

STATE OF ILLINOIS – DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
160 N. LASALLE ST., STE. C-1300
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60601

IN THE MATTER OF:)	
)	
PLUMBERS AND PIPEFITTERS LOCAL 653)	
)	
PETITIONER(S),)	STATE FILE NO. 2019-H-PK09-2292
)	
v.)	DATE OF NOTICE: <u>10/21/2018</u>
)	
JOSEPH BEYER, DIRECTOR OF THE)	CERT. MAIL/RETURN RECEIPT:
ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, and)	<u>7017 2620 0001 0467 5921</u>
THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF LABOR,)	
)	
RESPONDENTS.)	
)	

NOTICE OF HEARING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Joseph Beyer, Director of the Illinois Department of Labor, and the Illinois Department of Labor [hereinafter, "Respondents"] have received from Plumbers and PipeFitters Local 653, [hereinafter, "Petitioner(s)"] written objections to the prevailing wage determinations posted by the Department on its website on August 15, 2018, and a request for hearing on those objections pursuant to Section 9 of the Prevailing Wage Act [hereinafter, "PWA" or "Act"], 820 ILCS 130/0.01 et seq.

Pursuant to the PWA, Article 10 of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act, 5 ILCS 100/10-5 et seq., and 56 Ill. Admin. Code 120.100 et seq., Respondents will convene a hearing on:

DATE: OCTOBER 25, 2018
TIME: 2:00 P.M.
PLACE: ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
160 NORTH LASALLE STREET, SUITE C-1300
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60601

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE:

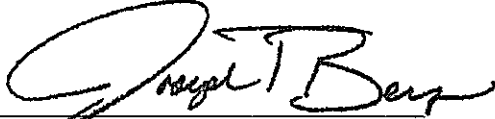
CLAUDIA MANLEY
CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE
ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
160 NORTH LASALLE STREET, SUITE C-1300
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60601

The hearing involves the written objections and hearing request filed by Petitioner(s), attached hereto and made a part hereof (Exhibit A).

The parties and their respective representatives must be prepared to proceed at the hearing. The parties must present all information, documents, records or witnesses necessary to substantiate their position(s) at the hearing.

Pursuant to 56 Illinois Administrative Code 120.640, the administrative law judge shall issue a Decision and Order. In the event no timely or proper exceptions are filed, the findings, conclusions, recommendations and order of the administrative law judge shall automatically become the decision and order of the Director of Labor.

The proceedings are subject to judicial review in accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Review Law, 735 ILCS 5/3-101 et seq. The Director of Labor's determination on the objections is final and binding unless a party to this proceeding applies for and obtains judicial review of the final administrative decision in accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Review Law.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Joseph T. Beyer". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "J" and "B".

Joseph Beyer
Director of Labor

EXHIBIT A

*United Association of
Plumbers and Pipefitters Local Union #653*

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www.plumbersandpipefitterslocal653.com**

September 13, 2018

Via Certified Mail
Mr. Joseph Beyer
Acting Director
Illinois Department of Labor
900 S. Spring Street Springfield, IL
62704

Via Certified Mail and E-Mail
Illinois Department of Labor
Administrative Hearings
160 N. LaSalle Street, C-1300
Chicago, IL 60601

2019-H-PK09-2292

Re: Petition for Section 9 Hearing and Objection to Prevailing Wage Schedule for Pipefitter

Dear Mr. Beyer:

The purpose of this correspondence is to submit Local 653's written objections and a request for a hearing pursuant to Section 9 of the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act (820 ILCS §130/4, 9). A copy of the current Wage Sheet is enclosed.

1. Clay County
-Health & Welfare is \$8.72, not \$7.72
2. Clinton County
-Base Wage is \$37.50, not \$38.50.
-Foreman Wage is \$41.25, not NONE.
-Health & Welfare is \$8.72, not \$7.72
3. Fayette County
-Health & Welfare is \$8.72, not \$7.72

4. Marion County
 - Base Wage is \$37.50, not \$47.50.
 - Foreman Wage is \$41.25, not \$50.50.
 - Health & Welfare is \$8.72, not \$7.72
 - Pension is \$7.65, not \$9.85
 - Training is \$1.00, not \$2.12

5. Washington County
 - Health & Welfare is \$8.72, not \$7.72

If you have any additional questions or concerns, please contact me.

Very truly yours,



Rob Schnicker
Business Manager
UA Local 653

cc: Benno Weisberg (via e-mail at: Benno.Weisberg@illinois.gov)
Paul Kersey (via e-mail at: Paul.Kersey@illinois.gov)

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Re: Petition for Section 9 Hearing and Objection to Prevailing Wage Schedule for Plumber

Dear Mr. Beyer:

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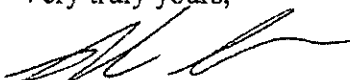
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3. Marion County
-Foreman Wage is \$41.25, not NONE.

If you have any additional questions or concerns, please contact me.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rob Schnicker', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Rob Schnicker
Business Manager
UA Local 653

cc: Benno Weisberg (via e-mail at: Benno.Weisberg@illinois.gov)
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September 14, 2018

To Whom It May Concern,

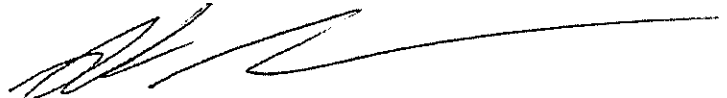
This letter is to notify you that the following is our wage package beginning September 1, 2017 through August 31, 2018.

<i>Journeyman wages per hour -----</i>	<i>\$37.50</i>
<i>U. A. National Pension Fund -----</i>	<i>3.45</i>
<i>Local Union 653 Welfare Fund -----</i>	<i>8.72</i>
<i>Local Union 653 Pension Fund -----</i>	<i>4.20</i>
<i>Local Union 653 Industry Fund -----</i>	<i>0.60</i>
<i>Local Union 653 Building Fund -----</i>	<i>1.05</i>
<i>Local Union 653 Training Fund -----</i>	<i>1.00</i>
<i>Total Package-----</i>	<i>\$56.52</i>

First man will receive an additional \$1.00 per hour, Foreman will receive an additional 10% per hour, a General Foreman will receive an additional 15% per hour, a General Foreman with 3 or more full crews will receive an additional 20% per hour. A 4 ½ % work assessment on gross wages, a \$0.25 per hour Market Recovery Fund paycheck deduction and a voluntary \$0.05 per hour PAC Fund Contribution is to be submitted to Local #653 with the fringe benefit form.

If you need additional information, please contact me at the above addresses or telephone number.

Respectfully,



Rob Schnicker

Business Manager

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Under penalties as provided by law, including pursuant to Section 1-109 of the Code of Civil Procedure, I C. Y. Jackson, a non-attorney, affirm, certify or on oath state, that I served notice of the attached Notice of Hearing upon all parties to this case, or their agents appointed to receive service of process, by enclosing a copy of the Notice of Hearing in Case No. 2019-H-PK09-2292 and a copy of the Certificate of Service in an envelope addressed to each party or party's agent at the respective address shown on the Certificate of Service, having caused each envelope to be served by U.S. mail certified mail return receipt requested and at 100 W. Randolph Street, Chicago, Illinois on the 2nd day of October, 2018 prior to 4:30 p.m. and placed on the Illinois Department of Labor's official website at and placed on the Illinois Department of Labor's official website at www.state.il.us/agency/idol/

Plumbers and Pipefitters, Local 653
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Via messenger:

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Illinois Department of Labor
c/o Benno Weisberg
General Counsel
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C. Y. Jackson

Subscribed and Sworn to this 1st day of Oct., 2018

Laura Kotelman
Notary Public

