

Save the Date!

March 20: Survey goes out

May 20: Survey due back

July 20: Survey available

for purchase

18th Annual Wage Survey

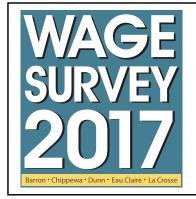
The 2017 Chippewa Valley Wage Survey will now include the Coulee Region, changing its name to the Chippewa Valley & Coulee Region Wage Survey. The survey will be **distributed in March and published in July.** This will allow more employers to use the information for budgeting and compensation planning purposes.

Businesses will receive an email about participating in the survey on March 20th. We need area employers to contribute their data in order to keep the survey viable and relevant; data is kept confidential. We have made it easy to participate, so please review the instructions and complete the forms when received.

Businesses that don't receive the forms can obtain them through the Chamber website at www.eauclairechamber.org under "Programs & Services" and choose "Chippewa Valley Wage Survey" to download them, in either paper or Excel format, available March 20th. There is a minimal cost to receive the report when it is available in July, and Chamber or CVSHRM membership qualifies businesses for discounted pricing.

This regional survey has been conducted annually since 2000, making this our **18th year!** The survey has its roots in a Chamber of Commerce "Leadership Eau Claire" project, and now covers employers primarily in Eau Claire, Chippewa, Dunn and Barron counties (and a few other neighboring areas). It is currently co-sponsored by the chambers of commerce in Eau Claire, Chippewa Falls, La Crosse, Menomonie, and Rice Lake, as well as Chippewa Valley Society for Human Resource Management (CVSHRM) and the La Crosse Area Society for Human Resource Management (LASHRM). Accounting and consulting firm, Wipfli LLP, has volunteered HR consulting services for survey development, oversight, data analysis and reporting since the survey's inception in 2000.

The survey covers about **150 common jobs** in the area, with breakouts in **manufacturing**,**healthcare**, **financial institutions** and **non-profits**.



Watch your e-mail for more information!

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