

**OREGON PACIFIC-CASCADE CHAPTER, N.E.C.A.  
RAW LABOR COSTS STATE OF OREGON  
Local Union #280, I.B.E.W. Residential Journeyman Wireman Wages**

**January 1 to June 30, 2025**

									Apprentices hired before 1/1/2025		
		120%	110%	100%	90% Wireman	75% Wireman	65% Wireman	50% Wireman	80% Wireman	75% Wireman	65% Wireman
		GEN FOREMAN	FOREMAN	WIREMAN	FOURTH	THIRD	SECOND	FIRST	THIRD	SECOND	FIRST
<b>BASE WAGES</b>		<b>\$49.12</b>	<b>\$45.02</b>	<b>\$40.93</b>	<b>\$36.84</b>	<b>\$30.70</b>	<b>\$26.60</b>	<b>\$20.47</b>	<b>\$32.74</b>	<b>\$30.70</b>	<b>\$26.60</b>
N.E.B.F.	3.00%	1.47	1.35	1.23	1.11	0.92	0.80	0.61	0.98	0.92	0.80
<sup>1</sup> Cascade Pension	\$3.92	3.92	3.92	3.92	3.53	2.94			3.14		
<sup>1</sup> District 9 Pension	\$3.92	3.92	3.92	3.92	3.53	2.94			3.14		
Health & Welfare	<b>\$10.50</b>	<b>10.50</b>	<b>10.50</b>	<b>10.50</b>	<b>10.50</b>	<b>10.50</b>	<b>10.50</b>	<b>10.50</b>	<b>10.50</b>	<b>10.50</b>	<b>10.50</b>
Apprenticeship & Training	<b>2.00%</b>	<b>0.82</b>	<b>0.82</b>	<b>0.82</b>	<b>0.82</b>	<b>0.82</b>	<b>0.82</b>	<b>0.82</b>	<b>0.82</b>	<b>0.82</b>	<b>0.82</b>
LMCC	\$0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09
NLMCC	\$0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Admin Maintenance	0.60%	0.29	0.27	0.25	0.22	0.18	0.16	0.12	0.20	0.18	0.16
<sup>2</sup> N.E.C.A. Dues	0.75%	0.37	0.34	0.31	0.28	0.23	0.20	0.15	0.25	0.23	0.20
<sup>9</sup> Oregon Paid Sick Leave	3.50%	1.72	1.58	1.43	1.29	1.07	0.93	0.72	1.15	1.07	0.93
<b>COST PER HOUR</b>		<b>\$72.23</b>	<b>\$67.82</b>	<b>\$63.41</b>	<b>\$58.22</b>	<b>\$50.40</b>	<b>\$40.11</b>	<b>\$33.49</b>	<b>\$53.02</b>	<b>\$44.52</b>	<b>\$40.11</b>
<sup>10</sup> Oregon Paid Leave	0.40%	\$0.20	\$0.18	\$0.16	\$0.15	\$0.12	\$0.11	\$0.08	\$0.13	\$0.12	\$0.11
<sup>3</sup> Social Security	6.20%	3.05	2.79	2.54	2.28	1.90	1.65	1.27	2.03	1.90	1.65
Medicare	1.45%	0.71	0.65	0.59	0.53	0.45	0.39	0.30	0.47	0.45	0.39
<sup>4</sup> Workers' Compensation	6.20%	3.05	2.79	2.54	2.28	1.90	1.65	1.27	2.03	1.90	1.65
Workers' Benefit Fund	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02
<sup>5</sup> State Unemployment	2.40%	1.18	1.08	0.98	0.88	0.74	0.64	0.49	0.79	0.74	0.64
<sup>6</sup> Federal Unemployment	0.60%	0.29	0.27	0.25	0.22	0.18	0.16	0.12	0.20	0.18	0.16
<sup>7</sup> Liability Insurance	4.60%	2.26	2.07	1.88	1.69	1.41	1.22	0.94	1.51	1.41	1.22
<sup>8</sup> Lane Transit District	0.80%	0.39	0.36	0.33	0.29	0.25	0.21	0.16	0.26	0.25	0.21
<b>TOTAL DIRECT COST</b>		<b>\$83.38</b>	<b>\$78.03</b>	<b>\$72.70</b>	<b>\$66.56</b>	<b>\$57.37</b>	<b>\$46.16</b>	<b>\$38.14</b>	<b>\$60.46</b>	<b>\$51.49</b>	<b>\$46.16</b>

- <sup>1</sup> Cascade Pension and District 9 contributions for apprentices are equal to their % of Journeymen rate. 1st and 2nd period apprentices are exempt.
- <sup>2</sup> Only applies to NECA Members.
- <sup>3</sup> Maximum Social Security **\$176,100**. No salary maximum for Medicare.
- <sup>4</sup> Average base rate for industry; actual rate may vary based on individual contractors' x-mod, ins. co. rates, and/or prem./group/individual rate debits/credits.
- <sup>5</sup> Collected on the first **\$4,300** of annual gross payroll per employee.
- <sup>6</sup> Collected on the first **\$7,000** of annual gross payroll per employee.
- <sup>7</sup> Average rate for industry; actual may vary based on contractor/sub-contractor payroll, co. claims exp., type work performed, ins. co. rates, and/or years in business.
- <sup>8</sup> Lane County Transit District applicable to all hours worked in the Eugene/Springfield area.
- <sup>9</sup> As of 1.1.2023, Oregon Paid Sick Leave is estimated at 3.5% for all employers with 10 or more employees
- <sup>10</sup> As of 1.1.2025, Employer pay 40% of the contribution rate (1%) of gross wages capped at **\$176,100** required for employers with 25 or more employees

**Agreement Expires 12/31/2026**

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**LU280 apprenticeship is the Central Electrical JATC - MA# 3001**

**WAGE AND FRINGE BENEFITS**  
**LOCAL UNION 280 - IBEW Residential Agreement**  
**January 1 to June 30, 2025**

**WAGES:**

Master General Foreman	<b>\$49.12</b>		
Master Foreman	<b>\$45.02</b>		
Master Wireman	<b>\$40.93</b>		
<u>Apprentices</u>			
<b>Apprentices Hire before 1/1/2025</b>			
4th period - 90%	<b>\$36.84</b>		
3rd period - 75%	<b>\$30.70</b>	3rd period - 80%	<b>\$32.74</b>
2nd period - 65%	<b>\$26.60</b>	2nd period - 75%	<b>\$30.70</b>
1st period - 50%	<b>\$20.47</b>	1st period - 65%	<b>\$26.60</b>

**FRINGES: (per work hour unless otherwise noted)**

**Cascade Pension**

Master General Foreman	\$3.92		
Master Foreman	\$3.92		
Master Wireman	\$3.92		
<sup>1</sup> 4th Period - 90%	\$3.53		
<sup>1</sup> 3rd Period - 75%	<b>\$2.94</b>	3rd Period - 80%	<b>\$3.14</b>
<sup>1</sup> 2nd Period	EXEMPT		
<sup>1</sup> 1st Period	EXEMPT		

**District 9 Pension**

Master General Foreman	\$3.92		
Master Foreman	\$3.92		
Master Wireman	\$3.92		
<sup>1</sup> 4th Period - 90%	\$3.53		
<sup>1</sup> 3rd Period - 75%	<b>\$2.94</b>	3rd Period - 80%	<b>\$3.14</b>
<sup>1</sup> 2nd Period	EXEMPT		
<sup>1</sup> 1st Period	EXEMPT		

**NEBF** 3.00% x gross payroll

**Health & Welfare** **\$10.50**

**Apprenticeship & Training** **2.00%** x gross payroll of Master Wireman  
All classifications

**LMCC** \$0.09

**NLMCC** \$0.01

<sup>2</sup> **NECA Dues** 0.75% x gross payroll

**Oregon Paid Sick Leave** 3.50% x base wage

**Oregon Paid Leave** 0.40% x base wage

**Union Dues Deduct** 1.50% x gross payroll MGF, MF, MW and 4th period Apprentice

**Union Dues Deduct** 0.75% x gross payroll 1st, 2nd and 3rd period Apprentice

**Public Service Deduct** \$0.05

**Cope Deduct** \$0.05

**Admin Maintenance** 0.60% x gross payroll

**CASCADE 401(k)** ELECT

**Credit Union** ELECT

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