

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

IN THE MATTER OF:)
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MID AMERICAN CARPENTERS REGIONAL)
COUNCIL) STATE FILE NO. 2025-H-RP08-2350
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OBJECTOR(S),)
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v.)
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JANE R. FLANAGAN, DIRECTOR of the)
ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, and)
THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF LABOR,)
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RESPONDENTS.)

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. Pursuant to **56 IAC 120.400**, a **telephonic** pre-hearing conference shall be convened on **September 3, 2024 at 1:30 p.m.** An Administrative Law Judge will initiate the conference call. **Objector Nicholas E. Kasmer** will be phoned at **312-787-3076**. Respondent Attorney Nick Bedenk will be phoned at **708-723-6399**. Technology constraints require that a direct dial phone number be provided for the pre-hearing conference. If the number listed is not a direct dial number or you require additional phone lines to be added, you are to provide the phone numbers and/or the names and phone numbers of the additional participants to DOL.hearings@illinois.gov
2. The pre-hearing conference shall be held to simplify the issues, determine necessity or desirability of amendment to documents for purposes of clarification, simplification, or limitation, determine stipulations, admission of fact and of contents and authenticity of the documents, limit the number of witnesses, determine propriety of the prior mutual exchange among the parties who have prepared testimony or exhibits, and decide other matters as may tend to expedite the disposition of the proceedings and to assure a just conclusion thereof.
3. Attorneys shall file appearances as soon as practicable.

DATE: August 26, 2024

By: /s/ Monica Silva

Monica Silva
Administrative Law Judge
IDOL
160 N. LaSalle St. Ste. C-1300
Chicago IL 60601
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Dol.hearings@illinois.gov

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
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COUNTY OF COOK)

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Under penalties as provided by law, including pursuant to Section 1-109 of the Code of Civil Procedure, I **Blanca Hinojosa**, a non-attorney, affirm, certify or on oath state, that I served notice of the attached Order upon all parties to this case, or their agents appointed to receive service of process, by enclosing a copy of the Order in Case No. **2025-H-RP08-2350** 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 order or on the Certificate of Service, having caused each envelope to be served by U.S. Mail with postage prepaid at 160 North LaSalle St., Ste. C-1300, Chicago, Illinois, 60601, on the day of **August 26, 2024**, 2023 prior to 4:30 p.m.

Mid-American Regional Council
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MID AMERICAN CARPENTERS REGIONAL COUNCIL)	STATE FILE NO. 2025-H-RP08-2350
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)	DATE OF NOTICE: August 26, 2024
OBJECTOR(S),)	CERTIFIED MAIL / RETURN RECEIPT
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v.)	9489 0090 0027 6559 9247 63
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JANE R. FLANAGAN, DIRECTOR of the ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, and THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF LABOR,)	
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RESPONDENTS.)	

NOTICE OF TELEPHONIC HEARING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Jane R. Flanagan, Director of the Illinois Department of Labor, and the Illinois Department of Labor [hereinafter, "Respondents"] have received from **Mid-American Carpenters Regional Council**, [hereinafter, "Objector(s)"] written objections to the prevailing wage determinations effective **August 21, 2024**, published by the Department on its website, and a request for hearing on those objections pursuant to Sections 4 and 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: September 27, 2024
TIME: 9:00 a.m.
OBJECTOR ATTORNEY PHONE #:
RESPONDENT ATTORNEY PHONE #: Nick Bedenk 708-723-6399

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE:

Monica Silva
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE
ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
160 NORTH LASALLE STREET, SUITE C-1300
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The hearing involves the written objections and hearing request filed by Objector(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.

This hearing will be conducted **BY TELEPHONE** with the ALJ contacting you on the date and time stated above. If the phone number listed is incorrect, contact the hearings section at dol.hearings@illinois.gov as soon as possible with the corrected direct dial phone number. If additional individuals are to be contacted, the party is to provide the name and direct dial phone number of the additional individual to be included during the hearing to DOL.hearing@illinois.gov . If the phone number listed is not a direct dial phone number, please provide a **DIRECT DIAL NUMBER** to dol.hearings@illinois.gov as soon as possible. Technology constraints require you provide a **DIRECT DIAL PHONE NUMBER ONLY**. Also, technology constraints do not allow caller dial through or the ability to navigate automated operators. Non-direct dial numbers will result in the call not going through. For those with caller identification, this call will originate from various locations throughout the country, including but not limited to San Francisco. SOME CALLS PLACED BY THE DEPARTMENT ARE BLOCKED, IF YOUR PHONE HAS PRIVACY MANAGER OR ANONYMOUS CALL BLOCKER, THE CALL MAY NOT GO THROUGH. All calls placed by the Department are recorded.

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.


Jane R. Flanagan
Director of Labor

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