



West Bend is a Fortune “Best Workplace To Retire From”

WEST BEND, WI (June 22, 2016) – West Bend Mutual Insurance Company has been named to Fortune Magazine’s “30 Best Workplaces To Retire From,” according to a recently-released list.

The list is comprised of companies that excel in providing great employee experiences and benefits for employees nearing retirement age. Out of more than 600 employers, West Bend ranked Number 30 nationwide.

It also recognizes companies that create environments that retain younger employees. Fortune Magazine looked at retiree health insurance, long-term care insurance, phased retirement programs, defined benefit pension plan, retirement planning resources, 401(k) or 403(b) plan, company matching employee contribution, percentage matched up to “X” percent of employee salary, and internal promotion rate.

“Our associates work hard and deserve the best,” said Debra Cahoon, West Bend’s assistant vice president–Human Resources. “We’re fortunate that many who started their careers here plan to retire from West Bend. This speaks not only to the benefits, amenities, and culture of West Bend, but also to the loyalty of our associates.”

West Bend employs approximately 1,200 associates in its West Bend, WI headquarters and throughout the 11 Midwestern states in which it does business.

