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Person Number First Name Last Name Address C City, St Zip

Dear First Name Last Name

The Oklahoma Police Pension Retirement System (OPPRS) has provided the City and retirees notification that beginning January 1, 2024, deductions for premiums for insurance will cease and no longer be taken from your pension check. These premiums covered your medical, dental, vision and/or life insurance.

To continue your coverage for 2024, you must establish an alternative arrangement to pay for your insurance plan elections.

Enclosed you will find an ACH authorization form to complete and return to the City. This allows the City to draft the premiums due either on the 5th or 15th day of each month. The ACH authorization form must be completed and returned no later than December 1st to take effect for January 2024. The pension check you receive at the end of December will cover December 2023 premiums due. The new monthly invoices will be generated on or around the 20th of each month payable for the following month. As an example, the invoice you receive in December will be payable to your January premium due.

The City has partnered with the Retired Police Officers Association to offer a special on-site enrollment opportunity for Police retirees at the FOP Lodge, 1624 S Agnew Ave, Oklahoma City, OK 73108.

Benefit staff will be on-site to assist with any questions or completion of the ACH form:

- Tuesday, October 24 from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm
- Wednesday, October 25 from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm
- Thursday, October 26 from 1:00 pm to 7:00 pm

If you are unable to attend this opportunity, our general retiree on-site enrollment will be Monday, November 6th through Wednesday, November 8th from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm at the Central Maintenance Facility, 3738 SW 15th St., Building #3, Oklahoma City, OK 73108.

Completed forms and elections can also be mailed or emailed to the following:

City of Oklahoma City Employee Benefits Division 420 W Main, Ste 110 Oklahoma City, OK 73102 eb@okc.gov

FAQs

Why am I receiving this notice?

The Oklahoma Police Pension Retirement System (OPPRS) will no longer deduct insurance premiums from your pension check beginning January 1, 2024. You **must** establish a direct billing with the City of Oklahoma City to maintain your insurance coverage.

What action do I need to take?

Complete the enclosed ACH authorization and return to City of Oklahoma City Employee Benefits by December 1, 2023.

What is ACH?

ACH is an electronic fund transfer made between banks and credit unions. This allows the City of Oklahoma City to automatically deduct your insurance premiums each month from either your checking or savings account.

Why is ACH only offered on the 5th and 15th?

The City of Oklahoma City offers two options to have amounts automatically deducted from a retiree's checking or savings account. This allows flexibility for the retiree to choose the best option while still meeting the financial requirement between the City and its vendors to submit payments within contractual timeframe.

Will I receive a monthly invoice?

You will still receive a monthly invoice on or around the 20th of each month which will indicate the amount to be deducted from your checking or savings account on either the 5th or 15th of the following month.

I do not have a bank account to utilize ACH, what other options do I have?
 If you choose not to have your deductions automatically transferred from your account each month, you can mail a check to cover your insurance premiums.
 Please contact Employee Benefits at 405.297.2144 or by email at eb@okc.gov to discuss this option and set up a direct bill.



ACH DEBIT AUTHORIZATION FORM

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The ACH Debit Authorization is your consent to draft the sum of your monthly premiums for Major Medical, Dental, Vision and/or Life premiums from your checking/savings account each month on the date you have selected. Draft or cancellation will be effective the month following Employee Benefit's receipt of the signed form.

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