

Prevailing Wage Commission Meeting

Meeting Notes: State of Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development

Date: November 26, 2024

Time: 1:30 PM

Attendees:

- **Chairman:** Deputy Commissioner DeWayne Scott
- **Members Present:** Gwendolyn Whittaker, Ann McGauran, Scott Thompson, Stephen Wright
- **Legal Counsel:** Chance Deason, Melissa Owens
- **Other Attendees:** Representatives from TDOT, Tennessee Road Builders Association, and TDLWD staff

Agenda Items Discussed:

I. Call to Order and Roll Call

- Meeting called to order by Chairman Scott at 1:30 PM.
- Roll call confirmed all members present.

II. Conflict of Interest Declaration

- Members reminded to submit necessary paperwork to Haley Patel.

III. Adoption of Agenda

- Motion to adopt agenda made by Stephen Wright, seconded by Scott Thompson.
- Agenda adopted unanimously.

IV. Setting 2025 Prevailing Wage Rates for State Highway Construction Projects

- **Discussion Highlights:**
 - Finalized wage rates for all 25 crafts:
 - Craft 1: \$28.16
 - Craft 2: \$20.30
 - Craft 3: \$25.70
 - Craft 4: \$29.81

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- Craft 5: \$27.04
- Craft 6: \$29.07
- Craft 7: \$27.71
- Craft 8: \$25.58
- Craft 9: \$43.02
- Craft 10: \$37.70
- Craft 11: \$19.94
- Craft 12: \$27.79
- Craft 13: \$24.05
- Craft 14: \$32.51
- Craft 15: \$32.38
- Craft 16: \$30.38
- Craft 17: \$37.54
- Craft 18: \$25.38
- Craft 19: \$35.87
- Craft 20: \$25.99
- Craft 21: \$26.63
- Craft 22: \$25.38
- Craft 23: \$29.74
- Craft 24: \$22.46
- Craft 25: \$37.70
- Motion to accept 2025 wage rates made by Stephen Wright, seconded by Scott Thompson.
- Wage rates unanimously approved.

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VII. Meeting Dates for 2025

- **Tentative Dates:**
 - September 4, 2025
 - November 12, 2025
 - November 18, 2025

Adjournment:

- Motion to adjourn made by Scott Thompson, seconded by Ann McGauran.
- Meeting adjourned unanimously.