



STATE OF WASHINGTON  
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIES

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Dear Survey Participant,

The Department of Labor & Industries (L&I) is conducting a voluntary wage and hour survey to set prevailing wage rates for seven trades involved in **residential construction** public projects. The seven are:

- Carpenters
- Drywall Applicators
- Drywall Tapers
- Glaziers
- Insulation Applicators
- Painters
- Soft Floor Layers

You are receiving this because our records show you have been involved with one or more of these trades during the survey period: Oct. 1, 2022-Sept. 30, 2023.

Submit an electronic survey online or print a survey and mail it to us. Visit [Lni.wa.gov/PWSurvey](https://lni.wa.gov/PWSurvey) for instructions. The web page includes helpful information to make it easy to fill out the survey.

June 30, 2024, is the deadline for us to receive the surveys. *Please note the information provided may be made available for public review if requested.*

We are asking for your help by completing the survey. Your participation is important in establishing accurate prevailing wages in your area. If your company does not perform work on residential projects, then please disregard this request.

### **Filling out the survey**

We are asking for you to please provide hourly wages, hourly benefits, and hours worked on public and private **residential construction** projects. Separate the information by county, and whether the project took place in the "largest city" in each county. We need this information filed separately in two categories:

1. Affordable housing, weatherization, homeless or domestic violence shelters
2. All other residential construction projects

Thank you in advance for taking the time for this survey. If you have questions, please contact the Prevailing Wage program at [PWSurvey@lni.wa.gov](mailto:PWSurvey@lni.wa.gov), or by calling 360-902-4626.

Sincerely,

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