



Berkshire Hathaway
HOMESTATE COMPANIES

Berkshire Hathaway Homestate Companies offers numerous A++ XIV Rated papers. California includes Cypress Insurance Company and Oak River Insurance Company; other states include Berkshire Hathaway Homestate Insurance Company (BHHIC), Redwood Fire and Casualty, Continental Divide, Brookwood and more!

KZ has access to ALL of these BHC papers across the country. Our relationship with BHC started several years ago during the beginnings of the former AARIS group. Kathy Zeanah, founder of KZ Insurance, was then employed by another General Agency and worked directly with the start-up group of AARIS. KZ Insurance Brokerage was started soon afterwards, at the urging of the owner of AARIS. As AARIS grew, so did KZ. In 2006, when Berkshire Hathaway purchased AARIS, we were right there for the transition. AARIS became BHC, and as BHC has grown and expanded their appetite both in class and geography, so have we.

BHC has become renowned for their outstanding loss control and claims handling services. All claims handling is handled in-house at BHC, as opposed to many other carriers who utilize outside, 3rd-party administrators. BHC's loss control consultants are largely employees of the company, providing thorough service and communication with their insureds.