

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Post Retirement Health Benefits

For any County Superintendent of Schools who was employed by the Inyo County Office of Education between April 15, 1997 and March 1, 1999, post retirement health benefits shall be paid up to age 65 if he/she has 15 years of employment with the Inyo County Office of Education. Years of employment with any Inyo County school district shall count toward the required 15 years and are added to their years employed as the Inyo County Superintendent of Schools. He/she, however, must have served a minimum of one elected term and more than five years as County Superintendent of Schools prior to ending service with the Inyo County Office of Education as the County Superintendent of Schools. This is a vested benefit that will begin upon retirement with STRS. If the Superintendent ceases employment with the Inyo County Office of Education prior to retirement, he/she will maintain enrollment with the ICOE health provider until STRS retirement.

Any County Superintendents employed after March 1, 1999 are not eligible for post retirement health benefits.

County Superintendents employed between June 3, 1958 and April 15, 1997 will continue to receive lifetime post retirement health benefits. This specifically applies only to Melvin Bernasconi and Ken Baker.

Post retirement health benefits are to be medical, behavioral health and prescription benefits only.

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