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Dear Employer,

Pursuant to the Collective Bargaining Agreement effective May 11, 2016 employers are required to provide to their employees enrollment option for commuter benefits (aka Transit Check). These benefits can provide savings for both employers and employees. Employers can save by reducing their payroll taxes. The more employees sign up for transit check benefits, the more savings that may be realized by the employer. By enrolling in the program employees can lower their monthly expenses by using pre-tax income to pay for their commute.

Attached is a list of third-party providers that manage commuter benefits programs.

You can call any of the providers listed for enrollment information.

Any other inquires regarding Transit Check can be directed to JIB Political Affairs Liaison Humberto Restrepo at (718) 591-2000, ext. 1599; email:

[hrestrepo@jibei.com](mailto:hrestrepo@jibei.com)

Please note that your commuter service program should be in place by September 1, 2016.

Regards,

Dr. Gerald Finkel  
Chairman, JIB

## Transit Check

Information regarding Commuter Benefits can be viewed on the Following NYC Consumer Affairs Website:

<http://www1.nyc.gov/site/dca/about/pre-tax-transit-benefits-law.page>

### **How do employees sign up for a commuter benefits program?**

Employers provide their eligible employees with the appropriate enrollment materials to participate in the employer-administered commuter benefits program or a third party provider's commuter benefits program.<sup>1</sup>

The following list of third-party providers that manage commuter benefits program appears on the NYC Consumer Affairs Website. The Joint Industry Board of The Electrical Industry does not endorse any provider and is not responsible for the services rendered by a provider.

Provider	Website	Contact Info.
Ameriflex	<a href="https://www.myameriflex.com/Employer/Home">https://www.myameriflex.com/Employer/Home</a>	(844) 423-4636 Ext. 2 <a href="mailto:info@myameriflex.com">info@myameriflex.com</a>
Benefit Resource, Inc.	<a href="http://www.benefitresource.com/">http://www.benefitresource.com/</a>	Andy Musolino (917) 359-9730 <a href="mailto:amusolino@benefitresources.com">amusolino@benefitresources.com</a>
Commuter Benefit Solutions	<a href="http://commuterbenefits.com/">http://commuterbenefits.com/</a>	(800) 531-2828
Flex Facts	<a href="http://flexfacts.com/service-commuter.php">http://flexfacts.com/service-commuter.php</a>	(877) 943-2287 Ext. 145 <a href="mailto:Info@Flexfacts.com">Info@Flexfacts.com</a>
Leading Edge Administrators	<a href="http://www.leadingedgeadmin.com/transitplus">http://www.leadingedgeadmin.com/transitplus</a>	(212) 278-0754
myCafeteriaPlan	<a href="http://www.mycafeteriaplan.com/">http://www.mycafeteriaplan.com/</a>	(800) 865-6543 <a href="mailto:info@myCafeteriaPlan.com">info@myCafeteriaPlan.com</a>
Qualified Transportation Benefits	<a href="http://www.qtbsservices.com/">http://www.qtbsservices.com/</a>	(516) 794-1953 Ext. 22 <a href="mailto:info@qtbsservices.com">info@qtbsservices.com</a>
TotalBen, LLC	<a href="http://www.totalben.com/commuter">http://www.totalben.com/commuter</a>	(718) 535-7070 <a href="mailto:info@totalben.com">info@totalben.com</a>
* Wageworks Commuter Services	<a href="http://www.wageworks.com/">http://www.wageworks.com/</a>	Alex Four-Rosenbaum, Sales Manager (646) 839-1905 <a href="mailto:Alex.fourrosenbaum@wageworks.com">Alex.fourrosenbaum@wageworks.com</a>
* Beneflex	<a href="http://www.flexaccount.com/">http://www.flexaccount.com/</a>	Bill Catuzzi, President, Beneflex Inc. Office (732) 428-8280 Cell (908) 337-3040 <a href="mailto:BCatuzzi@flexaccount.com">BCatuzzi@flexaccount.com</a>

<sup>1</sup> <http://www1.nyc.gov/site/dca/about/commuter-benefits-FAQs.page>

\* Third party commuter service providers currently used by some participating employers. There may be other providers being used unbeknown to the JIB.