

**Notice of Public Meeting  
of the**

**AUTO BODY LABOR RATE ADVISORY BOARD**

**April 17, 2025  
Open Meeting 2:00 p.m.**

Webcast URL is available at:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82096931233?pwd=yhHRPauZv1kuJgbOB50lHrAHLrzEvF.1>

**In accordance with G.L. c. 30A, §20 and 940 C.M.R. 29.03, notice is hereby given of an open meeting of the Auto Body Labor Rate Advisory Board to be held remotely, on the above-captioned date.**

Agenda:

1. Opening Statement and Roll Call
2. Introduction of Members
3. Meeting Format/Ground Rules
  - All virtual board meetings will be recorded. Please be mindful of what is in view of the camera.
  - Mute your microphone when you are not speaking
  - Board members must keep their cameras on during virtual meetings
  - Board members should stay on the topic being discussed
  - Try not to interrupt others and share only when someone finishes speaking
4. Areas of Investigation ([Acts of 2024, c. 238, § 292](#)):
  - a. Labor rates in other states
  - b. Auto body shop operating costs
  - c. Total Labor Costs
  - d. Inflation Data
  - e. Work force data
  - f. Vocational technical school trends
  - g. Insurance Premium impact
  - h. Any additional information requested by the board.
5. The labor rate advisory board's responsibility for creating, implementing, and overseeing a survey to be given to relevant auto body shops. ([Acts of 2024, c. 238, § 292](#))
  - a. RI survey
  - b. LaborRateHero Survey template
  - c. Modified versions of these surveys
  - d. Other possible surveys

6. Scheduling a meeting for hearing public testimony
7. Timeline Discussion
8. Next Meeting Date
9. Closing Remarks and Adjourning Meeting

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Commonwealth, Regulations Division ([regs@sec.state.ma.us](mailto:regs@sec.state.ma.us))

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