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RETIREE BENEFITS TRUST

Having come through the initial waves of the pandemic and seeing claims decline, the Trustees of the Retiree Benefit Trust undertook an actuarial valuation of the Benefit Program during 2022 to once again assess the long term funded status of the Trust.

After a thorough review, the Trustees have concluded that **the following plan improvements will be implemented effective on and after January 1, 2023:**

- **Dental**
 - The annual dental maximum benefit is increased to \$2500.

- **Vision** coverage increases to \$350 every 24 months
 - A new benefit for the treatment of **cataracts** has been added, with a \$300 lifetime benefit maximum per eye.
 - Coverage has been added for **Optical Coherence Tomography** tests (OCT) within the \$75/24 months eye exam coverage limit.

- **Extended Health Care**
 - Coverage will be added for the services of **Podiatrists and Chiropodists** at 80% reimbursement, to a combined maximum of \$300 per year.

If you have any questions regarding your benefit coverage, please contact our benefit provider, GreenShield Canada (GSC), at 1-888-711-1119, or email them at greenshield.ca.