



**TO:** All Users of the City and County of Denver Prevailing Wage Schedules  
**FROM:** Alena Duran, Classification and Compensation Analyst Senior  
**DATE:** August 5, 2022  
**SUBJECT:** Latest Change to Prevailing Wage Schedules

The effective date for this publication will be **Friday, August 5, 2022** and applies to the City and County of Denver for **HEAVY CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS** in accordance with the Denver Revised Municipal Code, Section 20-76(c).

General Wage Decision No. CO20220002  
Superseded General Decision No. CO20210002  
Modification No. 5  
Publication Date: 08/05/2022  
(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.

**\*Career Service Board approved to adjust all Davis Bacon classifications under \$15.87 to comply with the city's minimum wage. The effective date is January 1, 2022. See page 8 for reference.**

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"General Decision Number: CO20220002 08/05/2022

Superseded General Decision Number: CO20210002

State: Colorado

Construction Type: Heavy

Counties: Adams, Arapahoe, Boulder, Broomfield, Denver, Douglas, El Paso, Jefferson, Larimer, Mesa, Pueblo and Weld Counties in Colorado.

HEAVY CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

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 \$15.00 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 2022.
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 \$11.25 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 2022.

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 <https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/government-contracts>.

Modification Number	Publication Date
0	01/07/2022
1	01/28/2022
2	02/18/2022
3	02/25/2022
4	07/01/2022
5	08/05/2022

\* ASBE0028-001 03/01/2022

	Rates	Fringes
Asbestos Workers/Insulator (Includes application of all insulating materials, protective coverings, coatings and finishings to all types of mechanical systems).....	\$ 32.98	15.47

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BRCO0007-004 01/01/2021

ADAMS, ARAPAHOE, BOULDER, BROOMFIELD, DENVER, DOUGLAS,  
JEFFERSON AND WELD COUNTIES

	Rates	Fringes
BRICKLAYER.....	\$ 31.43	9.72

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BRCO0007-006 05/01/2018

EL PASO AND PUEBLO COUNTIES

	Rates	Fringes
BRICKLAYER.....	\$ 25.88	10.34

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ELEC0012-004 09/01/2021

PUEBLO COUNTY

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN		
Electrical contract over \$1,000,000.....	\$ 29.80	13.00+3%
Electrical contract under \$1,000,000.....	\$ 24.85	13.00+3%

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ELEC0068-001 06/01/2022

ADAMS, ARAPAHOE, BOULDER, BROOMFIELD, DENVER, DOUGLAS,  
JEFFERSON, LARIMER, AND WELD COUNTIES

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN.....	\$ 41.30	17.87

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ELEC0111-001 09/01/2021

	Rates	Fringes
Line Construction:		
Groundman.....	\$ 23.14	24.25%+\$7.05
Line Equipment Operator.....	\$ 37.39	24.25%+\$7.05
Lineman and Welder.....	\$ 51.92	24.25%+\$7.05

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ELEC0113-002 06/01/2022

EL PASO COUNTY

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN.....	\$ 34.90	17.25

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ELEC0969-002 06/01/2019

MESA COUNTY

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN.....	\$ 25.20	10.06

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ENGI0009-001 05/01/2021

	Rates	Fringes
Power equipment operators:		
Blade: Finish.....	\$ 31.37	12.35
Blade: Rough.....	\$ 31.05	12.35
Bulldozer.....	\$ 31.05	12.35

Cranes: 50 tons and under..	\$ 31.70	12.35
Cranes: 51 to 90 tons.....	\$ 31.97	12.35
Cranes: 91 to 140 tons.....	\$ 33.05	12.35
Cranes: 141 tons and over...	\$ 35.17	12.35
Forklift.....	\$ 30.67	12.35
Mechanic.....	\$ 31.20	12.35
Oiler.....	\$ 30.29	12.35
Scraper: Single bowl under 40 cubic yards.....	\$ 31.20	12.35
Scraper: Single bowl, including pups 40 cubic yards and over and tandem bowls.....	\$ 31.37	12.35
Trackhoe.....	\$ 31.20	12.35

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IRON0024-003 12/01/2021

	Rates	Fringes
IRONWORKER, STRUCTURAL.....	\$ 31.00	24.59
Structural		

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LABO0086-001 05/01/2009

	Rates	Fringes
Laborers:		
Pipelayer.....	\$ 18.68	6.78

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PLUM0003-005 06/01/2020

ADAMS, ARAPAHOE, BOULDER, BROOMFIELD, DENVER, DOUGLAS,  
JEFFERSON, LARIMER AND WELD COUNTIES

	Rates	Fringes
PLUMBER.....	\$ 43.63	16.67

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PLUM0058-002 07/01/2021

EL PASO COUNTY

	Rates	Fringes
Plumbers and Pipefitters.....	\$ 40.35	16.25

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PLUM0058-008 07/01/2021

PUEBLO COUNTY

	Rates	Fringes
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Plumbers and Pipefitters.....	\$ 40.35	16.25
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PLUM0145-002 07/01/2016

MESA COUNTY

	Rates	Fringes
Plumbers and Pipefitters.....	\$ 35.17	11.70

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PLUM0208-004 06/02/2022

ADAMS, ARAPAHOE, BOULDER, BROOMFIELD, DENVER, DOUGLAS,  
JEFFERSON, LARIMER AND WELD COUNTIES

	Rates	Fringes
PIPEFITTER.....	\$ 42.65	16.97

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SHEE0009-002 07/01/2021

	Rates	Fringes
Sheet metal worker.....	\$ 36.45	20.15

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TEAM0455-002 07/01/2020

	Rates	Fringes
Truck drivers:		
Pickup.....	\$ 22.66	4.42
Tandem/Semi and Water.....	\$ 23.29	4.42

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\* SUCO2001-006 12/20/2001

	Rates	Fringes
BOILERMAKER.....	\$ 17.60	
Carpenters:		
Form Building and Setting...	\$ 16.97	2.74
All Other Work.....	\$ 15.14	3.37
Cement Mason/Concrete Finisher...	\$ 17.31	2.85
IRONWORKER, REINFORCING.....	\$ 18.83	3.90
Laborers:		
Common.....	\$ 11.22 **	2.92
Flagger.....	\$ 8.91 **	3.80

Landscape.....	\$ 12.56 **	3.21
Painters:		
Brush, Roller & Spray.....	\$ 15.81	3.26
Power equipment operators:		
Backhoe.....	\$ 16.36	2.48
Front End Loader.....	\$ 17.24	3.23
Skid Loader.....	\$ 15.37	4.41
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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)  
(Supp #74, Revised: 01-01-2022)**

<b>Classification</b>		<b>Base</b>	<b>Fringe</b>
Ironworker	Ornamental	\$24.80	\$10.03
Laborer	Group 1	\$18.18	\$8.27
	Group 2	\$21.59	\$8.61
Laborer (Common)		\$15.87	\$2.92
Laborer (Flagger)		\$15.87	\$3.80
Laborer (Landscape)		\$15.87	\$3.21
Laborer (Janitor)	Janitor/Yardmen	\$17.68	\$8.22
Laborer (Asbestos)	Removal of Asbestos	\$21.03	\$8.55
Laborer (Tunnel)	Group 1	\$18.53	\$8.30
	Group 2	\$18.63	\$8.31
	Group 3	\$19.73	\$8.42
	Group 4	\$21.59	\$8.61
	Group 5	\$19.68	\$8.42
Line Construction	Lineman, Gas Fitter/Welder	\$36.88	\$9.55
	Line Eq Operator/Line Truck Crew	\$25.74	\$8.09
Millwright		\$28.00	\$10.00
Power Equipment Operator	Group 1	\$22.97	\$10.60
	Group 2	\$23.32	\$10.63
	Group 3	\$23.67	\$10.67
	Group 4	\$23.82	\$10.68
	Group 5	\$23.97	\$10.70
	Group 6	\$24.12	\$10.71
	Group 7	\$24.88	\$10.79
Power Equipment Operator (Tunnels above and below ground, shafts and raises):	Group 1	\$25.12	\$10.81
	Group 2	\$25.47	\$10.85
	Group 3	\$25.57	\$10.86
	Group 4	\$25.82	\$10.88
	Group 5	\$25.97	\$10.90
	Group 6	\$26.12	\$10.91
	Group 7	\$26.37	\$10.94
Truck Driver	Group 1	\$18.42	\$10.00
	Group 2	\$19.14	\$10.07
	Group 3	\$19.48	\$10.11
	Group 4	\$20.01	\$10.16
	Group 5	\$20.66	\$10.23
	Group 6	\$21.46	\$10.31

Go to <http://www.denvergov.org/Auditor> to view the Prevailing Wage Clarification Document for a list of complete classifications used.