



CITY OF PHILADELPHIA

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IMPORTANT NOTICE

WAGE TAX RATE REDUCTION

The rate for Philadelphia Wage tax for taxable compensation paid on or after July 1, 2009 is reduced as follows:

Residents of Philadelphia	3.9296% (.039296)
Non-Residents of Philadelphia	3.4997% (.034997)

Wage tax is to be withheld and remitted at the rate in effect on the date of the paycheck; for example, a check dated July 1 for the period June 16, 2009 to June 30, 2009 ó the wage tax should be withheld at the rates effective as of July 1, 2009. **The controlling factor in determining which rate to use is the rate in effect on the date the taxable compensation is actually paid to the employee.**

If you have additional questions, you may call the Technical Staff at 215-686-6434 or send an e-mail to revenue@phila.gov