

Project Development Branch

Standards and Specifications Unit

**Memorandum**

**DATE**: September 22, 2017

**TO**: All holders of Standard Special Provisions

**FROM**: Larry Brinck, Standards and Specifications Engineer

**SUBJECT**: The Minimum Wages on Federal Aid Projects

Effective this date, our unit is issuing the revised **Minimum Wages, Colorado, U.S. Department of Labor, General Decision Number CO170019, MOD 3,** standard special provision. This revised standard special is **7 pages long**, and is dated **September 22, 2017**. It is to be included in all federal aid projects beginning with projects that have bid openings on **October 2, 2017** or later. Use this standard special provision on all federal-aid projects with contracts exceeding $2000, except for non-ARRA projects on roadways classified as local roads or rural minor collectors, which are exempt. Projects on local roads, rural minor collectors, and enhancement projects funded with ARRA funds are not exempt.

**MOD 3** changed the fringe benefits for these Power Equipment Operators - Hydraulic Backhoe, Drill Rig Caisson, Loader (6 cubic yards and under), Motor Grader, Crane, and Scraper in Denver and Douglas counties.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact this office.