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COMPENSATION PLAN WAGE AND HOUR LAWS

PROPOSED REVISIONS

Classification of Positions	The Superintendent or designee shall determine the classification of positions or employees as "exempt" or "nonexempt" for pur- poses of payment of overtime in compliance with the Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA).
Exempt	The District shall pay employees who are exempt from the over- time pay requirements of the FLSA on a salary basis. The salaries of these employees are intended to cover all hours worked, and the District shall not make deductions that are prohibited under the FLSA.
	An employee who believes deductions have been made from his or her salary in violation of this policy should bring the matter to the District's attention, through the District's complaint policy. [See DGBA] If improper deductions are confirmed, the District will reim- burse the employee and take steps to ensure future compliance with the FLSA.
Nonexempt	Nonexempt employees may be compensated on an hourly basis or on a salary basis. Employees who are paid on an hourly basis shall be compensated for all hours worked. Employees who are paid on a salary basis are paid for up to and including a 40-hour workweek.
	A nonexempt employee shall have the approval of his or her super- visor before working overtime. An employee who works overtime without prior approval is subject to discipline but shall be compen- sated in accordance with the FLSA.
Workweek Defined	For purposes of FLSA compliance, the workweek for District employees shall begin at 12:00 a.m. <u>MondaySaturday</u> and end at 11:59 p.mSunday-Friday.
Compensatory Time	At the District's option, nonexempt employees may receive com- pensatory time off, rather than overtime pay, for overtime work. The employee shall be informed in advance if overtime hours will ac- crue compensatory time rather than pay.
Accrual	Compensatory time earned by nonexempt employees may not ac- crue beyond a maximum of 60 hours. If an employee has a bal- ance of more than 60 hours of compensatory time, the District shall require the employee to use the compensatory time, or at the Dis- trict's option, the District shall pay the employee for the compensa- tory time.
Use	Compensatory time may be used at either the employee's or the District's option. An employee may use compensatory time in ac- cordance with the District's leave policies and if such use does not unduly disrupt the operations of the District. [See DEC(LOCAL)]

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DEAB (LOCAL)

The District may require an employee to use compensatory time when in the best interest of the District.