

## **Department of Business Regulation**

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# **Insurance Bulletin Number 2022-3**

# **Auto Body Labor Rate Survey Reports 2022 Prevailing Labor Rates**

In accordance with <u>Insurance Bulletin 2022-2</u>, insurers and insurance groups that were determined to meet the criteria established in 230-RICR-20-05-10, i.e., greater than 1% market share, have submitted the 2022 Auto Body Labor Rate Survey Reports to this Department. The 2022 prevailing labor rates as established by these insurers follow:

#### **Progressive Group**

28.91%

(Group Market Share)

	Class A	Class B
Prevailing Sheet Metal/Refinish Rate	\$50.00	\$49.00
Prevailing Frame Rate	\$50.00	\$49.00
Prevailing Mechanical Rate	\$62.00	\$62.00
(Also noted Aluminum negotiated)		

#### **Berkshire Hathaway Insurance Group** 11.95% (Group Market Share)

	Class A	Class B
GEICO*:	·	
Prevailing Body/Paint Rate	\$49.00	\$49.00
Prevailing Frame Rate	\$49.00	\$49.00
Prevailing Mechanical Rate	\$56.00	\$56.00

<sup>\*</sup>Also noted gives adjusters discretion to make reasonable adjustments.

	Class A	Class B
National Indemnity:		
Prevailing Labor Rate (non-alum	inum) \$51.00	\$51.00

# **Allstate Insurance Group**

9.51% (Group Market Share)

	Class A	Class B
Prevailing Sheet Metal/Refinish Rate	\$50.00	\$48.00
Prevailing Frame Rate	\$50.00	\$49.00
Prevailing Mechanical Rate	\$59.00	\$59.00
Aluminum Rate	\$80.00	\$80.00

# **National Gen Group (now Allstate)**

0.60%

(Group Market Share)

	Class A	Class B
Prevailing Labor Rate	\$50.00	\$48.00
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#### **Liberty Mutual Group** 6.47% (Group Market Share) Class A Class B \$50.00 Prevailing Labor Rate \$48.00 **Amica Mutual Group** 6.10% (Group Market Share) Class A Class B \$46.00 Prevailing Labor Rate \$48.00 Aluminum Rate \$50.00 United Services Automobile Assn. Group 4.84% (Group Market Share) Class A Class B Prevailing Rate (Also negotiations in excess of prevailing rate in some markets) **Nationwide Corporation Group** 4.08% (Group Market Share) Class B Class A \$56.00 \$54.00 Prevailing Labor Rate (Also noted negotiations with body shops may take place and Aluminum negotiated) **Farmers Insurance Group** 3.10% (Group Market Share) Class A Class B \$52.00 Prevailing Labor Rate \$55.00 **Travelers Group** 2.78% (Group Market Share) Class A Class B Prevailing Labor Rate \$53.00 \$50.00 **Auto Club Enterprises Ins Grp** 2.34% (Group Market Share) Class A Class B Prevailing Sheet Metal Rate \$55.00 \$52.00 Prevailing Frame Rate \$56.00 \$58.00 Prevailing Mechanical Rate \$76.00 \$74.00 Aluminum \$79.00 \$79.00 **Mapfre Insurance Group** 2.31% (Group Market Share)

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Class A

\$51.00

Prevailing Labor Rate

(Also noted Aluminum negotiated)

Class B

\$50.00

### **Main Street America Group**

1.81%

(Group Market Share)

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<u>Class A</u> <u>Class B</u> Negotiated Negotiated

See Consent Agreement 2022-IN-008

#### **State Farm Group**

1.76%

(Group Market Share)

	Class A	Class B
Prevailing Sheet Metal Rate	\$55.00	\$54.00
Prevailing Frame Rate	\$54.00	\$54.00
Prevailing Mechanical Rate	\$84.00	\$84.00
(Also noted will continue to nego	tiate)	

#### **Selective Insurance Group**

1.64%

(Group Market Share)

	Class A	Class B
Prevailing Sheet Metal/Refinish Rate	\$58.00	\$58.00
Prevailing Frame Rate	\$64.00	\$64.00
Prevailing Mechanical Rate	\$100.00	\$100.00
Aluminum	\$125.00	\$125.00

#### **Rhode Island Automobile Ins Plan**

1.51%

(Co. Market Share)

	Class A	Class B
Prevailing Labor Rate	\$52.00	\$50.00

### **Ohio Mutual Group**

1.19%

(Group Market Share)

	Class A	Class B
Prevailing Sheet Metal Rate	\$65.00	\$52.00
Prevailing Frame Rate	\$65.00	\$56.00
Prevailing Mechanical Rate	\$73.50	\$73.50
Aluminum Rate	\$109.00	\$109.00
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(Also noted will continue to negotiate)

In accordance with <u>Insurance Bulletin 2022-2</u> insurers and insurance groups writing motor vehicle liability insurance that are not listed above (determined by the Department to have less than 1% market share) may voluntarily conduct the survey and file a report electronically with the Department at <u>dbr.specialreports@dbr.ri.gov</u> by September 1, 2022. If no report is filed, the insurer must negotiate the labor rate(s). The 2022 prevailing labor rates as established by these insurers follow:

### **Arbella Insurance Group**

	Class A	Class B
Prevailing Labor Rate	\$50.00	\$48.00

### **EMC Insurance Companies**

	Class A	Class B
Prevailing Sheet Metal Rate	\$48.00	\$48.00
Prevailing Frame Rate	\$50.00	\$50.00
Prevailing Mechanical Rate	\$60.00	\$60.00
Aluminum Rate	\$85.00	\$85.00

# **NLC Insurance Companies**

	Class A	Class B
Prevailing Labor Rate	\$52.00	\$52.00
Prevailing Mechanical Rate	\$60.00	\$60.00
(Also noted Aluminum negotiated)		

### **Privilege Underwriters Reciprocal Exchange (PURE)**

	Class A	Class B
Prevailing Sheet Metal Rate	\$57.00	\$57.00
Prevailing Frame Rate	\$57.00	\$57.00
Prevailing Mechanical Rate	\$65.00	\$65.00
Aluminum Refinish Rate	\$65.00	\$65.00
Aluminum Frame/Structural Rate	\$115.00	\$85.00

## **Quincy Mutual Group**

	Class A	<u>Class B</u>
Prevailing Labor Rate	\$48.00	\$46.00
Aluminum Structural Repair Rate	\$95.00	\$95.00

Questions regarding this Bulletin may be directed to <a href="mailto:dbr.specialreports@dbr.ri.gov">dbr.specialreports@dbr.ri.gov</a>.

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