



Starting your Pension?

HERE ARE SOME THINGS TO KNOW

- Direct Deposit is on the 1st business day of every month. Paper checks are mailed the last business day of the month prior. A pension calendar is available on our website ohiolaborers.com
- You can view your payment history at any time by accessing your member portal MemberXG from our website.
- You were given the opportunity to have Federal and state of Ohio taxes withheld from your pension. There are penalties for failure to pay Federal and State income taxes on time. If you want to change your withholding decision, you just need to complete new forms which are available on our website.



- You will receive a 1099-R by the end of January for tax season.
- You may receive a **Proof of Existence** form every year, around the beginning of June. If you receive one, you will be required to sign and return the form to continue receiving your pension payments on time.



- Please contact the Benefits Office if you have a change of address. This ensures no interruptions to your insurance and pension benefits.
- If you elected a spousal option and your spouse passes away before you, your benefit will be adjusted to the Single Life option after you notify the Benefits Office.



- If you elected a spousal option and you get divorced after you retire, your ex- spouse will still be entitled to a survivor benefit unless the Benefits Office receives a Qualified Domestic Relations Order (QDRO) in which your spouse divests his/her right to the survivor benefit.
- Except for the examples in the previous two bullet points, you cannot change the option you elected after you retire.
- If you are participating in retiree health insurance, you may jeopardize your insurance coverage if you should return to work. For additional information regarding insurance coverage, please contact the Insurance Department.



For other pension or insurance related questions - please call the Benefits Office. For more FAQs, please visit our website. Follow us on social media to stay up to date with your benefits information.

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