# St. Louis – Kansas City Carpenters Regional Council Retirement Checklist





Are you considering retirement? Review the checklist below to make sure there are no loose ends when you're ready to hang up your toolbelt or begin drawing your retirement benefits.

## ☐ Pension

Contact your Pension Office to begin the retirement process. If you are unsure which pension plan you participate in, contact your Local Representative.

Carpenters Pension Trust Fund of St. Louis Carp 1419 Hampton Ave, St. Louis, MO 63139 895 314.644.4802, # 2 OR 877.232.3863, #2 314

Carpenters Pension Fund of Kansas City 8955 East 38<sup>th</sup> Terr, Kansas City, MO 64129 314.644.4802, #2 OR 816.931.3414

Carpenters Pension Fund of Illinois (Geneva) 1431 Opus Pl, Ste 350, Downers Grove, IL 60515 800.448.5825

Kansas Building Trades Open End Pension Fund 4101 Southgate Drive, Topeka, KS 66609 785.267.0140

## □ Annuity

St. Louis – Kansas City Carpenters Regional Annuity Plan was established in May 2019. Benefit payments do not commence until May 1, 2022. Contact Carpenters Benefit Office to learn more about your annuity benefits.

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#### ☐ Union

Determine if you plan to continue working. Notify your Central Dues office.

St. Louis Central Dues Office: 314.644.7200 Kansas City Central Dues Office: 816.931.7265

When you retire, you may:

- a. Begin to pay your Window Dues at a reduced Retired rate.
- b. Begin to have your Window Dues deducted from your Pension benefit automatically monthly (St. Louis and Kansas City only). You will need to complete a Dues Authorization Form in the St. Louis Pension Office to begin this process.

### ☐ Health and Welfare<sup>1</sup>

If you have health coverage, call 314.644.4802, #1 to talk with a Member Service Representative.

- a. Determine when your health coverage ends.
- b. Go through your options to continue coverage through Carpenters or the process of selecting other coverage.

<sup>1</sup>Understand you must continue paying your union Window Dues to continue health coverage under the plan. This includes continuing coverage under the Non-Active provisions of the plan or to be eligible for Medicare Supplement coverage through UnitedHealthcare's Group Medicare Advantage program.