



## Azure B2B/Microsoft/Multifactor Authentication Setup

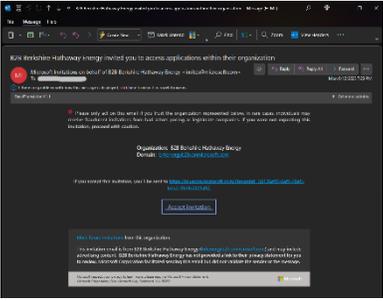
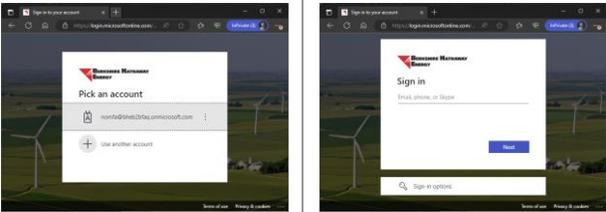
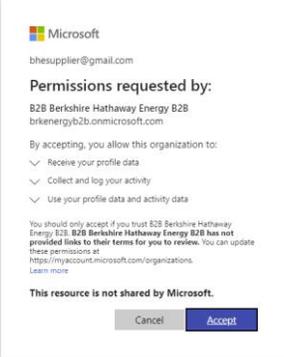
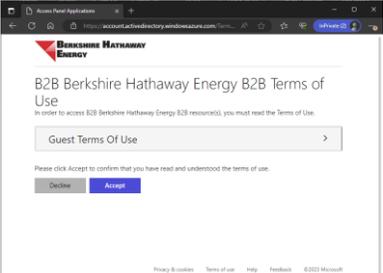
This document provides step-by-step instructions to complete the invitation acceptance process.

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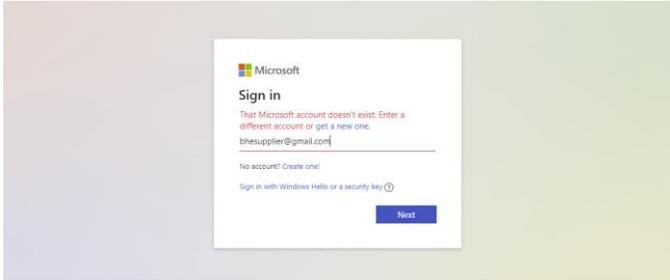
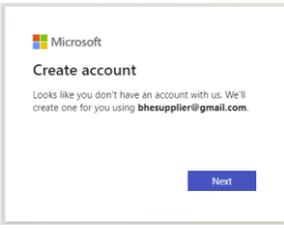
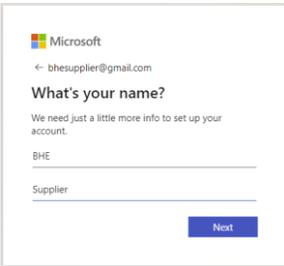
## B2B Invitation Acceptance

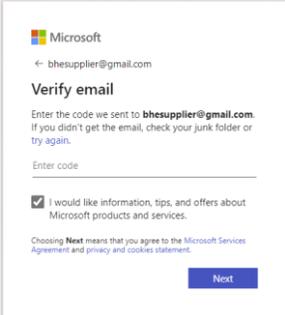
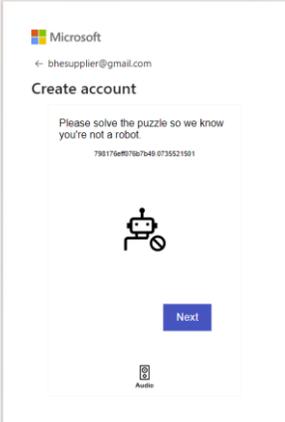
Berkshire Hathaway Energy requires use of a Microsoft account to provide secure access to its system. A Microsoft 365 business account can be used to provide single sign-on. If your business does not use Microsoft 365, a consumer Microsoft account can be used.

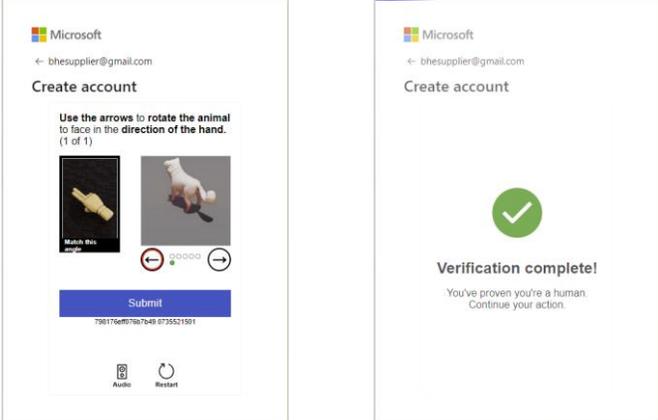
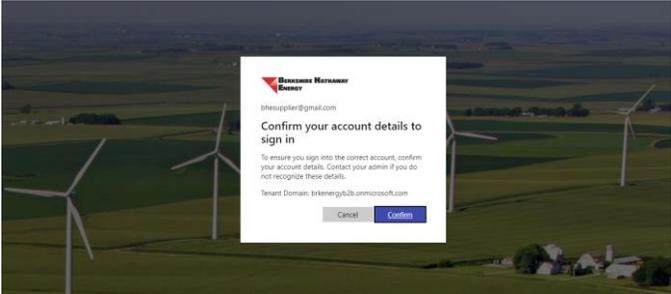
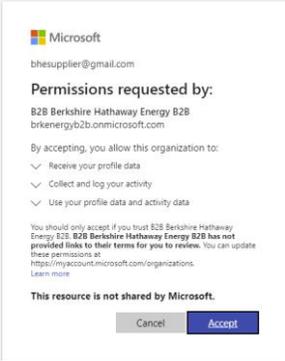
Step	Task	Screenshot
1	<p>Open the invitation email from: <i>Microsoft Invitations on behalf of B2B Berkshire Hathaway Energy B2B</i></p> <hr/> <p>Select the <b>Accept Invitation</b> link</p>	
2	<p>If you are signed in with the Microsoft account the invitation was sent to, choose the account; if not, enter the email address the invitation was sent to, select <b>Next</b>, then enter the password</p>	
3	<p>Select <b>Accept</b></p> <p><b>NOTE:</b> The permissions granted allow access to basic profile information and collects activity within Berkshire Hathaway Energy's system</p>	
10	<p>Expand and accept the Guest Terms Of Use to complete the invitation acceptance process</p>	

## Microsoft account doesn't exist

Berkshire Hathaway Energy requires use of a Microsoft account to provide secure access to its system. If the email address you registered is not associated with a Microsoft account, you can create a Microsoft account as part of the invitation acceptance process.

Step	Task	Screenshot
1	Select <b>get a new one</b>	 <p>The screenshot shows the Microsoft 'Sign in' page. The Microsoft logo is at the top left. Below it, the text reads 'Sign in'. A message in red states: 'That Microsoft account doesn't exist. Enter a different account or get a new one.' Below this is a text input field containing 'bhesupplier@gmail.com'. Underneath, it says 'No account? Create one!' and 'Sign in with Windows Hello or a security key'. A blue 'Next' button is at the bottom right.</p>
2	Select <b>Next</b>	 <p>The screenshot shows the Microsoft 'Create account' page. The Microsoft logo is at the top left. Below it, the text reads 'Create account'. A message says: 'Looks like you don't have an account with us. We'll create one for you using bhesupplier@gmail.com.' A blue 'Next' button is at the bottom right.</p>
3	Create a password, then Select <b>Next</b>	 <p>The screenshot shows the Microsoft 'Create a password' page. The Microsoft logo is at the top left. Below it, the text reads 'Create a password'. A message says: 'Enter the password you would like to use with your account.' There is a password input field with a strength indicator. Below the field is a checkbox labeled 'Show password'. A blue 'Next' button is at the bottom right.</p>
4	Enter your name, then select <b>Next</b>	 <p>The screenshot shows the Microsoft 'What's your name?' page. The Microsoft logo is at the top left. Below it, the text reads 'What's your name?'. A message says: 'We need just a little more info to set up your account.' There are two text input fields: one for 'BHE' and one for 'Supplier'. A blue 'Next' button is at the bottom right.</p>

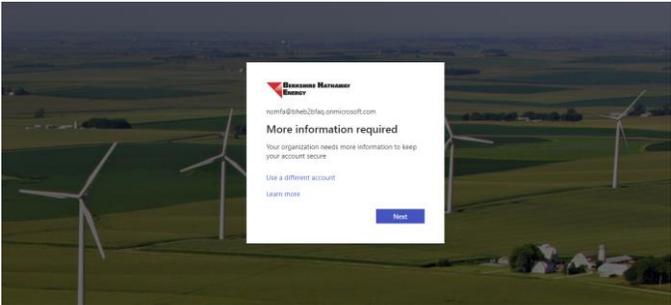
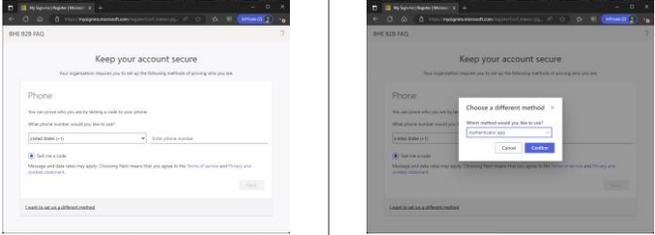
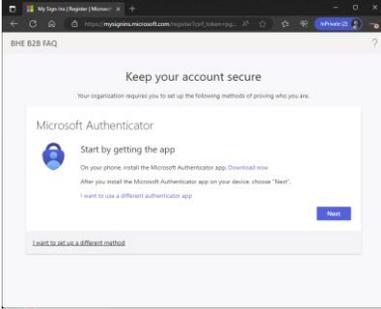
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5	Enter your birthdate, then select <b>Next</b>	
6	Enter the code sent via email, then select <b>Next</b>	
7	Select <b>Next</b>	

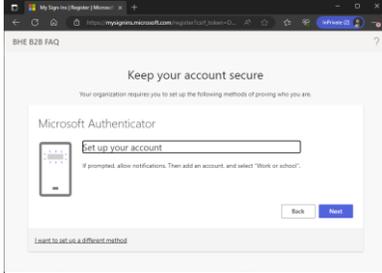
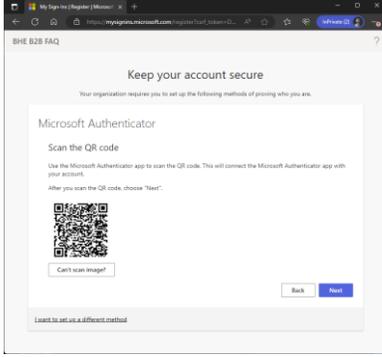
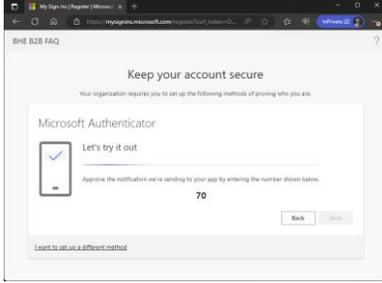
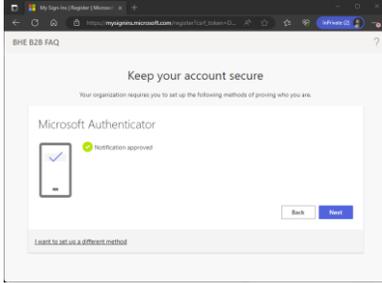
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8	Solve the verification puzzle, then select <b>Submit</b> . You will receive a confirmation notice if the verification is successful	
10	Select <b>Confirm</b>	
11	Select <b>Accept</b> to complete the invitation acceptance process	

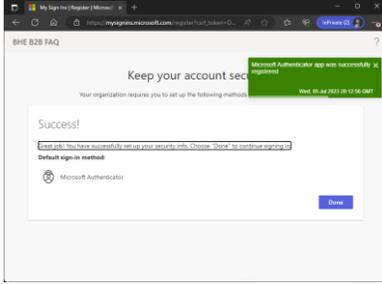
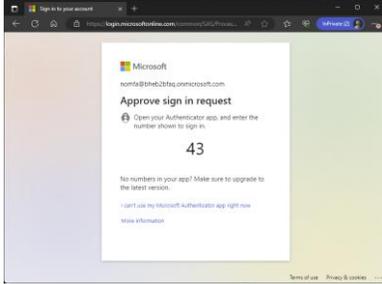
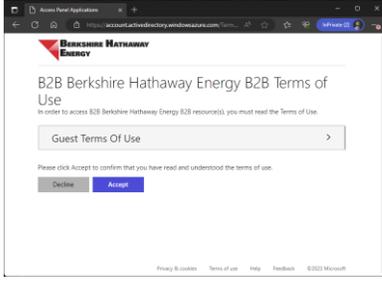
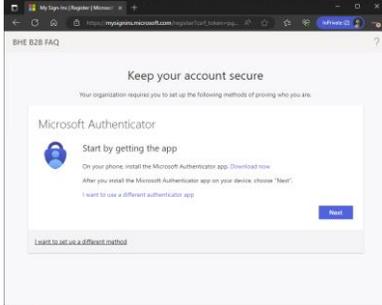
## More information required

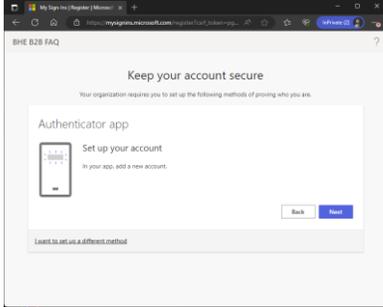
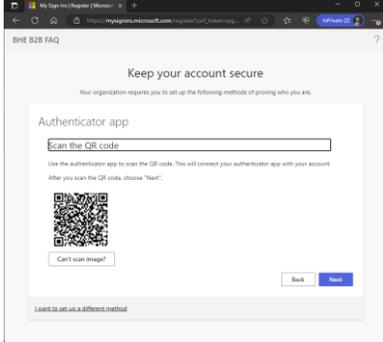
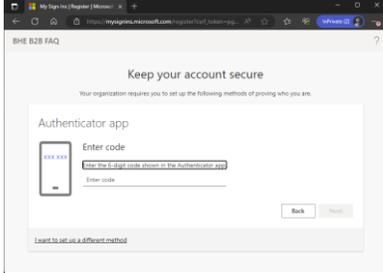
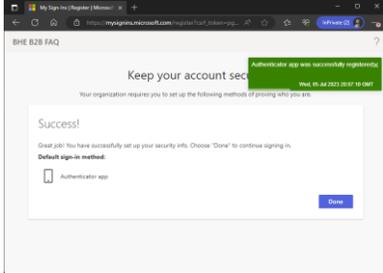
Berkshire Hathaway Energy requires use of multifactor authentication to provide secure access to its system. If your business uses Microsoft 365 and your account does not have multifactor authentication enabled, you will be redirected to Microsoft 365 to enroll in multifactor authentication. Once enrolled, you will be redirected back to Berkshire Hathaway Energy’s system to finish the invitation acceptance process.

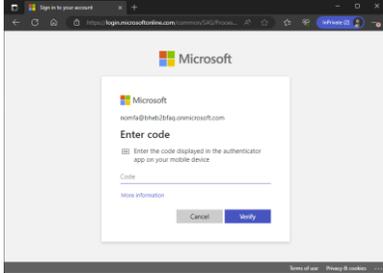
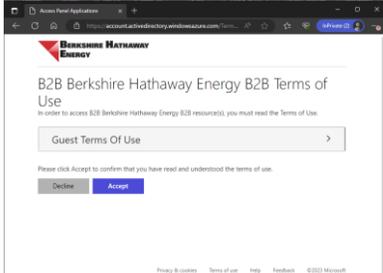
**NOTE:** Your options for enrolling in multifactor authentication are based on policies set by your IT department. Berkshire Hathaway Energy prefers Microsoft Authenticator but accepts other authenticators if your business has a different preference.

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1	Select <b>Next</b>	
2	If prompted to enter a phone number, select <b>I want to set up a different method</b>  Change the selection to <i>Authenticator app</i> , then select <b>Confirm</b>	
3	Select <b>Next</b> to use Microsoft Authenticator. To use a different authenticator app, skip to Step 11	

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4	Select Next	
5	Scan the QR code, then select Next	
6	Enter the number displayed, then select Yes	
7	Select Next	

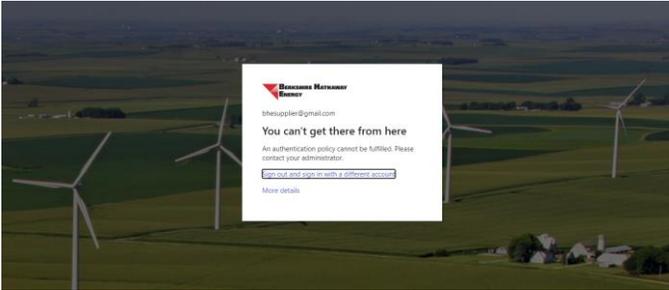
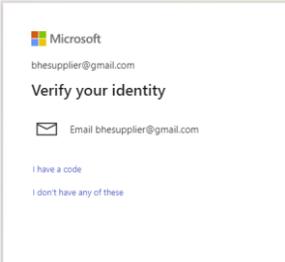
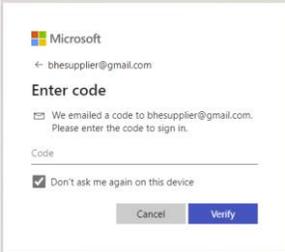
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8	Select Done	
9	Open your authenticator app, enter the number displayed, then select Yes	
10	Expand and accept the Guest Terms Of Use to complete the invitation acceptance process	
<b>Complete Steps 11-17 to use an authenticator app other than Microsoft Authenticator</b>		
11	Select I want to use a different authenticator app	

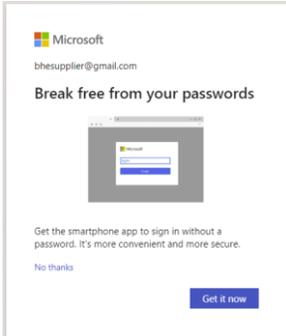
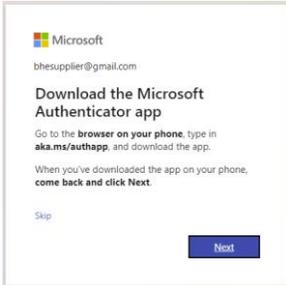
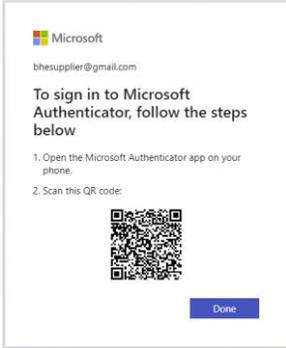
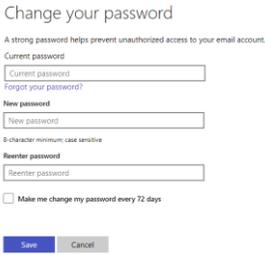
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12	Select <b>Next</b>	
13	In the authenticator app, scan the QR code, then select <b>Next</b>	
14	Enter the 6-digit code shown in the authenticator app, then select <b>Next</b>	
15	Select <b>Done</b>	

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16	Enter the 6-digit code shown in the authenticator app and select <b>Verify</b>	 <p>The screenshot shows a Microsoft login window titled 'Microsoft' with the email address 'norm@bkhath31fap.onmicrosoft.com'. It prompts the user to 'Enter code' and provides a text input field for the code. There are 'Cancel' and 'Verify' buttons at the bottom of the dialog.</p>
17	Expand and accept the Guest Terms Of Use to complete the invitation acceptance process	 <p>The screenshot shows a web page titled 'B2B Berkshire Hathaway Energy B2B Terms of Use'. It contains a section for 'Guest Terms Of Use' with an expandable arrow. Below this, there is a 'Please click Accept to confirm that you have read and understood the terms of use.' message and 'Decline' and 'Accept' buttons.</p>

## You can't get there from here

Berkshire Hathaway Energy requires use of multifactor authentication to provide secure access to its system. If your Microsoft account does not have multifactor authentication enabled, you will need to setup Microsoft Authenticator before accepting the invitation.

Step	Task	Screenshot
1	Browse to <a href="https://account.microsoft.com">https://account.microsoft.com</a>	
2	Select <b>Change password</b>	
3	Select your email address	
4	Enter the code sent via email, then select <b>Verify</b>	

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5	Select <b>Get it now</b>	
6	Select <b>Next</b>	
7	Select <b>Done</b>	
8	Select <b>Cancel</b>	
9	Return to the invitation email and select <b>Accept invitation</b> again	