

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BURLESON, TEXAS, ADOPTING PREVAILING WAGE RATES FOR JOB CLASSIFICATIONS UTILIZED ON CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS FOR PUBLIC WORKS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Burleson, Texas (“City”), is a home rule city acting under its charter adopted by the electorate pursuant to Article XI, Section 5 of the Texas Constitution and Chapter 9 of the Local Government Code; and

WHEREAS, Texas Government Code Chapter 2258 requires the City to determine the local prevailing wage rates for public works construction contracts the City awards, including public building construction and highway/heavy construction contracts; and

WHEREAS, Texas Government Code Chapter 2258 requires the City to determine the general prevailing wage rates for public works construction contracts by either (i) conducting its own survey of the wages received by classes of workers employed on similar projects; or (ii) using the prevailing wage rates as determined by the United States Department of Labor in accordance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. Section 276a et seq.), and its subsequent amendments (“Davis-Bacon Wage Rates”); and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the City to adopt current Davis-Bacon Wage Rates on public works construction contracts.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BURLESON, TEXAS, THAT:

Section 1.

For public works construction contracts, including public building construction and highway/heavy construction contracts, subject to Chapter 2258 of the Texas Government Code, as amended, the City Council hereby determines and adopts the Davis-Bacon Wage Rates, and subsequent amendments, as published online by the U.S. Department of Labor, as the minimum acceptable rates of per diem wages. The hourly rates for overtime work and legal holidays shall be one and one-half times the basic hourly wage rate under the Davis-Bacon Wage Rates.

Section 2.

The City Manager or their designee shall review the Davis-Bacon Wage Rates periodically, but not less than annually, and update, without further City Council action, the City’s prevailing wage for public works contracts to reflect the latest Davis-Bacon Wage Rates. Further, the City Manager or their designee shall incorporate the requirements of this resolution into the City’s procurement procedures.

Section 3.

This resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND SO RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Burleson, Texas, on the _____ day of _____, 20_____.

Chris Fletcher, Mayor
City of Burleson, Texas

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

Amanda Campos, City Secretary

E. Allen Taylor, Jr., City Attorney