Participation Status Change Form

Termination / Separation / Retirement / Reduction in hours / COBRA notice

E-mail, fax, or mail completed form and itemized verification to third-party administrator.

MONTANAVEBA HEALTH REIMBURSEMENT ACCOUNT

Montana VEBA HRA Third-party Administrator

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Use this from to notify the third-party administrator when a **currently enrolled employee/participant**:

- Is voluntarily or involuntarily terminated other than for gross misconduct (e.g. separation, retirement, etc);
- 2. Experiences a reduction of hours affecting eligibility; or
- 3. Passes away.

Any of the above events may constitute a **COBRA qualifying event** if the employee/participant stops receiving employer contributions to which they or their qualified beneficiaries would have otherwise been entitled (e.g. ongoing monthly contributions). To comply with federal COBRA requirements, employers must notify the third-party administrator (TPA) **within 30 days** when a **COBRA qualifying event** occurs.

NOTE: <u>DO NOT</u> complete this form for employees who are becoming **new Montana VEBA HRA Plan participants** due to receipt of contributions at termination, separation from service from service, or retirement. Report information for these employees on their enrollment forms.

Employer Name		Employer ID No.					
2 AUTHORIZED SIGNATUR	RE (required)						
X							
X Authorized Signature		Date					

3 PARTICIPANT SEPARATION / REDUCTION OF HOURS / COBRA EVENT DETAIL

If yes, check the appropriate qualifying event description and enter the projected monthly contribution amount.

Participant Last Name	First Name	M.I.	Participant Acc't No. or SSN	Date of Event	Is this a COBRA qualifying event?	Voluntary Termination	Involuntary Termination	Reduction of Hours	Death of Participant	Projected Monthly Contributions*
1					□ Yes □ No					\$
2					□ Yes □ No					\$
3					□ Yes □ No					\$
4					□ Yes □ No					\$
5					□ Yes □ No					\$
6					□ Yes □ No					\$
7					□ Yes □ No					\$

^{*} Enter the projected monthly contribution amount that would have otherwise been contributed had the COBRA qualifying event not occurred.