

SUBJECT : We Need Your Help to Secure Tax Fairness for Skilled Trades Workers

Skilled trades workers have always had to travel for work – that’s why we’re called journeypeople. When travel costs aren’t covered by an employer, skilled trades workers have to pay out-of-pocket for travel expenses like accommodations, food and gas, and can’t deduct these expenses from your income – an unfair tax consequence. If it costs a worker too much to travel to where the work is, some regions will face labour shortages, while other regions will experience high levels of unemployment. Other professionals are able to deduct these costs from their income, we’re just asking for fair and equal treatment.

We’re advocating for the Government to level the playing field for you and all workers and implement a Skilled Trades Worker Mobility Tax Deduction in the 2022 Federal Budget and we need your help to do it.

Please visit and share the link

<https://buildingtrades.ca/advocacy/labour-mobility/>



All you have to do is enter your name, email address and postal code to send a letter to your Member of Parliament and the Minister of Finance, to tell them skilled trades workers deserve tax fairness.



Thank you for your continued support.

In solidarity,



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