Collin County Community College District Board of Trustees

Item 2. Campus Facilities and Construction Committee September 27, 2016

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TITLE: Discussion of Prevailing Wage Rates required by Board

Policy CM (Legal) and Government Code Chapter 2258 for

Construction Projects

DISCUSSION: Board Policy CM (Legal) and Chapter 2258 of the Texas

Government Code require each political subdivision of the state to determine the prevailing rate of per diem wages for

each craft or type of worker in the locality in which a construction project is to be performed, and the general prevailing rate of per diem wages for legal holiday and

overtime work.

Chapter 2258 requires that a worker employed on a construction project for that political subdivision shall be paid not less than the general prevailing rate. It also provides that a contractor, or subcontractor of the contractor, awarded a construction project by the political subdivision, shall pay not less than the determined rate.

Chapter 2258 also requires that the solicitation for bids for a construction contract, and the contract itself, specify the calculated prevailing wage rates.