

NORTHERN NEVADA OPERATING ENGINEERS

Health and Welfare Trust Fund

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IMPORTANT NOTICE of Alternative Manner Furnishing ACA 1095-B Statements (minimum essential coverage)

Dear Participant and Dependent:

Pursuant to the Paperwork Burden Reduction Act, the Northern Nevada Operating Engineers Health & Welfare Trust Fund Plan is no longer required to automatically provide you with a copy of the Affordable Care Act's Form 1095-B Minimum Essential Coverage Statement ("ACA Form 1095-B") unless you request a copy. The ACA Form 1095-B pertains to tax statements reporting that you and your eligible Dependent(s) had health coverage with the Plan. Although the individual shared responsibility penalty was eliminated during the 2019 tax year the Plan is still required to file the ACA Form 1095-B with the IRS.

The Notice is to inform you that you have the right to receive no later than January 31st of the year following the calendar year for which the return was required to be made **OR** within 30 days of the date of your request, a copy of the Plan's ACA Form 1095-B upon request to the Trust Fund office. To illustrate, if you request a copy of the Plan's Form 1095-B in July 2025 then a copy of the Plan's 2025 ACA Form 1095-B must be furnished to you within 30 days after your request. However, you would not be entitled to receive a copy of the Plan's 2025 Form 1095-B until January 31, 2026.

Your request may be provided electronically if you give us your consent to send the statement to you via e-mail.

To request a copy of your ACA Form 1095-B, please either call the Trust Fund office at (775) 826-7200 or make a written request by e-mailing Ldarnall@bpareno.com or by mailing your written request to the following address:

**Benefit Plan Administrators
445 Apple Street, Suite 109
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In your request, please make sure to note whether you want your 1095-B statement mailed to you or sent to you via e-mail (please also provide your e-mail address). If you have any questions, please contact the Trust Fund office at the number above.