

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR BOARD MEETING OF MAY 17, 2018**

**COMMITTEE ON LABOR & INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS**

Mr. David St. Pierre, Executive Director

..Title

Adoption of Prevailing Wage Act Ordinance

..Body

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the requirement of the State of Illinois Prevailing Wage Act, approved on June 26, 1941, as amended, 820 ILCS 130/0.01, et seq., the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District is required to pass an ordinance which establishes the prevailing rate of wages for laborers, mechanics and other workers to be employed on any Metropolitan Water Reclamation District projects.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the Executive Director recommend to the Board of Commissioners that it adopt the attached Ordinance setting forth the prevailing rate of wages for construction work in Cook and Fulton Counties as determined and amended by the Illinois Department of Labor.

Further, it should be noted that the 2017 prevailing rates are still in effect until the Illinois Department of Labor publishes the 2018 rates. Once the applicable rates are posted by the Illinois Department of Labor, a copy of same will be attached and hereby incorporated herein by reference for further distribution as provided.

Recommended, Darlene A. LoCascio, Director of Procurement and Materials Management,  
DAL:SEB:lc

Respectfully Submitted, Martin J. Durkan, Chairman Committee on Labor & Industrial Relations  
Disposition of this agenda item will be documented in the official Regular Board Meeting Minutes of the Board of Commissioners for May 17, 2018

Attachments