

Resolution No. 2017-03
South Holland Public Library, Cook County, Illinois
Resolution Establishing Prevailing Wages
Certificate of Compliance
Effective 06/01/2016

WHEREAS, these prevailing wages must be ascertained and included in the contracts and their advertised specifications to which any public body, as defined in Section 2 of the Prevailing Wage Act (Ill. Rev. Stat. 1987, Ch. 48 par. 39s-1 et seq., as amended), is a party, for the construction, reconstruction, maintenance and/or repair of public buildings or public works within the State of Illinois that requires or involves the employment of laborers, workers, and mechanics, and owner/operators and said Prevailing Wages shall be the minimum wages, overtime rate and fringe benefits paid for such work.

WHEREAS, the Act further provides that said rates of pay be publicly posted and/or kept available for inspection by any interested party, that a certified copy thereof be promptly filed in the office of the Secretary of State and the Illinois Department of Labor and that the rates be published in a newspaper of general circulation,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the President and Board of Trustees of South Holland Public Library, Cook County, State of Illinois, that the determination by the Illinois Department of Labor of the prevailing wages in Cook County as set forth on their website at the Board of Trustees Regular Meeting of the South Holland Public Library, shall be the prevailing hourly rates of wages being paid to all laborers, workmen, and mechanics engaged in the construction of public works coming under the jurisdiction of the President and Board of Trustees.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that any and all revisions of the prevailing rate of wages in Cook County by the Illinois Department of Labor shall supersede the Department's January determination and apply to any and all public works construction under the jurisdiction of the President and Board of Trustees.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to apply to the prevailing hourly rate of wages in the South Holland Public Library for employment other than public works construction as defined in the Act.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the South Holland Public Library shall include in its contracts, purchase orders or bids in order to provide proper written notification as required under Public Act 96-0437:

This contract calls for the construction of a "public work," within the meaning of the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act, 820 ILCS 130/.01 *et seq.* ("the Act"). The Act requires contractors and subcontractors to pay laborers, workers and mechanics performing services on public works projects no less than the current "prevailing rate of wages" (hourly cash wages plus amount for fringe benefits) in the county where the work is performed. The Department publishes the prevailing wage rates on its website at <http://www.state.il.us/agency/idol/rates/rates.HTM>. The Department revises the prevailing wage rates and the contractor/subcontractor has an obligation to check the Department's web site for revisions to prevailing wage rates. For information regarding current prevailing wage rates, please refer to the Illinois Department of Labor's website. All contractors and subcontractors rendering services under this contract must comply with all requirements of the Act, *including but not limited to*, all wage requirements and notice and record keeping duties.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Library Director of the South Holland Public Library is hereby authorized to file a certified copy of this resolution with the Secretary of State and the Illinois Department of Labor and to publish this certified copy in a newspaper of general circulation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Library Director of the South Holland Public Library is hereby authorized to mail a copy of this determination to any employer, and to any association of employers and to any person or association of employees who have filed their names and addresses, requesting copies of any determination and to attach a copy of this determination or of the revised determination of prevailing rate of wages then in effect to all public works construction contract specifications.

PASSED THIS 27TH DAY OF JUNE 2016.

APPROVED THIS 27TH DAY OF JUNE 2016 at the Board of Trustees Regular Meeting of the South Holland Public Library.

_____ John Russell, Board President

ATTEST:

_____ Nancy Banash, Board Secretary