

Corrected Pay Chart for December 10 News Service Bulletin

Due to a formatting error, the Dec. 10, 2002, *News Service Bulletin* (Vol. 32, No. 21) incorrectly labeled pay rates.

The following are the correct rates for Level 5, Step O and Level 6, Step O.

		Effective Date	Grade 5, Step O	Increase	Grade 6, Step O	Increase
1998 - 2000 Contract	Last Increase	Sept. 9, 2000	40,472		41,484	
2000 - 2003 Contract	First General Increase	Nov. 18, 2000	40,952	480	41,983	499
	Second General Increase	Nov. 17, 2001	41,679	727	42,725	742
	First COLA	March 9, 2002	41,679	0	42,725	0
	Second COLA	Sept. 7, 2002	41,991	312	43,037	312
	Third General Increase	Nov. 16, 2002	42,558	567	43,613	576
	Third COLA *	March 8, 2003	42,891	333	43,946	333
	Fourth COLA *	Sept. 6, 2003	43,203	312	44,258	312
	Contract Extension	Fourth General Increase	Nov. 15, 2003	43,765	562	44,833
Fifth COLA *		March 6, 2004	44,077	312	45,145	312
Sixth COLA *		Sept. 4, 2004	44,493	416	45,561	416
Fifth General Increase **		Nov. 27, 2004	45,055	562	46,136	575
Seventh COLA *		March 5, 2005	45,367	312	46,448	312
Eight COLA *		Sept. 17, 2005	45,741	374	46,822	374

* These COLAs are estimated based on a projection of the CPI-W index provided by Joel Popkin & Co. - a firm that specializes in wage and price projections.

** These general increases are calculated on the September 6, 2003 wage which includes estimations of COLA.