of rates and are not majority rates. LA indicates the State of Louisiana. 2012 is the year of survey on which these classifications and rates are based. The next number, 007 in the example, is an internal number used in producing the wage determination. 5/13/2014 indicates the survey completion date for the classifications and rates under that identifier.

Survey wage rates are not updated and remain in effect until a new survey is conducted.

#### Union Average Rate Identifiers

Classification(s) listed under the UAVG identifier indicate that no single majority rate prevailed for those classifications; however, 100% of the data reported for the classifications was union data. EXAMPLE: UAVG-OH-0010 08/29/2014. UAVG indicates that the rate is a weighted union average rate. OH indicates the state. The next number, 0010 in the example, is an internal number used in producing the wage determination. 08/29/2014 indicates the survey completion date for the classifications and rates under that identifier.

A UAVG rate will be updated once a year, usually in January of each year, to reflect a weighted average of the current negotiated/CBA rate of the union locals from which the rate is based.

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#### WAGE DETERMINATION APPEALS PROCESS

1.) Has there been an initial decision in the matter? This can be:

- \* an existing published wage determination
- \* a survey underlying a wage determination
- \* a Wage and Hour Division letter setting forth a position on a wage determination matter

\* a conformance (additional classification and rate) ruling

On survey related matters, initial contact, including requests for summaries of surveys, should be with the Wage and Hour National Office because National Office has responsibility for the Davis-Bacon survey program. If the response from this initial contact is not satisfactory, then the process described in 2.) and 3.) should be followed.

With regard to any other matter not yet ripe for the formal process described here, initial contact should be with the Branch of Construction Wage Determinations. Write to:

Branch of Construction Wage Determinations  
Wage and Hour Division  
U.S. Department of Labor  
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, DC 20210

2.) If the answer to the question in 1.) is yes, then an interested party (those affected by the action) can request review and reconsideration from the Wage and Hour Administrator (See 29 CFR Part 1.8 and 29 CFR Part 7). Write to:

Wage and Hour Administrator  
U.S. Department of Labor  
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, DC 20210

The request should be accompanied by a full statement of the interested party's position and by any information (wage payment data, project description, area practice material, etc.) that the requestor considers relevant to the issue.

3.) If the decision of the Administrator is not favorable, an interested party may appeal directly to the Administrative Review Board (formerly the Wage Appeals Board). Write to:

Administrative Review Board  
U.S. Department of Labor  
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, DC 20210

4.) All decisions by the Administrative Review Board are final.

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