

Pipe Trades Serves MN



DATE: May 1, 2026

TO: All Contributing Employers-Mankato Area Zone II

RE: St. Paul Pipefitters Local #455 Mankato Area Apprentice Zone II Wage and Fringe Benefits Effective May 1, 2026

Fund	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5
Pension-Pipe Trades	\$ 2.13	\$ 2.44	\$ 2.66	\$ 3.45	\$ 5.04
Pension Supplement	\$ 0.25	\$ 1.00	\$ 0.70	\$ 1.00	\$ 2.00
Health & Welfare	\$ 14.23	\$ 14.23	\$ 14.23	\$ 14.23	\$ 14.23
MN PFML	\$ 0.14	\$ 0.14	\$ 0.14	\$ 0.14	\$ 0.14
Retiree Health Trust	\$ 1.50	\$ 1.50	\$ 1.50	\$ 1.50	\$ 1.50
Apprentice Training	\$ 0.05	\$ 0.15	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.25	\$ 0.33
Industry Fund	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.12
Int'l. Training Fund	\$ 0.10	\$ 0.10	\$ 0.10	\$ 0.10	\$ 0.10
Total Non-taxable	\$ 18.52	\$ 19.68	\$ 19.65	\$ 20.79	\$ 23.46
Credit Union*	\$ 1.07	\$ 1.24	\$ 1.35	\$ 1.97	\$ 2.22
Working Fee*	\$ 0.30	\$ 0.30	\$ 0.40	\$ 0.40	\$ 0.40
Total taxable	\$ 1.37	\$ 1.54	\$ 1.75	\$ 2.37	\$ 2.62
Total Benefit Rate	\$ 19.89	\$ 21.22	\$ 21.40	\$ 23.16	\$ 26.08

* = Taxable funds

Taxable Base Wage	\$ 22.28	\$ 24.77	\$ 29.60	\$ 31.66	\$ 36.38
Total w/out UA Pension	\$ 42.17	\$ 45.99	\$ 51.00	\$ 54.82	\$ 62.46

National Pension Fund Contribution effective 5-1-2026					
Fund					
National Pension Fund	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2.63	\$ 2.63	\$ 2.63
Total package with UA	\$ 42.17	\$ 45.99	\$ 53.63	\$ 57.45	\$ 65.09

Please note the following:

- * Fringe Benefits are to be paid at the overtime rate for all overtime including shift work
- * Please contact the fund office or local union if you have any questions about this change
- ** The \$2.63 per hour National Pension Fund contribution is sent directly to the National Pension fund each month.**

Sincerely
Pipe Trades Services MN