ORDINANCE NO. 14-2005

WHEREAS, the State of Illinois has enacted "An Act regulating wages of laborers, mechanics and other workers employed in any public works by the State, county, city or any public body or any political subdivision or by any one under contract for public works," approved June 26, 1941, as amended, (Ill. Rev. Stat. 1987, Ch. 48, ¶39s-1 et seq. as amended by Public Acts 86-799 and 86-693) and

WHEREAS, the aforesaid Act requires that the City Council of the City of Athens investigate and ascertain the prevailing rate of wages as defined in said Act for laborers, mechanics and other workers in the locality of said City of Athens employed in performing construction of public works, for said City of Athens.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATHENS:

SECTION 1: To the extent and as required by "An Act regulating wages of laborers, mechanics and other workers employed in any public works by State, county, city or any public body or any political subdivision or by any one under contract for public works," approved June 26, 1941, as amended, the general prevailing rate of wages in this locality for laborers, mechanics and other workers engaged in construction of public works coming under the jurisdiction of the City of Athens is hereby ascertained to be the same as the prevailing rate of wages for construction work in Menard County area as determined by the Department of Labor of the

State of Illinois as of June, 2005, a copy of that determination being attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. As required by said Act, any and all revisions of the prevailing rate of wages by the Department of Labor of the State of Illinois shall supersede the Department's June determination and apply to any and all public works construction undertaken by the City of Athens. The definition of any terms appearing in this Ordinance which are also used in aforesaid Act shall be the same as in said Act.

SECTION 2: Nothing herein contained shall be construed to apply said general prevailing rate of wages as herein ascertained to any work or employment except public works construction of the City of Athens to the extent required by the aforesaid Act.

SECTION 3: The City Clerk shall publicly post or keep available for inspection by any interested party in the main office of this City of Athens this determination of such prevailing rate of wage.

SECTION 4: The City Clerk shall mail a copy of this determination to any employer, and to any association of employers and to any person or association of employees who have filed their names and addresses, requesting copies of any determination stating the particular rates and the particular class of workers whose wages will be affected by such rates.

SECTION 5: The City Clerk shall promptly file a certified copy of this Ordinance with both the Secretary of State and the Department of Labor of the State of Illinois.

SECTION 6: The City Clerk shall cause to be published in a

newspaper of general circulation within the area a copy of this Ordinance, and such publication shall constitute notice that the determination is effective and that this is the determination of this public body.

PASSED by the City Council and APPROVED by the Mayor this 13th day of June, A. D., 2005.

AYES: Aldermen: Harry Nichols, Jan Shirley, Tom Wenninger, Tony Doellman, Larry Buh

NAYS: _____

ABSENT: Aldermen Jeff Lopian

Debra J. Richardson
Mayor, City of Athens

(CORPORATE SEAL)

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