

City of Waterbury

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Health Savings Account Employee Authorization for Payroll Deduction (2025)

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This form is for employees who want to have money withheld from their paychecks by their employer and deposited into their health savings account (HSA) on a pre-tax basis. You must be enrolled in a High Deductible Health Plan (HDHP) with an HSA before you can start a payroll deduction.

I WiSh to: Begin a Deduction Change my Deduction Stop my Deduction Effective Date or Decline Enrollment in HSA through City of Waterbury		
Section 1: Employee Information		
Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)	Employee ID # (on your paystub)	
Home Phone	Work/Mobile Phone	
Section 2: Your Per-Paycheck HSA Contribution		
This is the amount I would like to contribute per paycheck		_
Section 3: Lump Sum Contribution For those who receive a large check for payout purposes, you may elect a flat dollar amount in lieu of or in addition to your normal weekly/biweekly contribution. The larger, additional one-time only election will apply only to the current year and will not be repeated automatically in the next year, without a new signed election form.		
Sick Payout 2025 (August Payment) Elect an amount to be contributed to your HSA \$		
Holiday Payout 2025 (December Payment) Elect an amount to be contributed to your HSA \$		
Section 4: Employee's Signature Required		
By signing this form, I am requesting that either payroll deductions be started or changed as shown in Section 2 above and agree to the following terms. If I have elected to Opt-out of the HSA account, I will not be eligible for the City's contribution. I understand there are maximum limits I can contribute to my HSA per IRS rules and I may be liable for tax penalties if I exceed this amount. This request replaces any previous payroll deduction requests to be made to my HSA.		
Employee's Signature	Date	

For Your Reference

For calendar year 2025, the annual limitation on contributions under § 223(b)(2)(A) for an individual with **self-only coverage** under a high deductible health plan is **\$4,300**.

For calendar year 2025, the annual limitation on contributions under § 223(b)(2)(B) for an individual with **family coverage** under a high deductible health plan is **\$8,550**.

HSA catch-up contributions (age 55 or older) will allow an additional \$1,000.

Catch-up contributions can be made any time during the year in which the HSA participant turns 55.

If the City has or will make a contribution into your HSA account during the tax year, that amount must be considered in the annual limitation.

Should you wish to calculate your maximum contributions, please see the reverse side for a complete worksheet.

Section 1: Calculate Your Maximum HSA Contribution **Individual HSA Family HSA** Maximum amount that can be put in your Maximum amount that can be put in your Α HSA for 2025: \$4,300.00 HSA for 2025: \$8,550.00 Are you 55 or older? Are you 55 or older? В If NO, write \$0. If YES, write \$1,000. If NO, write \$0. If YES, write \$1,000. How much will the City contribute in 2025: How much will the City contribute in 2025: FIRE, Police: \$1,000 FIRE, Police: \$2,000 A + B - C =A + B - C =D This is the **most** you can contribute in 2025 This is the **most** you can contribute in 2025 If you exceed the amount in D, you risk paying IRS tax penalties. If you are submitting a midyear change, be sure to include any amounts you have already contributed in 2025. Section 2: Calculate Your Per-Paycheck HSA Contribution Continue to complete the worksheet to determine how much you will contribute to your HSA per paycheck. **Individual HSA Family HSA** Total from **D**: Total from **D**: # of paychecks remaining for 2025 # of paychecks remaining for 2025

 $D \div E =$

This is the **most** you can contribute per paycheck

(can be any amount up to or less than F)

Amount you elect to contribute to your HSA per paycheck:

Note: 1st year HSA Account Holder

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(can be any amount up to or less than F)

Amount you elect to contribute to your HSA per paycheck:

 $D \div E =$

The IRS sets contributions each calendar year. Since you are entering into the plan "mid" year, the IRS rules suggest "prorating" your contribution this year (that is, limiting the contribution to half of the annual IRS maximum allowed since you will be in the plan only ½ of the tax year) but **you are not required to do so**.

Here's the alternative: As long as you remain eligible to participate in the plan for 12 months following this tax year, the IRS will allow you to contribute up to the full maximum for the current year. Details regarding all HSA tax rules can be found in IRS Publication 969 which is located on our website.

^{* *} Section F calculates equal installments you can make within a calendar year. You have the option to set up larger deduction amounts per pay period for fewer pay periods, if you wish to get to your annual goal more quickly. (Ex. \$900 per pay period for 3 pay periods). Please note, the form is set up to continue deductions for each pay period so you will be responsible for submitting a new authorization form to STOP your deduction or change it to a lesser amount.