

**Bureau of Workers' and Unemployment Compensation  
Office of Investigation and Compliance  
Wage and Hour**

**2003 Prevailing Wage Rates for State Funded Projects**

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**Berrien County**

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Classification		Straight Hourly	Time and a Half	Double Time	Overtime Provision
Name	Description				
<b>Asbestos &amp; Lead Abatement Laborer</b>					
Asbestos & Lead Abatement Laborer	MLDC	\$25.55	\$34.92	\$44.28	H H H X X H H D Y
<b>Asbestos and Lead Abatement, Hazardous Material Handler</b>					
Asbestos and Lead Abatement, Hazardous Material Handler	AS207	\$25.55	\$35.58	\$45.60	X X X X X X X D Y
<b>Boilermaker</b>					
Boilermaker	BO169	\$42.99	\$61.84	\$80.68	H H D H D D D D Y
<b>Bricklayer</b>					
Bricklayer, Block, Stone, Artificial and Marble Masonry, and Pointers, Cleaners and Caulkers	BR9-17-BL	\$31.91	\$43.73	\$55.54	H H H X X X X D Y
<b>Carpenter</b>					
Carpenter	CA-525	\$29.00	\$40.25	\$51.50	H H H X H H H D N
Floor Layer	CA-525-FL	\$22.71	\$31.29	\$39.87	H H H H H H H D N
<b>Cement Mason</b>					
Cement Mason	BR9-17-CM	\$30.12	\$41.04	\$51.96	H H D X X X D D N
Cement Mason	PL16-14	\$31.42	\$43.43	\$55.44	H H H X H H H D Y
<b>Drywall</b>					
Drywall Taper	PT-1396-T	\$26.45	\$36.10	\$45.75	H H H H H H H D N
<b>Electrician, Inside Wireman</b>					
Electrician, Inside Wireman	EC-153-IW	\$35.88	\$49.19	\$62.51	H H H H H H H D Y
<b>Elevator Constructor</b>					
Elevator Constructor	EL-44BC	\$39.31		\$66.11	D D D D D D D D Y
<b>Glazier</b>					
Glazier	GL-1165	\$27.56	\$38.21	\$48.86	H H H H D D D D Y
<b>Heat and Frost Insulator and Asbestos Worker</b>					
Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers	AW75	\$33.84	\$50.76	\$67.68	H H D H D D D D N
<b>Ironworker</b>					
Pre-engineered Metal Work	IR-25-PE-Z3	\$31.68	\$41.07	\$50.46	X X H X X X H D Y
Ironworker	IR-292	\$31.98	\$42.73	\$53.48	H H H H H H H D N
<b>Laborer</b>					
Class A Laborer - all construction on buildings; pumps; well wheels; air, electric or gasoline tools; motor driven buggies; fire watch duty working on swing scaffolds; heavy construction work, carpenter tender; and cement finisher tender.	L355-1-A	\$22.34	\$30.74	\$39.14	H H H H H H H D Y

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Class B Laborer - jackhammer operators, crocklayers and caisson worker in buildings.	L355-1-B		\$22.59	\$31.12	\$39.64	H H H H H H D Y
Class C Laborer - top men on chimneys or towers over thirty feet in height, material mixers, portable mixer operator, plasterer tender, mason tender certified from M.L.T.I., and MLTAI certified demolition burner.	L355-1-C		\$23.09	\$31.87	\$40.64	H H H H H H D Y
Class D Laborer - concrete specialist when no cement finishers are available; troweling, finishing, screeding, patching, cutting, curing of cast in place or precast concrete by any and all methods.	L355-1-D		\$25.58	\$35.60	\$45.62	H H H H H H D Y
<b>Laborer - Hazardous</b>						
Class A Laborer - performing work in conjunction with site preparation and other preliminary work prior to actual removal, handling, or containment of hazardous waste substances not requiring use of personal protective equipment required by state or federal regulations; or a laborer performing work in conjunction with the removal, handling, or containment of hazardous waste substances when used of personal protective equipment level "D" is required.waste substances	LHAZ-Z9-A		\$23.87	\$34.28	\$44.68	H H H H H H D Y
Class B Laborer - performing work in conjunction with the removal, handling, or containment of hazardous waste substances when the use of personal protective equipment levels "A", "B" or "C" is required.	LHAZ-Z9-B		\$24.87	\$35.78	\$46.68	H H H H H H D Y
<b>Laborer - Landscape</b>						
Class A Landscape specialist includes; air, gas, and diesel equipment operator, lawn sprinkler installer.	LLAN-Z2-A		\$19.10	\$26.80	\$34.50	X X H X X X H D N
Class B Landscape laborer; small power tool operator, lawn sprinkler installer helper, material mover, truck driver.	LLAN-Z2-B		\$15.13	\$20.85	\$26.56	X X H X X X H D N
<b>Laborer Underground - Tunnel, Shaft &amp; Caisson</b>						
Class I - Tunnel, shaft and caisson laborer, dump man, shanty man, hog house tender, testing man (on gas), and watchman.	LAUCT-Z2-1		\$26.99	\$37.55	\$48.11	H H H H H H D Y
Class II - Manhole, headwall, catch basin builder, bricklayer tender, mortar man, material mixer, fence erector, and guard rail builder.	LAUCT-Z2-2		\$27.08	\$37.69	\$48.29	H H H H H H D Y
Class III - Air tool operator (jack hammer man, bush hammer man and grinding man), first bottom man, second bottom man, cage tender, car pusher, carrier man, concrete man, concrete form man, concrete repair man, cement invert laborer, cement finisher, concrete shoveler, conveyor man, floor man, gasoline and electric tool operator, gunnite man, grout operator, welder, heading dinky man, inside lock tender, pea gravel operator, pump man, outside lock tender, scaffold man, top signal man, switch man, track man, tigger man, utility man, vibrator man, winch operator, pipe jacking man, wagon drill and air track operator and concrete saw operator (under 40 h.p.).	LAUCT-Z2-3		\$27.18	\$37.84	\$48.49	H H H H H H D Y
Class IV - Tunnel, shaft and caisson mucker, bracer man, liner plate man, long haul dinky driver and well point man.	LAUCT-Z2-4		\$27.34	\$38.08	\$48.81	H H H H H H D Y
Class V - Tunnel, shaft and caisson miner, drill runner, keyboard operator, power knife operator, reinforced steel or mesh man (e.g. wire mesh, steel mats, dowel bars)	LAUCT-Z2-5		\$27.60	\$38.47	\$49.33	H H H H H H D Y
Class VI - Dynamite man and powder man.	LAUCT-Z2-6		\$27.91	\$38.93	\$49.95	H H H H H H D Y
Class VII - Restoration laborer, seeding, sodding, planting, cutting, mulching and topsoil grading and the restoration of property such as replacing mail boxes, wood chips, planter boxes and flagstones.	LAUCT-Z2-7		\$20.18	\$27.34	\$34.49	H H H H H H D Y
<b>Mason Tender</b>						
Journeyman mason tender	MCEBAC-Z3		\$24.36	\$33.68	\$43.00	H H H H H H D Y

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<b>Operating Engineer</b>							
Class A-	Crane w/ main Boom & Jib 220' or longer	EN-324-BH1220	\$37.70	\$50.71	\$63.71	H H D H D D D D Y	
Class A-	Crane w/ main Boom & Jib 300' or longer	EN-324-BH1300	\$39.20	\$52.96	\$66.71	H H D H D D D D Y	
Class A-	Crane w/ main Boom & Jib 400' or longer	EN-324-BH1400	\$40.70	\$55.21	\$69.71	H H D H D D D D Y	
Class B-	Crane Operator with main boom and jib 140' or longer, tower cranes, gantry crane, whirley derrick.	EN-324-BH1B	\$37.45	\$50.33	\$63.21	H H D H D D D D Y	
Class C-	Regular equipment operator, crane, stiff leg derrick, scraper dozer, grader, front end loader, hoist, job mechanic, and head grease man.	EN-324-BH1C	\$36.95	\$49.58	\$62.21	H H D H D D D D Y	
Class D-	Air tugger (single drum), material hoist, boiler operator, sweeping machine, winch truck, Bob Cat, and fork truck over 20' lift.	EN-324-BH1D	\$32.35	\$42.68	\$53.01	H H D H D D D D Y	
Class E-	Pump 6" or over, well points, freeze systems, boom truck (non-swinging), end dumps and laser/power screed, concrete wire saw 20 h.p. and over.	EN-324-BH1E	\$31.75	\$41.78	\$51.81	H H D H D D D D Y	
Class F-	Air compressor, welder, generators, conveyors, pumps under 6", Grease man, and fork truck 20' or less lift.	EN-324-BH1F	\$29.60	\$38.56	\$47.51	H H D H D D D D Y	
Class G-	Oiler, fireman and heater operator.	EN-324-BH1G	\$27.95	\$36.08	\$44.21	H H D H D D D D Y	
<b>Operating Engineer Gas Line Distribution</b>							
Class I -	mechanic, crane over 1/2 yard capacity, backhoe over 1/2 yard capacity, Grader Caterpillar 12 equivalent or larger.	EN-324-A2GL-CI	\$34.06	\$45.26	\$56.45	H H H H H H H D N	
Class II A -	Trencher, backhoe 1/2 yard capacity or less.	EN-324-A2GL-CIIA	\$33.96	\$45.11	\$56.25	H H H H H H H D N	
Class II B -	crane 1/2 yard capacity or less, compressor two or more, dozer D-4 equivalent or larger, endloader 1 yard capacity or larger, pump 1 or 2 6" or larger, side boom D-4 equivalent or larger.	EN-324-A2GL-CIIB	\$33.74	\$44.78	\$55.81	H H H H H H H D N	
Class III -	backfiller, boom truck - powered, concrete saw 20 h.p. or larger, dozer less than D-4 equivalent, endloader under 1 yard capacity, farm tractor, grader, pump 2 to 4 6" capacity, side boom tractor less than D-4 equivalent, self propelled tamper, and trencher.	EN-324-A2GL-CIII	\$32.96	\$43.61	\$54.25	H H H H H H H D N	
Class IV -	Oilers, greaseman (for greasing equipment with a grease truck), hydrostatic testing operator.	EN-324-A2GL-CIV	\$32.46	\$42.86	\$53.25	H H H H H H H D N	
<b>Operating Engineer Hazardous Waste Class I</b>							
Level A -	Fully encapsulating chemical resistant suit w/ pressure demand, full face piece SCBA or pressure demand supplied air respirator w/ escape SCBA. The highest available level of respiratory, skin and eye protection.	EN-324-HWC1-Z2A	\$39.26	\$53.05	\$66.83	H H H H H H H D Y	
Level B & C protection.	B - Pressure demand, full face SCBA or pressure demand supplied air respirator w/ escape SCBA w/chemical resistant clothing. C - Full face piece, air purifying canister-equipped respirator w/chemical resistant clothing.	EN-324-HWC1-Z2B	\$38.31	\$51.62	\$64.93	H H H H H H H D Y	
Level D -	Coveralls, safety boots, glasses or chemical splash goggles and hard hats.	EN-324-HWC1-Z2D	\$37.01	\$49.67	\$62.33	H H H H H H H D Y	
Level D When Capping Landfill	Coveralls, safety boots, glasses or chemical splash goggles and hard hats.	EN-324-HWC1-Z2DCL	\$36.76	\$49.30	\$61.83	H H H H H H H D Y	
<b>Operating Engineer Hazardous Waste Class II</b>							
Level A -	Fully encapsulating chemical resistant suit w/ pressure demand, full face piece SCBA or pressure demand supplied air respirator w/ escape SCBA. The highest available level of respiratory, skin and eye protection.	EN-324-HWCII-Z2A	\$35.36	\$47.20	\$59.03	H H H H H H H D Y	

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Level B & C protection. B - Pressure demand, full face SCBA or pressure demand supplied air respirator w/ escape SCBA w/chemical resistant clothing. C - Full face piece, air purifying canister-equipped respirator w/chemical resistant clothing.	EN-324-HWCII-Z2B		\$34.42	\$45.79	\$57.15	H H H H H H D Y
Level D - Coveralls, safety boots, glasses or chemical splash goggles and hard hats.	EN-324-HWCII-Z2D		\$33.12	\$43.84	\$54.55	H H H H H H D Y
Level D When Capping Landfill Coveralls, safety boots, glasses or chemical splash goggles and hard hats.	EN-324-HWCII-Z2DCL		\$32.87	\$43.46	\$54.05	H H H H H H D Y
<b>Operating Engineer Hazardous Waste Crane w/ Boom &amp; Jib leads 140' or longer</b>						
Level A - Fully encapsulating chemical resistant suit w/ pressure demand, full face piece SCBA or pressure demand supplied air respirator w/ escape SCBA. The highest available level of respiratory, skin and eye protection.	EN-324-HW140-Z2A		\$41.91	\$57.02	\$72.13	H H H H H H D Y
Level B & C protection. B - Pressure demand, full face SCBA or pressure demand supplied air respirator w/ escape SCBA w/chemical resistant clothing. C - Full face piece, air purifying canister-equipped respirator w/chemical resistant clothing.	EN-324-HW140-Z2B		\$40.96	\$55.60	\$70.23	H H H H H H D Y
Level D - Coveralls, safety boots, glasses or chemical splash goggles and hard hats.	EN-324-HW140-Z2D		\$39.66	\$53.65	\$67.63	H H H H H H D Y
Level D When Capping Landfill Coveralls, safety boots, glasses or chemical splash goggles and hard hats.	EN-324-HW140-Z2DCL		\$39.41	\$53.27	\$67.13	H H H H H H D Y
<b>Operating Engineer Hazardous Waste Crane w/ Boom &amp; Jib leads 220' or longer</b>						
Level A - Fully encapsulating chemical resistant suit w/ pressure demand, full face piece SCBA or pressure demand supplied air respirator w/ escape SCBA. The highest available level of respiratory, skin and eye protection.	EN-324-HW220-Z2A		\$42.21	\$57.47	\$72.73	H H H H H H D Y
Level B & C protection. B - Pressure demand, full face SCBA or pressure demand supplied air respirator w/ escape SCBA w/chemical resistant clothing. C - Full face piece, air purifying canister-equipped respirator w/chemical resistant clothing.	EN-324-HW220-Z2B		\$40.85	\$55.43	\$70.01	H H H H H H D Y
Level D - Coveralls, safety boots, glasses or chemical splash goggles and hard hats.	EN-324-HW220-Z2D		\$39.96	\$54.10	\$68.23	H H H H H H D Y
Level D When Capping Landfill Coveralls, safety boots, glasses or chemical splash goggles and hard hats.	EN-324-HW220-Z2DCL		\$39.71	\$53.72	\$67.73	H H H H H H D Y
<b>Operating Engineer Hazardous Waste Regular Crane, Job Mechanic, Dragline Operator, Boom Truck Operator, and Concrete Pump with Boom Operator</b>						
Level A - Fully encapsulating chemical resistant suit w/ pressure demand, full face piece SCBA or pressure demand supplied air respirator w/ escape SCBA. The highest available level of respiratory, skin and eye protection.	EN-324-HWRC-Z2A		\$40.23	\$54.50	\$68.77	H H H H H H D Y
Level B & C protection. B - Pressure demand, full face SCBA or pressure demand supplied air respirator w/ escape SCBA w/chemical resistant clothing. C - Full face piece, air purifying canister-equipped respirator w/chemical resistant clothing.	EN-324-HWRC-Z2B		\$39.28	\$53.08	\$66.87	H H H H H H D Y
Level D - Coveralls, safety boots, glasses or chemical splash goggles and hard hats.	EN-324-HWRC-Z2D		\$37.98	\$51.13	\$64.27	H H H H H H D Y
Level D When Capping Landfill Coveralls, safety boots, glasses or chemical splash goggles and hard hats.	EN-324-HWRC-Z2DCL		\$37.73	\$50.75	\$63.77	H H H H H H D Y

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<b>Operating Engineer Sewer Relining</b>							
Class I		EN-324-sew-CI	\$32.81	\$45.00	\$57.19	H H H H H H H D N	
Class II		EN-324-sew-CII	\$31.42	\$42.92	\$54.41	H H H H H H H D N	
<b>Operating Engineer Steel Work</b>							
Class A- Crane w/ main Boom & Jib 220' or longer		EN-324-SWW1220	\$38.05	\$51.23	\$64.41	H H D H D D D D Y	
Class A- Crane w/ main Boom & Jib 300' or longer		EN-324-SWW1300	\$39.55	\$53.48	\$67.41	H H D H D D D D Y	
Class A- Crane w/ main Boom & Jib 400' or longer		EN-324-SWW1400	\$41.05	\$55.73	\$70.41	H H D H D D D D Y	
Class B- Crane Operator with main boom and jib 140' or longer, tower cranes, gantry crane, whirley derrick.		EN-324-SWW1B	\$37.80	\$50.86	\$63.91	H H D H D D D D Y	
Class C- Regular equipment operator, crane, dozer, loader, hoist, straddle wagon, and job mechanic.		EN-324-SWW1C	\$37.30	\$50.11	\$62.91	H H D H D D D D Y	
Class D- Air tugger (single drum), material hoist, and pump 6" or over.		EN-324-SWW1D	\$32.70	\$43.21	\$53.71	H H D H D D D D Y	
Class E- Air compressor, welder, generators and conveyors.		EN-324-SWW1E	\$31.05	\$40.73	\$50.41	H H D H D D D D Y	
Class F- Oiler and Fireman.		EN-324-SWW1F	\$28.75	\$37.28	\$45.81	H H D H D D D D Y	
<b>Operating Engineer Underground</b>							
Class I Equipment		EN-324A2-UC1	\$36.76	\$47.64	\$58.52	H H H H H H H D Y	
Class II Equipment		EN-324A2-UC2	\$32.87	\$42.06	\$51.24	H H H H H H H D Y	
Class III Equipment		EN-324A2-UC3	\$32.37	\$41.34	\$50.31	H H H H H H H D Y	
Class IV Equipment		EN-324A2-UC4	\$32.09	\$40.94	\$49.79	H H H H H H H D Y	
<b>Operating Engineer-Marine Construction</b>							
Diver/Wet Tender, Engineer (hydraulic dredge)		EN-324-Gr-LK-fltCI	\$39.77	\$52.77	\$65.77	H H H X X H H D Y	
<u>Subdivision of county</u> All Great Lakes and tributaries Crane/Backhoe Operator, Mechanic/Welder, Assistant Engineer (hydraulic dredge), Leverman, Diver Tender		EN-324-Gr-LK-fltCII	\$38.27	\$50.52	\$62.77	H H H X X H H D Y	
<u>Subdivision of county</u> All Great Lakes and tributaries Deck Equipment Operator, Machineryman, Maint of Crane, Tug/Launch Operator, Loader/Dozer on Barge, Deck Machinery		EN-324-Gr-LK-fltCIII	\$35.62	\$46.55	\$57.47	H H H X X H H D Y	
<u>Subdivision of county</u> All Great Lakes and tributaries Deck Equipment Operator, Machineryman/Fireman, 4 equpt. units or more, Crane Maint. 50T and under/Backhoe 115,000 lbs or less, Asst. Tug		EN-324-Gr-LK-fltCIV	\$31.92	\$41.00	\$50.07	H H H X X H H D Y	
<u>Subdivision of county</u> All Great Lakes and tributaries							
<b>Painter</b>							
Brush & Roller		PT-1396-BR	\$26.45	\$36.10	\$45.75	H H H H H H H D N	
Spray & Epoxy		PT-1396-S	\$28.20	\$38.73	\$49.25	H H H H H H H D N	
<b>Plasterer</b>							
Plasterer		BR9-17-PL	\$30.12	\$41.04	\$51.96	H H H X X X D Y	
Plasterer		PL16-1	\$27.36	\$37.37	\$47.37	H H H H H H H D N	
<b>Plumber &amp; Pipefitter</b>							
Plumber & Pipefitter		PL-172	\$33.20	\$45.70	\$58.20	H H H X D D D D Y	

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<u>Subdivision of county</u> The City of Niles only.						
<b>Plumber, Pipefitter &amp; HVAC</b>						
Plumber, Pipefitter& HVAC	PL-357	\$37.09	\$50.76	\$64.43	H H H H D D D D Y	
<u>Subdivision of county</u> except the City of Niles						
<b>Roofer</b>						
Commercial Roofer	RO-23	\$30.23	\$41.98	\$53.73	X X H X X X H D N	
<b>Sheet Metal Worker</b>						
Sheet Metal Worker	SHM-20	\$36.50	\$49.05	\$61.60	H H D H H H D D Y	
<b>Sprinkler Fitter</b>						
Sprinkler Fitter	SP 669	\$37.36	\$51.52	\$65.67	H H H H H H H D Y	
<b>Terrazzo, Mosaic and Marble Mechanic</b>						
Terrazzo, Mosaic and Marble Mechanic	BR9-17-TRM	\$24.98	\$35.26	\$45.53	H H H X X X X D Y	
<b>Tile</b>						
Finisher	BR9-17-TF	\$20.88	\$29.50	\$38.11	H H H X X X X D Y	
Tile Mechanic	BR9-17-TM	\$23.48	\$33.16	\$42.83	H H H X X X X D Y	
<b>Underground Laborer Open Cut, Class I</b>						
Construction Laborer	LAUC-Z4-1	\$23.84	\$32.83	\$41.81	H H H H H H H D Y	
<b>Underground Laborer Open Cut, Class II</b>						
Mortar and material mixer, concrete form man, signal man, well point man, manhole, headwall and catch basin builder, guard rail builders, headwall, seawall, breakwall, dock builder and fence erector.	LAUC-Z4-2	\$23.97	\$33.02	\$42.07	H H H H H H H D Y	
<b>Underground Laborer Open Cut, Class III</b>						
Air, gasoline and electric tool operator, vibrator operator, drillers, pump man, tar kettle operator, bracers, rodder, reinforced steel or mesh man (e.g. wire mesh, steel mats, dowel bars, etc.), cement finisher, welder, pipe jacking and boring man, wagon drill and air track operator and concrete saw operator (under 40 h.p.), windlass and tuggger man, and directional boring man.	LAUC-Z4-3	\$24.08	\$33.19	\$42.29	H H H H H H H D Y	
<b>Underground Laborer Open Cut, Class IV</b>						
Trench or excavating grade man.	LAUC-Z4-4	\$24.15	\$33.29	\$42.43	H H H H H H H D Y	
<b>Underground Laborer Open Cut, Class V</b>						
Pipe Layer	LAUC-Z4-5	\$24.27	\$33.47	\$42.67	H H H H H H H D Y	
<b>Underground Laborer Open Cut, Class VI</b>						
Grouting man, top man assistant, audio visual television operations and all other operations in connection with closed circuit television inspection, pipe cleaning and pipe relining work.	LAUC-Z4-6	\$21.49	\$29.30	\$37.11	H H H H H H H D Y	
<b>Underground Laborer Open Cut, Class VII</b>						
Restoration laborer, seeding, sodding, planting, cutting, mulching and topsoil grading and the restoration of property such as replacing mail boxes, wood chips, planter boxes, flagstones etc.	LAUC-Z4-7	\$19.83	\$26.81	\$33.79	H H H H H H H D Y	

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