

STATE OF ILLINOIS - DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
115 S. LASALLE STREET, 37TH FLOOR
CHICAGO, IL 60603

IN THE MATTER OF:

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ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS,
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WILCOX ELECTRIC & SERVICE, INC., F.W.)
ELECTRIC, INC., GLESCO ELECTRIC, INC.,)
REMCO ELECTRICAL CORP., CAMP)
ELECTRIC AND ENGINEERING SERVICES,)
P.C., PALS ELECTRIC, INC. AND PYRAMID)
ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS, INC.,)

Objector(s),

v.

JANE R. FLANAGAN, DIRECTOR OF THE
ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, AND
THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Respondent(s).

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PETITION TO INTERVENE

Comes now Attorney Tim Ryan, Intervener, for the LIUNA Great Plains Laborers District Council and the Downstate Illinois Laborers' District Council and their subsidiary and affiliate local unions ("Laborers"), and submit this petition to intervene in all proceedings conducted in the above-captioned matter, and in support of said intervention, state as follows:

1. The Laborers are a labor organization representing individuals performing work as laborers on prevailing wage projects throughout the 93 Illinois counties which comprise the Great Plains Laborers District Council and the Downstate Illinois Laborers' District Council.

2. Intervener's Appendix A shows which counties that they have membership in and local unions in.

3. Pursuant to Section 3 of the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act (the “Act”), 820 ILCS 130/3, the general prevailing rate of hourly wages for work of a similar character shall be paid to all laborers, workers and mechanics engaged in the construction or demolition of public works.

4. On or about August 14, 2026, Objector, submitted a written notice of Objection and Request for Hearing under Sections 4 & 9 of the Prevailing Wage Act to challenge all Electrician and Electronic System and Telecommunications entries listed in their Appendix A, for the missing classification of apprentice rates reflected in the Collective Bargaining Agreement (Obj. Exh. A pg. 3).

5. Section 20(a)(1) of Title 56 of the Illinois Administrative Code states that a party may intervene in a Section 9 hearing in the following circumstances: “(A) The party is so situated that he or she may be adversely affected by a final order arising from the hearing; (B) The party requesting intervention is a necessary party to the hearing proceeding; or (C) A party’s claim or defense and the main action have a question of law or fact in common.”

6. Pursuant to Section 9 of the Act, “any interested objectors may ... introduce such evidence as is material to the issue.”

7. In support of the Objector’s request, the Objector indicate in their petition that the classification should reflect the wage schedules as adopted in the various Collective Bargaining Agreements (Objector’s Exh. A Pg. 3).

8. Laborers perform work within the counties referenced in Section 1 above and are signed with contractors within the same counties, and if the Objector’s written notice of objections is granted in whole or in part, a direct, adverse impact on the Laborers’, and its subsidiary and affiliated local unions and their members may occur.

9. Laborers’ and its subsidiaries and affiliate local unions are necessary parties to this hearing because the Laborers are a party to collective bargaining agreements with

signatory contractors, who employ the Laborers' members in the counties referenced in Section 1 above.

10. As set forth above, the Laborers' will suffer adverse effects and are a necessary party under the clear intent of the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act and there is a common question of law and fact that must be resolved in order to justly rule on the Petitioner's Petition.

11. Permitting the Laborers' and its subsidiary and affiliate local unions to intervene will not cause undue delay or prejudice in this matter and will result in a full and fair resolution of the issues.

WHEREFORE, the Laborers' and its subsidiary and affiliate local union respectfully request the Administrative Law Judge to enter an Order granting this Laborers' Petition to Intervene.

Respectfully submitted,

The Great Plains Laborers' District Council and the
Downstate Illinois Laborers' District Council and
their subsidiary and affiliate local unions,

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Appendix A County Listing

Alexander
Bond
Calhoun
Cass
Champaign
Christian
Clay Edwards
Clinton
Coles
Cumberland
DeWitt
Douglas
Effingham
Fayette
Ford
Franklin
Gallatin
Greene
Hamilton
Hardin
Iroquois
Jackson
Jefferson
Jersey
Johnson
LaSalle
Livingston
Logan
Macon
Moultrie
Macoupin
Madison
Marion
Marshall
Mason
Massac
McLean
Menard
Monroe
Montgomery
Morgan
Perry
Piatt
Piatt
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Pulaski
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