



# ORDINANCE NO. 28622

1 AN ORDINANCE relating to pay and compensation; amending Chapter 1.12 of the  
 2 Tacoma Municipal Code to implement rates of pay and compensation for  
 3 employees represented by the International Brotherhood of Electrical  
 4 Workers, Local 483, Tacoma Power Unit, and declaring the effective date  
 5 thereof.

6 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF TACOMA:

7 Section 1. That Section 1.12.640 of the Tacoma Municipal Code is hereby  
 8 amended, effective retroactive to August 26, 2019, to read as follows:

9 **1.12.640 Application of additional rates.**

10 5255 Employees in the classification of Line Electrician working (excluding  
 11 housekeeping) in a vault or manhole that (1) exceeds 60 inches in depth, and  
 12 (2) contains energized (exposed) secondary bus or involves working on or within  
 13 two feet of energized primary equipment shall receive 3 percent above their base rate  
 14 of pay for the time actually worked in the vault (with a two-hour minimum), without  
 15 regard to Article 9.1 of the Collective Bargaining Agreement.

16 All Line Electrician (CSC 5255) applied rates shall be calculated using the base Line  
 17 Electrician rate. A journey-level Line Electrician (CSC 5255) shall be paid 79.9 percent  
 18 of the journey-level rate in the event he or she shall be required to perform all the  
 19 duties of a Line Electrician with the exception of normal climbing duties as established  
 20 in the civil service class specification 5255 Line Electrician. A Line Electrician when  
 21 assigned as a trouble person shall receive 7 percent above the Line Electrician rate.

22 Effective August 26, 2019, and as long as the October 2019 Trouble Crew Letter of  
 23 Agreement remains in effect, in lieu of the 7 percent above the Line Electrician rate set  
 24 forth in the preceding section, a Line Electrician assigned to work on the Trouble Crew  
 25 will receive 110 percent of the journey-level Line Electrician rate.

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Mayor

Attest:  
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 City Clerk

Approved as to form:  
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 Deputy City Attorney