

PA Prevailing Wage Act Training

Edge Strategic Consulting is offering training and technical assistance to local government and nonprofit administrators of federal programs to understand the Pennsylvania Prevailing Wage Act (PWA). The EDGE approach goes beyond the basic information and provides detailed understanding to implement PWA requirements, particularly problem-solving situations involving **small builders and contractors**.

This training is particularly useful given changes that impose PWA requirements even if a project receives only HUD funding. This change significantly impacts those small construction firms who perform housing rehabilitation and home construction. These small firms need guidance and assistance in administering the PWA wage rates. The Pennsylvania Department of Labor and Industry (L&I) also now issues “residential” wage rates that housing project administrators will learn how to deploy.



The EDGE approach to training supports an informal, but informative, experience to assure that attendees retain valuable information. All attendees will receive:

- **PA Prevailing Wage Act Reference Manual for Administrators of Federal Programs:** Full reference manual to understand PWA implementation.
- **PA Prevailing Wage Act Reference Manual for Contractors:** Condensed and simplified manual for contractors, particularly small firms. (Copies permitted.)
- **Training:** Divided into three sessions totaling approximately 3½ hours.
- **Training Materials:** Paper copies of the PowerPoint slides and other handouts.

PENNSYLVANIA PREVAILING WAGE ACT REFERENCE MANUAL

For Administrators of Federal Programs

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EDGE’s training and TA contains clearly presented examples and explanations of PWA procedures. Attendees are given instruction and training tools that enables them to train local contractors on PWA requirements. Training will cover:

- Overview of Labor Standards (Davis-Bacon vs. PWA)
- Local Agency Responsibilities – Start to Finish
- Description of Contractor Responsibilities
- Checklists for Local Administrators & Contractors
- Technology / Internet Resources
- Problem-Solving, Strategy Session