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THE SERVICE CONTRACT ACT
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Fringe Benefits Required Follow the Occupational Listing

OCCUPATION CODE - TITLE	FOOTNOTE	RATE
01000 - Administrative Support And Clerical Occupations		
01011 - Accounting Clerk I		19.30
01012 - Accounting Clerk II		21.66
01013 - Accounting Clerk III		24.23
01020 - Administrative Assistant		37.66
01035 - Court Reporter		33.31
01041 - Customer Service Representative I		17.99
01042 - Customer Service Representative II		19.63
01043 - Customer Service Representative III		22.03
01051 - Data Entry Operator I		18.06
01052 - Data Entry Operator II		19.71
01060 - Dispatcher, Motor Vehicle		29.26
01070 - Document Preparation Clerk		21.29
01090 - Duplicating Machine Operator		21.29
01111 - General Clerk I		17.84
01112 - General Clerk II		19.47
01113 - General Clerk III		21.85
01120 - Housing Referral Assistant		26.62
01141 - Messenger Courier		19.72
01191 - Order Clerk I		19.95
01192 - Order Clerk II		21.77
01261 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) I		20.35
01262 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) II		22.77
01263 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) III		25.38
01270 - Production Control Clerk		29.84
01290 - Rental Clerk		18.16
01300 - Scheduler, Maintenance		21.36
01311 - Secretary I		21.36

01312 - Secretary II	23.89
01313 - Secretary III	26.62
01320 - Service Order Dispatcher	26.16
01410 - Supply Technician	37.66
01420 - Survey Worker	21.43
01460 - Switchboard Operator/Receptionist	18.17
01531 - Travel Clerk I	19.76
01532 - Travel Clerk II	21.31
01533 - Travel Clerk III	23.09
01611 - Word Processor I	20.02
01612 - Word Processor II	22.47
01613 - Word Processor III	25.14
05000 - Automotive Service Occupations	
05005 - Automobile Body Repairer, Fiberglass	25.97
05010 - Automotive Electrician	26.58
05040 - Automotive Glass Installer	25.23
05070 - Automotive Worker	25.23
05110 - Mobile Equipment Servicer	22.35
05130 - Motor Equipment Metal Mechanic	28.05
05160 - Motor Equipment Metal Worker	25.23
05190 - Motor Vehicle Mechanic	28.05
05220 - Motor Vehicle Mechanic Helper	20.88
05250 - Motor Vehicle Upholstery Worker	23.80
05280 - Motor Vehicle Wrecker	25.23
05310 - Painter, Automotive	26.58
05340 - Radiator Repair Specialist	25.23
05370 - Tire Repairer	17.81
05400 - Transmission Repair Specialist	28.05
07000 - Food Preparation And Service Occupations	
07010 - Baker	17.78
07041 - Cook I	18.28
07042 - Cook II	20.63
07070 - Dishwasher	17.30
07130 - Food Service Worker	16.84
07210 - Meat Cutter	18.83
07260 - Waiter/Waitress	14.00
09000 - Furniture Maintenance And Repair Occupations	
09010 - Electrostatic Spray Painter	22.42
09040 - Furniture Handler	14.96
09080 - Furniture Refinisher	22.47
09090 - Furniture Refinisher Helper	17.61
09110 - Furniture Repairer, Minor	20.08
09130 - Upholsterer	20.66
11000 - General Services And Support Occupations	
11030 - Cleaner, Vehicles	16.94
11060 - Elevator Operator	17.99
11090 - Gardener	27.00
11122 - Housekeeping Aide	17.99
11150 - Janitor	17.99
11210 - Laborer, Grounds Maintenance	21.42
11240 - Maid or Houseman	17.56
11260 - Pruner	19.62
11270 - Tractor Operator	25.22
11330 - Trail Maintenance Worker	21.42
11360 - Window Cleaner	19.64
12000 - Health Occupations	
12010 - Ambulance Driver	21.12
12011 - Breath Alcohol Technician	31.28
12012 - Certified Occupational Therapist Assistant	32.81
12015 - Certified Physical Therapist Assistant	33.70

12020 - Dental Assistant		22.87
12025 - Dental Hygienist		46.99
12030 - EKG Technician		37.36
12035 - Electroneurodiagnostic Technologist		37.36
12040 - Emergency Medical Technician		21.12
12071 - Licensed Practical Nurse I		27.97
12072 - Licensed Practical Nurse II		31.28
12073 - Licensed Practical Nurse III		34.89
12100 - Medical Assistant		22.47
12130 - Medical Laboratory Technician		33.28
12160 - Medical Record Clerk		21.94
12190 - Medical Record Technician		24.54
12195 - Medical Transcriptionist		18.78
12210 - Nuclear Medicine Technologist		49.60
12221 - Nursing Assistant I		15.96
12222 - Nursing Assistant II		17.96
12223 - Nursing Assistant III		19.60
12224 - Nursing Assistant IV		22.00
12235 - Optical Dispenser		20.12
12236 - Optical Technician		19.62
12250 - Pharmacy Technician		21.91
12280 - Phlebotomist		23.08
12305 - Radiologic Technologist		38.73
12311 - Registered Nurse I		31.34
12312 - Registered Nurse II		37.22
12313 - Registered Nurse II, Specialist		37.22
12314 - Registered Nurse III		45.03
12315 - Registered Nurse III, Anesthetist		45.03
12316 - Registered Nurse IV		53.98
12317 - Scheduler (Drug and Alcohol Testing)		38.76
12320 - Substance Abuse Treatment Counselor		28.20
13000 - Information And Arts Occupations		
13011 - Exhibits Specialist I		24.88
13012 - Exhibits Specialist II		30.83
13013 - Exhibits Specialist III		37.71
13041 - Illustrator I		23.33
13042 - Illustrator II		28.92
13043 - Illustrator III		35.36
13047 - Librarian		35.08
13050 - Library Aide/Clerk		16.82
13054 - Library Information Technology Systems Administrator		29.01
13058 - Library Technician		21.33
13061 - Media Specialist I		21.16
13062 - Media Specialist II		23.66
13063 - Media Specialist III		26.39
13071 - Photographer I		20.16
13072 - Photographer II		22.55
13073 - Photographer III		27.94
13074 - Photographer IV		34.18
13075 - Photographer V		41.34
13090 - Technical Order Library Clerk		21.12
13110 - Video Teleconference Technician		26.15
14000 - Information Technology Occupations		
14041 - Computer Operator I		23.06
14042 - Computer Operator II		25.79
14043 - Computer Operator III		28.76
14044 - Computer Operator IV		31.96
14045 - Computer Operator V		35.39
14071 - Computer Programmer I	(see 1)	26.76
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		23.06
14160 - Personal Computer Support Technician		31.96
14170 - System Support Specialist		35.82
15000 - Instructional Occupations		
15010 - Aircrew Training Devices Instructor (Non-Rated)		36.22
15020 - Aircrew Training Devices Instructor (Rated)		41.82
15030 - Air Crew Training Devices Instructor (Pilot)		49.45
15050 - Computer Based Training Specialist / Instructor		36.22
15060 - Educational Technologist		37.03
15070 - Flight Instructor (Pilot)		49.45
15080 - Graphic Artist		30.04
15085 - Maintenance Test Pilot, Fixed, Jet/Prop		49.45
15086 - Maintenance Test Pilot, Rotary Wing		49.45
15088 - Non-Maintenance Test/Co-Pilot		49.45
15090 - Technical Instructor		27.51
15095 - Technical Instructor/Course Developer		33.65
15110 - Test Proctor		22.20
15120 - Tutor		22.20
16000 - Laundry, Dry-Cleaning, Pressing And Related Occupations		
16010 - Assembler		18.55
16030 - Counter Attendant		18.55
16040 - Dry Cleaner		21.20
16070 - Finisher, Flatwork, Machine		18.55
16090 - Presser, Hand		18.55
16110 - Presser, Machine, Drycleaning		18.55
16130 - Presser, Machine, Shirts		18.55
16160 - Presser, Machine, Wearing Apparel, Laundry		18.55
16190 - Sewing Machine Operator		22.09
16220 - Tailor		22.96
16250 - Washer, Machine		19.44
19000 - Machine Tool Operation And Repair Occupations		
19010 - Machine-Tool Operator (Tool Room)		24.97
19040 - Tool And Die Maker		29.91
21000 - Materials Handling And Packing Occupations		
21020 - Forklift Operator		22.48
21030 - Material Coordinator		29.84
21040 - Material Expediter		29.84
21050 - Material Handling Laborer		19.25
21071 - Order Filler		18.24
21080 - Production Line Worker (Food Processing)		22.48
21110 - Shipping Packer		22.19
21130 - Shipping/Receiving Clerk		22.19
21140 - Store Worker I		18.28
21150 - Stock Clerk		23.95
21210 - Tools And Parts Attendant		22.48
21410 - Warehouse Specialist		22.48
23000 - Mechanics And Maintenance And Repair Occupations		
23010 - Aerospace Structural Welder		44.51
23019 - Aircraft Logs and Records Technician		35.94
23021 - Aircraft Mechanic I		42.35
23022 - Aircraft Mechanic II		44.51
23023 - Aircraft Mechanic III		46.26
23040 - Aircraft Mechanic Helper		31.52
23050 - Aircraft, Painter		40.21

23060 - Aircraft Servicer	35.94
23070 - Aircraft Survival Flight Equipment Technician	40.21
23080 - Aircraft Worker	38.09
23091 - Aircrew Life Support Equipment (ALSE) Mechanic I	38.09
23092 - Aircrew Life Support Equipment (ALSE) Mechanic II	42.35
23110 - Appliance Mechanic	28.03
23120 - Bicycle Repairer	25.64
23125 - Cable Splicer	55.11
23130 - Carpenter, Maintenance	40.43
23140 - Carpet Layer	34.37
23160 - Electrician, Maintenance	47.86
23181 - Electronics Technician Maintenance I	31.99
23182 - Electronics Technician Maintenance II	33.76
23183 - Electronics Technician Maintenance III	35.57
23260 - Fabric Worker	32.42
23290 - Fire Alarm System Mechanic	30.75
23310 - Fire Extinguisher Repairer	30.45
23311 - Fuel Distribution System Mechanic	40.68
23312 - Fuel Distribution System Operator	32.42
23370 - General Maintenance Worker	27.29
23380 - Ground Support Equipment Mechanic	42.35
23381 - Ground Support Equipment Servicer	35.94
23382 - Ground Support Equipment Worker	38.09
23391 - Gunsmith I	30.45
23392 - Gunsmith II	34.37
23393 - Gunsmith III	38.21
23410 - Heating, Ventilation And Air-Conditioning Mechanic	35.20
23411 - Heating, Ventilation And Air Contidioning Mechanic (Research Facility)	36.99
23430 - Heavy Equipment Mechanic	34.23
23440 - Heavy Equipment Operator	48.66
23460 - Instrument Mechanic	37.18
23465 - Laboratory/Shelter Mechanic	36.28
23470 - Laborer	19.25
23510 - Locksmith	28.62
23530 - Machinery Maintenance Mechanic	37.00
23550 - Machinist, Maintenance	27.63
23580 - Maintenance Trades Helper	17.75
23591 - Metrology Technician I	37.18
23592 - Metrology Technician II	39.07
23593 - Metrology Technician III	40.62
23640 - Millwright	39.99
23710 - Office Appliance Repairer	23.17
23760 - Painter, Maintenance	30.36
23790 - Pipefitter, Maintenance	48.83
23810 - Plumber, Maintenance	46.35
23820 - Pneudraulic Systems Mechanic	38.21
23850 - Rigger	34.76
23870 - Scale Mechanic	34.37
23890 - Sheet-Metal Worker, Maintenance	47.10
23910 - Small Engine Mechanic	23.33
23931 - Telecommunications Mechanic I	33.01
23932 - Telecommunications Mechanic II	34.69
23950 - Telephone Lineman	39.04
23960 - Welder, Combination, Maintenance	24.37
23965 - Well Driller	38.47
23970 - Woodcraft Worker	38.21
23980 - Woodworker	30.45

24000 - Personal Needs Occupations	
24550 - Case Manager	22.09

24570 - Child Care Attendant		16.40
24580 - Child Care Center Clerk		20.44
24610 - Chore Aide		17.47
24620 - Family Readiness And Support Services Coordinator		22.09
24630 - Homemaker		22.09
25000 - Plant And System Operations Occupations		
25010 - Boiler Tender		53.96
25040 - Sewage Plant Operator		37.11
25070 - Stationary Engineer		53.96
25190 - Ventilation Equipment Tender		40.16
25210 - Water Treatment Plant Operator		37.11
27000 - Protective Service Occupations		
27004 - Alarm Monitor		31.27
27007 - Baggage Inspector		18.57
27008 - Corrections Officer		39.75
27010 - Court Security Officer		40.61
27030 - Detection Dog Handler		20.77
27040 - Detention Officer		39.75
27070 - Firefighter		42.45
27101 - Guard I		18.57
27102 - Guard II		20.77
27131 - Police Officer I		46.48
27132 - Police Officer II		51.65
28000 - Recreation Occupations		
28041 - Carnival Equipment Operator		19.37
28042 - Carnival Equipment Repairer		20.74
28043 - Carnival Worker		15.07
28210 - Gate Attendant/Gate Tender		20.46
28310 - Lifeguard		16.12
28350 - Park Attendant (Aide)		22.89
28510 - Recreation Aide/Health Facility Attendant		16.71
28515 - Recreation Specialist		28.36
28630 - Sports Official		18.23
28690 - Swimming Pool Operator		23.41
29000 - Stevedoring/Longshoremen Occupational Services		
29010 - Blocker And Bracer		29.81
29020 - Hatch Tender		29.81
29030 - Line Handler		29.81
29041 - Stevedore I		28.12
29042 - Stevedore II		31.46
30000 - Technical Occupations		
30010 - Air Traffic Control Specialist, Center (HFO)	(see 2)	51.50
30011 - Air Traffic Control Specialist, Station (HFO)	(see 2)	35.51
30012 - Air Traffic Control Specialist, Terminal (HFO)	(see 2)	39.11
30021 - Archeological Technician I		21.66
30022 - Archeological Technician II		24.23
30023 - Archeological Technician III		30.01
30030 - Cartographic Technician		30.01
30040 - Civil Engineering Technician		36.82
30051 - Cryogenic Technician I		33.24
30052 - Cryogenic Technician II		36.70
30061 - Drafter/CAD Operator I		21.66
30062 - Drafter/CAD Operator II		24.23
30063 - Drafter/CAD Operator III		27.00
30064 - Drafter/CAD Operator IV		33.24
30081 - Engineering Technician I		19.98

30082 - Engineering Technician II		22.43
30083 - Engineering Technician III		25.09
30084 - Engineering Technician IV		31.07
30085 - Engineering Technician V		38.00
30086 - Engineering Technician VI		45.98
30090 - Environmental Technician		27.91
30095 - Evidence Control Specialist		30.01
30210 - Laboratory Technician		30.06
30221 - Latent Fingerprint Technician I		43.40
30222 - Latent Fingerprint Technician II		47.92
30240 - Mathematical Technician		37.94
30361 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant I		25.98
30362 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant II		32.18
30363 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant III		39.36
30364 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant IV		47.62
30375 - Petroleum Supply Specialist		36.70
30390 - Photo-Optics Technician		30.01
30395 - Radiation Control Technician		36.70
30461 - Technical Writer I		30.91
30462 - Technical Writer II		37.81
30463 - Technical Writer III		45.73
30491 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician I		32.73
30492 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician II		39.60
30493 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician III		47.47
30494 - Unexploded (UXO) Safety Escort		32.73
30495 - Unexploded (UXO) Sweep Personnel		32.73
30501 - Weather Forecaster I		33.24
30502 - Weather Forecaster II		40.43
30620 - Weather Observer, Combined Upper Air Or Surface Programs	(see 2)	27.00
30621 - Weather Observer, Senior	(see 2)	30.01
31000 - Transportation/Mobile Equipment Operation Occupations		
31010 - Airplane Pilot		39.60
31020 - Bus Aide		25.07
31030 - Bus Driver		33.65
31043 - Driver Courier		21.38
31260 - Parking and Lot Attendant		18.08
31290 - Shuttle Bus Driver		21.43
31310 - Taxi Driver		17.88
31361 - Truckdriver, Light		22.89
31362 - Truckdriver, Medium		24.38
31363 - Truckdriver, Heavy		30.02
31364 - Truckdriver, Tractor-Trailer		30.02
99000 - Miscellaneous Occupations		
99020 - Cabin Safety Specialist		19.31
99030 - Cashier		16.19
99050 - Desk Clerk		16.68
99095 - Embalmer		36.98
99130 - Flight Follower		32.73
99251 - Laboratory Animal Caretaker I		18.50
99252 - Laboratory Animal Caretaker II		19.81
99260 - Marketing Analyst		36.72
99310 - Mortician		36.98
99410 - Pest Controller		23.33
99510 - Photofinishing Worker		19.20
99710 - Recycling Laborer		41.01
99711 - Recycling Specialist		48.29
99730 - Refuse Collector		37.57
99810 - Sales Clerk		16.78
99820 - School Crossing Guard		19.29
99830 - Survey Party Chief		33.52
99831 - Surveying Aide		21.02
99832 - Surveying Technician		28.81

99840 - Vending Machine Attendant	18.08
99841 - Vending Machine Repairer	21.86
99842 - Vending Machine Repairer Helper	18.08

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.

Note: Executive Order 13658 generally applies to contracts subject to the Service Contract Act that were awarded on or between January 1, 2015 and January 29, 2022, and that have not been renewed or extended on or after January 30, 2022. If a contract is subject to Executive Order 13658, 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 Executive Order 13658 is available at www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts.

ALL OCCUPATIONS LISTED ABOVE RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING BENEFITS:

HEALTH & WELFARE: $5.55 per hour, up to 40 hours per week, or $222.00 per week or $962.00 per month

HEALTH & WELFARE EO 13706: $5.09 per hour, up to 40 hours per week, or $203.60 per week, or $882.27 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 twelve paid holidays per year: New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Jr's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Good Friday, 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 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))."""