



**TO:** All Users of the City and County of Denver Prevailing Wage Schedules  
**FROM:** Susan Keller, HR Technician II, Classification & Compensation  
**DATE:** January 7, 2019  
**SUBJECT:** Latest Change to Prevailing Wage Schedules

Please be advised prevailing wage rates for some building, heavy, highway, and residential construction trades have not been updated by the United States Department of Labor (DOL) since March 1, 2002. The Career Service Board, in their meeting held on April 21, 2011, approved the use of the attached supplemental wage rates until prevailing wage rates for these classifications of work are again published by the United States Department of Labor in accordance with the Davis-Bacon Act.

The effective date for this publication will be **Friday, January 4, 2019** and applies to the City and County of Denver for **BUILDING CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS** (does not include residential construction consisting of single family homes and apartments up to and including 4 stories) in accordance with the Denver Revised Municipal Code, Section 20-76(c).

General Wage Decision No. CO190020  
Superseded General Decision No. CO20180030  
Modification No. 0  
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(6 pages)

Unless otherwise specified in this document, apprentices shall be permitted only if they are employed pursuant to and individually registered in a bona fide apprenticeship program registered with the U.S. Department of Labor (DOL). The employer and the individual apprentice must be registered in a program which has received prior approval by the DOL. Any employer who employs an apprentice and is found to be in violation of this provision shall be required to pay said apprentice the full journeyman scale.

Attachments as listed above.

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CARPENTER (Drywall Hanging  
Only).....\$ 29.45 9.64

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CARP1607-001 06/01/2018

	Rates	Fringes
MILLWRIGHT.....	\$ 31.38	15.63

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ELEC0068-012 06/01/2018

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN (Includes Low Voltage Wiring).....	\$ 35.80	15.45

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ELEV0025-001 01/01/2018

	Rates	Fringes
ELEVATOR MECHANIC.....	\$ 43.66	32.645

FOOTNOTE:

a. Vacation: 6%/under 5 years based on regular hourly rate for all hours worked. 8%/over 5 years based on regular hourly rate for all hours worked.

b. PAID HOLIDAYS: New Year's Day; Memorial Day; Independence Day; Labor Day; Veterans' Day; Thanksgiving Day; the Friday after Thanksgiving Day; and Christmas Day.

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ENGI0009-017 05/01/2017

	Rates	Fringes
POWER EQUIPMENT OPERATOR (Crane)		
141 tons and over.....	\$ 29.82	10.10
50 tons and under.....	\$ 27.75	10.10
51 to 90 tons.....	\$ 27.92	10.10
91 to 140 tons.....	\$ 28.55	10.10

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IRON0024-009 06/01/2018

	Rates	Fringes
IRONWORKER, ORNAMENTAL.....	\$ 27.45	12.34

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IRON0024-010 06/01/2018

	Rates	Fringes
IRONWORKER, STRUCTURAL.....	\$ 27.45	12.34

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PAIN0079-006 08/01/2017

	Rates	Fringes
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PAINTEER (Brush, Roller and Spray; Excludes Drywall Finishing/Taping).....	\$ 20.50	8.41
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PAIN0079-007 08/01/2017		
	Rates	Fringes
DRYWALL FINISHER/TAPER.....	\$ 21.20	8.41
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PAIN0419-001 07/01/2016		
	Rates	Fringes
SOFT FLOOR LAYER (Vinyl and Carpet).....	\$ 20.00	10.83
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PAIN0930-002 07/01/2018		
	Rates	Fringes
GLAZIER.....	\$ 31.52	10.13
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PLUM0003-009 06/01/2018		
	Rates	Fringes
PLUMBER (Excludes HVAC Duct, Pipe and Unit Installation).....	\$ 35.48	15.94
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PLUM0208-008 06/01/2018		
	Rates	Fringes
PIPEFITTER (Includes HVAC Pipe and Unit Installation; Excludes HVAC Duct Installation).....	\$ 37.55	14.95
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SFCO0669-002 04/01/2017		
	Rates	Fringes
SPRINKLER FITTER (Fire Sprinklers).....	\$ 36.73	20.47
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SHEE0009-004 07/01/2018		
	Rates	Fringes
SHEET METAL WORKER (Includes HVAC Duct Installation; Excludes HVAC Pipe and Unit Installation).....	\$ 34.02	17.49
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SUCO2013-006 07/31/2015		

	Rates	Fringes
BRICKLAYER.....	\$ 21.96	0.00
CARPENTER (Acoustical Ceiling Installation Only).....	\$ 22.40	4.85
CARPENTER (Metal Stud Installation Only).....	\$ 17.68	0.00
CARPENTER, Excludes Acoustical Ceiling Installation, Drywall Hanging, and Metal Stud Installation.....	\$ 21.09	6.31
CEMENT MASON/CONCRETE FINISHER....	\$ 20.09	7.03
LABORER: Common or General.....	\$ 14.49	5.22
LABORER: Mason Tender - Brick....	\$ 15.99	0.00
LABORER: Mason Tender - Cement/Concrete.....	\$ 16.00	0.00
LABORER: Pipelayer.....	\$ 16.96	3.68
OPERATOR: Backhoe/Excavator/Trackhoe.....	\$ 20.78	5.78
OPERATOR: Bobcat/Skid Steer/Skid Loader.....	\$ 19.10	3.89
OPERATOR: Grader/Blade.....	\$ 21.50	0.00
ROOFER.....	\$ 16.56	0.00
TRUCK DRIVER: Dump Truck.....	\$ 17.34	0.00
WATERPROOFER.....	\$ 12.71	0.00

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

**Office of Human Resources  
Supplemental Rates  
(Specific to the Denver projects)  
Revision Date: 11-28-2016**

<b>Classification</b>		<b>Base</b>	<b>Fringe</b>
Boilermaker		\$30.97	\$21.45
Iron Worker, Reinforcing		\$18.49	\$3.87
Laborer: Concrete Saw		\$13.89	-
Paper Hanger		\$20.15	\$6.91
Plasterer		\$24.60	\$12.11
Plaster Tender		\$10.79	-
Power Equipment Operator	Concrete Mixer - Less than 1 yd	\$23.67	\$10.67
	Concrete Mixer - 1 yd and over	\$23.82	\$10.68
	Drillers	\$23.97	\$10.70
	Loader - up to and incl 6 cu yd	\$23.67	\$10.67
	Loaders - over 6 cu yd	\$23.82	\$10.68
	Mechanic	\$18.48	-
	Motor Grader	\$23.97	\$10.70
	Oilers	\$22.97	\$10.70
	Roller	\$23.67	\$10.67
	Tile Finisher		\$20.87
Tile Setter		\$26.83	\$8.48
Truck Driver	Flatbed	\$19.14	\$10.07
	Semi	\$19.48	\$10.11

Go to [www.denvergov.org/Auditor](http://www.denvergov.org/Auditor) to view the Prevailing Wage Clarification Document for a list of complete classifications used.