

Over *10,000* participating
members from nine unions
and associations contribute one
quarter of one percent of their
salary to ECECAF



For additional information on charitable
donations, scholarships, driver education subsidy,
or special medical aid, please visit
www.ececaf.ca or contact your ECECAF union or
association representative.



what happens to your donation?

60% of contributions are allocated to the
charitable portion of the fund and **40% of
contributions** are allocated to the education
portion. The charitable portion is included on
all members' annual T4s.



ECECAF membership consists of the following nine unions and associations:

Amalgamated Transit Union (ATU) Local 569
Association of Management and Non-Union Affiliates
(AMNUA) - Alberta Health Services
Edmonton Fire Fighters Union (EFFU) Local 209
Edmonton Police Senior Officers Association
Canadian Union of Public Employees (CUPE) Local 30
City of Edmonton Management Association (CEMA)
International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers
(IBEW) Local 1007
Unifor Local 829
United Nurses of Alberta (UNA) Local 196

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IMPACTING LIVES & PROMOTING HEALTHY COMMUNITIES



*charitable donations • scholarships
special aid • driver education*

charitable donations

Members' contributions have benefited many registered charitable and benevolent organizations.

The ECECAF Board of Trustees allocates funds in accordance with established criteria and guidelines. Organizations must be registered charities and eligibility is determined by value to the community, financial position and alternate funding sources. Funds may not be used for salaries or operational costs. Financial assistance is awarded annually.

scholarships

Members' children can benefit from ECECAF post secondary scholarships.

The ever-rising costs of education can place a financial strain on our members. Scholarships are the ideal form of student aid to help subsidize these costs, and they never have to be repaid. ECECAF will provide scholarships to its members' children for full time, post-secondary education and apprenticeships in accordance with eligibility criteria.

Extenuating circumstances with regards to these conditions may exist and the Board of Trustees reviews these on a case by case basis.

special aid

Members and their families may be eligible for special medical aid.

Services or equipment for a medical condition can impose a financial burden or hardship on our families. ECECAF plays a supportive role in providing special financial assistance to members and their families for where the need has been demonstrated and is not covered by any other plan or service.

The Board of Trustees reviews these applications on a case by case basis.

Examples would be bath/wheelchair lifts, sidewalk ramps, wheelchairs, lift chairs, scooters, and motorized beds.

driver education subsidy

Members' children can benefit from the ECECAF – AMA driver education subsidy.

ECECAF in partnership with the Alberta Motor Association (AMA) promote safer driving in our community by supporting driver education. Upon successful completion of an AMA new driver education program, members' children under 25 years of age are eligible to apply for a program subsidy.



**Since 1941 ECECAF has donated over
\$35 million
to charities in the Edmonton region**

The Board of Trustees endeavors to distribute financial assistance as fairly as possible to support our members and *promote healthy communities* within the Edmonton region.

governance

ECECAF is administered by a Board of Trustees comprised of one representative from each of the nine participating unions and associations. Two separate trust agreements signed by participating unions and associations and registered with Canada Revenue Agency (CRA) govern the fund. The positions of the trustees are volunteer and selected by their representing union or association.



