



CITY OF SAINT PAUL TRUCKING GUIDELINES

DEFINITION:

An Independent Truck Operator/Owner (ITO) is an individual, partnership, or principal stockholder of a corporation who owns or holds a vehicle under lease and who contracts that vehicle and the owner's services to an entity, which provides construction services for a city project.

REQUIREMENTS:

- Pursuant to Section 82.07 of the Saint Paul Administrative Code, Minnesota Statutes 177.41-44, and Minnesota Rules 5200.1100-1102, Independent Truck Operator/Owners must be paid in accordance with the Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry Truck Rental Rates.
- Contractors using ITOs must provide the city with bona fide demonstration of status of such entities **prior** to the final award of any contract. The contractor must provide:
 - (1) A Cab Card;
 - (2) Valid Driver's License and Registration;
 - (3) A copy of the previous year's tax filing; and
 - (4) Any other determination regarding status as defined by the State or Federal Department of Revenue.
- Proof of payment in the form of monthly trucking reports or certified payroll reports must be submitted by the contractor on behalf of the ITO.

EMPLOYEE TRUCK DRIVERS:

Truckers employed by the engaging contractor or subcontractor must be paid the prevailing wage rate according to the applicable job classification in the bid specifications, or if unavailable, pursuant to the Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry Prevailing Wage Rates, and must be included on employee payrolls.

IMPORTANT:

**Failure to provide the requested documentation will disallow the "ITO status"
And the individual(s) will be included on the engaging contractor's payroll
as employees, receiving pay as identified by the Prevailing Wage Rates
applicable to the project.**