

UA Local 653 — pay scale rate sheet

Plumbers & Pipefitters · Centralia, IL · Effective September 1, 2025

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UA Local 653 pays plumber and steamfitter (clinton (eastern 1/3) and washington (eastern 1/2) counties) members \$45.00/hr in straight-time wages, and \$66.54/hr once benefit and fringe contributions are added, effective September 1, 2025 per the U.S. Department of Labor Davis-Bacon general wage determination IL20260001 (rev 5), building construction, PLUM0653-002 09/01/2025: base rate \$45.00 plus printed fringes \$21.54 wage determination. Rates change with each contract cycle — confirm the current step with the Centralia, IL hall before quoting an offer.

Wage detail

Base hourly wage **\$45.00/hr**

Straight-time plumber and steamfitter (clinton (eastern 1/3) and washington (eastern 1/2) counties) rate on the current wage determination, before fringes.

Total package **\$66.54/hr**

Wage plus all employer-paid benefit and fringe contributions per hour worked.

Approximate annual wage **\$90,000/yr**

Derived: base hourly × 2,000 hours. Actual earnings depend on hours dispatched, overtime and travel.

Effective date **September 1, 2025**

Date this rate took effect under the agreement, as printed on the U.S. Department of Labor Davis-Bacon general wage determination IL20260001 (rev 5), building construction, PLUM0653-002 09/01/2025: base rate \$45.00 plus printed fringes \$21.54 wage determination.

PLUMBER AND STEAMFITTER (CLINTON (EASTERN 1/3) AND WASHINGTON (EASTERN 1/2) COUNTIES)

Rate applies to this classification only. Apprentice steps, foremen and shift work are paid on separate lines of the wage determination.

Benefits & fringe contributions

Roughly 32% of the UA Local 653 package is employer-paid benefits and fringes rather than wages, which is why the package figure and a take-home hourly rate are not the same number.

Benefit & fringe contributions **\$21.54/hr**

Printed as the fringe line on U.S. Department of Labor, Wage and Hour Division determination IL20260001, schedule PLUM0653-002.

What the contributions fund **Health & welfare, pension, annuity, training and industry funds**

Standard fund categories in mechanical and electrical agreements. The exact split between funds is set in the local's agreement — the hall or fund office publishes the schedule.

Paid on **Every hour worked**

Fringe contributions are made per hour worked, so they scale with dispatched hours and are paid to the funds rather than to the member.

Source & currency

Source: U.S. Department of Labor Davis-Bacon general wage determination IL20260001 (rev 5), building construction, PLUM0653-002 09/01/2025: base rate \$45.00 plus printed fringes \$21.54 — <https://sam.gov/wage-determination/IL20260001/5#local-653>

High confidence. Read directly from the primary source (U.S. Department of Labor Davis-Bacon general wage determination IL20260001 (rev 5), building construction, PLUM0653-002 09/01/2025: base rate \$45.00 plus printed fringes \$21.54) and cross-checked at build time. Highest confidence for offer benchmarking.

Last cross-checked against the source on Oct 1, 2026.

Source document: U.S. Department of Labor, Wage and Hour Division Davis-Bacon Act determination IL20260001 (mod 5), published 2026-05-21.

Schedule line PLUM0653-002 — Building construction, scope: Counties listed on IL20260001.

Classification as printed: PLUMBER AND STEAMFITTER (CLINTON (EASTERN 1/3) AND WASHINGTON (EASTERN 1/2) COUNTIES)

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