

<u>Number of Responses</u>	<u>Hours per Responses</u>
4,557	3

Cost to review and approve approvals PHMSA used annual wage data from the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) to estimate wages for its staff at the 2023 General Schedule (GS) level 13, step 1, wage class for the Washington-Baltimore-Northern Virginia metropolitan area. In accordance with the OMB Circular No. A-76 (M-07-02; 2006), PHMSA included a load factor of 36.45 percent for the Federal wage to account for fringe benefits.

\$54 36.45%

<u>Total Burden Hours</u>	<u>Salary Cost per Hour</u>	<u>Total Salary Cost</u>
13,671	\$73.68	\$1,007,312

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