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CERTIFICATION OF PREVAILING HOURS OF LABOR AND  
WAGE RATES IN BECKER, BIG STONE, CLAY, DOUGLAS,  
GRANT, HUBBARD, MAHNOMEN, OTTERTAIL, POPE,  
STEVENS, SWIFT, TRAVERSE, AND WILKIN COUNTIES,  
FOR ALL CLASSES OF LABOR AND MECHANICS COMMONLY  
EMPLOYED IN HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION.

CERTIFIED PURSUANT TO LAWS OF MINNESOTA 1973 CHAPTER 724

TO: MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

FROM: MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY

CERTIFIED BY:

  
E. I. MALONE, COMMISSIONER

DATE: December 15, 1978

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August 1, 1977 - August 1, 1978

#### PREVAILING HOURS OF LABOR

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		BASIC WAGE RATE PER HOUR	H & W	VAC.	PENSION	TRNG.
<u>Code No. and Classification</u>						
<u>Laborers</u>						
305	Bituminous, raker, floater and utility man	5.25	-	-	-	-
315	Bottom man or ditchman	7.80	.35	-	.15	-
367	Dumper	6.35	.35	-	.20	-
381	Flagman	6.35	.35	-	.20	-
384	Formsetter, curb, walk and pavement	6.30	-	-	-	-
417	Pipelayer	6.88	.35	-	.20	-
418	Pipe handler	7.80	.35	-	.15	-
463	Unskilled Laborer	6.35	.35	-	.20	-
464	Wrecking and demolition laborer	5.91	.35	-	.20	-
<u>Power Equipment Operators</u>						
503	Asphalt, bituminous stabilizer plant operator	6.00	-	-	-	-
507	Bituminous spreader & finishing operator (power)	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
508	Bituminous spreader & bituminous finishing machine operator (helper) (power)	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
512	Conveyor Operator	7.29	.35	-	.20	-
513	Concrete distributor & spreader operator, finishing machine, longitudinal float operator, joint machine operator and spray operator	8.35	-	-	-	-
538	Front end loader operator (under 30 h.p. rubber tired)	7.29	.35	-	.20	-
539	Front end loader operator, all types 30 h.p. and over	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
541	Grader or motor patrol, finishing, earthwork and bituminous	8.84	.35	-	.20	-
542	Grader operator (motor patrol)	8.57	.55	-	.50	.05

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<u>Power Equipment Operators (cont.)</u>						
552	Leverman	7.25	.35	-	.20	-
557	Mechanic or Welder	5.25	-	-	-	-
562	Paving breaker or tamping machine operator (power driven) (Mighty-Mite or similar type)	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
565	Power shovels and/or other equipment with shovel type controls, 3½ cu. yds. & over	8.79	.35	-	.20	-
573	Roller operator, self-propelled roller for compaction, including stabilized base	7.29	.35	-	.20	-
576	Roller operator, over 6 tons for bituminous finishing and/or wearing courses	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
577	Scraper, 32 cu. yds. and over	9.18	.55	-	.50	.05
579	Rubber-tired farm tractor, back hoe attachment	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
585	Turnapull operator (or similar type)	8.35	-	-	-	-
589	Tractor operator, over D2, TD6 or similar h.p. with power takeoff	8.35	-	-	-	-
590	Tractor operator, 50 h.p. or less without power takeoff	8.17	.55	-	.50	.05
591	Tractor operator, over 50 h.p. without power takeoff	6.25	.15	-	.15	-
<u>Truck Drivers</u>						
603	Bituminous Distributor Driver (one man operation)	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
633	Tractor Operator (wheel type used for any purpose)	7.39	.35	-	.20	-
650	Truck Mechanic (in cases where an operating engineer mechanic is not employed)	8.17	.35	-	.20	-
662	Single axle or 2 axle unit	7.39	.35	-	.20	-
663	Tandem axle or 3 axle unit	7.83	.35	-	.20	-

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<u>Special Crafts</u>						
*721	Carpenters	8.95	.50	.35	.50	-
731	Cement Masons	7.90	-	-	-	-
741	Electricians	10.65	.40	6%	4%	1½%
*752	Ironworkers, reinforcing	11.75	.30	.50	.55	.02

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County Big Stone

Highway Construction Work

<u>Code No. and Classification</u>	<u>BASIC WAGE</u>				
	<u>RATE PER</u>	<u>H &amp; W</u>	<u>VAC.</u>	<u>PENSION</u>	<u>TRNG.</u>
	<u>HOOR</u>				
<u>Laborers</u>					
417 Pipelayer	6.00	-	-	-	-
463 Unskilled Laborer	6.35	.35	-	.20	-
<u>Power Equipment Operators</u>					
504 Dragline and/or other similar equipment with shovel type controls up to 3 cu. yds. mfg. rated capacity	8.84	.35	-	.20	-
507 Bituminous spreader & finishing operator (power)	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
539 Front end loader operator, all types 30 h.p. and over	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
541 Grader or motor patrol, finishing earthwork and bituminous	8.84	.35	-	.20	-
542 Grader operator (motor patrol)	6.50	-	-	-	-
557 Mechanic or Welder	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
576 Roller operator, over 6 tons for bituminous finishing and/or wearing courses	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
577 Scraper, 32 cu. yds. and over	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
585 Turnapull operator (or similar type)	6.50	-	-	-	-
589 Tractor operator, over D2, TD6, or similar h.p. with power take-off	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
<u>Truck Drivers</u>					
603 Bituminous Distributor Driver (one man operation)	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
633 Tractor Operator (wheel type used for any purpose)	7.39	.35	-	.20	-
662 Single axle or 2 axle unit	7.42	.35	-	.20	-
663 Tandem axle or 3 axle unit	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
665 Five axle unit	8.17	.35	-	.20	-

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<u>Special Crafts</u>					
*721 Carpenters	10.30	-	-	-	-
*731 Cement Masons	10.15	-	.35	.25	-
*752 Ironworkers, reinforcing	11.65	.75	-	.60	.04

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<u>Code No. and Classification</u>						
<u>Laborers</u>						
305	Bituminous, raker, floater, and utility man	6.88	.35	-	.20	-
315	Bottom man or ditchman	6.35	-	-	-	-
367	Dumper	6.35	.35	-	.20	-
381	Flagman	7.20	.35	-	.15	-
384	Formsetter, curb, walk and pavement	7.00	-	-	-	-
417	Pipelayer	6.85	-	-	-	-
418	Pipe handler	6.35	-	-	-	-
463	Unskilled Laborer	6.00	-	-	-	-
<u>Power Equipment Operators</u>						
502	Crane Operator with 135' Boom, excluding jib	9.82	.55	-	.50	.05
503	Asphalt, bituminous stabilizer plant operator	8.79	.35	-	.20	-
507	Bituminous spreader & finishing operator (power)	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
508	Bituminous spreader & bituminous finishing machine operator (helper) (power)	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
517	Dragline and/or other similar equipment with shovel type controls 3 cu. yds. and over mfg. rated capacity	9.82	.55	-	.50	.05
533	Fireman or tank car heater operator	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
539	Front end loader operator, all types 30 h.p. and over	9.32	.55	-	.50	.05
541	Grader or motor patrol, finishing earthwork and bituminous	8.79	.35	-	.20	-
542	Grader operator (motor patrol)	8.57	.55	-	.50	.05
546	Greaser (truck and tractor)	8.17	.55	-	.50	.05

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<u>Code No. and Classification</u>						
<u>Power Equipment Operators (cont.)</u>						
549	Self-propelled chip spreader	8.57	.55	-	.50	.05
557	Mechanic or Welder	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
562	Paving breaker or tamping machine operator (power-driven)	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
563	Pick-up sweeper, not including Tennant or similar types	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
573	Roller operator, self-propelled roller for compaction, including stabilized base	7.29	.35	-	.20	-
574	Roller operator, self-propelled rubber-tired for compaction including stabilized base	7.29	.35	-	.20	-
575	Roller operator, up to and including 6 tons for bituminous finishing and/or wearing courses	8.57	.55	-	.50	.05
577	Scraper, 32 cu. yds. and over	8.85	.45	-	.40	-
579	Rubber-tired farm tractor, back hoe attachment	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
580	Sheep foot roller (self-propelled) (3 drum and over)	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
582	Slip Form (power-driven) (paving)	8.60	.45	-	.40	-
589	Tractor operator, over D2, TD6 or similar h.p. with power take-off	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
594	Truck crane operator	9.32	.55	-	.50	.05
<u>Truck Drivers</u>						
601	Bituminous Distributor Driver	8.17	.50	-	.50	-
626	Self-propelled Packer Operator	7.29	.45	-	.40	-
633	Tractor Operator (wheel type used for any purpose)	7.42	.35	-	.20	-
650	Truck Mechanic (in cases where an operating engineer mechanic is not employed)	8.16	.35	-	.20	-
663	Tandem axle or 3 axle unit	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
665	Five axle unit	8.16	.35	-	.20	-



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	<u>RATE PER</u> <u>HOOR</u>				
<u>Special Crafts</u>					
721 Carpenters	8.95	.50	.35	.50	-
731 Cement Masons	7.50	-	-	-	-
741 Electricians	7.50	-	-	-	-
752 Ironworkers, reinforcing	10.85	.52	-	.70	.05
761 Painters	9.30	-	-	-	-
773 Plumbers	8.24	-	-	-	-

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<u>Code No. and Classification</u>						
<u>Laborers</u>						
305	Bituminous, raker, floater and utility man	8.05	.35	-	.15	-
315	Bottom man or ditchman	7.80	.35	-	.15	-
347	Concrete shoveler, tamper and puddler	7.80	.35	-	.15	-
381	Flagman	7.20	.35	-	.15	-
384	Formsetter, curb, walk and pavement	6.30	-	-	-	-
394	Jackhammer	7.80	.35	-	.15	-
397	Joint sawer	7.80	.35	-	.15	-
403	Kettleman, bituminous or lead	7.80	.35	-	.15	-
417	Pipelayer	8.15	.35	-	.15	-
418	Pipehandler	7.80	.35	-	.15	-
463	Unskilled Laborer	7.70	.35	-	.15	-
<u>Power Equipment Operators</u>						
503	Asphalt, bituminous stabilizer plant operator	7.50	.55	-	.50	.05
504	Dragline and/or other similar equipment with shovel type controls up to 3 cu. yds. mfg. rated capacity	9.32	.55	-	.50	.05
507	Bituminous spreader & finishing operator (power)	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
508	Bituminous spreader & bituminous finishing machine operator (helper) (power)	6.80	-	-	.30	-
512	Conveyor Operator	8.80	-	-	-	-
515	Concrete mixer operator, on job site 14S and under	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
519	Crushing plant operator (gravel & stone) or gravel washing, crushing & screening plant operator	8.80	-	-	-	-

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<u>Power Equipment Operators (cont.)</u>						
533	Fireman or tank car heater operator	5.94	-	-	.30	-
538	Front end loader operator (under 30 h.p. rubber tired)	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
539	Front end loader operator, all types 30 h.p. and over	9.32	.55	-	.50	.05
541	Grader or motor patrol, finishing, earthwork and bituminous	9.32	.55	-	.50	.05
542	Grader operator (motor patrol)	7.90	-	-	-	-
557	Mechanic or Welder	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
567	Pugmill Operator	7.45	.35	-	.15	-
573	Roller Operator, self-propelled roller for compaction, including stabilized base	8.57	.55	-	.50	.05
574	Roller Operator, self-propelled rubber-tired for compaction including stabilized base	6.52	-	-	.30	-
575	Roller Operator up to & including 6 tons for bituminous finishing and/or wearing courses	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
576	Roller Operator, over 6 tons for bituminous finishing and/or wearing courses	7.45	-	-	-	-
577	Scraper, 32 cu. yds. and over	7.90	-	-	-	-
578	Self-propelled vibrating packing operator (pad type)	8.17	.55	-	.50	.05
579	Rubber-tired farm tractor, back hoe attachment	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
585	Turnapull operator (or similar type)	6.40	-	-	-	-
588	Tractor operator, D2, TD6, or similar h.p. with power takeoff	8.80	-	-	-	-
589	Tractor operator, over D2, TD6, or similar h.p. with power takeoff	6.25	.15	-	.15	-

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Power Equipment Operators (cont.)

593	Power Actuated Augers and Boring Machine	8.57	.55	-	.50	.05
595	Truck crane oiler	8.17	.55	-	.50	.05

Truck Drivers

603	Bituminous Distributor Driver (one man operation)	6.84	-	-	.30	-
605	Boom and "A" frame driver	8.17	.50	-	.50	-
606	Dumpman	4.85	-	-	-	-
626	Self-propelled Packer Operator	6.40	-	-	-	-
633	Tractor Operator (wheel type used for any purpose)	7.97	.50	-	.50	-
648	Truck Driver (hauling machinery for contractors own use including operation of hand or power operated winches)	8.62	.50	-	.50	-
650	Truck Mechanic (in cases where an operating mechanic is not employed)	7.20	-	-	-	-
662	Single axle or 2 axle unit	7.97	.50	-	.50	-
663	Tandem axle or 3 axle unit	6.17	-	-	.30	-
665	Five axle unit	8.62	.50	-	.50	-

Special Crafts

*721	Carpenters	10.30	-	-	-	-
731	Cement Masons	10.80	-	-	.30	-
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417	Pipelayer	4.50	-	-	-	-
463	Unskilled Laborer	6.35	.35	-	.20	-
<u>Power Equipment Operators</u>						
507	Bituminous spreader & finishing operator (power)	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
508	Bituminous spreader & bituminous finishing machine operator (helper) (power)	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
526	Drill rigs, heavy duty rotary or churn drill	5.55	-	-	-	-
533	Fireman or tank car heater operator	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
539	Front end loader operator, all types 30 h.p. and over	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
541	Grader or motor patrol, finishing, earthwork and bituminous	8.84	.35	-	.20	-
567	Pugmill Operator	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
575	Roller operator, up to and including 6 tons for bituminous finishing and/or wearing courses	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
576	Roller operator, over 6 tons for bituminous finishing and/or wearing courses	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
577	Scraper, 32 cu. yds. and over	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
579	Rubber-tired farm tractor, back hoe attachment	5.75	-	-	-	-
589	Tractor operator, over D2, TD6, or similar h.p. with power take-off	5.75	-	-	-	-

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Truck Drivers

633	Tractor Operator (wheel type used for any purpose)	7.39	.35	-	.20	-
650	Truck Mechanic (in cases where an operating engineer mechanic is not employed)	8.16	.35	-	.20	-
663	Tandem axle or 3 axle unit	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
665	Five axle unit	8.17	.35	-	.20	-

Special Crafts

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541	Grader or motor patrol, finishing, earthwork and bituminous	8.79	.35	-	.20	-
542	Grader operator (motor patrol)	7.80	-	-	-	-
557	Mechanic or Welder	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
567	Pugmill Operator	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
570	Mucking machine	9.32	.55	-	.50	.05
573	Roller operator, self-propelled roller for compaction, including stabilized base	4.00	-	-	-	-
576	Roller operator, over 6 tons for bituminous finishing and/or wearing courses	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
577	Scraper, 32 cu. yds. and over	8.92	-	-	-	-



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<u>Power Equipment Operators (cont.)</u>						
579	Rubber-tired farm tractor, back hoe attachment	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
585	Turnapull operator (or similar type)	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
589	Tractor operator, over D2, TD6, or similar h.p. with power takeoff	8.00	-	-	-	-
591	Tractor operator, over 50 h.p. without power takeoff	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
594	Truck crane operator	9.32	.55	-	.50	.05
<u>Truck Drivers</u>						
603	Bituminous Distributor Driver (one man operation)	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
606	Dumpman	7.42	.35	-	.20	-
615	Mechanical Broom Driver	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
633	Tractor Operator (wheel type used for any purpose)	7.42	.35	-	.20	-
648	Truck Driver (hauling machinery for contractors own use including operation of hand or power operated winches)	8.26	.35	-	.20	-
650	Truck Mechanic (in cases where an operating engineer mechanic is not employed)	8.16	.35	-	.20	-
663	Tandem axle or 3 axle unit	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
665	Five axle unit	8.16	.35	-	.20	-
<u>Special Crafts</u>						
731	Cement Masons	8.30	-	-	-	-

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	<u>RATE PER HOUR</u>				
<u>Laborers</u>					
363 Dumper	6.35	.35	-	.20	-
381 Flagman	6.35	.35	-	.20	-
463 Unskilled Laborer	6.35	.35	-	.20	-
<u>Power Equipment Operators</u>					
503 Asphalt, bituminous stabilizer plant operator	8.79	.35	-	.20	-
507 Bituminous spreader & finishing operator (power)	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
508 Bituminous spreader & bituminous finishing machine operator (helper) (power)	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
539 Front end loader operator, all types 30 h.p. and over	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
541 Grader or motor patrol, finishing, earthwork and bituminous	8.79	.35	-	.20	-
542 Grader operator (motor patrol)	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
552 Leverman	7.29	.35	-	.20	-
565 Power shovels and/or other equipment with shovel type controls, up to 3½ cu. yds.	8.85	.45	-	.40	-
574 Roller operator, self-propelled rubber-tired for compaction including stabilized base	7.29	.35	-	.20	-
577 Scraper, 32 cu. yds. and over	7.50	-	-	-	-
589 Tractor operator, over D2, TD6, or similar h.p. with power take-off	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
591' Tractor operator, over 50 h.p. without power take-off	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
593 Power Actuated Augers and Boring Machine	8.57	.55	-	.50	.05

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<u>Truck Drivers</u>						
603	Bituminous Distributor Driver (one man operation)	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
633	Tractor Operator (wheel type used for any purpose)	7.42	.25	-	.20	-
648	Truck Driver (hauling machinery for contractors own use including operation of hand or power operated winches)	8.26	.35	-	.20	-
650	Truck Mechanic (in cases where an operating engineer mechanic is not employed)	8.16	.35	-	.20	-
662	Single axle or 2 axle unit	7.97	.50	-	.50	-
663	Tandem axle or 3 axle unit	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
664	Four axle unit	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
665	Five axle unit	8.16	.35	-	.20	-
<u>Special Crafts</u>						
*721	Carpenters	9.95	-	-	.50	-
*731	Cement Masons	10.30	.60	.30	.30	-
*752	Ironworkers, reinforcing	11.75	.30	.50	.55	.05

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<u>Laborers</u>						
305	Bituminous, raker, floater and utility man	6.88	.35	-	.20	-
381	Flagman	6.35	.35	-	.20	-
417	Pipelayer	7.30	-	-	-	-
431	Carpenter tender	5.00	-	-	-	-
463	Unskilled Laborer	5.91	.35	-	.20	-
<u>Power Equipment Operators</u>						
503	Asphalt, bituminous stabilizer plant operator	8.84	.35	-	.20	-
504	Dragline and/or other similar equipment with shovel type con- trols up to 3 cu. yds. mfg. rated capacity	7.80	-	-	-	-
507	Bituminous spreader & finishing operator (power)	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
508	Bituminous spreader & bituminous finishing machine operator (helper) (power)	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
517	Dragline and/or other similar equipment with shovel type con- trols 3 cu. yds. and over mfg. rated capacity	11.15	.55	-	.50	.05
519	Crushing plant operator (gravel & stone) or gravel washing, crushing & screening plant operator	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
533	Fireman or tank car heater operator	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
538	Front end loader operator (under 30 h.p. rubber tired)	7.25	.35	-	.20	-
539	Front end loader operator, all types 30 h.p. and over	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
541	Grader or motor patrol, finishing, earthwork and bituminous	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
542	Grader operator (motor patrol)	11.15	.55	-	.50	.05

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<u>Code No. and Classification</u>						
<u>Power Equipment Operators (cont.)</u>						
549	Self-propelled chip spreader (Flaherty or similar)	6.50	-	-	-	-
557	Mechanic or Welder	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
563	Pick-up sweeper, not including Tennant or similar types	6.00	-	-	-	-
567	Pugmill Operator	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
573	Roller operator, self-propelled roller for compaction, including stabilized base	5.25	-	-	-	-
575	Roller operator, up to and including 6 tons for bituminous finishing and/or wearing courses	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
576	Roller operator, over 6 tons for bituminous finishing and/or wearing courses	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
577	Scraper, 32 cu. yds. and over	11.02	.55	-	.50	.05
579	Rubber-tired farm tractor, back hoe attachment	5.75	-	-	-	-
589	Tractor operator, over D2, TD6, or similar h.p. with power takeoff	8.52	.55	-	.50	.05
591	Tractor operator, over 50 h.p. without power takeoff	7.29	.35	-	.20	-
593	Power Actuated Augers and Boring Machine	10.15	.55	-	.50	.05
<u>Truck Drivers</u>						
603	Bituminous Distributor Driver (one man operation)	7.39	.35	-	.20	-
606	Dumpman	7.42	.35	-	.20	-
633	Tractor Operator (wheel type used for any purpose)	7.42	.35	-	.20	-
648	Truck Driver (hauling machinery for contractors own use including operation of hand and power operated winches)	8.26	.35	-	.20	-

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<u>Code No. and Classification</u>						
<u>Truck Drivers (cont.)</u>						
650	Truck Mechanic (in cases where an operating engineer mechanic is not employed)	8.16	.35	-	.20	-
663	Tandem axle or 3 axle unit	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
665	Five axle unit	8.17	.35	-	.20	-
<u>Special Crafts</u>						
721	Carpenters	7.50	-	-	-	-
*731	Cement Masons	7.50	-	-	-	-
752	Ironworkers, reinforcing	11.65	.75	-	.60	.04

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<u>Laborers</u>						
305	Bituminous, raker, floater and utility man	6.88	.35	-	.20	-
381	Flagman	6.35	.35	-	.20	-
463	Unskilled Laborer	5.00	-	-	-	-
<u>Power Equipment Operators</u>						
504	Dragline and/or other similar equipment with shovel type controls up to 3 cu. yds. mfg. rated capacity	6.50	-	-	-	-
507	Bituminous spreader & finishing operator (power)	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
508	Bituminous spreader & bituminous finishing machine operator (helper) (power)	9.10	-	-	-	-
517	Dragline and/or other similar equipment with shovel type con- trols 3 cu. yds. and over mfg. rated capacity	11.15	.55	-	.50	.05
539	Front end loader operator, all types 30 h.p. and over	9.10	-	-	-	-
541	Grader or motor patrol, finishing earthwork and bituminous	9.10	-	-	-	-
557	Mechanic or Welder	8.37½	-	-	-	-
575	Roller operator, up to & including 6 tons for bituminous finishing and/or wearing courses	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
577	Scraper, 32 cu. yds. and over	9.10	-	-	-	-
588	Tractor operator, D2, TD6, or similar h.p. with power takeoff	7.25	-	-	-	-
589	Tractor operator, over D2, TD6, or similar h.p. with power takeoff	10.93	.55	-	.50	.05
594	Truck crane operator	8.37½	-	-	-	-



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		BASIC WAGE RATE PER HOUR	H & W	VAC.	PENSION	TRNG.
<u>Code No. and Classification</u>						
<u>Truck Drivers</u>						
603	Bituminous Distributor Driver (one man operation)	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
633	Tractor Operator (wheel type used for any purpose)	7.39	.35	-	.20	-
650	Truck Mechanic (in cases where an operating engineer mechanic is not employed)	8.16	.35	-	.20	-
663	Tandem axle or 3 axle unit	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
665	Five axle unit	8.17	.35	-	.20	-
<u>Special Crafts</u>						
721	Carpenters	8.37½	-	-	-	-
*731	Cement Masons	9.55	-	1.00	.25	-
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		RATE PER				
		HOUR	H & W	VAC.	PENSION	TRNG.
<u>Code No. and Classification</u>						
<u>Laborers</u>						
305	Bituminous, raker, floater and utility man	6.00	-	-	.30	-
381	Flagman	5.12	-	-	.30	-
384	Formsetter, curb, walk and pavement	6.70	-	-	-	-
417	Pipelayer	7.30	-	-	-	-
463	Unskilled Laborer	6.50	-	-	-	-
<u>Power Equipment Operators</u>						
501	Air compressor operator	8.57	.55	-	.50	.05
503	Asphalt, bituminous stabilizer plant operator	4.00	-	-	-	-
504	Dragline and/or other similar equipment with shovel type controls up to 3 cu. yds. mfg. rated capacity	7.80	-	-	-	-
507	Bituminous spreader & finishing operator (power)	7.10	-	-	.30	-
508	Bituminous spreader & bituminous finishing machine operator (helper) (power)	6.80	-	-	.30	-
520	Curb Machine	8.30	-	-	-	-
533	Fireman or tank car heater operator	5.94	-	-	.30	-
539	Front end loader operator, all types 30 h.p. and over	8.30	-	-	-	-
541	Grader or motor patrol, finishing earthwork and bituminous	8.84	.35	-	.20	-
542	Grader operator (motor patrol)	8.57	.55	-	.50	.05
543	Power Actuated Horizontal boring machine over 6"	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
546	Greaser (truck and tractor)	8.17	.55	-	.50	.05

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<u>Code No. and Classification</u>						
<u>Power Equipment Operators (cont.)</u>						
557	Mechanic or Welder	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
564	Power shovels and/or other equipment with shovel type controls, 3½ cu. yds. & over	9.82	.55	-	.50	.05
565	Power shovels and/or other equipment with shovel type controls, up to 3½ cu. yds.	9.32	.55	-	.50	.05
567	Pugmill Operator	7.10	-	-	.30	-
573	Roller operator, self-propelled roller for compaction, including stabilized base	3.75	-	-	-	-
575	Roller operator, up to & including 6 tons for bituminous finishing and/or wearing courses	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
576	Roller operator, over 6 tons for bituminous finishing and/or wearing courses	7.02	-	-	.30	-
577	Scraper, 32 cu. yds. and over	8.30	-	-	-	-
580	Sheep foot roller (self-propelled) (3 drum and over)	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
585	Turnapull operator (or similar type)	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
586	Tandem scraper	9.32	.55	-	.50	.05
588	Tractor operator, D2, TD6, or similar h.p. with power takeoff	3.75	-	-	-	-
589	Tractor operator, over D2, TD6, or similar h.p. with power takeoff	8.30	-	-	-	-
591	Tractor operator, over 50 h.p. without power takeoff	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
594	Truck crane operator	8.30	-	-	-	-

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Truck Drivers

603	Bituminous Distributor Driver (one man operation)	6.84	-	-	.30	-
633	Tractor Operator (wheel type used for any purpose)	7.39	.35	-	.20	-
663	Tandem axle or 3 axle unit	6.17	-	-	.30	-
665	Five axle unit	8.17	.35	-	.20	-

Special Crafts

721	Carpenters	10.30	-	-	-	-
731	Cement Masons	8.30	-	-	-	-
*752	Ironworkers, reinforcing	11.65	.75	-	.60	.04

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<u>Laborers</u>						
381	Flagman	6.35	.35	-	.20	-
417	Pipelayer	6.50	-	-	-	-
463	Unskilled Laborer	6.35	-	-	-	-
<u>Power Equipment Operators</u>						
502	Crane Operator with 135' Boom excluding jib	11.46	.55	-	.50	.05
503	Asphalt, bituminous stabilizer plant operator	8.79	.35	-	.20	-
504	Dragline and/or other similar equipment with shovel type controls up to 3 cu. yds. mfg. rated capacity	11.15	.55	-	.50	.05
507	Bituminous spreader & finishing operator (power)	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
519	Crushing plant operator (gravel & stone) or gravel washing, crushing & screening plant operator	7.29	.35	-	.20	-
539	Front end loader operator, all types 30 h.p. and over	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
541	Grader or motor patrol, finishing, earthwork and bituminous	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
542	Grader operator (motor patrol)	10.15	.55	-	.50	.05
546	Greaser (truck and tractor)	9.75	.55	-	.50	.05
549	Self-propelled chip spreader (Flaherty or similar)	10.15	.55	-	.50	.05
557	Mechanic or Welder	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
561	Oilers (power shovel, crane, dragline)	9.75	.55	-	.50	.05
563	Pick-up sweeper, not including Tennant or similar type	10.93	.55	-	.50	.05
565	Power shovels and/or other equipment with shovel type controls, up to 3½ cu. yds.	11.46	.55	-	.50	.05

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<u>Code No. and Classification</u>						
<u>Power Equipment Operators (cont.)</u>						
575	Roller operator, up to and including 6 tons for bituminous finishing and/or wearing courses	10.15	.55	-	.50	.05
576	Roller operator, over 6 tons for bituminous finishing and/or wearing courses	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
579	Rubber-tired farm tractor, back hoe attachment	8.92	-	-	-	-
585	Turnapull operator ( or similar type)	10.93	.55	-	.50	.05
589	Tractor operator, over D2, TD6, or similar h.p. with power takeoff	10.93	.55	-	.50	.05
591	Tractor operator, over 50 h.p. without power takeoff	7.29	.35	-	.20	-
593	Power Actuated Augers and Boring Machine	7.29	.35	-	.20	-
594	Truck crane operator	8.79	-	-	-	-
<u>Truck Drivers</u>						
601	Bituminous Distributor Driver	8.17	.50	-	.50	-
603	Bituminous Distributor Driver (one man operation)	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
633	Tractor Operator (wheel type used for any purpose)	7.42	.35	-	.20	-
663	Tandem axle or 3 axle unit	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
665	Five axle unit	8.17	.35	-	.20	-
<u>Special Crafts</u>						
721	Carpenters	9.60	.40	-	-	-
731	Cement Masons	10.15	-	.35	.25	-
752	Ironworkers, reinforcing	11.65	.75	-	.60	.04

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<u>Code No. and Classification</u>						
<u>Laborers</u>						
381	Flagman	5.91	.35	-	.20	-
384	Formsetter, curb, walk and pavement	6.30	-	-	-	-
463	Unskilled Laborer	6.35	-	-	-	-
<u>Power Equipment Operators</u>						
507	Bituminous spreader & finishing operator (power)	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
508	Bituminous spreader & bituminous finishing machine operator (helper) (power)	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
517	Dragline and/or other similar equipment with shovel type controls 3 cu. yds. and over mfg. rated capacity	9.82	.55	-	.50	.05
519	Crushing plant operator (gravel & stone) or gravel washing, crushing & screening plant operator	8.05	-	-	-	-
539	Front end loader operator, all types 30 h.p. and over	7.90	-	-	-	-
541	Grader or motor patrol, finishing, earthwork and bituminous	8.84	.35	-	.20	-
542	Grader operator (motor patrol)	8.27	-	-	-	-
573	Roller operator, self-propelled roller for compaction, including stabilized base	6.00	-	-	-	-
575	Roller operator, up to & including 6 tons for bituminous finishing and/or wearing courses	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
576	Roller operator, over 6 tons for bituminous finishing and/or wearing courses	8.52	.35	-	.20	-
577	Scraper, 32 cu. yds. and over	7.90	-	-	-	-
588	Tractor operator, D2, TD6, or similar h.p. with power takeoff	8.57	.55	-	.50	.05



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	<u>RATE PER</u> <u>HOOR</u>				
<u>Power Equipment Operators (cont.)</u>					
589 Tractor operator, over D2, TD6 or similar h.p. with power takeoff	9.10	.55	-	.50	.05
591 Tractor operator, over 50 h.p. without power takeoff	8.05	-	-	-	-
594 Truck crane operator	8.79	-	-	-	-
<u>Truck Drivers</u>					
603 Bituminous Distributor Driver (one man operation)	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
663 Tandem axle or 3 axle unit	6.25	-	-	-	-
665 Five axle unit	8.17	.35	-	.20	-
<u>Special Crafts</u>					
721 Carpenters	8.80	-	-	-	-
731 Cement Masons	7.90	-	-	-	-

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		BASIC WAGE RATE PER HOUR	H & W	VAC.	PENSION	TRNG.
<u>Code No. and Classification</u>						
<u>Laborers</u>						
305	Bituminous, raker, floater, and utility man	6.88	.35	-	.20	-
347	Concrete shoveler, tamper and puddler	5.25	-	-	-	-
367	Dumper	6.35	.35	-	.20	-
417	Pipelayer	7.00	-	-	-	-
463	Unskilled Laborer	4.50	-	-	-	-
<u>Power Equipment Operators</u>						
503	Asphalt, bituminous stabilizer plant operator	8.79	.35	-	.20	-
507	Bituminous spreader & finishing operator (power)	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
508	Bituminous spreader & bituminous finishing machine operator (helper) (power)	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
512	Conveyor operator	7.29	.35	-	.20	-
533	Fireman or tank car heater operator	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
539	Front end loader operator, all types 30 h.p. and over	8.45	-	-	-	-
541	Grader or motor patrol, finishing, earthwork and bituminous	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
542	Grader operator (motor patrol)	7.00	-	-	-	-
565	Power shovels and/or other equipment with shovel type controls, up to 3½ cu. yds.	9.05	-	-	-	-
576	Roller operator, over 6 tons for bituminous finishing and/or wearing courses	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
579	Rubber-tired farm tractor, back hoe attachment	9.00	-	-	-	-
589	Tractor operator, over D2, TD6, or similar h.p. with power take-off	8.49	.35	-	.20	-
591	Tractor operator, over 50 h.p. without power takeoff	7.29	.35	-	.20	-

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	<u>RATE PER</u>	<u>H &amp; W</u>	<u>VAC.</u>	<u>PENSION</u>	<u>TRNG.</u>
<u>Truck Drivers</u>					
603 Bituminous Distributor Driver (one man operation)	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
633 Tractor Operator (wheel type used for any purpose)	7.42	.35	-	.20	-
648 Truck Driver (hauling machinery for contractors own use including operation of hand or power operated winches)	8.26	.35	-	.20	-
650 Truck Mechanic (in cases where an operating engineer mechanic is not employed)	8.16	.35	-	.20	-
663 Tandem axle or 3 axle unit	7.83	.35	-	.20	-
665 Five axle unit	8.16	.35	-	.20	-
<u>Special Crafts</u>					
721 Carpenters	6.50	-	-	-	-
731 Cement Masons	7.00	-	-	-	-
741 Electricians	7.50	-	-	-	-
*752 Ironworkers, reinforcing	10.85	.52	-	.70	.05
773 Plumbers	10.06	.53	1.00	.80	.06

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