



**Request for Quote (RFQ)
Informal Competitive Solicitation
FY25 DCS Exterior Steel Painting**

Introduction: In accordance with the competitive quotations procedures provided for 2 CFR 200.320, the Des Moines Area Regional Transit Authority (DART) is seeking to procure Exterior Steel Painting services meeting the specifications in this RFQ. Contractors interested in providing these services should submit quotes to the **DART Issuing Officer** at the following address:

Amanda Waltz, Buyer
1100 DART Way
Des Moines, IA 50309
515-283-5033
awaltz@ridedart.com

Quotes are due May 19, 2025 at 4:30 PM central time. Email quotes preferred. Late quotes are not eligible for consideration.

Description of Work and Scope of Services:

The Des Moines Area Regional Transit Authority (DART) is seeking a contractor to provide surface preparation and maintenance coating (re-painting) of various exterior steel components (columns, cross beams, canopy ceilings, canopy supports, benches etc.) located at its 620 Cherry Street transit hub facility. Contractors should have the capacity to comply with industry standards as published by the SSPC and NACE International. DART may award all or part of the bid, with partial awards contracted at different times to align with the budget.

As an independent contractor, the Contractor shall, at its sole cost and expense, provide all labor, materials, equipment including lifts, tools, supplies and incidentals necessary to perform this Contract in the manner and to the full extent as set forth in the Contract documents. The cost of the paint and supplies must be included in your total cost of each section making it all inclusive.

Contractors are REQUIRED to visit the site at 620 Cherry Street Des Moines, IA 50309 before submitting a quotation for this project. Visual inspection will allow for an accurate assessment. No revision of scope or contract price will be considered by DART for any item which could have been revealed by a thorough on-site inspection and examination. To schedule a walk-through, please contact Ben Cross at (515) 401-8332 and his email is bcross@ridedart.com or Kent Welch 515-444-9849 kwelch@ridedart.com. No questions will be answered at this time. All questions must be submitted in writing to awaltz@ridedart.com no later than May 14, 2025 at 10 AM and answers will be shared with all apparent bidders May 15, 2025 at 10 AM.

Specifications:

It is DART's intention that all surface preparation, coating and painting of the steel surfaces described below shall conform to the applicable requirements of the Steel Structures Painting Council, NACE International and the manufacturer's printed instructions. The most stringent method shall be applicable if any conflict should arise.

Quality Assurance:



- a) **General** – Quality assurance practices are required to be utilized/monitored throughout all phases of the project. Those not specified below, but meeting recognized, and area accepted practices may be utilized with the approval of the DART project manager.
- b) **Surface Preparation** – will be based on comparison with SSPC-Vis-3, “Guide and Reference Photographs for Steel Surfaces Prepared by Power and Hand Tool Cleaning”
- c) **Application** – No coating or paint shall be applied: When the surrounding air temperature or the temperature of the surface to be coated is below the minimum required temperature for the specified product; to wet or damp surfaces, or in rain, snow, fog or mist; when the temperature is less than 5 degrees F above the dew point; when the air temperature is expected to drop below 40 degrees F.; within six hours after application of coating.
- d) **Thickness Testing** – Thickness of coatings and paint shall be checked with a non-destructive, magnetic – Type 1 or Type 2 Dry Film Thickness Gauge according to SSPC-PA2.
- e) **Phase acceptance – The DART project manager will inspect and approve surfaces at the following points:**
 - a. At completion of surface prep
 - b. At completion of any substrate repairs
 - c. At completion of primer application
 - d. Completion of coatings application

Products:

This specification lists specific products manufactured by Sherwin Williams Company. Materials specified herein are cited for information. Equivalents will be accepted but must be approved prior to the bid submittal. The equivalents can be emailed to awaltz@ridedart.com for approval through Facilities.

Coating System:

- a) **Primer:** Contractor is to apply to prepared surfaces a primer appropriate for and compatible with the project specifications. See manufacturer recommendations referenced on attached product data sheet for Sherwin Williams Pro Industrial DTM Acrylic Coating B66W01151. Contractor will submit primer selection for approval with their bid price.
- a) **Paint:** Sherwin Williams Pro Industrial DTM Acrylic Coating B66W01151 650827181 Extra White
 1. Sheen is to be semi-gloss
 2. Color is to be “DART WHITE DTM” -- (custom manual match)
- b) All materials specified herein shall be provided by the Contractor in manufacturer’s sealed containers, with original labels intact defining the contents therein. All products will be approved by Facilities staff on duty.

Surface Preparation (general):

- a) The latest revision of the following surface preparation specifications of the Steel Structures Painting Council shall form a part of this specification:
 1. SSPC-SP1 Solvent Cleaning
 2. SSPC-SP2 Hand Tool Cleaning
 3. SSPC-SP3 Power Tool Cleaning
 4. SSPC-SP11 Power Tool Cleaning to Bare Metal

Any level of pressure washing will need to be pre-approved by DART on an area-by-area basis.
No blast cleaning of any type will be permitted
- b) The contractor shall keep the area of his work and the surrounding environment in a clean condition. He shall not allow work performed to be a nuisance or hazard to the accomplishment of the work, or the operation of the existing facilities.
- c) After completion of surface preparation as specified for the specific system, materials shall be applied in accordance with manufacturer’s recommendations.



Examination of work area and project surfaces prior to application:

- a) Contractors will examine areas and conditions under which application of coating systems shall be performed for conditions that adversely affect execution, permanence, or quality of coating system application.
- b) Contractor will, with the approval of DART, correct conditions detrimental to timely and proper execution of the work.
- c) Contractor will NOT proceed until unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected
- d) Commencement of installation constitutes acceptance of conditions and responsibility for satisfactory performance.

Application:

- a) All rusted, abraded and exposed steel shall be Power Tool Cleaned to Bare Metal in accordance with SSPC-SP11. All loose paint shall be removed with the same power tools, but remaining, intact primers may be left in place. Feather all edges.
- b) Prime Coat: Apply one coat of approved primer to all bare steel surfaces. This coating shall be applied at a dry film thickness of 2.0 to 4.0 mils.
- c) Finish Coat: Apply one complete coat of Sherwin Williams Pro Industrial DTM Acrylic Coating B66W01151 (see specification under “coating system” section above). This coating shall be applied at a dry film thickness of 2.5 to 4.0 mils. Color shall be DART WHITE DTM, sheen is to be semi-gloss.
- d) Follow the manufacturers’ recommended application process, also see the Insurance and Liability section before placing a bid.

Warranty:

- a) The contractor will warrant the work free of defects in material and workmanship for a period of one (1) year from DART acceptance of the work.

General Contractor Responsibilities/Safety:

***** A containment plan will be required to ensure that proper measures are taken to protect onsite and nearby property that may be affected.**

- a) Obtain, at their own expense, any and all permits and inspections necessary to complete all work contained in the specifications.
- b) All work will comply with Federal, State and local codes and regulations (e.g. OSHA)
- c) Adhere to DART safety requirements/protocols (PPE and high visibility clothing is always to be worn while on DART property)
- d) The Contractor shall be responsible for implementing, maintaining and supervising all necessary safety precautions which will insure against injury to persons or damage to property as a result of any of his work, tools or equipment on or off the project, before, during or after normal working hours. No drawing review, construction review or any other act or services rendered by the owner, engineer, their employees or consultants shall be construed to approve or judge upon the adequacy of the contractor's safety measures.
- e) Protect elements surrounding work from damage or disfiguration
- f) As work proceeds, promptly remove spilled, splashed, or splattered materials from surfaces. Always leave the storage area neat and clean.
- g) Remove, at the contractor’s own expense, all debris related to the project
- h) Repair or replace, at the contractor’s own expense, any damage to DART property by the contractor’s employees. Contractor responsibility for replacement will be the total replacement value



(replacement cost coverage) of any damaged DART property (including, but not limited to cameras, display screens, glass, trash receptacles, card readers)

- i) A preconstruction meeting will be required before a Notice to Proceed will be issued.

Project Site:

This work will take place on the platform area of DART Central Station located at 620 Cherry Street, Des Moines, Iowa 50309.

- a) Platforms A - O: columns, cross beams, canopy ceilings, canopy supports, etc. – complete coverage
- b) All other areas – as requested by Facilities

See Attachment A Project Site Photos and Notes for more detailed information.

Work Hours:

DART desires to minimize disruption to passenger services during this project. To accomplish this, the following work hours have been established for this project:

Weekday: 7:00 p.m. to 4:00 a.m.

Weekend: All day/night

Submittals:

1. Pricing Sheet (All-inclusive pricing per section to include supplies)
2. Completed Bid Forms (this document)
3. Estimated Project Schedule (weather conditions permitting)
4. Certificate of Insurance (awarded contractor will submit before project start)

Basis of Award:

Low firm, fixed price

***DART reserves the right to award all or some of the project sections (see pricing sheet) ***

The entire contents of this solicitation; Addendums, Schedule of Prices, Specifications, Plans and Drawings, Supplemental Terms and Conditions, Standard Terms and Conditions shall become part of the contract or purchase order. Emailed responses will be accepted.

Exhibits:

Exhibit A: Project Site

Exhibit B: Price Sheet

Exhibit C: Davis Bacon Wage Determination

Liability & Insurance

The Contractor is fully responsible for preventing and repairing any damage to nearby property (e.g., buildings, vehicles, landscaping) caused during the project. All necessary precautions must be taken to avoid overspray or related issues.

The Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless DART from any claims or costs arising from such damage. DART assumes no liability for third-party property.



Contractors must notify neighboring properties at least 48 hours before work begins if there's potential for impact.

INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

Work Compensation Statutory
General Comp Liability \$2,000,000
Auto Liability \$1,000,000

The awarded contractor is required to obtain and maintain insurance during the Term of this Contract, at the Contractor's sole expense. DART must be listed as an additional insured under said insurance policies. Contractor shall furnish a Certificate of Insurance before services begin.

Bidder understands the Davis Bacon Act Compliance: yes or no

Does the contractor agree to submit DART certified payrolls and comply with all other stipulations of the Federal Davis Bacon ACT? yes or no

If you are not familiar with this Act please ask questions.

Subcontractors

Please list all subcontractors that will be used on this project and their willingness to comply with Davis Bacon.

From the date of issuance of this Informal Competitive Solicitation until the announcement of the successful Contractor, **Contractors may not contact any employee of DART about this RFQ other than the DART Issuing Officer named above.** Vendors may submit written questions relating to the interpretation of this Informal Competitive Solicitation and the procurement process to the DART Issuing Officer at the above address. Written responses to any questions received will be provided to all known potential Contractors.

Acceptance of Contract Terms and Conditions

By submitting a quote, Contractor acknowledges its acceptance of the terms and conditions located at (To review the clauses and the Terms and Conditions visit www.ridedart.com and select Procurement at the bottom of the page.)

- [DART Federal Clauses for all contracts 2025_2_4.pdf](#)

Miscellaneous Information:

- DART reserves the right to reject any or all quotes, in whole or in part, to advertise new quotes, to abandon the need for such, and to cancel this Informal Competitive Solicitation at any time prior to the execution of a written contract.
- All information submitted by a Vendor may be treated as a public record by DART unless the Vendor properly requests that the information be treated as confidential information in accordance with the public records laws of the State of Iowa at the time its quote is submitted.
- The costs of preparation and delivery of the quote are solely the responsibility of the Vendor.
- The Cost Proposal shall include an all-inclusive, total cost in U.S. Dollars (including all travel, expenses, etc.) to provide and deliver the Exterior Steel Painting services meeting the specifications in this RFQ.
- DART reserves the right to award contracts in phases as the budget allows.



Bidder understands that equivalents must provide detailed specifications with their quote. Bidder understands that DART reserves the right to determine if the equivalents or deviations are acceptable. Bidder has read and understands the terms and conditions of this RFQ.

Bidder has read and agrees to this section: Yes No

Signature: _____ Date: _____

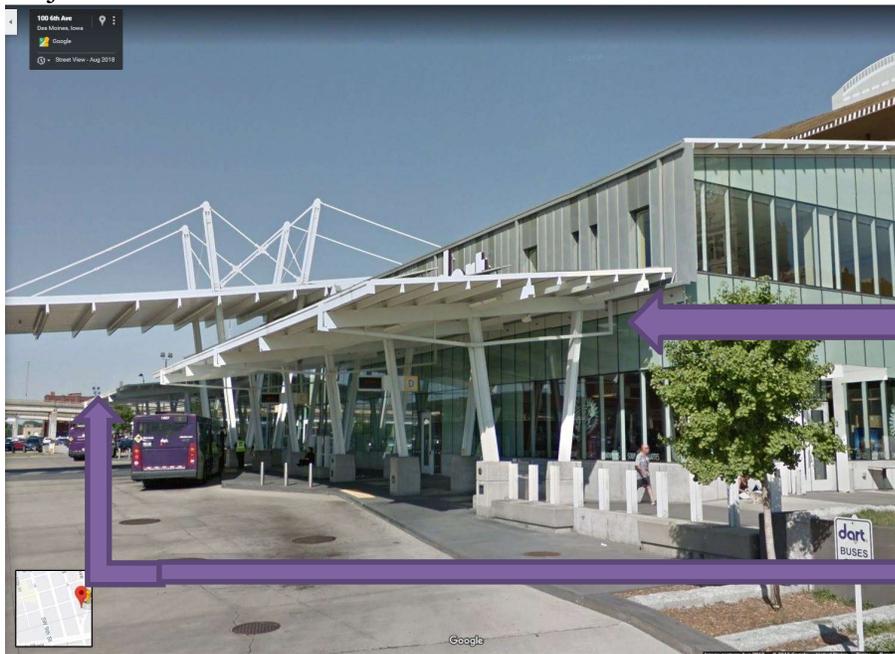
Printed Name and Title: _____

Name of Vendor Organization: _____

Address: _____

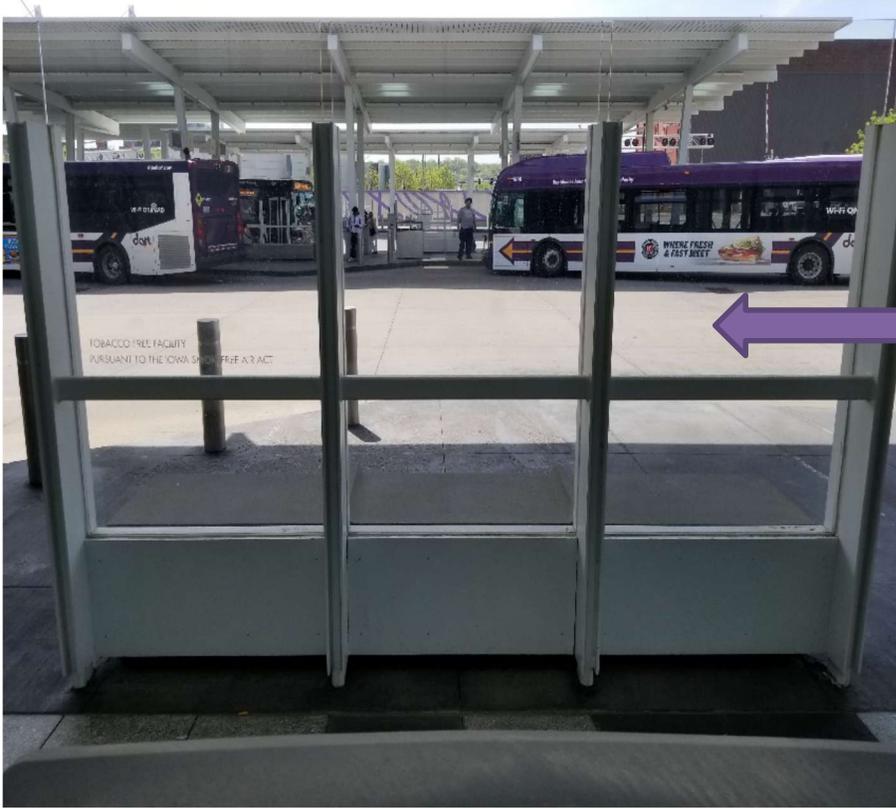
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Project Area Photos with Notes:



Platforms C and D
(columns, cross beams,
canopy ceilings, canopy
supports, etc.)
complete coverage.

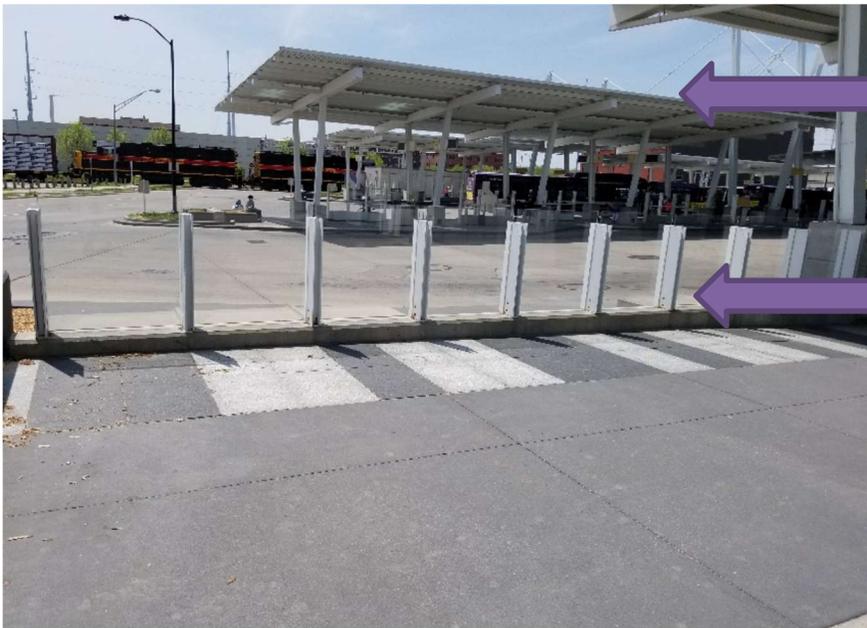
Platforms A and B
(columns, cross beams,
canopy ceilings, canopy
supports, etc.)
Complete coverage



**Platforms benches
(qty. of 17) Front
and Back spot
coverage as needed.
Optional: As
requested**



Passenger Information Signs (qty. of 6) spot coverage as needed (signs will not be removed). Optional: As requested



Middle Island, Platforms I, K, J, and L (columns, cross beams, canopy ceilings, canopy supports, etc.) Full Coverage

East Patio "spindles" (qty. of 10) spot coverage as needed.

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**Long (N/S)
Crosswalk Platform
Canopy (columns,
cross beams, canopy
ceilings, canopy
supports, etc.) full
coverage.**

**Middle Island,
Platforms E, G, F
and H (columns, cross
beams, canopy ceilings,
canopy supports, etc.)
full coverage**



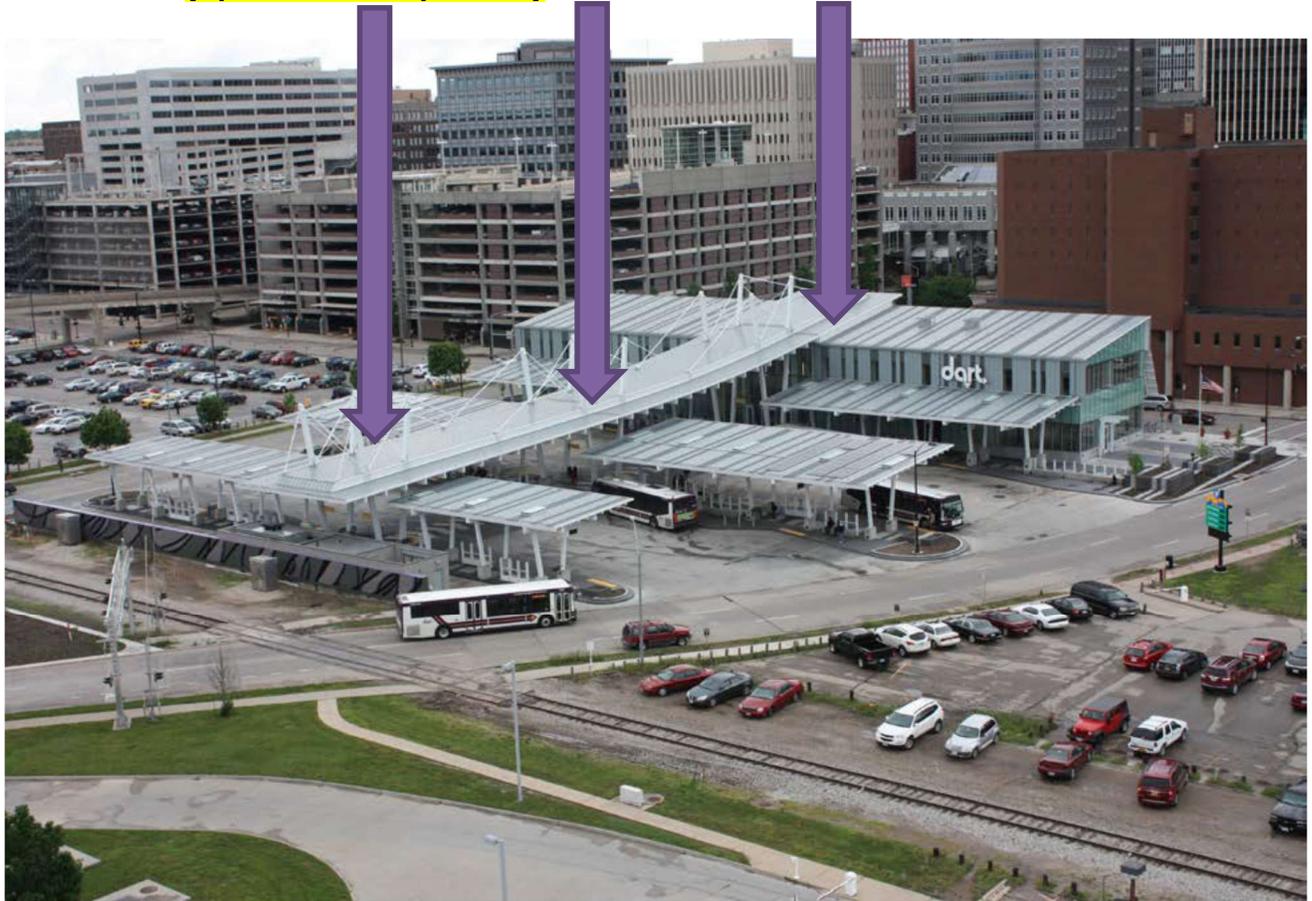
**South Island,
Platforms M and
N (columns, cross
beams, canopy
ceilings, canopy
supports, etc.)
Complete
coverage**

**Long (N/S)
Crosswalk
Platform Canopy
(columns, cross
beams, canopy
ceilings, canopy
supports, etc.)
Complete
coverage**

**South Island,
Platform O (columns,
cross beams, canopy
ceilings, canopy
supports, etc.)
Complete coverage**



*Roof of long Walkway Canopy – Brace/Support Structures to receive spot coverage as needed (optional as requested)





**FY25 DCS Exterior Maintenance Painting
Pricing Sheet**

***DART reserves the right to award all or portions of the project sections below*
Include all costs associated with the project.**

Section Description	Coverage Requirements	Approximate Area	Unit Price	Quantity	Extended Price
Platforms C and D Canopy (columns, cross beams, canopy supports, etc.)	Complete Coverage	15,000 sq. ft.		1	
Platforms A and B Canopy (columns, cross beams, canopy supports, etc.)	Complete Coverage			1	
Platforms benches (qty. of 17) Front and Back (as requested)	Spot Coverage	Each		17	
Passenger Information Signs (as requested)	Spot Coverage	Each		6	
Middle Island, Platforms I, K, J, and L (columns, cross beams, canopy ceilings, canopy supports, etc.)	Complete Coverage			1	
East Patio "Spindles"	Spot Coverage	Each		10	
Long (N/S) Crosswalk Platform Canopy (columns, cross beams, canopy ceilings, canopy supports, etc.)	Complete Coverage			1	
Middle Island, Platforms E, G, F and H (columns, cross beams, canopy ceilings, canopy supports, etc.)	Complete Coverage			1	
South Island, Platforms M and N (columns, cross beams, canopy ceilings, canopy supports, etc.)	Complete Coverage			1	
South Island, Platform O (columns, cross beams, canopy ceilings, canopy supports, etc.)	Complete Coverage			1	
Roof of long Walkway Canopy – Brace/Support Structures (as requested)	Spot Coverage			1	
Grand Total for Estimate					



"General Decision Number: IA20250071 03/14/2025

Superseded General Decision Number: IA20240071

State: Iowa

Construction Type: Building

County: Polk County in Iowa.

BUILDING CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS (does not include single family homes or apartments up to and including 4 stories).

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)(1).

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 \$17.75 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 2025.

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 \$13.30 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 2025.



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>.

Modification Number Publication Date

0	01/03/2025
1	01/31/2025
2	02/07/2025
3	03/14/2025

BOIL0083-009 01/01/2025

	Rates	Fringes
BOILERMAKER.....	\$ 48.48	33.91

BRIA0003-020 05/01/2024

	Rates	Fringes
TILE SETTER.....	\$ 36.00	18.69

BRIA0003-042 05/01/2024

	Rates	Fringes
Bricklayer and Stonemason.....	\$ 36.00	18.69

ELEC0347-002 06/01/2024

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN (Includes Low Voltage Wiring).....	\$ 44.45	19.40

* ELEV0033-002 01/01/2025

	Rates	Fringes
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ELEVATOR MECHANIC.....\$ 56.30 38.435+a+b

FOOTNOTES:

A. Employer contributes 8% of regular basic hourly rate as vacation pay credit for employees with more than 5 years of service, and 6% for employees with less than 5 years of service.

B. PAID HOLIDAYS: New Year's Day; Memorial Day; Independence Day; Labor Day; Veteran's Day; Thanksgiving Day; Day after Thanksgiving; & Christmas Day.

ENGI0234-005 05/01/2024

	Rates	Fringes
POWER EQUIPMENT OPERATOR		
Class 1		
Backhoe/Excavator/Trackhoe.	\$ 34.10	20.75
Class 2		
Bulldozer; Forklift(On steel erection and machinery moving or hoisting above one complete story); Loader....	\$ 33.80	20.75
Class 3		
Loader(under 35 h.p.) with or without attachments; Forklift(other than above); Paver(All Types); Roller.....	\$ 31.81	20.75

IRON0067-003 05/01/2024

	Rates	Fringes
IRONWORKER (Structural).....	\$ 35.85	23.24

IRON0089-003 05/01/2024

	Rates	Fringes
IRONWORKER (Ornamental).....	\$ 33.41	23.88



IRON0111-002 07/01/2024

	Rates	Fringes
IRONWORKER (Reinforcing).....	\$ 37.50	30.99

LABO0177-002 05/01/2024

	Rates	Fringes
LABORER (Mason Tender - Brick)...	\$ 28.61	16.80

LABO0177-010 05/01/2024

	Rates	Fringes
LABORER (Common or General).....	\$ 28.61	16.80

PAIN0246-001 05/01/2024

	Rates	Fringes
PAINTER (Brush and Roller).....	\$ 30.98	15.58

PLAS0021-001 05/01/2023

	Rates	Fringes
CEMENT MASON/CONCRETE FINISHER...	\$ 29.94	23.35

PLUM0033-002 06/01/2024

	Rates	Fringes
PIPEFITTER (HVAC Pipe Installation Only).....	\$ 43.20	23.25

PLUM0033-004 05/23/2024

	Rates	Fringes
PLUMBER.....	\$ 43.20	23.25

ROOF0142-001 06/01/2024

	Rates	Fringes
ROOFER.....	\$ 31.50	15.28



SFIA0669-002 01/01/2025

	Rates	Fringes
SPRINKLER FITTER (Fire Sprinklers).....	\$ 43.04	26.06

SHEE0045-002 06/01/2024

	Rates	Fringes
SHEET METAL WORKER (Includes HVAC Duct and Unit Installation).....	\$ 39.38	24.95

* UAVG-IA-0003 01/01/2025

	Rates	Fringes
OPERATOR: Bobcat/Skid Steer/Skid Loader.....	\$ 33.57	20.75

* SUIA2016-046 07/19/2016

	Rates	Fringes
CARPENTER, Includes Drywall Hanging.....	\$ 24.93	11.17
DRYWALL FINISHER/TAPER.....	\$ 21.25	10.32
INSULATOR: Mechanical (Duct, Pipe and Mechanical System Insulation).....	\$ 18.17	4.01
LABORER: Pipelayer.....	\$ 16.11 **	0.00
OPERATOR: Crane.....	\$ 25.70	9.13
PAINTER: Spray.....	\$ 19.77	6.64

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 (\$17.75) or 13658 (\$13.30). Please see the Note at the top of the wage determination for more information. Please also note that the minimum wage requirements of Executive Order 14026 are not currently being enforced as to any contract or subcontract to which the states of Texas, Louisiana, or Mississippi, including their agencies, are a party.

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) (iii)).

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

Union Rate Identifiers

A four-letter identifier beginning with characters other than



""SU"", ""UAVG"", ?SA?, or ?SC? denotes that a union rate was prevailing for that classification in the survey. Example: PLUM0198-005 07/01/2024. PLUM is an identifier of the union whose collectively bargained rate 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. The date, 07/01/2024 in the example, is the effective date of the most current negotiated rate.

Union prevailing wage rates are updated to reflect all changes over time that are reported to WHD in the rates in the collective bargaining agreement (CBA) governing the classification.

Union Average Rate Identifiers

The UAVG identifier indicates that no single rate prevailed for those classifications, but that 100% of the data reported for the classifications reflected union rates. EXAMPLE: UAVG-OH-0010 01/01/2024. UAVG indicates that the rate is a weighted union average rate. OH indicates the State of Ohio. The next number, 0010 in the example, is an internal number used in producing the wage determination. The date, 01/01/2024 in the example, indicates the date the wage determination was updated to reflect the most current union average rate.

A UAVG rate will be updated once a year, usually in January, to reflect a weighted average of the current rates in the collective bargaining agreements on which the rate is based.

Survey Rate Identifiers

The ""SU"" identifier indicates that either a single non-union rate prevailed (as defined in 29 CFR 1.2) for this classification in the survey or that the rate was derived by computing a weighted average rate based on all the rates reported in the survey for that classification. As a weighted average rate includes all rates reported in the survey, it may include both union and non-union rates. Example: SUFL2022-007 6/27/2024. SU indicates the rate is a single non-union prevailing rate or a weighted average of survey data for that classification. FL indicates the State of Florida. 2022 is the year of the 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. The date,



6/27/2024 in the example, indicates the survey completion date for the classifications and rates under that identifier.

?SU? wage rates typically remain in effect until a new survey is conducted. However, the Wage and Hour Division (WHD) has the discretion to update such rates under 29 CFR 1.6(c)(1).

State Adopted Rate Identifiers

The ""SA"" identifier indicates that the classifications and prevailing wage rates set by a state (or local) government were adopted under 29 C.F.R 1.3(g)-(h). Example: SAME2023-007 01/03/2024. SA reflects that the rates are state adopted. ME refers to the State of Maine. 2023 is the year during which the state completed the survey on which the listed classifications and rates are based. The next number, 007 in the example, is an internal number used in producing the wage determination. The date, 01/03/2024 in the example, reflects the date on which the classifications and rates under the ?SA? identifier took effect under state law in the state from which the rates were adopted.

WAGE DETERMINATION APPEALS PROCESS

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

- a) a survey underlying a wage determination
- b) an existing published wage determination
- c) an initial WHD letter setting forth a position on a wage determination matter
- d) an initial conformance (additional classification and rate) determination

On survey related matters, initial contact, including requests for summaries of surveys, should be directed to the WHD Branch of Wage Surveys. Requests can be submitted via email to davisbaconinfo@dol.gov or by mail to:

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

Regarding any other wage determination matter such as



conformance decisions, requests for initial decisions should be directed to the WHD Branch of Construction Wage Determinations. Requests can be submitted via email to BCWD-Office@dol.gov or by mail 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 an initial decision has been issued, then any interested party (those affected by the action) that disagrees with the decision can request review and reconsideration from the Wage and Hour Administrator (See 29 CFR Part 1.8 and 29 CFR Part 7). Requests for review and reconsideration can be submitted via email to dba.reconsideration@dol.gov or by mail 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 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.

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END OF GENERAL DECISION"