

**BRICK TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY**  
**Brick Township, Ocean County, NJ**

**CONTRACT TITLE: Bid for Electrical Work**

**ADDENDUM NO. 1**  
**January 28, 2010**

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The information contained herein revises, supplements and/or supersedes the specific parts of the documents referred to and shall be attached to and become part of these documents as if originally a part thereof. Except as herein modified, all other provisions of the documents shall remain in force unless otherwise described in this Addendum, and shall comply with the requirements originally specified for similar work.

**BIDDERS MUST ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THIS ADDENDUM BY SIGNING THE BID FORM**

This Addendum consists of one (1) page and one (1) attachment of three (3) pages, as follows:

**A. ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS – DATE OF BID OPENING**

***The Bid receipt date has been changed from February 2, 2010 to February 11, 2010 at 9:00 AM prevailing time.***

**B. WAGE RATES**

The Prevailing Wage Rate Determination, as noted in paragraph #23, were inadvertently not attached to the bid specifications. They are attached as part of this Addendum.

**END OF ADDENDUM NO. 1**



STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
Department of Labor and Workforce Development  
Division of Wage and Hour Compliance - Public Contracts Section  
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### PREVAILING WAGE RATE DETERMINATION

The New Jersey Prevailing Wage Act (N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.25 et seq.) requires that the Department of Labor and Workforce Development establish and enforce a prevailing wage level for workers engaged in public works in order to safeguard their efficiency and general well being and to protect them as well as their employers from the effects of serious and unfair competition.

Prevailing wage rates are wage and fringe benefit rates based on the collective bargaining agreements established for a particular craft or trade in the locality in which the public work is performed. In New Jersey, these rates vary by county and by the type of work performed.

Applicable prevailing wage rates are those wages and fringe benefits in effect on the date the contract is awarded. All pre-determined rate increases listed at the time the contract is awarded must also be paid, beginning on the dates specified. Rates that have expired will remain in effect until new rates are posted.

#### Prevailing Wage Rate

The prevailing wage rate for each craft will list the effective date of the rate and the following information:

**W** = Wage Rate per Hour      **B** = Fringe Benefit Rate per Hour\*      **T** = Total Rate per Hour

- \* Fringe benefits are an integral part of the prevailing wage rate. Employers not providing such benefits must pay the fringe benefit amount directly to the employee each payday. Employers providing benefits worth less than the fringe benefit amount must pay the balance directly to the employee each payday.

Unless otherwise stated in the Prevailing Wage Rate Determination, the fringe benefit rate for overtime hours remains at the straight time rate.

When the Overtime Notes in the Prevailing Wage Rate Determination state that the overtime rates are "inclusive of benefits," the benefit rate is increased by the same factor as the wage rate (i.e. multiplied by 1.5 for time and one-half, multiplied by 2 for double time, etc.).

#### Apprentice Rate Schedule

An "apprentice" is an individual who is registered with the United States Department of Labor - Office of Apprenticeship and enrolled in a certified apprenticeship program during the period in which they are working on the public works project.

The apprentice wage rate is a percentage of the journeyman wage rate, unless otherwise indicated. The apprentice benefit rate is the full journeyman benefit rate, unless otherwise indicated.

If there is no apprentice rate schedule listed, the individual must be paid at least the journeyman rate even if that individual is in a certified apprentice program for that trade.

If there is no ratio of apprentices to journeymen listed for a particular craft, then the ratio shall be one (1) apprentice to every four (4) journeymen.

## **Comments/Notes**

For each craft listed there will be comments/notes that cover the definition of the regular workday, shift differentials, overtime, recognized holidays, and any other relevant information.

## **Public Works Contractor Registration**

The Public Works Contractor Registration Act (N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.48, et seq.) requires that **all** contractors, subcontractors, or lower tier subcontractors who are working on or who bid on public works projects register with the Department of Labor and Workforce Development. Applications are available at [www.nj.gov/labor](http://www.nj.gov/labor) (click on Wage & Hour and then go to Registration & Permits).

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.51:

*No contractor shall bid on any contract for public work as defined in section 2 of P.L.1963, c. 150 (C.34:11-56.26) unless the contractor is registered pursuant to this act. No contractor shall list a subcontractor in a bid proposal for the contract unless the subcontractor is registered pursuant to P.L.1999, c.238 (C.34:11-56.48 et seq.) at the time the bid is made. No contractor or subcontractor, including a subcontractor not listed in the bid proposal, shall engage in the performance of any public work subject to the contract, unless the contractor or subcontractor is registered pursuant to that act.*

## **Snow Plowing**

Snow plowing contracts are not subject to the New Jersey Prevailing Wage Act or the Public Works Contractor Registration Act.

**NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT  
PREVAILING WAGE RATE DETERMINATION**

County - OCEAN

**Craft: Electrician                      PREVAILING WAGE RATE**

	06/01/09	05/31/10
Cable Splicer, Journeyman	W 45.02	W 46.29
	B 26.00	B 26.74
	T 71.02	T 73.03
Foreman	W 50.42	W 51.84
	B 29.12	B 29.94
	T 79.54	T 81.78
Plan Reader	W 48.17	W 49.53
	B 27.82	B 28.61
	T 75.99	T 78.14

Expiration Date: 05/30/2011

**Craft: Electrician                      APPRENTICE RATE SCHEDULE**

INTERVAL	PERIOD AND RATES									
	6 months	35%	40%		Yearly	50%	60%	70%	85%	
Benefit =	57.75% of	Appren	tice	Wage	Rate	+.01				

**Ratio of Apprentices to Journeymen - 2:3**

**Craft: Electrician                      COMMENTS/NOTES**

**THESE RATES ALSO APPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:**

- All burglar and fire alarm work.
- All fiber optic work.
- Teledata work in new construction (including additions).
- Teledata work involving 16 instruments or more.

**HEIGHT WORK:**

- Work performed 50 feet above ground or floor - additional \$2.00 per hour.
- Work on radio and transmission towers, and smoke stacks shall be paid at the regular rate, plus 25% per hour.

**SHIFT DIFFERENTIALS:**

- 2nd Shift (4:30 PM to 12:30 AM): 8 hrs. pay for 7.5 hrs. work + an additional 10% of the regular rate, per hour, inclusive of benefits.
- 3rd Shift (12:30 AM to 8:00 AM): 8 hrs. pay for 7 hrs. work + an additional 15% of the regular rate, per hour, inclusive of benefits.

**OVERTIME:**

Hours in excess of 8 per day, Monday through Friday, and all hours on Saturdays shall be paid at time and one-half the regular rate, inclusive of benefits. All hours on Sundays and holidays shall be paid at double the regular rate, inclusive of benefits.

**RECOGNIZED HOLIDAYS:** New Year's Day, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, July 4th, Labor Day, Presidential Election Day, Veterans' Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day. Sunday holidays will be observed the following Monday.