

**Memorandum**

**DATE**: January 1, 2021

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

**FROM**: Shawn Yu, Standards and Specifications Unit Manager

**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 CO20210012** standard special provision. This revised standard special is 9 pages long, and is dated **January 1, 2021**. It is to be included in all federal aid projects beginning with projects that have bid openings on **January 11, 2021** 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.

This new decision changed the wages and fringe benefits for Carpenters (Excludes Form Work), Drill Rig Caisson Operators, and La Plata county Mechanics. It also updated the General Decision Number from CO20200012 to CO20210012.

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