REGISTER OF WAGE DETERMINATIONS UNDER THE SERVICE CONTRACT ACT By direction of the Secretary of Labor

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Note: Under Executive Order (EO) 13658, an hourly minimum wage of \$10.95 for calendar year 2021 applies to all contracts subject to the Service Contract Act for which the contract is awarded (and any solicitation was issued) on or after January 1, 2015. If this contract is covered by the EO, the contractor must pay all workers in any classification listed on this wage determination at least \$10.95 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 calendar year 2021. The EO minimum wage rate will be adjusted annually. Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections under the EO is available at www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts.

State: Montana

Area: Montana Counties of Flathead, Lake, Lincoln, Mineral, Ravalli, Sanders

Fringe Benefits Required Follow the Occupational Listing

OCCUPATION CODE - TITLE

FOOTNOTE

RATE

01000 - Administrative Support And Clerical Occupations

01011 - Accounting Clerk I

13.52

01012 - Accounting Clerk II

15.18

01013 - Accounting Clerk III

16.98

01020 - Administrative Assistant

23.32

01035 - Court Reporter

17.39

01041 - Customer Service Representative I

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12.37
  01042 - Customer Service Representative II
13.92
  01043 - Customer Service Representative III
15.18
  01051 - Data Entry Operator I
12.89
  01052 - Data Entry Operator II
14.06
  01060 - Dispatcher, Motor Vehicle
18.74
  01070 - Document Preparation Clerk
13.84
  01090 - Duplicating Machine Operator
13.84
  01111 - General Clerk I
12.63
  01112 - General Clerk II
13.78
  01113 - General Clerk III
15.47
  01120 - Housing Referral Assistant
19.38
  01141 - Messenger Courier
11.29
  01191 - Order Clerk I
12.69
  01192 - Order Clerk II
13.84
  01261 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) I
15.54
  01262 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) II
17.39
  01263 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) III
  01270 - Production Control Clerk
23.42
  01290 - Rental Clerk
12.68
  01300 - Scheduler, Maintenance
15.54
  01311 - Secretary I
15.54
  01312 - Secretary II
17.39
  01313 - Secretary III
19.38
  01320 - Service Order Dispatcher
16.75
  01410 - Supply Technician
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23.32
  01420 - Survey Worker
14.73
 01460 - Switchboard Operator/Receptionist
13.62
  01531 - Travel Clerk I
14.67
 01532 - Travel Clerk II
15.73
  01533 - Travel Clerk III
16.75
  01611 - Word Processor I
  01612 - Word Processor II
15.54
  01613 - Word Processor III
17.39
05000 - Automotive Service Occupations
  05005 - Automobile Body Repairer, Fiberglass
20.69
  05010 - Automotive Electrician
19.20
 05040 - Automotive Glass Installer
17.88
  05070 - Automotive Worker
17.88
 05110 - Mobile Equipment Servicer
  05130 - Motor Equipment Metal Mechanic
20.50
 05160 - Motor Equipment Metal Worker
17.88
  05190 - Motor Vehicle Mechanic
20.50
  05220 - Motor Vehicle Mechanic Helper
 05250 - Motor Vehicle Upholstery Worker
16.68
  05280 - Motor Vehicle Wrecker
17.88
 05310 - Painter, Automotive
19.20
  05340 - Radiator Repair Specialist
17.88
  05370 - Tire Repairer
14.84
  05400 - Transmission Repair Specialist
20.50
07000 - Food Preparation And Service Occupations
  07010 - Baker
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11.90
  07041 - Cook I
12.79
 07042 - Cook II
14.77
  07070 - Dishwasher
10.69
 07130 - Food Service Worker
11.40
  07210 - Meat Cutter
16.22
 07260 - Waiter/Waitress
09000 - Furniture Maintenance And Repair Occupations
  09010 - Electrostatic Spray Painter
19.33
 09040 - Furniture Handler
13.89
  09080 - Furniture Refinisher
19.33
 09090 - Furniture Refinisher Helper
 09110 - Furniture Repairer, Minor
18.91
  09130 - Upholsterer
19.33
11000 - General Services And Support Occupations
  11030 - Cleaner, Vehicles
13.95
  11060 - Elevator Operator
12.83
 11090 - Gardener
19.95
  11122 - Housekeeping Aide
12.83
 11150 - Janitor
12.83
  11210 - Laborer, Grounds Maintenance
15.15
 11240 - Maid or Houseman
11.17
  11260 - Pruner
13.39
  11270 - Tractor Operator
18.35
 11330 - Trail Maintenance Worker
15.15
  11360 - Window Cleaner
14.51
12000 - Health Occupations
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12010 - Ambulance Driver
14.30
  12011 - Breath Alcohol Technician
17.89
  12012 - Certified Occupational Therapist Assistant
24.54
  12015 - Certified Physical Therapist Assistant
23.72
 12020 - Dental Assistant
16.94
  12025 - Dental Hygienist
39.12
  12030 - EKG Technician
  12035 - Electroneurodiagnostic Technologist
32.45
  12040 - Emergency Medical Technician
14.30
  12071 - Licensed Practical Nurse I
15.98
  12072 - Licensed Practical Nurse II
17.89
  12073 - Licensed Practical Nurse III
19.94
  12100 - Medical Assistant
17.13
  12130 - Medical Laboratory Technician
  12160 - Medical Record Clerk
15.66
  12190 - Medical Record Technician
17.53
  12195 - Medical Transcriptionist
16.91
  12210 - Nuclear Medicine Technologist
39.30
  12221 - Nursing Assistant I
11.39
  12222 - Nursing Assistant II
12.81
  12223 - Nursing Assistant III
13.97
  12224 - Nursing Assistant IV
15.68
  12235 - Optical Dispenser
16.67
  12236 - Optical Technician
15.98
 12250 - Pharmacy Technician
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17.57

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12280 - Phlebotomist
15.26
  12305 - Radiologic Technologist
27.98
  12311 - Registered Nurse I
21.74
  12312 - Registered Nurse II
  12313 - Registered Nurse II, Specialist
26.60
  12314 - Registered Nurse III
32.18
  12315 - Registered Nurse III, Anesthetist
  12316 - Registered Nurse IV
38.57
  12317 - Scheduler (Drug and Alcohol Testing)
22.15
  12320 - Substance Abuse Treatment Counselor
21,66
13000 - Information And Arts Occupations
  13011 - Exhibits Specialist I
20.17
  13012 - Exhibits Specialist II
24.99
  13013 - Exhibits Specialist III
30.57
  13041 - Illustrator I
20.35
  13042 - Illustrator II
25.20
 13043 - Illustrator III
30.57
  13047 - Librarian
27.68
  13050 - Library Aide/Clerk
  13054 - Library Information Technology Systems
24.98
  Administrator
  13058 - Library Technician
15.49
  13061 - Media Specialist I
18.03
  13062 - Media Specialist II
20.17
  13063 - Media Specialist III
22.48
  13071 - Photographer I
15.46
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13072 - Photographer II
17.98
  13073 - Photographer III
22.28
  13074 - Photographer IV
26.63
  13075 - Photographer V
32.98
  13090 - Technical Order Library Clerk
20.16
  13110 - Video Teleconference Technician
18.03
14000 - Information Technology Occupations
  14041 - Computer Operator I
14.20
  14042 - Computer Operator II
15.88
  14043 - Computer Operator III
17.71
  14044 - Computer Operator IV
19.72
  14045 - Computer Operator V
21.80
  14071 - Computer Programmer I
                                                          (see 1)
21.01
                                                          (see 1)
  14072 - Computer Programmer II
26.04
  14073 - Computer Programmer III
                                                          (see 1)
  14074 - Computer Programmer IV
                                                          (see 1)
  14101 - Computer Systems Analyst I
                                                          (see 1)
  14102 - Computer Systems Analyst II
                                                          (see 1)
  14103 - Computer Systems Analyst III
                                                          (see 1)
  14150 - Peripheral Equipment Operator
14.20
  14160 - Personal Computer Support Technician
19.72
  14170 - System Support Specialist
27.21
15000 - Instructional Occupations
  15010 - Aircrew Training Devices Instructor (Non-Rated)
29.19
  15020 - Aircrew Training Devices Instructor (Rated)
35.31
  15030 - Air Crew Training Devices Instructor (Pilot)
41,49
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15050 - Computer Based Training Specialist / Instructor
29.19
  15060 - Educational Technologist
28.21
  15070 - Flight Instructor (Pilot)
  15080 - Graphic Artist
18.83
  15085 - Maintenance Test Pilot, Fixed, Jet/Prop
40.91
  15086 - Maintenance Test Pilot, Rotary Wing
  15088 - Non-Maintenance Test/Co-Pilot
40.91
  15090 - Technical Instructor
25.80
  15095 - Technical Instructor/Course Developer
31.57
  15110 - Test Proctor
20.83
  15120 - Tutor
20.83
16000 - Laundry, Dry-Cleaning, Pressing And Related Occupations
  16010 - Assembler
9.61
  16030 - Counter Attendant
  16040 - Dry Cleaner
  16070 - Finisher, Flatwork, Machine
9.61
  16090 - Presser, Hand
9.61
  16110 - Presser, Machine, Drycleaning
  16130 - Presser, Machine, Shirts
  16160 - Presser, Machine, Wearing Apparel, Laundry
  16190 - Sewing Machine Operator
12.16
  16220 - Tailor
12.94
  16250 - Washer, Machine
10.07
19000 - Machine Tool Operation And Repair Occupations
  19010 - Machine-Tool Operator (Tool Room)
22.90
  19040 - Tool And Die Maker
28.37
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21000 - Materials Handling And Packing Occupations
  21020 - Forklift Operator
16.91
  21030 - Material Coordinator
23.42
  21040 - Material Expediter
23.42
  21050 - Material Handling Laborer
14.36
  21071 - Order Filler
13.39
  21080 - Production Line Worker (Food Processing)
16.91
  21110 - Shipping Packer
14.54
  21130 - Shipping/Receiving Clerk
14.54
  21140 - Store Worker I
12.53
  21150 - Stock Clerk
17.82
  21210 - Tools And Parts Attendant
16.91
  21410 - Warehouse Specialist
16.91
23000 - Mechanics And Maintenance And Repair Occupations
  23010 - Aerospace Structural Welder
26.15
  23019 - Aircraft Logs and Records Technician
21.13
  23021 - Aircraft Mechanic I
24.77
  23022 - Aircraft Mechanic II
26.15
  23023 - Aircraft Mechanic III
27.65
  23040 - Aircraft Mechanic Helper
18.97
  23050 - Aircraft, Painter
23.94
  23060 - Aircraft Servicer
21.13
  23070 - Aircraft Survival Flight Equipment Technician
23.94
  23080 - Aircraft Worker
  23091 - Aircrew Life Support Equipment (ALSE) Mechanic
22.13
  23092 - Aircrew Life Support Equipment (ALSE) Mechanic
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24.77
  II
  23110 - Appliance Mechanic
22.90
  23120 - Bicycle Repairer
18.46
  23125 - Cable Splicer
45.04
  23130 - Carpenter, Maintenance
20.93
  23140 - Carpet Layer
23.17
  23160 - Electrician, Maintenance
  23181 - Electronics Technician Maintenance I
26.11
  23182 - Electronics Technician Maintenance II
28.77
  23183 - Electronics Technician Maintenance III
30.71
  23260 - Fabric Worker
19.90
  23290 - Fire Alarm System Mechanic
24.45
  23310 - Fire Extinguisher Repairer
18.46
  23311 - Fuel Distribution System Mechanic
24.70
  23312 - Fuel Distribution System Operator
18.71
  23370 - General Maintenance Worker
17.59
  23380 - Ground Support Equipment Mechanic
24.77
  23381 - Ground Support Equipment Servicer
21.13
  23382 - Ground Support Equipment Worker
22.13
  23391 - Gunsmith I
18.46
  23392 - Gunsmith II
21.33
  23393 - Gunsmith III
  23410 - Heating, Ventilation And Air-Conditioning
20.01
 Mechanic
  23411 - Heating, Ventilation And Air Contidioning
  Mechanic (Research Facility)
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23430 - Heavy Equipment Mechanic
23.25
  23440 - Heavy Equipment Operator
22.07
  23460 - Instrument Mechanic
24.45
  23465 - Laboratory/Shelter Mechanic
22.90
 23470 - Laborer
14.02
  23510 - Locksmith
22.90
  23530 - Machinery Maintenance Mechanic
  23550 - Machinist, Maintenance
19.28
  23580 - Maintenance Trades Helper
16.82
  23591 - Metrology Technician I
24.45
  23592 - Metrology Technician II
 23593 - Metrology Technician III
27.39
  23640 - Millwright
25.01
  23710 - Office Appliance Repairer
21.41
  23760 - Painter, Maintenance
19.96
  23790 - Pipefitter, Maintenance
28.81
  23810 - Plumber, Maintenance
25.16
  23820 - Pneudraulic Systems Mechanic
24.45
  23850 - Rigger
24.45
  23870 - Scale Mechanic
21.33
  23890 - Sheet-Metal Worker, Maintenance
24.45
  23910 - Small Engine Mechanic
21.33
  23931 - Telecommunications Mechanic I
29.41
  23932 - Telecommunications Mechanic II
31.14
  23950 - Telephone Lineman
24.12
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23960 - Welder, Combination, Maintenance
21.91
  23965 - Well Driller
24.45
  23970 - Woodcraft Worker
24.45
  23980 - Woodworker
18,46
24000 - Personal Needs Occupations
  24550 - Case Manager
15.17
  24570 - Child Care Attendant
11.17
  24580 - Child Care Center Clerk
13.94
  24610 - Chore Aide
12.41
  24620 - Family Readiness And Support Services
15.17
  Coordinator
  24630 - Homemaker
15.17
25000 - Plant And System Operations Occupations
  25010 - Boiler Tender
24.70
  25040 - Sewage Plant Operator
21.45
  25070 - Stationary Engineer
  25190 - Ventilation Equipment Tender
17.16
  25210 - Water Treatment Plant Operator
21.45
27000 - Protective Service Occupations
  27004 - Alarm Monitor
19.71
 27007 - Baggage Inspector
14.09
  27008 - Corrections Officer
18.58
  27010 - Court Security Officer
20.47
  27030 - Detection Dog Handler
15.77
  27040 - Detention Officer
18.58
  27070 - Firefighter
22.57
  27101 - Guard I
14.09
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27102 - Guard II
15.77
  27131 - Police Officer I
23.76
  27132 - Police Officer II
28000 - Recreation Occupations
  28041 - Carnival Equipment Operator
16.39
  28042 - Carnival Equipment Repairer
17.81
  28043 - Carnival Worker
11.96
  28210 - Gate Attendant/Gate Tender
16.05
  28310 - Lifeguard
12.49
  28350 - Park Attendant (Aide)
17.95
  28510 - Recreation Aide/Health Facility Attendant
  28515 - Recreation Specialist
20.45
  28630 - Sports Official
14.29
  28690 - Swimming Pool Operator
20.58
29000 - Stevedoring/Longshoremen Occupational Services
  29010 - Blocker And Bracer
21.33
  29020 - Hatch Tender
21.33
  29030 - Line Handler
21.33
  29041 - Stevedore I
20.13
  29042 - Stevedore II
23.17
30000 - Technical Occupations
  30010 - Air Traffic Control Specialist, Center (HFO)
                                                          (see 2)
39.89
  30011 - Air Traffic Control Specialist, Station (HFO) (see 2)
27.50
  30012 - Air Traffic Control Specialist, Terminal (HFO) (see 2)
30.29
  30021 - Archeological Technician I
18.32
  30022 - Archeological Technician II
20.51
  30023 - Archeological Technician III
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25.40
  30030 - Cartographic Technician
25.40
  30040 - Civil Engineering Technician
24.37
  30051 - Cryogenic Technician I
28.13
  30052 - Cryogenic Technician II
31.07
  30061 - Drafter/CAD Operator I
18.32
  30062 - Drafter/CAD Operator II
20.51
  30063 - Drafter/CAD Operator III
22.86
  30064 - Drafter/CAD Operator IV
28.13
  30081 - Engineering Technician I
15.66
  30082 - Engineering Technician II
  30083 - Engineering Technician III
19.68
  30084 - Engineering Technician IV
24.37
  30085 - Engineering Technician V
29.81
  30086 - Engineering Technician VI
  30090 - Environmental Technician
24.37
  30095 - Evidence Control Specialist
25.40
  30210 - Laboratory Technician
21.92
  30221 - Latent Fingerprint Technician I
  30222 - Latent Fingerprint Technician II
31.07
  30240 - Mathematical Technician
25.40
  30361 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant I
18.05
  30362 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant II
22.35
  30363 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant III
27.35
  30364 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant IV
33.09
  30375 - Petroleum Supply Specialist
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31.07
  30390 - Photo-Optics Technician
21.89
  30395 - Radiation Control Technician
31.07
  30461 - Technical Writer I
24.37
  30462 - Technical Writer II
29.81
  30463 - Technical Writer III
36.06
  30491 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician I
25.35
  30492 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician II
30.67
  30493 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician III
36.76
  30494 - Unexploded (UXO) Safety Escort
25.35
  30495 - Unexploded (UXO) Sweep Personnel
25.35
  30501 - Weather Forecaster I
28.13
  30502 - Weather Forecaster II
34.22
  30620 - Weather Observer, Combined Upper Air Or
                                                         (see 2)
22.86
  Surface Programs
  30621 - Weather Observer, Senior
                                                          (see 2)
25.40
31000 - Transportation/Mobile Equipment Operation Occupations
  31010 - Airplane Pilot
30.67
  31020 - Bus Aide
13.30
  31030 - Bus Driver
18.92
  31043 - Driver Courier
14.46
  31260 - Parking and Lot Attendant
11.97
  31290 - Shuttle Bus Driver
15.72
  31310 - Taxi Driver
12.76
  31361 - Truckdriver, Light
15.72
  31362 - Truckdriver, Medium
18.56
  31363 - Truckdriver, Heavy
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20.60
  31364 - Truckdriver, Tractor-Trailer
99000 - Miscellaneous Occupations
  99020 - Cabin Safety Specialist
  99030 - Cashier
11.03
  99050 - Desk Clerk
12.76
  99095 - Embalmer
25.35
  99130 - Flight Follower
  99251 - Laboratory Animal Caretaker I
14.82
  99252 - Laboratory Animal Caretaker II
16.11
  99260 - Marketing Analyst
26.48
  99310 - Mortician
25.35
  99410 - Pest Controller
18.50
  99510 - Photofinishing Worker
13.32
  99710 - Recycling Laborer
22.50
  99711 - Recycling Specialist
28.10
  99730 - Refuse Collector
20.51
  99810 - Sales Clerk
12.21
  99820 - School Crossing Guard
14.24
  99830 - Survey Party Chief
24.67
  99831 - Surveying Aide
15.32
  99832 - Surveying Technician
20.83
  99840 - Vending Machine Attendant
13.74
  99841 - Vending Machine Repairer
  99842 - Vending Machine Repairer Helper
13.74
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Note: Executive Order (EO) 13706, Establishing Paid Sick Leave for Federal Contractors, applies to all contracts subject to the Service Contract 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 the victim of, domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking. Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections

under the EO is available at www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts.

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ALL OCCUPATIONS LISTED ABOVE RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING BENEFITS:

HEALTH & WELFARE: \$4.54 per hour, up to 40 hours per week, or \$181.60 per week or \$786.93 per month

HEALTH & WELFARE EO 13706: \$4.22 per hour up to 40 hours per week, or \$168.80 per week, or \$731.47 per month*

*This rate is to be used only when compensating employees for performance on an SCA-

covered contract also covered by EO 13706, Establishing Paid Sick Leave for Federal

Contractors. A contractor may not receive credit toward its SCA obligations for any paid sick leave provided pursuant to EO 13706.

VACATION: 2 weeks paid vacation after 1 year of service with a contractor or successor, 3 weeks after 5 years, and 4 weeks after 15 years. Length of service includes the whole span of continuous service with the present contractor or successor, wherever employed, and with the predecessor contractors in the performance of similar work at the same Federal facility. (Reg. 29 CFR 4.173)

HOLIDAYS: A minimum of ten paid holidays per year: New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Columbus Day, Veterans' Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day. (A contractor may substitute for any of the named holidays another day off with pay in

accordance with a plan communicated to the employees involved.) (See 29 CFR 4.174)

THE OCCUPATIONS WHICH HAVE NUMBERED FOOTNOTES IN PARENTHESES RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING:

1) COMPUTER EMPLOYEES: Under the SCA at section 8(b), this wage determination does

not apply to any employee who individually qualifies as a bona fide executive, administrative, or professional employee as defined in 29 C.F.R. Part 541. Because

most Computer System Analysts and Computer Programmers who are compensated at a rate

not less than \$27.63 (or on a salary or fee basis at a rate not less than \$455 per week) an hour would likely qualify as exempt computer professionals, (29 C.F.R. 541.

400) wage rates may not be listed on this wage determination for all occupations within those job families. In addition, because this wage determination may not list a wage rate for some or all occupations within those job families if the survey

data indicates that the prevailing wage rate for the occupation equals or exceeds \$27.63 per hour conformances may be necessary for certain nonexempt employees. For

example, if an individual employee is nonexempt but nevertheless performs duties within the scope of one of the Computer Systems Analyst or Computer Programmer occupations for which this wage determination does not specify an SCA wage rate, then the wage rate for that employee must be conformed in accordance with the conformance procedures described in the conformance note included on this wage

determination.

Additionally, because job titles vary widely and change quickly in the computer industry, job titles are not determinative of the application of the computer professional exemption. Therefore, the exemption applies only to computer employees

who satisfy the compensation requirements and whose primary duty consists of:

- (1) The application of systems analysis techniques and procedures, including consulting with users, to determine hardware, software or system functional specifications;
- (2) The design, development, documentation, analysis, creation, testing or modification of computer systems or programs, including prototypes, based on and related to user or system design specifications;
- (3) The design, documentation, testing, creation or modification of computer programs related to machine operating systems; or
- (4) A combination of the aforementioned duties, the performance of which requires the same level of skills. (29 C.F.R. 541.400).
- 2) AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLERS AND WEATHER OBSERVERS NIGHT PAY & SUNDAY PAY: If you work at night as part of a regular tour of duty, you will earn a night differential and receive an additional 10% of basic pay for any hours worked between 6pm and 6am.

If you are a full-time employed (40 hours a week) and Sunday is part of your regularly scheduled workweek, you are paid at your rate of basic pay plus a Sunday premium of 25% of your basic rate for each hour of Sunday work which is not overtime

(i.e. occasional work on Sunday outside the normal tour of duty is considered overtime work).

** HAZARDOUS PAY DIFFERENTIAL **

An 8 percent differential is applicable to employees employed in a position that represents a high degree of hazard when working with or in close proximity to ordnance, explosives, and incendiary materials. This includes work such as

screening, blending, dying, mixing, and pressing of sensitive ordnance, explosives,

and pyrotechnic compositions such as lead azide, black powder and photoflash powder.

All dry-house activities involving propellants or explosives. Demilitarization, modification, renovation, demolition, and maintenance operations on sensitive ordnance, explosives and incendiary materials. All operations involving re-grading and cleaning of artillery ranges.

A 4 percent differential is applicable to employees employed in a position that represents a low degree of hazard when working with, or in close proximity to ordnance, (or employees possibly adjacent to) explosives and incendiary materials which involves potential injury such as laceration of hands, face, or arms of the employee engaged in the operation, irritation of the skin, minor burns and the like;

minimal damage to immediate or adjacent work area or equipment being used. All operations involving, unloading, storage, and hauling of ordnance, explosive, and incendiary ordnance material other than small arms ammunition. These differentials

are only applicable to work that has been specifically designated by the agency for ordnance, explosives, and incendiary material differential pay.

** UNIFORM ALLOWANCE **

If employees are required to wear uniforms in the performance of this contract (either by the terms of the Government contract, by the employer, by the state or local law, etc.), the cost of furnishing such uniforms and maintaining (by laundering or dry cleaning) such uniforms is an expense that may not be borne by an

employee where such cost reduces the hourly rate below that required by the wage determination. The Department of Labor will accept payment in accordance with the following standards as compliance:

The contractor or subcontractor is required to furnish all employees with an adequate number of uniforms without cost or to reimburse employees for the actual cost of the uniforms. In addition, where uniform cleaning and maintenance is made the responsibility of the employee, all contractors and subcontractors subject to this wage determination shall (in the absence of a bona fide collective bargaining agreement providing for a different amount, or the furnishing of contrary affirmative proof as to the actual cost), reimburse all employees for such cleaning

and maintenance at a rate of \$3.35 per week (or \$.67 cents per day). However, in those instances where the uniforms furnished are made of "wash and wear" materials, may be routinely washed and dried with other personal garments, and do not require any special treatment such as dry cleaning, daily washing, or commercial

laundering in order to meet the cleanliness or appearance standards set by the terms

of the Government contract, by the contractor, by law, or by the nature of the work,

there is no requirement that employees be reimbursed for uniform maintenance costs.

** SERVICE CONTRACT ACT DIRECTORY OF OCCUPATIONS **

The duties of employees under job titles listed are those described in the "Service Contract Act Directory of Occupations", Fifth Edition (Revision 1), dated September 2015, unless otherwise indicated.

** REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION OF ADDITIONAL CLASSIFICATION AND WAGE RATE, Standard Form 1444 (SF-1444) **

Conformance Process:

The contracting officer shall require that any class of service employee which is not listed herein and which is to be employed under the contract (i.e., the work to

be performed is not performed by any classification listed in the wage determination), be classified by the contractor so as to provide a reasonable relationship (i.e., appropriate level of skill comparison) between such unlisted classifications and the classifications listed in the wage determination (See 29 CFR

4.6(b)(2)(i)). Such conforming procedures shall be initiated by the contractor prior to the performance of contract work by such unlisted class(es) of employees (See 29 CFR 4.6(b)(2)(ii)). The Wage and Hour Division shall make a final determination of conformed classification, wage rate, and/or fringe benefits which shall be paid to all employees performing in the classification from the first day of work on which contract work is performed by them in the classification. Failure

to pay such unlisted employees the compensation agreed upon by the interested parties and/or fully determined by the Wage and Hour Division retroactive to the

date such class of employees commenced contract work shall be a violation of the Act

and this contract. (See 29 CFR 4.6(b)(2)(v)). When multiple wage determinations are

included in a contract, a separate SF-1444 should be prepared for each wage determination to which a class(es) is to be conformed.

The process for preparing a conformance request is as follows:

- 1) When preparing the bid, the contractor identifies the need for a conformed occupation(s) and computes a proposed rate(s).
- 2) After contract award, the contractor prepares a written report listing in order the proposed classification title(s), a Federal grade equivalency (FGE) for each proposed classification(s), job description(s), and rationale for proposed wage rate(s), including information regarding the agreement or disagreement of the authorized representative of the employees involved, or where there is no authorized

representative, the employees themselves. This report should be submitted to the contracting officer no later than 30 days after such unlisted class(es) of employees

performs any contract work.

3) The contracting officer reviews the proposed action and promptly submits a report

of the action, together with the agency's recommendations and pertinent information including the position of the contractor and the employees, to the U.S.

Department of Labor, Wage and Hour Division, for review (See 29 CFR 4.6(b)(2)(ii)).

- 4) Within 30 days of receipt, the Wage and Hour Division approves, modifies, or disapproves the action via transmittal to the agency contracting officer, or notifies the contracting officer that additional time will be required to process the request.
- 5) The contracting officer transmits the Wage and Hour Division's decision to the contractor.

6) Each affected employee shall be furnished by the contractor with a written copy of such determination or it shall be posted as a part of the wage determination (See 29 CFR 4.6(b)(2)(iii)).

Information required by the Regulations must be submitted on SF-1444 or bond paper.

When preparing a conformance request, the "Service Contract Act Directory of Occupations" should be used to compare job definitions to ensure that duties requested are not performed by a classification already listed in the wage determination. Remember, it is not the job title, but the required tasks that determine whether a class is included in an established wage determination. Conformances may not be used to artificially split, combine, or subdivide classifications listed in the wage determination (See 29 CFR 4.152(c)(1)).