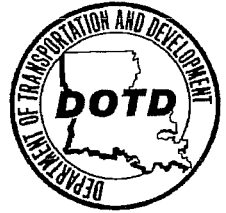




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**STATE PROJECT NO(S). 704-36-0033, 704-36-0061 & 704-36-0076  
FEDERAL AID PROJECT NO(S). ER-ERP1(049), ER-ERP1(077) & ER-ERP1(096)  
PERMANENT REPAIR TO FEDERAL AID ELIGIBLE ROADS  
ROUTE ROBERT E. LEE BLVD., PRESS ST. & WISNER  
ORLEANS PARISH**

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**SUBJECT: ADDENDUM NO. 1 (CONSTRUCTION PROPOSAL REVISION)**

Gentlemen:

Attached is the construction proposal revision dated 09/15/08 on the captioned project for which bids will be received on Wednesday, September 24, 2008.

The following changes have been made:

1. Updated Minimum Wage Determination. (4 pages)

Please note these revisions and substitute the construction proposal sheets accordingly. The revisions do not require an amendment to BIDX.

Very truly yours,

RANDAL D. SANDERS, P. E.  
CONTRACTS & SPECIFICATIONS ENGINEER

Attachments:

pc: Mr. Brian Buckel  
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Mr. Jeff Burst  
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GENERAL DECISION: LA20080014 09/05/2008 LA14

Date: September 5, 2008

General Decision Number: LA20080014 09/05/2008

Superseded General Decision Number: LA20070040

State: Louisiana

Construction Type: Highway

Counties: Jefferson, Orleans, Plaquemines, St Bernard, St Charles, St James, St John the Baptist and St Tammany Counties in Louisiana.

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS (Does not include building structures in rest area projects)

Modification Number	Publication Date
0	02/08/2008
1	05/09/2008
2	06/20/2008
3	07/18/2008
4	09/05/2008

CARP1098-005 02/01/2006

ST. JAMES PARISH (North of the Mississippi River) PARISH:

	Rates	Fringes
PILEDRIVERMAN.....	\$ 19.92	5.65

CARP1846-002 02/01/2006

JEFFERSON, ORLEANS, PLAQUEMINES, ST. BERNARD, ST. CHARLES, ST. JAMES (South of the Mississippi River), ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST, AND ST. TAMMANY PARISHES:

	Rates	Fringes
PILEDRIVERMAN.....	\$ 19.92	5.00

ELEC0130-010 12/01/2006

JEFFERSON, ORLEANS, PLAQUEMINES, ST. BERNARD, ST. CHARLES, ST. JAMES, AND ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISHES

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN (including traffic signal wiring and installation).....	\$ 22.09	7.90

\* ELEC1077-007 09/01/2008

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ST. TAMMANY PARISH

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN (including traffic signal wiring and installation).....	\$ 21.25	6.00
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ENGI0406-015 07/01/2008		

	Rates	Fringes
POWER EQUIPMENT OPERATOR Asphalt/Aggregate Spreader..	\$ 20.76	5.70
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IRON0058-004 06/01/2008		

	Rates	Fringes
IRONWORKER, STRUCTURAL.....	\$ 19.40	6.82
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SULA2004-014 07/30/2004		

	Rates	Fringes
CARPENTER (including formbuilding/formsetting).....	\$ 13.42	3.04
Cement Mason/Concrete Finisher...	\$ 13.24	1.68
IRONWORKER, REINFORCING.....	\$ 15.84	3.47
Laborers		
Asphalt Raker.....	\$ 10.13	0.18
General.....	\$ 9.26	1.14
Guardrail.....	\$ 8.81	1.80
Mason Tender.....	\$ 8.51	1.20
Pipelayer.....	\$ 9.99	1.20
Striping/Pavement Marker includes paint striping and attachment of reflector buttons.....	\$ 8.24	1.20
Traffic Control including flagger, sign placement, barricades, and cones.....	\$ 8.39	1.80
Painter, Brush, Spray and Roller.....	\$ 14.16	2.03
Power Equipment Operators		
Asphalt Paving Machine.....	\$ 14.38	0.18
Asphalt Screed.....	\$ 13.76	2.20
Backhoe/Excavator.....	\$ 13.93	3.00
Broom/Sweeper.....	\$ 12.78	2.92
Bulldozer.....	\$ 13.58	0.00
Crane.....	\$ 17.20	3.30
Front End Loader.....	\$ 13.31	0.00

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Mechanic.....	\$ 13.53	2.92
Milling/Cold Planing		
Machine includes Rotomill		
and CMI Cutter.....	\$ 15.50	0.00
Motor Grader/Blade.....	\$ 14.42	3.02
Oiler.....	\$ 13.91	2.37
Post Driver.....	\$ 13.73	0.00
Roller.....	\$ 13.11	3.30
Trackhoe.....	\$ 11.00	0.00
Trenching/Boring Machine....	\$ 12.51	0.00

#### Truck drivers

Dump (all types).....	\$ 10.64	0.18
Flatbed.....	\$ 10.87	0.00
Lowboy.....	\$ 13.24	0.00
Pickup.....	\$ 10.60	0.00
Water.....	\$ 12.00	0.00

WELDERS - Receive rate prescribed for craft performing operation to which welding is incidental.

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) (ii)).

In the listing above, the "SU" designation means that rates listed under the identifier do not reflect collectively bargained wage and fringe benefit rates. Other designations indicate unions whose rates have been determined to be prevailing.

#### WAGE DETERMINATION APPEALS PROCESS

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

- \* an existing published wage determination
- \* a survey underlying a wage determination
- \* a Wage and Hour Division letter setting forth a position on a wage determination matter
- \* a conformance (additional classification and rate) ruling

On survey related matters, initial contact, including requests for summaries of surveys, should be with the Wage and Hour Regional Office for the area in which the survey was conducted because those Regional Offices have responsibility for the Davis-Bacon survey program. If the response from this initial contact is not satisfactory, then the process described in 2.) and 3.) should be followed.

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With regard to any other matter not yet ripe for the formal process described here, initial contact should be with the Branch of Construction Wage Determinations. Write 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 the answer to the question in 1.) is yes, then an interested party (those affected by the action) can request review and reconsideration from the Wage and Hour Administrator (See 29 CFR Part 1.8 and 29 CFR Part 7). Write 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 by 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

4.) All decisions by the Administrative Review Board are final.

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END OF GENERAL DECISION

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