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Nevada's new prevailing wage rates released on the Web

Nevada Labor Commissioner Michael Tanchek has released the 2009-2010 prevailing wage rates for public works projects for Nevada's 17 counties. The rates and classifications have been posted on the Labor Commissioner's Web site: www.LaborCommissioner.com. The rates are based on survey responses submitted by contractors in Nevada's construction industry regarding wages paid on non-residential construction projects. According to Tanchek, about 635 contractors provided information his office used in the computer model to generate the rates.

While the rates do not go into effect until October 1, they were made available for review on the Labor Commissioner's website on September 15th. After October 1, any changes need to be made by amending the rates and classifications.

"I like to get the rates posted ahead of time to give people a chance to look them over in case we need to make any clerical or technical corrections before they go into effect," Tanchek said.

Anyone having questions about the rates should call the Labor Commissioner's offices in Las Vegas at (702) 486-2795 or Carson City at (775) 687-4850.

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