

Note: Contracts subject to the Service Contract Act are generally required to pay at least the applicable minimum wage rate required under Executive Order 14026 or Executive Order 13658.

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 the contract in 2025.

The applicable Executive Order minimum wage rate will be adjusted annually. Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections under the Executive Orders is available at www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts.

State: Pennsylvania

Area: Pennsylvania Counties of Allegheny, Armstrong, Beaver, Butler, Fayette, Washington, Westmoreland

****Fringe Benefits Required Follow the Occupational Listing****

OCCUPATION CODE - TITLE	FOOTNOTE	RATE
01000 - Administrative Support And Clerical Occupations		
01011 - Accounting Clerk I	17.34***	
01012 - Accounting Clerk II	19.46	
01013 - Accounting Clerk III	21.77	
01020 - Administrative Assistant	31.04	

01035 - Court Reporter	28.64
01041 - Customer Service Representative I	15.71***
01042 - Customer Service Representative II	17.14***
01043 - Customer Service Representative III	19.24
01051 - Data Entry Operator I	16.29***
01052 - Data Entry Operator II	17.77
01060 - Dispatcher, Motor Vehicle	22.29
01070 - Document Preparation Clerk	18.25
01090 - Duplicating Machine Operator	18.25
01111 - General Clerk I	16.33***
01112 - General Clerk II	17.81
01113 - General Clerk III	19.99
01120 - Housing Referral Assistant	24.17
01141 - Messenger Courier	17.26***
01191 - Order Clerk I	17.64***
01192 - Order Clerk II	19.25
01261 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) I	18.56
01262 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) II	20.76
01263 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) III	23.15
01270 - Production Control Clerk	24.36
01290 - Rental Clerk	18.49
01300 - Scheduler, Maintenance	19.38
01311 - Secretary I	19.38
01312 - Secretary II	21.68
01313 - Secretary III	24.17
01320 - Service Order Dispatcher	19.93
01410 - Supply Technician	31.04
01420 - Survey Worker	19.16
01460 - Switchboard Operator/Receptionist	15.49***
01531 - Travel Clerk I	18.57
01532 - Travel Clerk II	19.94
01533 - Travel Clerk III	21.38
01611 - Word Processor I	16.59***
01612 - Word Processor II	18.62
01613 - Word Processor III	20.83
05000 - Automotive Service Occupations	
05005 - Automobile Body Repairer, Fiberglass	22.83
05010 - Automotive Electrician	21.51
05040 - Automotive Glass Installer	20.36
05070 - Automotive Worker	20.36
05110 - Mobile Equipment Servicer	17.98
05130 - Motor Equipment Metal Mechanic	22.54
05160 - Motor Equipment Metal Worker	20.36
05190 - Motor Vehicle Mechanic	22.54
05220 - Motor Vehicle Mechanic Helper	16.80***
05250 - Motor Vehicle Upholstery Worker	19.18
05280 - Motor Vehicle Wrecker	20.36
05310 - Painter, Automotive	21.51
05340 - Radiator Repair Specialist	20.36
05370 - Tire Repairer	17.30***
05400 - Transmission Repair Specialist	22.54
07000 - Food Preparation And Service Occupations	
07010 - Baker	15.77***
07041 - Cook I	17.53***

07042 - Cook II	19.85
07070 - Dishwasher	13.55***
07130 - Food Service Worker	13.84***
07210 - Meat Cutter	18.50
07260 - Waiter/Waitress	13.83***
09000 - Furniture Maintenance And Repair Occupations	
09010 - Electrostatic Spray Painter	21.80
09040 - Furniture Handler	13.88***
09080 - Furniture Refinisher	19.81
09090 - Furniture Refinisher Helper	15.49***
09110 - Furniture Repairer, Minor	17.69***
09130 - Upholsterer	19.95
11000 - General Services And Support Occupations	
11030 - Cleaner, Vehicles	14.76***
11060 - Elevator Operator	16.72***
11090 - Gardener	20.79
11122 - Housekeeping Aide	16.72***
11150 - Janitor	16.72***
11210 - Laborer, Grounds Maintenance	16.89***
11240 - Maid or Houseman	14.79***
11260 - Pruner	15.60***
11270 - Tractor Operator	19.44
11330 - Trail Maintenance Worker	16.89***
11360 - Window Cleaner	18.10
12000 - Health Occupations	
12010 - Ambulance Driver	17.67***
12011 - Breath Alcohol Technician	24.89
12012 - Certified Occupational Therapist Assistant	28.73
12015 - Certified Physical Therapist Assistant	27.30
12020 - Dental Assistant	22.52
12025 - Dental Hygienist	36.08
12030 - EKG Technician	26.87
12035 - Electroneurodiagnostic Technologist	26.87
12040 - Emergency Medical Technician	17.67***
12071 - Licensed Practical Nurse I	22.26
12072 - Licensed Practical Nurse II	24.89
12073 - Licensed Practical Nurse III	27.75
12100 - Medical Assistant	18.39
12130 - Medical Laboratory Technician	27.99
12160 - Medical Record Clerk	19.64
12190 - Medical Record Technician	21.97
12195 - Medical Transcriptionist	21.61
12210 - Nuclear Medicine Technologist	36.84
12221 - Nursing Assistant I	13.28***
12222 - Nursing Assistant II	14.95***
12223 - Nursing Assistant III	16.31***
12224 - Nursing Assistant IV	18.30
12235 - Optical Dispenser	18.25
12236 - Optical Technician	18.23
12250 - Pharmacy Technician	18.30
12280 - Phlebotomist	20.14
12305 - Radiologic Technologist	31.13
12311 - Registered Nurse I	25.87
12312 - Registered Nurse II	31.64

12313 - Registered Nurse II, Specialist	31.64
12314 - Registered Nurse III	38.28
12315 - Registered Nurse III, Anesthetist	38.28
12316 - Registered Nurse IV	45.88
12317 - Scheduler (Drug and Alcohol Testing)	30.86
12320 - Substance Abuse Treatment Counselor	23.83
13000 - Information And Arts Occupations	
13011 - Exhibits Specialist I	21.33
13012 - Exhibits Specialist II	27.77
13013 - Exhibits Specialist III	32.33
13041 - Illustrator I	21.33
13042 - Illustrator II	26.43
13043 - Illustrator III	32.33
13047 - Librarian	29.27
13050 - Library Aide/Clerk	13.60***
13054 - Library Information Technology Systems Administrator	26.43
13058 - Library Technician	18.38
13061 - Media Specialist I	19.07
13062 - Media Specialist II	21.33
13063 - Media Specialist III	23.79
13071 - Photographer I	18.76
13072 - Photographer II	20.98
13073 - Photographer III	25.99
13074 - Photographer IV	31.79
13075 - Photographer V	38.47
13090 - Technical Order Library Clerk	17.07***
13110 - Video Teleconference Technician	23.57
14000 - Information Technology Occupations	
14041 - Computer Operator I	23.28
14042 - Computer Operator II	26.05
14043 - Computer Operator III	29.04
14044 - Computer Operator IV	32.30
14045 - Computer Operator V	35.74
14071 - Computer Programmer I (see 1)	22.73
14072 - Computer Programmer II (see 1)	
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	23.28
14160 - Personal Computer Support Technician	32.30
14170 - System Support Specialist	36.02
15000 - Instructional Occupations	
15010 - Aircrew Training Devices Instructor (Non-Rated)	33.25
15020 - Aircrew Training Devices Instructor (Rated)	40.23
15030 - Air Crew Training Devices Instructor (Pilot)	48.22
15050 - Computer Based Training Specialist / Instructor	33.25
15060 - Educational Technologist	31.46
15070 - Flight Instructor (Pilot)	48.22
15080 - Graphic Artist	26.67
15085 - Maintenance Test Pilot, Fixed, Jet/Prop	48.22
15086 - Maintenance Test Pilot, Rotary Wing	48.22

15088 - Non-Maintenance Test/Co-Pilot	48.22	
15090 - Technical Instructor	24.31	
15095 - Technical Instructor/Course Developer		29.74
15110 - Test Proctor	19.62	
15120 - Tutor	19.62	
16000 - Laundry, Dry-Cleaning, Pressing And Related Occupations		
16010 - Assembler	11.63***	
16030 - Counter Attendant	11.63***	
16040 - Dry Cleaner	14.52***	
16070 - Finisher, Flatwork, Machine	11.63***	
16090 - Presser, Hand	11.63***	
16110 - Presser, Machine, Drycleaning	11.63***	
16130 - Presser, Machine, Shirts	11.63***	
16160 - Presser, Machine, Wearing Apparel, Laundry		11.63***
16190 - Sewing Machine Operator	15.45***	
16220 - Tailor	16.42***	
16250 - Washer, Machine	12.58***	
19000 - Machine Tool Operation And Repair Occupations		
19010 - Machine-Tool Operator (Tool Room)		23.60
19040 - Tool And Die Maker	27.86	
21000 - Materials Handling And Packing Occupations		
21020 - Forklift Operator	21.98	
21030 - Material Coordinator	24.36	
21040 - Material Expediter	24.36	
21050 - Material Handling Laborer	18.25	
21071 - Order Filler	16.62***	
21080 - Production Line Worker (Food Processing)		21.98
21110 - Shipping Packer	19.33	
21130 - Shipping/Receiving Clerk	19.33	
21140 - Store Worker I	17.62***	
21150 - Stock Clerk	22.34	
21210 - Tools And Parts Attendant	21.98	
21410 - Warehouse Specialist	21.98	
23000 - Mechanics And Maintenance And Repair Occupations		
23010 - Aerospace Structural Welder	37.80	
23019 - Aircraft Logs and Records Technician		31.86
23021 - Aircraft Mechanic I	36.30	
23022 - Aircraft Mechanic II	37.80	
23023 - Aircraft Mechanic III	39.61	
23040 - Aircraft Mechanic Helper	28.70	
23050 - Aircraft, Painter	35.57	
23060 - Aircraft Servicer	31.86	
23070 - Aircraft Survival Flight Equipment Technician		35.57
23080 - Aircraft Worker	33.67	
23091 - Aircrew Life Support Equipment (ALSE) Mechanic I		33.67
23092 - Aircrew Life Support Equipment (ALSE) Mechanic II		36.30
23110 - Appliance Mechanic	29.30	
23120 - Bicycle Repairer	17.16***	
23125 - Cable Splicer	48.58	
23130 - Carpenter, Maintenance	29.80	
23140 - Carpet Layer	22.92	
23160 - Electrician, Maintenance	32.52	

23181 - Electronics Technician Maintenance I	29.91
23182 - Electronics Technician Maintenance II	31.60
23183 - Electronics Technician Maintenance III	33.11
23260 - Fabric Worker	26.12
23290 - Fire Alarm System Mechanic	27.97
23310 - Fire Extinguisher Repairer	24.49
23311 - Fuel Distribution System Mechanic	36.00
23312 - Fuel Distribution System Operator	28.71
23370 - General Maintenance Worker	22.35
23380 - Ground Support Equipment Mechanic	36.30
23381 - Ground Support Equipment Servicer	31.86
23382 - Ground Support Equipment Worker	33.67
23391 - Gunsmith I	24.49
23392 - Gunsmith II	27.73
23393 - Gunsmith III	30.70
23410 - Heating, Ventilation And Air-Conditioning Mechanic	27.20
23411 - Heating, Ventilation And Air Contidioning Mechanic (Research Facility)	28.24
23430 - Heavy Equipment Mechanic	28.79
23440 - Heavy Equipment Operator	28.92
23460 - Instrument Mechanic	31.01
23465 - Laboratory/Shelter Mechanic	29.30
23470 - Laborer	18.25
23510 - Locksmith	26.96
23530 - Machinery Maintenance Mechanic	29.05
23550 - Machinist, Maintenance	23.83
23580 - Maintenance Trades Helper	16.96***
23591 - Metrology Technician I	31.01
23592 - Metrology Technician II	32.19
23593 - Metrology Technician III	33.58
23640 - Millwright	29.77
23710 - Office Appliance Repairer	22.60
23760 - Painter, Maintenance	23.37
23790 - Pipefitter, Maintenance	33.51
23810 - Plumber, Maintenance	32.00
23820 - Pneudraulic Systems Mechanic	30.70
23850 - Rigger	29.98
23870 - Scale Mechanic	27.73
23890 - Sheet-Metal Worker, Maintenance	34.47
23910 - Small Engine Mechanic	21.28
23931 - Telecommunications Mechanic I	30.93
23932 - Telecommunications Mechanic II	32.11
23950 - Telephone Lineman	44.43
23960 - Welder, Combination, Maintenance	23.94
23965 - Well Driller	26.96
23970 - Woodcraft Worker	30.70
23980 - Woodworker	24.49
24000 - Personal Needs Occupations	
24550 - Case Manager	19.92
24570 - Child Care Attendant	13.42***
24580 - Child Care Center Clerk	16.74***
24610 - Chore Aide	14.21***
24620 - Family Readiness And Support Services	19.92

Coordinator		
24630 - Homemaker	19.92	
25000 - Plant And System Operations Occupations		
25010 - Boiler Tender	32.40	
25040 - Sewage Plant Operator	30.97	
25070 - Stationary Engineer	32.40	
25190 - Ventilation Equipment Tender	24.15	
25210 - Water Treatment Plant Operator	30.97	
27000 - Protective Service Occupations		
27004 - Alarm Monitor	25.59	
27007 - Baggage Inspector	16.04***	
27008 - Corrections Officer	31.04	
27010 - Court Security Officer	32.67	
27030 - Detection Dog Handler	17.94	
27040 - Detention Officer	31.04	
27070 - Firefighter	35.49	
27101 - Guard I	16.04***	
27102 - Guard II	17.94	
27131 - Police Officer I	35.85	
27132 - Police Officer II	39.83	
28000 - Recreation Occupations		
28041 - Carnival Equipment Operator	13.60***	
28042 - Carnival Equipment Repairer	14.55***	
28043 - Carnival Worker	10.92***	
28210 - Gate Attendant/Gate Tender	18.31	
28310 - Lifeguard	12.03***	
28350 - Park Attendant (Aide)	20.48	
28510 - Recreation Aide/Health Facility Attendant	14.95***	
28515 - Recreation Specialist	24.94	
28630 - Sports Official	16.31***	
28690 - Swimming Pool Operator	18.27	
29000 - Stevedoring/Longshoremen Occupational Services		
29010 - Blocker And Bracer	26.25	
29020 - Hatch Tender	26.25	
29030 - Line Handler	26.25	
29041 - Stevedore I	24.73	
29042 - Stevedore II	27.74	
30000 - Technical Occupations		
30010 - Air Traffic Control Specialist, Center (HFO) (see 2)	46.75	
30011 - Air Traffic Control Specialist, Station (HFO) (see 2)	32.24	
30012 - Air Traffic Control Specialist, Terminal (HFO) (see 2)	35.49	
30021 - Archeological Technician I	19.96	
30022 - Archeological Technician II	22.33	
30023 - Archeological Technician III	27.67	
30030 - Cartographic Technician	27.67	
30040 - Civil Engineering Technician	29.68	
30051 - Cryogenic Technician I	30.64	
30052 - Cryogenic Technician II	33.85	
30061 - Drafter/CAD Operator I	19.96	
30062 - Drafter/CAD Operator II	22.33	
30063 - Drafter/CAD Operator III	24.90	
30064 - Drafter/CAD Operator IV	30.64	
30081 - Engineering Technician I	16.29***	
30082 - Engineering Technician II	18.30	

30083 - Engineering Technician III	20.98	
30084 - Engineering Technician IV	25.36	
30085 - Engineering Technician V	31.01	
30086 - Engineering Technician VI	37.52	
30090 - Environmental Technician	23.52	
30095 - Evidence Control Specialist	27.67	
30210 - Laboratory Technician	26.35	
30221 - Latent Fingerprint Technician I	25.94	
30222 - Latent Fingerprint Technician II	28.66	
30240 - Mathematical Technician	27.83	
30361 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant I	21.92	
30362 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant II	27.17	
30363 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant III	33.23	
30364 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant IV	39.90	
30375 - Petroleum Supply Specialist	33.85	
30390 - Photo-Optics Technician	27.67	
30395 - Radiation Control Technician	33.85	
30461 - Technical Writer I	27.52	
30462 - Technical Writer II	33.65	
30463 - Technical Writer III	40.71	
30491 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician I		29.71
30492 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician II		35.94
30493 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician III		43.08
30494 - Unexploded (UXO) Safety Escort	29.71	
30495 - Unexploded (UXO) Sweep Personnel	29.71	
30501 - Weather Forecaster I	30.64	
30502 - Weather Forecaster II	37.27	
30620 - Weather Observer, Combined Upper Air Or Surface Programs	(see 2)	24.90
30621 - Weather Observer, Senior	(see 2)	27.67
31000 - Transportation/Mobile Equipment Operation Occupations		
31010 - Airplane Pilot	35.94	
31020 - Bus Aide	23.50	
31030 - Bus Driver	29.63	
31043 - Driver Courier	17.34***	
31260 - Parking and Lot Attendant	13.67***	
31290 - Shuttle Bus Driver	17.11***	
31310 - Taxi Driver	13.67***	
31361 - Truckdriver, Light	18.55	
31362 - Truckdriver, Medium	19.79	
31363 - Truckdriver, Heavy	26.86	
31364 - Truckdriver, Tractor-Trailer	26.86	
99000 - Miscellaneous Occupations		
99020 - Cabin Safety Specialist	17.52***	
99030 - Cashier	12.62***	
99050 - Desk Clerk	14.12***	
99095 - Embalmer	28.03	
99130 - Flight Follower	29.71	
99251 - Laboratory Animal Caretaker I	17.09***	
99252 - Laboratory Animal Caretaker II	18.29	
99260 - Marketing Analyst	31.34	
99310 - Mortician	28.03	
99410 - Pest Controller	19.63	
99510 - Photofinishing Worker	17.55***	

99710 - Recycling Laborer	23.45
99711 - Recycling Specialist	27.01
99730 - Refuse Collector	21.68
99810 - Sales Clerk	14.49***
99820 - School Crossing Guard	17.54***
99830 - Survey Party Chief	28.43
99831 - Surveying Aide	16.94***
99832 - Surveying Technician	25.84
99840 - Vending Machine Attendant	14.96***
99841 - Vending Machine Repairer	18.13
99842 - Vending Machine Repairer Helper	14.96***

***Workers in this classification may be entitled to a higher minimum wage under Executive Order 14026 (\$17.75 per hour) or 13658 (\$13.30 per hour). 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 and 13658 are not currently being enforced as to contracts or contract-like instruments entered into with the federal government in connection with seasonal recreational services or seasonal recreational equipment rental for the general public on federal lands. The minimum wage requirements of Executive Order 14026 also 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 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.

ALL OCCUPATIONS LISTED ABOVE RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING BENEFITS:

HEALTH & WELFARE: \$5.36 per hour, up to 40 hours per week, or \$214.40 per week or \$929.07 per month

HEALTH & WELFARE EO 13706: \$4.93 per hour, up to 40 hours per week, or \$197.20 per week, or \$854.53 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 8 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. (See 29 CFR 4.173)

HOLIDAYS: A minimum of eleven paid holidays per year: New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, Juneteenth National Independence 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: This wage determination does not apply to any individual employed in a bona fide executive, administrative, or professional capacity, as defined in 29 C.F.R. Part 541. (See 41 C.F.R. 6701(3)). Because most Computer Systems Analysts and Computer Programmers who are paid at least \$27.63 per hour (or at least \$684 per week if paid on a salary or fee basis) likely qualify as exempt computer professionals under 29 U.S.C. 213(a)(1) and 29 U.S.C. 213(a)(17), this wage determination may not include wage rates for all occupations within those job families. In such instances, a conformance will be necessary if there are nonexempt employees in these job families working on the contract.

Job titles vary widely and change quickly in the computer industry, and are not determinative of whether an employee is an exempt computer professional. To be exempt, computer employees who satisfy the compensation requirements must also have a primary duty that 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).

Any computer employee who meets the applicable compensation requirements and the above duties test qualifies as an exempt computer professional under both section 13(a)(1) and section 13(a)(17) of the Fair Labor Standards Act. (Field Assistance Bulletin No. 2006-3 (Dec. 14, 2006)). Accordingly, this wage determination will not apply to any exempt computer employee regardless of which of these two exemptions is utilized.

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

laundrying 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))."