Memorandum of Agreement between The City of Saint Paul and

North Central States Regional Council of Carpenters

2014 Wage and Fringe Adjustment

APPENDIX B

1. The basic hourly wage rate for temporary employees and union-benefited employees appointed to the following class of positions **who are not** participating in PERA shall be:

	Effective
	05/01/2014
	(or closest pay period)
Carpenter	\$34.13*
Carpenter Foreman	\$36.13*
Building Inspector	
1st Step	\$34.13*
2nd Step	\$36.13*
3rd Step	\$42.93*
Senior Building Inspector	\$47.78*

2. The basic hourly wage rate for union-benefited employees appointed to the following class of positions **who are** participating in PERA:

	Effective
	05/01/2014
	(or closest pay period)
Carpenter	\$31.82*
Carpenter Foreman	\$33.69*
Building Inspector	
1st Step	\$31.82*
2nd Step	\$33.39*
3rd Step	\$40.03*
Senior Building Inspector	\$44.55*

^{*} This rate includes a taxable savings/dues contribution according to Appendix C.

Note: Effective January 1, 2011, the State of Minnesota increased the PERA rate to 7.25%. The PERA rate is subject to further increase or decrease by the State of Minnesota.

APPENDIX B (Continued)

All Building Inspectors shall be paid the appropriate step in accordance with Article 11.2 of the Collective Bargaining Agreement.

The total packages increases shall be allocated between wages and fringe benefits in a proportion decided by the Union. The increases shall be as follows:

• Effective 05/01/2015: \$1.45

If the Union elects to have the contributions listed in Appendix C increased or decreased, the Employer may adjust the above applicable rates for participating employees in such a way that the total cost of the package (wage rate plus contribution) remains constant.

Should the Employer hire apprentices to perform work under this Agreement, the Employer will pay apprentices in accordance with the duly adopted apprenticeship wage rates to be provided upon request by the Union or the Carpenters and Joiners Apprenticeship and Journeymen Training Trust Fund.

APPENDIX C

Effective May 1, 2014 (or closest pay period) the Employer shall:

- (1) contribute to a Union designated **Health, Welfare and Dental Fund** \$6.33 per hour for all hours worked by "participating employees," as defined in Articles 11.3, 11.4 and 11.5, of this Agreement.
- (2) contribute to a **Defined Benefit Pension Fund** \$9.45 per hour for all hours worked by "participating employees."
- (3) contribute to a **Defined Contribution Pension Fund** \$.94 per hour for all hours worked by "participating employees".
- (4) deduct 4% of gross wages earned to a Union designated **Working Dues Fund**, for all "participating employees." A payroll deduction in this amount shall be made from the hourly rates listed in Appendix B.
- (5) contribute to a **Savings Account** \$1.10 per hour for all hours worked by "participating employees." A payroll deduction in this amount shall be made from the hourly rates listed in Appendix B.
- (6) contribute to an **Apprenticeship Training Fund** \$.55 per hour for all hours worked by "participating employees."

All Contributions made in accordance with this Appendix C shall be forwarded to depositories as directed by the Union.

WITNESSES:

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