

Sheet Metal & Air Conditioning Contractors National Association



Plumbing and Mechanical Contractors Association



Sheet Metal Workers Local 16



Oregon State Association of Electrical Workers:

- IBEW 48
- IBEW 89
- IBEW 112
- IBEW 125
- IBEW 280
- IBEW 659
- IBEW 932

Support for HB 2646 Prevailing Wage Law and University Construction Projects

Our organizations urge your support of HB 2646 to bring consistency to prevailing wage law and university construction projects. By simply clarifying that prevailing wage law applies to all projects that will be owned by or used by an institution within the Oregon University System, *HB 2646 will achieve what most of us already believed to be the law.*

HB 2646 simply clarifies that prevailing wage law applies to all Oregon University System projects, including "leaseback" agreements where a public institution leases the building after construction is complete.

If public monies or lands are used for a university construction project or if the public institution is going to own or use the building after completion, we believe prevailing wage law should apply.

Prevailing wage law is good for Oregon workers and good for our economy.

This clarification will also ensure that payment of the appropriate wages can be verified through certified payroll documents that must be filed on all projects under existing prevailing wage law.

We urge your support of HB 2646

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