

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**Employment and Training
Administration****Solicitation for Grant Applications
(SGA) Prisoner Re-Entry Initiative**

AGENCY: Employment and Training Administration (ETA), Labor.

ACTION: Notice; additional information and correction.

SUMMARY: The Employment and Training Administration published a document in the **Federal Register** on April 1, 2005, concerning the availability of grant funds for eligible faith-based and community organizations under the Prisoner Re-Entry Initiative: SGA/DFA PY-04-08. This notice is to provide additional information on the informational conferences mentioned in Section IV.3 and the agency contact information mentioned in Section VII.

The three informational conferences will be held on:

May 12, 2005—Los Angeles, California—
The Westin Los Angeles Airport, 5400
West Century Boulevard, Los Angeles,
California 90045; Tel: 310-216-5858

May 19, 2005—Dallas, Texas—Sheraton
Grand Hotel at Dallas/Fort Worth,
4440 W. John Carpenter Freeway,
Irving, Texas 75063; Tel: (972) 929-
8400

May 26, 2005—Washington, DC
Metropolitan area—Loews L'Enfant
Plaza Hotel, 480 L'Enfant Plaza,
Washington, DC 20024; Tel: (202)
484-1000.

For registration and logistical information on the informational conferences, please visit <http://www.pri-conference.com> or call (301) 589-2547. We encourage you to register online for the informational conferences. You can also register for one of the conferences by fax at (301) 589-2546. To register, please include the following information: Full Name, Title, Organization, Address, Phone, Fax, E-mail, and which conference you will be attending. Please identify any special needs. You will need to make hotel reservations on your own. The room blocks for the three hotels are under "DOL PRI Conference". Please call the above number or visit the website for information on the hotels in which the informational conferences will be held. Each conference will start promptly at 8:30 a.m. and will last till 5 p.m., with registration from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. Travel and accommodation expenses to attend the informational conferences is not a reimbursable activity, the Federal government will not assume costs

associated with travel and accommodations to these conferences.

In addition, as mentioned in Section IV.3 of the SGA, an edited version of the first informational conferences will be available at DOL's Web site at <http://www.doleta.gov> and DOJ's Web site at <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/reentry>. Please note this corrected spelling of DOJ's Web site.

On page 16861, in the third column under Section VII Agency Contacts, is corrected to read: "Any questions regarding this SGA should be faxed to Marsha Daniels, Grants Management Specialist, Division of Federal Assistance, FAX number (202) 693-2705. (This is not a toll-free number). You must specifically address your FAX to the attention of Marsha Daniels and should include SGA/DFA PY 04-08, a contact name, fax, e-mail (optional), and phone number."

On page 16861, in the third column under Section VII Agency Contacts, is corrected to read: "Please contact Marsha Daniels, Grants Management Specialist, Division of Federal Assistance, on (202) 693-3504."

Signed at Washington, DC, this 18th day of April, 2005.

Eric D. Luetkenhaus,
Grant Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**Employment Standards
Administration; Wage and Hour
Division****Minimum Wages for Federal and
Federally Assisted Construction;
General Wage Determination Decisions**

General wage determination decisions of the Secretary of Labor are issued in accordance with applicable law and are based on the information obtained by the Department of Labor from its study of local wage conditions and data made available from other sources. They specify the basic hourly wage rates and fringe benefits which are determined to be prevailing for the described classes of laborers and mechanics employed on construction projects of a similar character and in the localities specified therein.

The determination in these decisions of prevailing rates and fringe benefits have been made in accordance with 29 CFR part 1, by authority of the Secretary of Labor pursuant to the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act of March 3, 1931, as amended (46 Stat. 1494, as amended, 40 U.S.C. 276a) and of other Federal

statutes referred to in 29 CFR part 1, Appendix, as well as such additional statutes as may from time to time be enacted containing provisions for the payment of wages determined to be prevailing by the Secretary of Labor in accordance with the Davis-Bacon Act. The prevailing rates and fringe benefits determined in these decisions shall, in accordance with the provisions of the foregoing statutes, constitute the minimum wages payable on Federal and federally assisted construction projects to laborers and mechanics of the specified classes engaged on contract work of the character and in the localities described therein.

Good cause is hereby found for not utilizing notice and public comment procedure thereon prior to the issuance of these determinations as prescribed in 5 U.S.C. 553 and not providing for delay in the effective date as prescribed in that section, because the necessity to issue current construction industry wage determinations frequently and in large volume causes procedures to be impractical and contrary to the public interest.

General wage determination decisions, and modifications and supercedes decisions thereto, contain no expiration dates and are effective from the date of notice in the **Federal Register**, or on the date written notice is received by the agency, whichever is earlier. These decisions are to be used in accordance with the provisions of 29 CFR Parts 1 and 5. Accordingly, the applicable decision, together with any modifications issued, must be made a part of every contract for performance of the described work within the geographic area indicated as required by an applicable Federal prevailing wage law and 29 CFR part 5. The wage rates and fringe benefits, notice of which is published herein, and which are contained in the Government Printing Office (GPO) document entitled "General Wage Determinations Issued Under the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts," shall be the minimum paid by contractors and subcontractors to laborers and mechanics.

Any person, organization, or governmental agency having an interest in the rates determined as prevailing is encouraged to submit wage rate and fringe benefit information for consideration to the Department. Further information and self-explanatory forms for the purpose of submitting this data may be obtained by writing to the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment Standards Administration, Wage and Hour Division, Division of Wage Determinations, 200 Constitution