



December 2014

Thank You

Thank you for helping your employees voice their choice! A total of 59 **Voice Your Choice** presentations were hosted by 13 employers across nine communities – that's over and above the scheduled presentations held throughout the province. Choices were made by 11,848 employees – that's an outstanding response rate of 35%!

If you would like to host one of PEBA's presentations for your employees, please contact us to make arrangements or visit our website www.peba.gov.sk.ca to see a listing of scheduled presentations.

Contribute within the limits!

As the end of the calendar year approaches, please take the time to review employee's contribution totals. Remind employees and payroll branches that total contributions to an employee's PEPP account cannot exceed \$24,930 or 18 per cent of a member's current calendar-year earnings, whichever is less.

Checking totals now will save time later!

Holiday Season Office Hours

PEPP's office will be closed on December 25, 26 and January 1.

Planning Just Got Easier

Remind your employees that Retire@Ease™ can help them with their retirement planning. Several system improvements were implemented to make developing a retirement plan easier! One notable improvement is the availability of **PEPP Guidance**.

This option is great for members who aren't sure how much money they should be taking in retirement. PEPP Guidance suggests an annual withdrawal amount, based on age and account balance that may make money last longer.

Information about PEPP Access and Retire@Ease™ is available on the PEPP website under the publications menu. Also, PEPP staff are ready to help. So please contact us with any questions you have.

