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LABOR BULLETIN

TO: SCCA CONTRACTOR & ALLIED MEMBERS

SUBJECT: OPERATING ENGINEERS 2025-2028
MASTER INSPECTION, FIELD SOILS AND MATERIAL TESTING AGREEMENT

Effective October 1, 2026, in accordance with the Operating Engineers Local 12 2025-2028 Master Inspection, Field Soils and Material Testing Agreement, there will be a \$5.00 increase to be allocated as follows:

Wages.....	\$1.00
Pension	\$0.75
Health & Welfare	\$2.25
Defined Contribution	\$1.00

New rates for all fringe benefits are as follows:

FRINGE BENEFITS	NEW RATE
Pension.....	\$11.40
Health & Welfare	17.45
*Vacation / Supplemental Dues.....	2.95
Joint Apprenticeship Training and Journeyman Retraining	1.10
Industry Advancement Fund.....	0.07
Engineers Contract Compliance Fund	0.15
Contract Administration Fund.....	0.06
Defined Contribution	7.00
TOTAL	\$40.18

*Includes Supplemental Dues of **\$1.70**

*Vacation/Supplemental Dues are added to the hourly wage rate to establish the gross pay for tax purposes. This gross amount is subject to normal payroll deductions. After normal deductions, the full Vacation/Supplemental dues contribution is deducted, reported and paid to the appropriate Trust Fund.

WAGE CLASSIFICATIONS

Group I

Concrete Batch Plant
Field Soils and Material Tester
Field Asphaltic Concrete (Soils & Material Tester)
Field Earthwork (Grading Excavation & Filling)
Load Testing Inspector
Soils Inspector
Waterproofing/Methane Inspector
Roofing Inspector

*Private Work

\$64.23

Group II

\$66.01

AWS-CWI Welding Inspector
Building/Construction Inspector
Fiber Wrap Inspector
Firestopping Inspector
Ground Penetrating Radar Operator (while performing field soils
and material testing – building/construction inspection)
~~Licensed Grading Inspector (Moved to Group III)~~
Reinforcing Steel
Reinforced Concrete
Pre-Tension Concrete
Post-Tension Concrete
Structural Steel and Welding Inspector
Glue-Lam and Truss Joints
Truss-Type Joint Construction
Shear Wall and Floor System used as diaphragms
Spray-Applied Fireproofing
Structural Masonry

Group III

\$68.01

Licensed Grading Inspector
Nondestructive Testing (NDT)
Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS Drones) Operator (while performing
field soils and material testing – building/construction inspection)

Effective August 1, 2007, it was agreed in negotiations that any employee at a jobsite or project who is designated by the Employer in writing, the responsibility of directing or coordinating the duties of other employees on the jobsite or project, shall be an employee covered by this Agreement and shall receive Two Dollars (\$2.00) per hour above his regular rate.

APPRENTICE WAGE RATES
(Based on Group II Journeyman Rate)

0-1000	Hours - Step	I	@60%
1000-2000	Hours - Step	II	@65%
2000-3000	Hours - Step	III	@70%
3000-4000	Hours - Step	IV	@75%
4000-5000	Hours - Step	V	@80%
5000-6000	Hours - Step	VI	@90%

All shift pay or premiums required to be paid under the terms of this agreement shall be paid in full and added to the Apprenticeship Base Wage Rate, for all hours worked or paid.

At no time shall the above apprenticeship wage rates exceed any of the Journeyman Group Rates of this agreement.

Future Increases

10/1/27 \$4.50 To be allocated by the union

If there are any questions, please contact the SCCA Office at (657) 223-0800.