

# Macomb County Employees Retirement System

# **Actuarial Valuation Report**

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The Retirement Commission Macomb County Employees Retirement System Mount Clemens, Michigan

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Macomb County retained Buck to complete this actuarial valuation of the Macomb County Employees Retirement System. This report summarizes the actuarial valuation results of Macomb County Employees Retirement System as of December 31, 2021.

#### **Purpose of This Report**

Buck has prepared this report for Macomb County for use in review of the operation of the plan, including determining contributions to be made to the plan, and as a source of information for the financial statements of the plan. An actuarial valuation is performed on the retirement plan annually as of the beginning of the fiscal year. The main purposes of the actuarial valuation detailed in this report are:

- 1. To determine if the funding policy for the Retirement Plan is being met considering current assets and the current employer and member contribution rates; or determine the employer contribution necessary to meet the Commission's funding policy for the Plan;
- 2. To disclose the funding assets and liability measures as of the valuation date;
- 3. To review the current funded status of the Plan;
- 4. To compare actual and expected experience under the Plan during the last fiscal year;
- 5. And to report trends in contributions, assets, liabilities, and funded status over the last several years.

This actuarial valuation provides a "snapshot" of the funded position of the Retirement Plan based on the plan provisions, membership, assets, and actuarial assumptions as of the valuation date.

Use of this report for any other purpose may not be appropriate and may result in mistaken conclusions due to failure to understand applicable assumptions, methodologies, or inapplicability of the report for that purpose. Because of the risk of misinterpretation of actuarial results, Buck recommends requesting its advance review of any statement, document, or filing to be based on information contained in this report. Buck will accept no liability for any such statement, document or filing made without its prior review.

Future actuarial measurements may differ significantly from current measurements due to plan experience differing from that anticipated by the economic and demographic assumptions, increases or decreases expected as part of the natural operation of the methodology used for these measurements, and changes in plan provisions or applicable law. Because of limited scope, Buck performed no analysis of the potential range of such future differences.

#### **Data Used**

The actuarial valuation is based on unaudited financial and member data provided by the staff of the Retirement System and summarized in this report. The benefits considered are those delineated in the plan as amended and restated effective December 31, 2015. The actuary did not verify the data submitted but did perform tests for consistency and reasonableness.

#### **Use of Models**

Actuarial Standard of Practice No. 56 ("ASOP 56") provides guidance to actuaries when performing actuarial services with respect to designing, developing, selecting, modifying, using, reviewing, or evaluating models. Buck uses the following:

- third-party software in the performance of annual actuarial valuations and projections to calculate the liabilities associated with the provisions of the plan using data and assumptions as of the measurement date under the funding methods specified in this report.
- an internally developed model that applies applicable funding methods and policies to the liabilities
  derived from the output of the third-party software and other inputs, such as plan assets and
  contributions, to generate many of the exhibits found in this report

Buck has an extensive review process whereby the results of the liability calculations are checked using detailed sample output, changes from year to year are summarized by source, and significant deviations from expectations are investigated. Other outputs and the internal model are similarly reviewed in detail and at a high level for accuracy, reasonability and consistency with prior results. Buck also reviews the third-party model when significant changes are made to the software or model. The review is performed by experts within the company who are familiar with applicable funding methods as well as the manner in which the model generates its output. If significant changes are made to the internal model, extra checking and review are completed. Significant changes to the internal model that are applicable to multiple clients are generally developed, checked and reviewed by multiple experts within the company who are familiar with the details of the required changes.

#### **Assessment of Risks**

Actuarial Standard of Practice No. 51 ("ASOP 51") applies to funding calculations such as those presented in this report and requires certain disclosures of potential risks. Section 6 of this report presents an assessment of the key risks applicable to this plan, as well as historical information and plan maturity measures.

#### **Assumptions and Methods**

All costs, liabilities and other factors under the Plan were determined in accordance with actuarial principles and procedures adopted in accordance with the Actuarial Standards of Practice (ASOPs). An actuarial cost method is used to measure the actuarial liabilities which we believe is reasonable. Buck is solely responsible for the actuarial data and actuarial results presented in this report. This report fully and fairly discloses the actuarial position of the Plan.

In our opinion, the actuarial assumptions used are reasonable, taking into account the experience of the Plan and reasonable long-term expectations, and represent our best estimate of the anticipated long-term experience under the Plan. The actuary performs an analysis of Plan experience periodically and recommends changes if, in the opinion of the actuary, assumption changes are needed to more accurately reflect expected future experience.

Where presented, references to "funded ratio" and "unfunded accrued liability" typically are measured on an actuarial value of assets basis. It should be noted that the same measurements using market value of assets would result in different funded ratios and unfunded accrued liabilities. Moreover, the funded ratio presented is appropriate for evaluating the need and level of future contributions but makes no assessment regarding the funded status of the plan if the plan were to settle (i.e. purchase annuities) for a portion or all of its liabilities.

#### **Actuarial Certification**

The undersigned are members of the American Academy of Actuaries and meet the Qualification Standards of the American Academy of Actuaries to render the actuarial opinions contained in this report. This report has been prepared in accordance with all Applicable Actuarial Standards of Practice and they are available to answer any questions on the material contained in the report, or to provide explanations or further details as may be appropriate.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **Summary of Results**

#### Overview

The Macomb County Employees Retirement System provides pension and ancillary benefit payments to the terminated and retired employees of Macomb County, Michigan. A Retirement Commission comprised of employer, employee, and appointed representatives is responsible for administering the Plan and making investment decisions. This report presents the results of the actuarial valuation of the Employees Retirement System as of December 31, 2021.

#### Membership

#### Actives

As of December 31, 2021, there were 1,312 employees in active service covered under the provisions of the Plan not participating in DROP. The significant age, service, and salary information for these employees is summarized below, along with comparative figures from the last actuarial valuation one year earlier.

	December 31, 2021	1 December 31, 2020
Active participants		
Number	1,312	1,440
Average age	48.3 years	47.7 years
Average service	13.7 years	13.0 years
Total annual valuation salary	\$ 92,556,195	\$ 93,922,408
Average annual salary	\$ 70,546	\$ 65,224

The number of active members decreased by 8.9% from the previous valuation date as the plan is closed to the entrance of new members. The average age of the active members increased by 0.6 years and the average service increased 0.7 years. The total annual valuation salary decreased by 1.5% and the average salary increased by 8.2% from the previous valuation. There were 1,310 active members who were also reported active in the December 31, 2020 actuarial valuation. The total annual valuation salary for this group increased by 7.31% which was higher than the 3.70% increase we expected for the group.

Distributions of active members by age, service, and salary are given in Section 3.2. The salaries shown for active members are the annualized salaries reported, projected to the valuation year.

A schedule of active member data and reconciliation of the active membership from the previous year is shown in Sections 3.3 and 3.4.

In addition, there are 1,490 active employees (not included above) hired after December 31, 2015 earning vesting service to receive a \$1,000 lump sum benefit upon termination of employment.

#### **Inactives**

In addition to the active members, there were 553 inactive members who did not elect to receive their accumulated contributions when they left covered employment. The significant age and annual benefit information for these inactive members are summarized below with comparative figures from the last actuarial valuation one year earlier.

	December 31, 2021	December 31, 2020
Terminated vested participants		_
Number	289	285
Average age	51.6 years	51.0 years
Average annual benefit payments	\$ 13,784	\$ 13,566

The number of inactive vested members decreased by 1.4% from the previous valuation. The average age of the inactive vested members increased by 0.6 years. The Average Annual Pension Benefit for these members increased by 1.6% from the previous valuation.

	<b>December 31, 2021</b>	December 31, 2020
Non-vested participants owed refund		
Number	264	270
Average payoff amount	\$ 2,329	\$ 2,423

The number of inactive non-vested members decreased by 2.2% from the previous valuation. The Average Refund Due for these members decreased by 3.9% from the previous valuation.

Distributions of inactive members by age and pension benefit are given in Section 3.6.

#### **Retirees and Beneficiaries**

In addition to the active and inactive members, there were 2,432 retired members and 392 beneficiaries who are receiving monthly benefit payments on the valuation date. The significant age and annual benefit information for these members are summarized below with comparative figures from the last actuarial valuation performed one year earlier.

	<b>December 31, 2021</b>	December 31, 2020
Retired participants		
Number	2,432	2,407
Average Age	70.1 years	69.9 years
Average annual retirement benefits	\$ 22,710	\$ 22,322

	December 31, 2021	<b>December 31, 2020</b>
Survivors and beneficiaries of participants		
Number	392	376
Average Age	72.9 years	72.4 years
Average annual retirement benefits	\$ 15,707	\$ 15,712

The number of retired members and beneficiaries increased by 1.5% from the previous valuation date. The average age of the retired members and beneficiaries increased by 0.2 years. The average annual benefit payments for these members increased by 1.4% from the previous valuation date.

Distributions of retired members by age and form of payment are given in Section 3.6 and 3.7.

#### **DROP Participants**

In addition to the actives, inactives, and retirees, there were 260 DROP members who are receiving monthly benefit payments on the valuation date. The significant age and annual benefit information for these members are summarized below.

	December 31, 2021	December 31, 2020
DROP participants		
Number	260	281
Average Age	58.0 years	58.1 years
Average annual retirement benefits	\$ 32,818	\$ 30,749
Average pay	\$ 68,251	\$ 59,119

In our opinion, the membership data collected and prepared for use in this actuarial valuation meets the data quality standards required under Actuarial Standards of Practice No. 23.

#### **Plan Assets**

The Plan's assets are held in trust and invested for the exclusive benefit of plan members. The trust is funded by member and employer contributions and pays benefits directly to eligible members in accordance with plan provisions. The assets are audited annually and are reported at fair value. On a fair value basis, the Plan has Net Assets Available for Benefits of \$1,317.4 million as of December 31, 2021. This includes an increase of \$163.7 million over the Net Assets Available for Benefits of \$1,153.6 million as of December 31, 2020. During the prior year, the fair value of assets experienced an investment rate of return of 19.49%.

In order to reduce the volatility investment gains and losses can have on the Plan's actuarially required contribution and funded status, the Commission has adopted a five-year smoothing method to determine the actuarial value of assets used for funding purposes. This method recognizes gains and losses, i.e. the difference between actual investment return during the year and the expected return based on the valuation interest rate, on a level basis over a five-year period. In our opinion, this method complies with Actuarial Standards of Practice No. 44.

As of December 31, 2021, the assets available for benefits on an actuarial value basis was \$1,142.2 million. This includes an increase of \$73.6 million over the actuarial value of assets of \$1,068.6 million as of December 31, 2020. During the prior year, the actuarial value of assets experienced an actuarial rate of return of 12.42%.

A summary of the assets held for investment, a summary of changes in assets, and the development of the actuarial value of assets is shown in Section 2.

#### **Actuarial Experience**

Differences between the expected experience based on the actuarial assumptions and the actual experience create changes in the actuarial accrued liability, actuarial value of assets, and the unfunded actuarial accrued liability from one year to the next. These changes create an actuarial gain if the experience is favorable and an actuarial loss if the experience is unfavorable. The Plan experienced a total net actuarial gain of \$42.4 million during the prior year. This total net gain is about 4.0% of the plan's prior year actuarial accrued liability.

The demographic experience tracks actual changes in the plan's population compared to the assumptions for decrements such as mortality, turnover, and retirement, as well as pay increases. The Plan experienced a demographic loss of \$13.2 million during the year ending December 31, 2021. This loss increased the unfunded actuarial accrued liability by \$13.2 million and decreased the funded ratio by 1.3%.

Continued tracking of the demographic experience is warranted in order to confirm the appropriateness of the actuarial assumptions. Details of the demographic, economic, and other assumptions used to value the plan liabilities and normal cost can be found in Section 6. In our opinion, the economic assumptions comply with Actuarial Standards of Practice No. 27 and the demographic assumptions comply with Actuarial Standards of Practice No. 35.

On the asset side, the Plan experienced a gain on an actuarial value of assets basis. The actual rate of return on the actuarial value of plan assets for the year ending December 31, 2021 was 12.42% compared to the assumption of 7.00%, resulting in an asset gain of \$55.6 million. This gain decreased the unfunded actuarial accrued liability by \$55.6 million and increased the funded ratio by 5.1%.

The rate of return on the fair value of assets for the year ending December 31, 2021 was consistent with the statement above. It was 19.49%, which was higher than the assumed rate of 7.00%. The actuarial value of the assets recognizes only 1/5 of the 2021 gain on fair value, delaying the recognition of the remaining 4/5 over the next four years. Moreover, the actuarial value of assets also recognizes deferred portions of prior years' gains and losses on fair value. It should be noted that the plan's assumed asset return of 7.00% is a long-term rate and short-term performance is not necessarily indicative of expected long-term future returns.

A summary of the actuarial gains and losses experienced during the prior year is shown in Section 1.3.

#### **Actuarial Contributions**

Effective with the December 31, 2013 annual valuation, the Retirement Commission established a closed 20-year amortization policy assuming 5.00% payment increases. For this valuation, the remaining period is 12 years.

The normal cost represents the cost of the benefits that accrue during the year for active members under the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method. It is determined as a level percentage of pay which, if paid from entry age to the assumed retirement age, assuming all the actuarial assumptions are exactly met by plan experience would accumulate to a fund sufficient to pay all benefits provided by the Plan. The expected member contributions are subtracted from this amount to determine the employer normal cost. The employer normal cost for 2022 has been determined to be \$9.7 million or 10.55% of pay.

The cost method also determines the actuarial accrued liability which represents the value of all accumulated past normal cost payments. This amount is compared to the actuarial value of assets to determine if the Plan is ahead or behind in funding as of the valuation date. The difference between the total actuarial accrued liability and the actuarial value of assets equals the amount of unfunded actuarial accrued liability or surplus (if negative) on the valuation date. This amount is amortized and added to the employer normal cost to determine the annual actuarially required employer contribution for the year.

The unfunded actuarial accrued liability as of December 31, 2021 is (\$52.8) million. This represents a decrease of \$48.7 million in the unfunded actuarial accrued liability from last year's amount of (\$4.1) million.

The annual actuarially required employer contribution for 2023 is \$5.7 million, or 6.25% of pay. This represents a decrease of \$4.2 million in the employer contribution amount of \$9.9 million for 2022, or a decrease of 4.34% of pay from last year's employer contribution rate of 10.59%.

The actuarial liabilities and development of the annual actuarial employer contribution is shown in Sections 1.1 and 1.2.

In our opinion, the measurement of the benefit obligations and determination of the actuarial cost of the Plan is performed in compliance with Actuarial Standards of Practice No. 4.

#### **Funded Status**

The funded status is a measure of the progress that has been made in funding the plan as of the valuation date. It is determined as a ratio of the actuarial value of assets divided by the total actuarial accrued liability on the valuation date. A ratio of over 100% represents a plan that is ahead in funding, and a ratio of less than 100% represents a plan that is behind in funding on the valuation date.

As of December 31, 2021, the funded ratio of the Plan is 104.85%. This represents an increase of 4.46% from last year's funded ratio of 100.39% as of December 31, 2020.

A history of the unfunded actuarial accrued liability and the funded ratio is shown in Section 1.5.

#### **Changes in Plan Provisions**

There have been no changes in benefits or other plan provisions considered in this actuarial valuation since the last valuation performed as of December 31, 2020.

#### Changes in Actuarial Assumptions, Methods, or Procedures

The actuarial assumptions and methods for funding purposes are the same as those used for the December 31, 2020 valuation report.

# **Comparative Summary of Key Actuarial Valuation Results**

Actuarial Valuation as of	December 31, 2021	December 31, 2020
Summary of Member Data		
Number of Members Included in the Valuation		
Active Members	1,312	1,440
Terminated Vested Members	289	285
Non-vested Members Owed Refund	264	270
Retirees and Beneficiaries	2,824	2,783
DROP Participants	<u>260</u>	<u>281</u>
Total	4,949	5,059
Annual Payroll		
Average (actual)	70,546	65,224
Annual Benefit Payments		
Terminated Vested Members (Average)	13,784	13,566
Non-vested Member Refund (Average)	2,329	2,423
Retirees and beneficiaries (Average)	21,732	21,432
DROP Participants (Average)	32,818	30,749
Summary of Assets		
Fair Value	1,317,355,983	1,153,630,925
Rate of Return	19.49%	11.95%
Actuarial Value	1,142,153,181	1,068,574,127
Rate of Return	12.42%	10.10%
Summary of Liabilities		
Total Actuarial Accrued Liability	1,089,306,972	1,064,429,280
Actuarial Value of Assets	1,142,153,181	1,068,574,127
Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability	(52,846,209)	(4,144,847)
Funded Ratio	104.85%	100.39%
Maturity Ratio (See section 1.2)	73.96%	74.19%

# **Section 1: Actuarial Funding Results**

**Section 1.1 - Actuarial Liabilities and Normal Cost** 

Actuarial Liabilities Based on December 31, 2021 Valuation	General County	Sheriff's Department	Road Commission	Martha T. Berry	Totals
1. Present Value of Projected Benefits					
Active Members					
Retirement Benefits	147,085,288	124,014,436	40,794,478	6,445,240	318,339,442
Withdrawal Benefits	17,861,975	3,656,733	755,763	1,921,215	24,195,686
Disability Benefits	11,173,998	3,995,246	1,411,441	694,981	17,275,666
Death Benefits	3,192,424	1,519,907	538,913	170,720	5,421,964
Return on Contributions	<u>1,371,139</u>	<u>302,854</u>	<u>130,632</u>	<u>125,178</u>	<u>1,929,803</u>
Total	180,684,824	133,489,176	43,631,227	9,357,334	367,162,561
2. Vested Inactive Members with Deferred Benefits	19,368,254	3,545,942	1,920,731	1,041,132	25,876,059
3. Non-Vested Inactive Members with Deferred Benefits	424,545	54,436	31,970	55,663	566,614
4. Retired Members and Beneficiaries Receiving Benefits	367,165,825	166,390,105	84,792,743	24,666,241	643,014,914
5. DROP Participants Receiving Benefits	73,265,692	38,275,815	22,643,116	2,055,017	136,239,640
6. Total Present Value of Projected Benefits (1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5)	640,909,140	341,755,474	153,019,787	37,175,387	1,172,859,788
7. Present Value of Future Normal Costs	41,003,439	33,046,624	7,363,246	2,139,507	83,552,816
8. Total Actuarial Accrued Liability (6 – 7)	599,905,701	308,708,850	145,656,541	35,035,880	1,089,306,972
Normal Cost for Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 2021	General County	Sheriff's Department	Road Commission	Martha T. Berry	Totals
1. Total Normal Cost	6,546,485	4,471,709	1,290,293	333,020	12,641,507
2. Expected Member Contribution	(1,460,008)	<u>(1,101,152)</u>	(295,400)	<u>(91,106)</u>	(2,947,666)
3. Employer Normal Cost	5,086,477	3,370,557	994,893	241,914	9,693,841

Section 1.2 – Actuarial Contributions

	General County	Sheriff's Department	Road Commission	Martha T. Berry	Totals
1. Total Actuarial Accrued Liability					
a. Active Members					
i. Retirement Benefits	117,510,639	95,188,143	34,444,702	5,122,628	252,266,112
ii. Withdrawal Benefits	11,929,768	1,887,249	442,104	1,420,549	15,679,670
iii. Death Benefits	2,236,736	931,332	372,789	128,345	3,669,202
iv. Disability Benefits	7,508,873	2,370,857	958,129	502,735	11,340,594
v. Return on Employee Contributions vi. Total	<u>495,369</u> 139,681,385	<u>64,971</u> 100,442,552	<u>50,257</u> 36,267,981	<u>43,570</u> 7,217,827	<u>654,167</u> 283,609,745
b. Vested Inactive Members with Deferred Benefits	19,368,254	3,545,942	1,920,731	1,041,132	25,876,059
c. Non-Vested Inactive Members with Deferred Benefits	424,545	54,436	31,970	55,663	566,614
d. Retired Members and Beneficiaries Receiving Benefits	367,165,825	166,390,105	84,792,743	24,666,241	643,014,914
e. DROP Participants Receiving Benefits	73,265,692	38,275,815	22,643,116	2,055,017	136,239,640
f. Total (1.a.vi. + 1.b. + 1.c. + 1.d. + 1.e.)	599,905,701	308,708,850	145,656,541	35,035,880	1,089,306,972
2. Actuarial Value of Assets	642,220,027	313,722,209	142,039,310	44,171,635	1,142,153,181
3. Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL) (1.f2.)	(42,314,326)	(5,013,359)	3,617,231	(9,135,755)	(52,846,209)
4. Funded Ratio (2. / 1.f.)	107.05%	101.62%	97.52%	126.08%	104.85%
5. Maturity Ratio [(1.b. + 1.c. + 1.d. + 1.e.) / 1.f.]	76.72%	67.46%	75.10%	79.40%	73.96%
6. Employer Contribution for Fiscal 2023					
Total Normal Cost	6,546,485	4,471,709	1,290,293	333,020	12,641,507
Member Contribution	(1,460,008)	(1,101,152)	(295,400)	(91,106)	(2,947,666)
Administrative Expense	425,874	204,516	93,064	29,460	752,914
UAAL Contribution Timing Adjustment	(3,903,507) 41,404	(462,484) 101,783	333,690 46,500	(842,776) (21,030)	(4,875,077) 168,657
Total Employer Contribution Dollar (Not less than 0)	1,650,248	3,214,372	1,468,147	<u>(21,030)</u> 0	6,332,767 <sup>1</sup>
Projected Member Pay	54,229,041	24,749,664	9,199,789	3,714,012	91,892,506
Total Employer Contribution (% of Pay)	3.04%	12.99%	15.96%	0.00%	6.89%
7. Discount Rate	7.00%	7.00%	7.00%	7.00%	
8. Amortization payments increase assumption	5.00%	5.00%	5.00%	5.00%	
9. Amortization period for 2023 contribution <sup>2</sup>	12	12	12	12	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Total employer contribution is a sum of the individual employer amounts and does not add up to the items above because one group is capped at \$0 rather than negative

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Closed 20-year period beginning with December 31, 2013 Valuation

Section 1.3 - Actuarial (Gain) / Loss (\$'s in 000's)

	General County	Sheriff's Department	Road Commission	Martha T. Berry	Totals <sup>1</sup>
Expected Actuarial Accrued Liability					
a. Actuarial Accrued Liability at December 31, 2020	590,016	294,078	145,730	34,605	1,064,429
b. Normal Cost at December 31, 2020	6,184	4,572	1,259	345	12,360
c. Interest on a. + b. to End of Year	41,734	20,906	10,289	2,447	75,376
<ul> <li>d. Benefit Payments and Refund of Contributions with Interest to End of Year</li> </ul>	44,027	18,574	10,627	2,834	76,062
e. Effect of Assumption and Plan Changes	0	0	0	0	0
f. Expected Actuarial Accrued Liability (a. + b. + c d. + e.)	593,907	300,982	146,651	34,563	1,076,103
2. Actuarial Accrued Liability at December 31, 2021	<u>599,906</u>	308,709	<u>145,657</u>	<u>35,036</u>	<u>1,089,308</u>
3. Liability (Gain) / Loss (2. – 1.f.)	5,999	7,727	(994)	473	13,205
4. Expected Actuarial Value of Assets					
a. Actuarial Value of Assets at December 31, 2020	604,423	290,259	132,081	41,812	1,068,574
b. Interest on a. to End of Year	42,310	20,318	9,246	2,927	74,801
c. Contribution Made	7,879	6,303	4,293	100	18,575
d. Interest on c. to End of Year	276	221	150	4	650
<ul> <li>Benefit Payments and Refund of Contributions with Interest to End of Year</li> </ul>	44,027	<u>18,574</u>	10,627	<u>2,834</u>	<u>76,062</u>
f. Expected Actuarial Value of Assets at December 31, 2021 (a. + b. + c. + d. – e.)	610,861	298,527	135,143	42,009	1,086,538
5. Actuarial Value of Assets as of December 31, 2021	642,220	<u>313,722</u>	142,039	<u>44,172</u>	<u>1,142,153</u>
6. Actuarial Asset (Gain) / Loss (4.f5.)	(31,359)	(15,195)	(6,896)	(2,163)	(55,615)
7. Actuarial (Gain) / Loss (3. + 6.)	(25,360)	(7,468)	(7,890)	(1,690)	(42,410)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Numbers may not add due to rounding.

## **Section 1.4 - Actuarial Balance Sheet**

Financial Resources	December 31, 2021
Actuarial Value of Assets	1,142,153,181
2. Present Value of Future Contributions	
a. Expected Member Contributions	19,974,620
b. Employer Normal Cost	63,578,196
c. State Appropriations	0
d. Total	83,552,816
3. Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability/(Reserve)	(52,846,209)
4. Total Assets [1. + 2.(d) + 3.]	1,172,859,788

В	enefit Obligations	December 31, 2021
1.	Present Value of Future Benefits	
	a. Active members	367,162,561
	b. Inactive members	26,442,673
	c. Retirees, disabilities and beneficiaries	643,014,914
	d. DROP members	136,239,640
	e. Total	1,172,859,788

Section 1.5 - History of UAAL and Funded Ratio (\$'s in 000's)

Valuation Date	Actuarial Value of Assets (AVA) (a)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) (b)	Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL) (b-a)	Funded Ratio (AVA as a % of AAL) (a/b)	Covered Payroll (c)	UAAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll (b-a)/(c)
December 31, 2009	866,357	814,564	(51,793)	106.4%	116,523	(44.4)%
December 31, 2010	862,916	837,168	(25,748)	103.1%	110,795	(23.2)%
December 31, 2011	828,692	854,324	25,632	97.0%	108,900	23.5%
December 31, 2012	795,606	867,219	71,613	91.7%	105,392	67.9%
December 31, 2013	837,653	884,042	46,389	94.8%	102,253	45.4%
December 31, 2014	882,565	911,096	28,531	96.9%	110,159	25.9%
December 31, 2015	902,931	977,566	74,636	92.4%	110,558	67.5%
December 31, 2016	940,494	1,019,138	78,644	92.3%	122,480	64.2%
December 31, 2017	990,803	1,013,110	22,307	97.8%	112,878	19.8%
December 31, 2018	999,604	1,034,282	34,678	96.6%	107,524	32.3%
December 31, 2019	1,022,559	1,054,637	32,078	97.0%	101,650	31.6%
December 31, 2020	1,068,574	1,064,429	(4,145)	100.4%	93,922	(4.4)%
December 31, 2021	1,142,153	1,089,307	(52,846)	104.9%	92,556	(57.1)%

Section 1.6 - Solvency Test (\$'s in 000's)

	(3) (1) (2) Active Members Active Member Inactive (Employer- Financed Valuation			Portion of Accrued Liabilities Covered by Assets			
Valuation Date	Contributions	Members	Portion)	Assets	(1)	(2)	(3)
December 31, 2014	46,460	640,125	224,511	882,565	100.00%	100.00%	87.29%
December 31, 2015	41,678	709,409	226,479	902,931	100.00%	100.00%	67.05%
December 31, 2016	42,682	723,523	252,933	940,494	100.00%	100.00%	68.91%
December 31, 2017	42,985	737,059	233,066	990,803	100.00%	100.00%	90.43%
December 31, 2018 <sup>1</sup>	44,172	755,475	234,635	999,604	100.00%	100.00%	85.22%
December 31, 2019 <sup>1</sup>	43,054	776,756	234,827	1,022,559	100.00%	100.00%	86.34%
December 31, 2020 <sup>1</sup>	41,387	789,720	233,322	1,068,574	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%
December 31, 2021	39,467	805,697	244,143	1,142,153	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Accrued liability for Active Member Contributions revised from prior year report to reflect a data selection refinement.

# **Section 2: Plan Assets**

Section 2.1 - Summary of Fair Value of Assets

	Fair Value as of December 31, 2021		Fair Value December 3	
Asset Category	Amount	%	Amount	%
Cash and Short-Term Investments				
a. Cash and cash equivalents	58,787,318	4.45%	60,766,620	5.24%
b. Other short-term	<u>40,196</u>	0.00%	<u>16,934</u>	0.00%
c. Total	58,827,514	4.45%	60,783,554	5.24%
2. Investments at Fair Value				
a. U.S. Treasury and agencies	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
b. Fixed Income	107,979,434	8.16%	110,096,370	9.49%
c. Domestic Stocks and Equity	718,240,865	54.28%	626,721,116	54.00%
d. International Equity	94,970,054	7.18%	85,233,317	7.34%
e. Limited Partnership	343,097,070	<u>25.93%</u>	<u>277,654,404</u>	23.93%
f. Total	1,264,287,423	95.55%	1,099,705,207	94.76%
3. Other Assets	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
4. Total Assets (1.c. + 2.f. + 3.)	1,323,114,937	100.00%	1,160,488,761	100.00%
5. Receivables				
a. Interest and Dividends	411,577		401,920	
b. Due from primary government	58,224		0	
c. Other Receivables	222,333		<u>111,841</u>	
d. Total	692,134		513,761	
6. Payables				
a. Payable for Investments Purchased	0		0	
<ul> <li>Securities Lending Obligation in Excess of Collateral</li> </ul>	0		0	
c. Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities	6,451,088		7,371,597	
d. Total	6,451,088		7,371,597	
7. Net Assets for Pension [4. + 5.d. – 6.d.]	1,317,355,983		1,153,630,925	

## **Section 2.2 - Changes in Fair Value of Assets**

Transactions	December 31, 2021	December 31, 2020
Additions		
<ol> <li>Contributions</li> <li>Contributions from Employers</li> <li>Contributions from Plan Members</li> </ol>	15,560,031 <u>3,015,289</u>	15,146,875 <u>3,142,287</u>
c. Total  2. Net Investment Income	18,575,320	18,289,162
<ul><li>a. Interest and Dividends</li><li>b. Net Appreciation(Depreciation)</li><li>c. Rental Income</li><li>d. Net Securities Lending Income</li></ul>	9,568,493 218,197,417 0 0	8,441,313 125,176,117 0 0
<ul><li>e. Securities Lending Unrealized Gain/(Loss)</li><li>f. Miscellaneous</li><li>g. Total</li><li>h. Investment Expense</li></ul>	0 <u>0</u> 227,765,910 <u>(8,395,231)</u>	0 <u>0</u> 133,617,430 <u>(7,523,013)</u>
<ul><li>i. Net Investment Income</li><li>3. Total Additions</li></ul>	219,370,679 237,945,999	126,094,417 144,383,579
Deductions		
<ul> <li>4. Benefit Payments and Refunds</li> <li>a. Retirement Benefits</li> <li>b. Refund of Contributions</li> <li>c. Death</li> <li>d. Supplemental Payment</li> <li>e. Administrative Expenses</li> <li>f. Total Deductions</li> </ul>	73,093,602 396,355 0 0 730,984 74,220,941	71,802,977 324,814 0 0 666,662 72,794,453
5. Net Increase	163,725,058	71,589,126
<ul><li>6. Net Assets Held in Trust for Pension Benefits</li><li>a. Beginning of Year</li><li>b. End of Year</li></ul>	1,153,630,925 1,317,355,983	1,082,041,799 1,153,630,925

## **Section 2.3 - Actuarial Value of Assets**

De	velopment of Actuarial Value of Assets	Amount
1.	Actuarial Value of Assets as of December 31, 2020	1,068,574,127
2.	Unrecognized Return as of December 31, 2020	85,056,798
3.	Fair Value of Assets as of December 31, 2020 (1. + 2.)	1,153,630,925
4.	Contribution	
	a. Member (includes purchased service)	3,015,289
	b. Employer	15,560,031
	c. State appropriations	<u>0</u>
	d. Total	18,575,320
5.	Distributions	
	a. Benefit payments	73,093,602
	b. Refund of contributions	396,355
	c. Administrative Expenses	<u>730,984</u>
	d. Total	74,220,941
6.	Expected Return at 7.00% on	
	a. Item 1	74,800,189
	b. Item 4 (d.)	650,136
	c. Item 5 (d.)	<u>2,597,733</u>
	d. Total [a. + b c.]	72,852,592
7.	Actual Return on Fair Value for Fiscal Year	219,370,679
8.	Return to be Spread for Fiscal year [(7. – 6(d)]	146,518,087
9.	Total Fair Value of Assets as of December 31, 2021	1,317,355,983
10.	. Return to be Spread	

10. Return to be Spread

	Fiscal Year	Return to be Spread	Unrecognized Percent	Unrecognized Return			
	2021	146,518,087	80%	117,214,470			
	2020	56,422,966	60%	33,853,780			
	2019	125,426,458	40%	50,170,583			
	2018	(130,180,156)	20%	(26,036,031)			
	2017	83,673,061	0%	0			
		Total		175,202,802			
11. Preliminary Actuarial Value o	f Assets (9. –	10.)		1,142,153,181			
12. Corridor							
a. Lower Limit: 80% x 9.				1,053,884,787			
b. Upper Limit: 120% x 9.				1,580,827,179			
<ul><li>c. Adjustment to 11. to fit lin</li></ul>	nits			0			
13. Actuarial Value of Assets (11	. + 12.c.)			1,142,153,181			
14. Recognized Rate of Return for	14. Recognized Rate of Return for the Year on Actuarial Value of Assets <sup>1</sup>						
15. Rate of Return for the Year o	19.49%						

<sup>1</sup> The rate of return is based on the change in the actuarial value of assets from last year to this year. The rate of return is calculated assuming contributions and disbursements occur halfway through the year.

## Section 2.3 - Actuarial Value of Assets (cont'd)

## **Allocation of Retirement Systems Assets**

	General County	Sheriff's Department	Road Commission	Martha T. Berry	Total
Valuation assets at start of year	604,422,737	290,258,834	132,080,617	41,811,939	1,068,574,127
2. Employee contributions	1,577,482	1,044,422	293,390	99,995	3,015,289
3. Employer contributions	6,301,027	5,259,008	3,999,996	-	15,560,031
4. Benefits paid	42,246,313	17,894,183	10,260,270	2,692,836	73,093,602
5. Refund of contributions	292,027	52,099	7,330	44,899	396,355
6. Administrative expense allocated on BOY asset value	413,470	<u>198,559</u>	90,353	28,602	730,984
7. Average valuation assets [1. + 0.5 * {2. + 3 4 5 6.}]	586,886,087	284,338,129	129,048,334	40,478,768	1,040,751,318
8. Investment income allocated on average valuation assets	72,870,591	35,304,786	16,023,260	5,026,038	129,224,675
9. Transfer in Transfer out Net transfer of assets	0 0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
10. Valuation assets at end of year [1. + 2. +3 4 5 6. + 8. + 9.]	642,220,027	313,722,209	142,039,310	44,171,635	1,142,153,181
11. Total Revenues [2. +3. + 8.]  Percentage of revenue attributable to:	80,749,100	41,608,216	20,316,646	5,126,033	147,799,995
Employee contributions Employer contributions Investment income	2.0% 7.8% 90.1%	2.5% 12.6% 84.8%	1.4% 19.7% 78.9%	2.0% 0.0% 98.0%	2.0% 10.5% 87.5%
12. Total Expenditures [4. + 5. + 6.]  Percentage of expenditures attributable to:	42,951,810	18,144,841	10,357,953	2,766,337	74,220,941
Benefits paid Refund of contributions	98.4% 0.7%	98.6% 0.3%	99.1% 0.1%	97.2% 1.6%	98.6% 0.5%
Administrative expenses	1.0%	1.1%	0.9%	1.0%	1.0%

**Section 2.4 - Historical Asset Rate of Return** 

Year Ending December 31	Actuarial Value of Assets	Market Value of Assets
2013	10.55%	20.90%
2014	9.47%	7.22%
2015	6.86%	(1.73)%
2016	8.74%	9.58%
2017	10.01%	16.56%
2018	5.08%	(5.88)%
2019	7.35%	21.22%
2020	10.10%	11.95%
2021	12.42%	19.49%

Section 2.5 - Forecast of Expected Benefit Payments (\$000)

		Retired, Disabled,		
<b>Year Ending</b>	Active	Beneficiaries, and	DROP	
December 31	<b>Employees</b>	Deferred Vested	<b>Participants</b>	<b>Grand Total</b>
2022	831	62,162	21,377	84,370
2023	1,662	61,059	10,496	73,217
2024	2,619	60,302	13,279	76,200
2025	3,653	59,588	14,376	77,617
2026	11,383	58,748	11,270	81,401
2027	14,815	57,752	8,465	81,032
2028	19,128	56,706	8,436	84,270
2029	21,235	55,618	8,412	85,265
2030	23,907	54,470	8,381	86,758
2031	27,404	53,376	8,341	89,121
2032	32,270	52,252	8,303	92,825
2033	32,615	51,055	8,256	91,926
2034	34,392	49,790	8,208	92,390
2035	37,339	48,502	8,152	93,993
2036	38,057	47,076	8,096	93,229
2037	40,101	45,526	8,032	93,659
2038	41,370	43,903	7,961	93,234
2039	42,831	42,218	7,883	92,932
2040	44,758	40,436	7,795	92,989
2041	48,140	38,623	7,697	94,460
2042	52,029	36,784	7,589	96,402
2043	51,523	34,869	7,468	93,860
2044	50,676	32,983	7,336	90,995
2045	50,421	31,075	7,189	88,685
2046	50,034	29,153	7,029	86,216
2047	49,481	27,227	6,853	83,561
2048	48,877	25,326	6,661	80,864
2049	48,178	23,473	6,454	78,105
2050	47,302	21,658	6,231	75,191
2051	46,362	19,906	5,991	72,259
2052	45,382	18,205	5,737	69,324

#### Section 2.6 – Retiree Reserve Balances

The liabilities for all divisions are greater than the reported assets allocated to the retiree reserve balances as of December 31, 2021. The liabilities and reserves are shown below:

	General County	Sheriff's Department	Road Commission	Martha T. Berry	Total
1. Retiree Liability	440,431,517	204,665,920	107,435,859	26,721,258	779,254,554
2. Retiree Reserve	<u>429,187,861</u>	187,531,644	105,092,039	26,195,313	748,006,857
3. Shortfall	11,243,656	17,134,276	2,343,820	525,945	31,247,697

Re	serve Accounts	Amount
1.	Member Contributions	39,466,508
2.	Reserve for benefits now paid	748,006,857
3.	Reserve for future benefits	529,882,618
4.	Supplemental reserve	0
5.	Total	1,317,355,983

# **Section 3: Member Data**

**Section 3.1 - Summary of Members Included** 

	General	County	Sheriff's D	epartment	Road Cor	nmission	Martha <sup>1</sup>	T. Berry	Tot	al
As of December 31	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020
Active Members										
1. Number	845	922	287	316	117	124	63	78	1,312	1,440
2. Average Age	50.1	49.6	43.3	42.8	47.3	46.7	49.2	47.6	48.3	47.7
3. Avg. Credited Service	12.9	12.2	15.4	14.9	17.1	16.5	11.3	9.5	13.7	13.0
4. Avg. Annual Earnings	62,364	60,630	83,651	86,988	76,340	75,744	56,773	49,062	67,999	67,089
5. Total Annual Earnings	52,697,872	55,900,456	24,007,700	27,488,233	8,931,834	9,392,278	3,576,701	3,826,859	89,214,106	96,607,825
Active Members (Term. Benefit Only)										
1. Number	1,008	923	146	148	78	70	258	381	1,490	1,522
Retirees, Disabled and Beneficiaries										
1. Number	1,962	1,937	370	358	311	306	181	182	2,824	2,783
2. Average Age	71.4	71.1	65.2	65.0	70.0	70.2	72.3	71.8	70.5	70.3
3. Avg. Monthly Benefit	1,542	1,528	3,271	3,227	2,155	2,120	1,155	1,137	1,811	1,786
DROP Participants										
1. Number	166	188	47	38	41	49	6	6	260	281
2. Average Age	59.4	59.1	53.4	53.9	57.6	57.8	56.3	54.4	58.0	58.1
3. Avg. Monthly Benefit	2,270	2,193	4,365	4,301	2,874	2,714	1,874	1,873	2,735	2,562
Vested Terminated										
1. Number	230	228	25	22	20	20	14	15	289	285
2. Average Age	51.8	51.1	48.9	50.6	51.0	50.0	53.6	52.8	51.6	51.0
3. Avg. Monthly Benefit	1,071	1,065	1,867	1,762	1,386	1,432	798	804	1,149	1,130
Non-Vested with Refund										
1. Number	174	178	20	22	-	-	70	70	264	270
2. Average Payoff	2,790	2,839	3,327	3,872	-	-	897	912	2,329	2,423
Total	4,385	4,376	895	904	567	569	592	732	6,439	6,581

Section 3.2 - Age and Service Distribution of Active Members as of December 31, 2021 – Total

Attained Age		0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	Over 34	Total
	Number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15-19	Total Salary									\$0
	Average Salary									\$0
	Number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20-24	Total Salary									\$0
	Average Salary									\$0
	Number	1	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
25-29	Total Salary									\$1,238,232
	Average Salary									\$65,170
	Number	1	79	7	1	0	0	0	0	88
30-34	Total Salary									\$6,113,399
	Average Salary									\$69,470
	Number	3	84	29	23	2	0	0	0	141
35-39	Total Salary									\$10,066,97
	Average Salary									\$71,397
	Number	3	59	39	85	33	0	0	0	219
40-44	Total Salary									\$15,831,06
	Average Salary									\$72,288
	Number	5	54	33	77	100	8	1	0	278
45-49	Total Salary									\$19,418,59
	Average Salary									\$69,851
	Number	1	62	41	71	54	18	4	3	254
50-54	Total Salary									\$17,409,45
	Average Salary									\$68,541
	Number	3	34	37	69	16	2	3	1	165
55-59	Total Salary									\$10,261,14
	Average Salary									\$62,189
	Number	3	41	26	26	7	4	4	1	112
60-64	Total Salary									\$6,871,558
	Average Salary									\$61,353
	Number	1	14	5	3	1	1	0	0	25
65-69	Total Salary									\$1,526,75
	Average Salary									\$61,070
	Number	1	1	4	2	2	1	0	0	11
70+	Total Salary				_	_	-	_	1	\$476,939
	Average Salary									\$43,358
	Number	22	446	221	357	215	34	12	5	1,312
TOTAL	Total Salary	\$912,202	\$28,403,714		\$25,194,365		\$2,497,846	\$746,062	\$404,474	\$89,214,10
	Average Salary	\$41,464	\$63,685	\$65,341	\$70,572	\$77,279	\$73,466	\$62,172	\$80,895	\$67,999

Section 3.2 - Age and Service Distribution of Active Members as of December 31, 2021 – General County (continued)

Attained Age		0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	Over 34	Total
	Number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15-19	Total Salary									\$0
	Average Salary									\$0
	Number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20-24	Total Salary									\$0
	Average Salary									\$0
	Number	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
25-29	Total Salary									\$312,880
	Average Salary									\$52,147
	Number	1	32	2	0	0	0	0	0	35
30-34	Total Salary									\$2,031,863
	Average Salary									\$58,053
	Number	3	52	16	3	0	0	0	0	74
35-39	Total Salary									\$4,745,592
	Average Salary									\$64,130
	Number	3	44	30	47	9	0	0	0	133
40-44	Total Salary									\$8,934,699
	Average Salary									\$67,178
	Number	5	42	26	42	49	3	1	0	168
45-49	Total Salary							·		\$10,567,089
	Average Salary									\$62,899
	Number	1	51	31	53	26	7	2	1	172
50-54	Total Salary		0.				·	_		\$11,088,401
	Average Salary									\$64,467
	Number	3	26	31	56	9	2	3	0	130
55-59	Total Salary		20	0.		Ĭ	_			\$7,550,300
	Average Salary									\$58,079
	Number	3	32	22	23	6	3	4	0	93
60-64	Total Salary		0_					·		\$5,529,305
	Average Salary									\$59,455
	Number	1	13	4	3	1	1	0	0	23
65-69	Total Salary									\$1,460,805
00 00	Average Salary									\$63,513
	Number	1	1	4	2	2	1	0	0	11
70+	Total Salary	'		· •	_		·			\$476,939
	Average Salary									\$43,358
	Number	22	298	166	229	102	17	10	1	845
TOTAL	Total Salary	\$912,202	\$17,696,116	\$10,332,541		\$6,845,893	\$1,097,079	\$603,853	\$58,442	\$52,697,872
TOTAL	Average Salary	\$41,464	\$59,383	\$62,244	\$66,165	\$67,117	\$64,534	\$60,385	\$58,442	\$62,364

Section 3.2 - Age and Service Distribution of Active Members as of December 31, 2021 – Sheriff's Department (continued)

Attained Age		0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	Over 34	Total
15-19	Number Total Salary Average Salary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 \$0 \$0
20-24	Number Total Salary Average Salary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 \$0 \$0
25-29	Number Total Salary Average Salary	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	10 \$725,941 \$72,594
30-34	Number Total Salary Average Salary	0	41	5	1	0	0	0	0	47 \$3,712,014 \$78,979
35-39	Number Total Salary Average Salary	0	25	11	15	1	0	0	0	52 \$4,307,631 \$82,839
40-44	Number Total Salary Average Salary	0	7	3	23	14	0	0	0	47 \$4,177,182 \$88,876
45-49	Number Total Salary Average Salary	0	4	2	22	37	0	0	0	65 \$5,630,571 \$86,624
50-54	Number Total Salary Average Salary	0	3	5	9	20	3	1	2	43 \$3,502,174 \$81,446
55-59	Number Total Salary Average Salary	0	2	2	8	6	0	0	1	19 \$1,653,319 \$87,017
60-64	Number Total Salary Average Salary	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	4 \$298,867 \$74,717
65-69	Number Total Salary Average Salary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 \$0 \$0
70+	Number Total Salary Average Salary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 \$0 \$0
TOTAL	Number Total Salary Average Salary	0 \$0 \$0	93 \$7,158,866 \$76,977	28 \$2,326,963 \$83,106	81 \$6,739,787 \$83,207	78 \$7,181,664 \$92,073	3 \$261,820 \$87,273	1 \$65,766 \$65,766	3 \$272,833 \$90,944	287 \$24,007,700 \$83,651

Section 3.2 - Age and Service Distribution of Active Members as of December 31, 2021 - Road Commission (continued)

Attained Age		0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	Over 34	Total
	Number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15-19	Total Salary									\$0
	Average Salary									\$0
	Number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20-24	Total Salary									\$0
	Average Salary									\$0
	Number	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
25-29	Total Salary									\$199,412
	Average Salary									\$66,471
	Number	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
30-34	Total Salary							-	-	\$138,012
	Average Salary									\$69,006
	Number	0	4	1	5	1	0	0	0	11
35-39	Total Salary									\$771,086
	Average Salary									\$70,099
	Number	0	3	3	11	9	0	0	0	26
40-44	Total Salary									\$1,902,359
	Average Salary									\$73,168
	Number	0	3	1	10	13	4	0	0	31
45-49	Total Salary									\$2,440,508
	Average Salary									\$78,726
	Number	0	4	2	5	8	8	1	0	28
50-54	Total Salary								-	\$2,241,350
	Average Salary									\$80,048
	Number	0	4	1	3	1	0	0	0	9
55-59	Total Salary									\$684,266
	Average Salary									\$76,030
	Number	0	3	1	0	1	1	0	1	7
60-64	Total Salary					·		· ·		\$554,841
	Average Salary									\$79,263
	Number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
65-69	Total Salary									\$0
	Average Salary									\$0
	Number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
70+	Total Salary								l	\$0
	Average Salary									\$0
	Number	0	26	9	34	33	13	1	1	117
TOTAL	Total Salary	\$0	\$1,886,423	\$681,449	\$2,632,128	\$2,485,324	\$1,096,868	\$76,443	\$73,200	\$8,931,834
	Average Salary	\$0 \$0	\$72,555	\$75,717	\$77,416	\$75,313	\$84,374	\$76,443	\$73,200	\$76,340

Section 3.2 - Age and Service Distribution of Active Members as of December 31, 2021 – Martha T. Berry (continued)

Attained Age		0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	Over 34	Total
	Number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15-19	Total Salary									\$0
	Average Salary									\$0
	Number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20-24	Total Salary									\$0
	Average Salary									\$0
	Number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25-29	Total Salary									\$0
	Average Salary									\$0
	Number	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
30-34	Total Salary									\$231,511
	Average Salary									\$57,878
	Number	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	4
35-39	Total Salary									\$242,669
	Average Salary									\$60,667
	Number	0	5	3	4	1	0	0	0	13
40-44	Total Salary									\$816,825
	Average Salary									\$62,833
	Number	0	5	4	3	1	1	0	0	14
45-49	Total Salary									\$780,421
	Average Salary									\$55,744
	Number	0	4	3	4	0	0	0	0	11
50-54	Total Salary									\$577,526
	Average Salary									\$52,502
	Number	0	2	3	2	0	0	0	0	7
55-59	Total Salary									\$373,258
	Average Salary									\$53,323
	Number	0	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	8
60-64	Total Salary									\$488,546
	Average Salary									\$61,068
	Number	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
65-69	Total Salary									\$65,945
	Average Salary									\$32,972
	Number	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
70+	Total Salary									\$0
	Average Salary									\$0
	Number	0	29	18	13	2	1	0	0	63
TOTAL	Total Salary	\$0	\$1,662,310	\$1,099,486	\$670,703	\$102,122	\$42,079	\$0	\$0	\$3,576,70
	Average Salary	\$0	\$57,321	\$61,083	\$51,593	\$51,061	\$42,079	\$0	\$0	\$56,773

**Section 3.3 - Member Data Reconciliation** 

	Inactive Members							
	Active <sup>1</sup>	Deferred Benefits	Termination Owed Refund	DROP	Retired Members	Disabled Members	Beneficiaries	Total
As of December 31, 2020	1,440	285	270	281	2,322	85	376	5,059
Changes due to:								
Age/Service Retirements	(36)	(14)	0	(55)	105	0	0	0
Disability Retirements	(1)	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Deaths Without Beneficiary	0	0	0	(1)	(49)	(1)	(19)	(70)
Deaths With Beneficiary	0	1	1	(1)	(31)	0	30	0
Non-Vested Terminations	(3)	0	0	0	0	0	0	(3)
Terminations Owed Refund	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vested Terminations	(20)	20	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rehires	2	(2)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cash-Outs	(25)	(1)	(6)	0	0	0	0	(32)
Expiration of Benefits	0	0	0	0	0	0	(1)	(1)
Data Corrections	(9)	0	(1)	0	0	0	1	(9)
Transfers Out	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DROP	(36)	0	0	36	0	0	0	0
New QDROs	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
Net Change	(128)	4	(6)	(21)	25	0	16	(110)
As of December 31, 2021	1,312	289	264	260	2,347	85	392	4,949

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The count as of 12/31/2021 excludes 1,490 active participants who are eligible for Termination Benefit Only

Section 3.3 - Member Data Reconciliation - General County

				Inactive Members					
	Active	Deferred Benefits	Termination Owed Refund	DROP	Retired Members	Disabled Members	Beneficiaries	Total	
As of December 31, 2020	922	228	178	188	1,669	39	229	3,453	
Changes due to:									
Age/Service Retirements	(27)	(12)	0	(34)	73	0	0	0	
Disability Retirements	(1)	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Deaths Without Beneficiary	0	0	0	(1)	(34)	(1)	(15)	(51)	
Deaths With Beneficiary	0	1	1	0	(24)	0	22	0	
Non-Vested Terminations	(2)	0	0	0	0	0	0	(2)	
Terminations Owed Refund	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Vested Terminations	(16)	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Rehires	2	(2)	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Cash-Outs	(20)	(1)	(4)	0	0	0	0	(25)	
Expiration of Benefits	0	0	0	0	0	0	(1)	(1)	
Data Corrections	0	0	(1)	0	0	0	1	0	
Transfers Out	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
DROP	(13)	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	
New QDROs	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	
Net Change	(77)	2	(4)	(22)	15	0	10	(76)	
As of December 31, 2021	845	230	174	166	1,684	39	239	3,377	

Section 3.3 - Member Data Reconciliation - Sheriff's Department

				Inactive Members						
	Active	Deferred Benefits	Termination Owed Refund	DROP	Retired Members	Disabled Members	Beneficiaries	Total		
As of December 31, 2020	316	22	22	38	272	23	63	756		
Changes due to:										
Age/Service Retirements	(7)	(1)	0	(7)	15	0	0	0		
Disability Retirements	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Deaths Without Beneficiary	0	0	0	0	(4)	0	(1)	(5)		
Deaths With Beneficiary	0	0	0	0	(3)	0	3	0		
Non-Vested Terminations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Terminations Owed Refund	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Vested Terminations	(4)	4	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Rehires	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Cash-Outs	(2)	0	(2)	0	0	0	0	(4)		
Expiration of Benefits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Data Corrections	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Transfers Out	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
DROP	(16)	0	0	16	0	0	0	0		
New QDROs	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2		
Net Change	(29)	3	(2)	9	8	0	4	(7)		
As of December 31, 2021	287	25	20	47	280	23	67	749		

Section 3.3 - Member Data Reconciliation - Road Commission

				Inactive Members							
	Active	Deferred Benefits	Termination Owed Refund	DROP	Retired Members	Disabled Members	Beneficiaries	Total			
As of December 31, 2020	124	20	0	49	227	13	66	499			
Changes due to:											
Age/Service Retirements	(1)	0	0	(13)	14	0	0	0			
Disability Retirements	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Deaths Without Beneficiary	0	0	0	0	(7)	0	(3)	(10)			
Deaths With Beneficiary	0	0	0	(1)	0	0	1	0			
Non-Vested Terminations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Terminations Owed Refund	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Vested Terminations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Rehires	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Cash-Outs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Expiration of Benefits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Data Corrections	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Transfers Out	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
DROP	(6)	0	0	6	0	0	0	0			
New QDROs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Net Change	(7)	0	0	(8)	7	0	(2)	(10)			
As of December 31, 2021	117	20	0	41	234	13	64	489			

Section 3.3 - Member Data Reconciliation - Martha T Berry

		Inactive Members							
	Active	Deferred Benefits	Termination Owed Refund	DROP	Retired Members	Disabled Members	Beneficiaries	Total	
As of December 31, 2020	78	15	70	6	154	10	18	351	
Changes due to:									
Age/Service Retirements	(1)	(1)	0	(1)	3	0	0	0	
Disability Retirements	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Deaths Without Beneficiary	0	0	0	0	(4)	0	0	(4)	
Deaths With Beneficiary	0	0	0	0	(4)	0	4	0	
Non-Vested Terminations	(1)	0	0	0	0	0	0	(1)	
Terminations Owed Refund	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Vested Terminations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Rehires	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Cash-Outs	(3)	0	0	0	0	0	0	(3)	
Expiration of Benefits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Data Corrections	(9)	0	0	0	0	0	0	(9)	
Transfers Out	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
DROP	(1)	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	
New QDROs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Net Change	(15)	(1)	0	0	(5)	0	4	(17)	
As of December 31, 2021	63	14	70	6	149	10	22	334	

**Section 3.4 - Schedule of Active Member Data** 

			Number					
Valuation Date	General County	Sheriff's Department	Road Commission	Martha T. Berry	Total	Annual Earnings	Annual Average Earnings	Percent Increase / (Decrease) in Average Earnings
December 31, 2013	1,328	377	207	156	2,068	102,252,875	49,445	(2.5)%
December 31, 2014	1,392	380	214	148	2,134	110,159,044	51,621	4.4%
December 31, 2015	1,448	408	199	168	2,223	105,254,524	47,348	(8.3)%
December 31, 2016	1,322	380	189	129	2,020	116,574,389	57,710	21.9%
December 31, 2017	1,212	367	163	100	1,842	107,492,731	58,357	1.1%
December 31, 2018	1,130	360	150	111	1,751	103,002,972	58,825	0.8%
December 31, 2019	1,021	333	134	90	1,578	97,589,925	61,844	5.1%
December 31, 2020	922	316	124	78	1,440	96,607,825	67,089	8.5%
December 31, 2021	845	287	117	63	1,312	89,214,106	67,999	1.4%

**Section 3.5 - Schedule of Inactive Member Data** 

Valuation Date	General County	Sheriff's Department	Road Commission	Martha T. Berry	Total	Annual Retirement Benefits	Average Annual Retirement Benefits
December 31, 2016	236	19	16	17	288	3,566,016	12,382
December 31, 2017	236	21	21	15	293	3,509,155	11,977
December 31, 2018	245	24	25	20	314	3,969,425	12,641
December 31, 2019	225	21	22	18	286	3,859,533	13,495
December 31, 2020	228	22	20	15	285	3,866,199	13,566
December 31, 2021	230	25	20	14	289	3,983,449	13,784

Section 3.6 - Schedule of Retired Members by Type of Benefit and Option Elected

		Type of Pension Benefit			Option Selected			
Amount of Monthly Pension Benefit	Number of Recipients	1	2	3	1	3	4	5
\$ 1 - \$300	85	44	40	1	59	4	16	6
301 - 600	295	221	66	8	150	30	46	69
601 - 900	407	319	76	12	196	39	59	113
901 - 1,200	363	306	39	18	146	42	65	110
1,201 - 1,500	272	223	38	11	113	31	44	84
1,501 - 1,800	230	190	27	13	93	22	40	75
1,801 - 2,100	211	171	30	10	81	33	47	50
2,101 - 2,400	187	167	16	4	52	23	46	66
2,401 - 2,700	150	133	16	1	52	19	31	48
2,701 - 3,000	145	129	15	1	41	12	41	51
3,001 - 3,300	116	99	16	1	33	8	36	39
3,301 - 3,600	90	84	4	2	18	7	24	41
3,601 - 3,900	65	62	2	1	17	6	22	20
3,901 - 4,200	52	50	1	1	8	5	15	24
Over \$4,200	156	149	6	1	37	9	55	55
Totals	2,824	2,347	392	85	1,096	290	587	851

## Type of Pension Benefit Option Selected

1. Regular retirement 1 = Straight Life

2. Survivor payment 3 = Years Certain

3. Disability 4 = Joint and Survivor

5 = Pop-Up

Section 3.6a - Schedule of DROP Participants by Option Elected

			Option Selected			
Amount of Mo Pension Ben		Number of Recipients	1	3	4	5
\$ 1 -	\$ 300	1	1	0	0	0
301 -	600	0	0	0	0	0
601 -	900	5	2	0	0	3
901 -	1,200	22	4	1	6	11
1,201 -	1,500	18	6	1	2	9
1,501 -	1,800	30	8	2	8	12
1,801 -	2,100	25	5	5	7	8
2,101 -	2,400	17	4	1	8	4
2,401 -	2,700	22	3	2	4	13
2,701 -	3,000	24	3	0	7	14
3,001 -	3,300	22	6	2	4	10
3,301 -	3,600	12	1	0	6	5
3,601 -	3,900	11	1	2	1	7
3,901 -	4,200	15	2	0	4	9
Over \$4,200		34	4	36	4	1
Totals		260	50	17	67	126

## **Option Selected**

- 1 = Straight Life
- 3 = Years Certain
- 4 = Joint and Survivor
- 5 = Pop-Up

**Section 3.7 - Schedule of Benefit Payments** 

		etirement & Payment	Disa	bility	Total		
Attained Age	No.	Annual Allowances	No.	Annual Allowances	No.	Annual Allowances	
Under 30	5	73,387	0	0	5	73,387	
30-34	3	37,449	0	0	3	37,449	
35-39	4	68,027	0	0	4	68,027	
40-44	3	51,031	5	88,049	8	139,080	
45-49	11	298,887	4	70,250	15	369,137	
50-54	93	2,701,737	11	264,645	104	2,966,382	
55-59	212	6,801,892	18	335,485	230	7,137,377	
60-64	441	11,077,142	13	269,585	454	11,346,727	
65-69	594	13,237,086	12	209,840	606	13,446,926	
70-74	543	11,567,336	9	129,219	552	11,696,554	
75	67	1,304,362	1	12,949	68	1,317,311	
76	67	1,424,963	1	12,133	68	1,437,096	
77	72	1,318,086	1	6,019	73	1,324,105	
78	73	1,318,841	2	38,809	75	1,357,650	
79	79	1,531,178	0	0	79	1,531,178	
80	62	1,246,326	1	5,513	63	1,251,839	
81	56	917,532	2	21,166	58	938,698	
82	43	777,055	1	6,030	44	783,086	
83	49	890,049	0	0	49	890,049	
84	37	551,180	0	0	37	551,180	
85	33	459,477	0	0	33	459,477	
86	19	263,831	1	15,285	20	279,116	
87	28	316,475	0	0	28	316,475	
88	22	281,987	0	0	22	281,987	
89	22	270,796	1	9,667	23	280,463	
90	22	208,137	0	0	22	208,137	
91	10	128,979	1	1,637	11	130,617	
92	19	203,975	0	0	19	203,975	
93	15	236,257	1	6,813	16	243,070	
94	10	115,527	0	0	10	115,527	
95	8	108,570	0	0	8	108,570	
96	6	47,060	0	0	6	47,060	
97	3	15,584	0	0	3	15,584	
98	2	6,133	0	0	2	6,133	
99	2	6,729	0	0	2	6,729	
100	2	13,863	0	0	2	13,863	
101	0	0	0	0	0	0	
102	1	2,633	0	0	1	2,633	
103+	1	5,275	0	0	1	5,275	
Total	2,739	59,884,834	85	1,503,095	2,824	61,387,929	

Section 3.7 - Schedule of Benefit Payments (Continued)

Deferred Vested Members			DROP Members			
		<b>Estimated</b>		Estimated		
Attained		Annual		Annual		
Age	No.	Allowances	No.	Allowances		
Under 30	1	22,847	0	0		
30	0	0	0	0		
31	1	16,240	0	0		
32	1	14,160	0	0		
33	0	0	0	0		
34	1	0	0	0		
35	0	0	0	0		
36	5	48,613	0	0		
37	2	37,927	0	0		
38	5	56,371	0	0		
39	1	13,516	0	0		
40	5	97,778	0	0		
41	7	96,766	0	0		
42	5	76,929	0	0		
43	9	176,237	0	0		
44	5	86,437	0	0		
45	12	151,221	0	0		
46	22	355,887	1	46,776		
47	16	261,619	0	0		
48	12	249,681	7	414,324		
49	14	271,777	4	244,432		
50	16	302,344	8	378,581		
51	10	161,048	15	618,709		
52	11	125,013	25	979,287		
53	11	107,910	10	324,476		
54	7	63,319	20	881,195		
55	11	118,472	22	697,859		
56	19	239,297	14	413,762		
57	19	216,474	14	469,686		
58	18	148,134	19	529,159		
59	25	351,662	19	613,133		
60	2	20,160	9	211,374		
61	1	8,093	9	199,389		
62	3	21,182	9	287,959		
63	3	11,992	15	307,633		
64	2	15,872	9	252,438		
65	1	7,350	8	150,439		
66	0	0	8	193,394		
67	3	26,890	4	46,865		
68	3	4,231	11	271,774		
Total	289	3,983,449	260	8,532,644		

#### **Valuation Date**

December 31, 2021

### **Actuarial Methods**

### **Actuarial Cost Method**

**Entry Age Normal** 

### **Amortization Method**

### **Period**

12 years remaining. Initially established as 20 years with the December 31, 2013 actuarial valuation

### **Open or Closed**

Closed - each year the amortization period is reduced by 1 year

### Aggregate or Layered basis

Aggregate - the total unfunded actuarial accrued liability (UAAL) as of the valuation date is amortized over the remaining period

### **UAAL Payment Increase**

The UAAL payments are developed such that they would increase by 5.00% per year

### **Asset Valuation Method**

The Actuarial Value of Assets is based on a 5 year smoothing method and is determined by spreading each year's investment return in excess of or below the expected return.

### **Actuarial Assumptions**

The following assumptions were selected by the Board. The interest rate, inflation, decrements, salary increase, and DROP assumptions were updated based on a 2019 experience study. The remaining assumptions provided are from a 2005 experience study provided by the prior actuary. Each year, gains/losses are reviewed to determine if there is a need to revise these assumptions. In our professional judgment, the assumptions used for the measurements contained in this report do not significantly conflict with what we consider reasonable.

In the case of the Board's selection of the investment rate of return and inflation assumption, the signing actuary has used economic information and tools provided by Buck's Financial Risk Management ("FRM") practice. A spreadsheet tool created by the FRM team converts averages, standard deviations, and correlations from Buck's Capital Markets Assumptions ("CMA") that are used for stochastic forecasting into approximate percentile ranges for the arithmetic and geometric average returns. Percentiles are based on standard matrix multiplication and normal approximations. This simplified model (disclosed here under ASOP 56) ignores inter-period dependence and the skewed nature of single year returns. As such it is intended to suggest possible reasonable ranges for EROA without attempting to predict or select a specific best estimate rate of return. However, it does take into account the duration (horizon) of investment and the approximate allocation of assets in the portfolio to various

asset classes with different expected returns, standard deviations, and correlations to other asset classes. Under current calibrations, the EROA tool will tend to show higher expected returns for longer durations, and will show a greater divergence between arithmetic and geometric average returns the higher the standard deviation of portfolio return.

Based on the actuary's analysis, including consistency with other assumptions used in the valuation, and the percentiles generated by the spreadsheet described above, the actuary believes the EROA does not significantly conflict with what, in the actuary's professional judgment, is reasonable for the purpose of the measurement.

### **Interest Rate and Inflation**

Investment Rate of Return	7.00%
Inflation Assumption	3.00%

### **Marriage Assumption**

100% of males and 100% of females are married, with males three years older than their female spouse.

### **Expense Load for Contribution Amount**

Previous year's administrative expense increased by the inflation assumption of 3.00% and allocated by employer payroll. Administrative expenses are allocated based on the ratio of beginning of year actuarial value of assets for the asset allocation between groups in Section 2.3.

### **Participant Data**

All census data used in these calculations was supplied by the employer.

### **Retirement Rates**

According to the following rates upon the attainment of retirement eligibility.

	General County	Martha T. Berry	Road Commission	Sheriff's Department					
				<25	25	26 - 30	31	32 - 34	>=35
	All	All	All	Years of	Years of	Years of	Years of	Years of	Years of
Age	Employees	Employees	Employees	Service	Service	Service	Service	Service	Service
40	-	-	-	-	75%	40%	35%	25%	100%
41	-	-	-	-	75%	40%	35%	25%	100%
42	-	-	-	-	75%	40%	35%	25%	100%
43	-	-	-	-	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
44	-	-	-	-	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
45	-	-	-	-	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
46	-	-	-	-	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
47	-	-	-	-	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
48	-	1	-	-	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
49	-	-	-	-	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
50	30%	30%	30%	-	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
51	30%	30%	30%	-	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
52	30%	30%	30%	-	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
53	30%	30%	30%	-	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
54	30%	30%	30%	-	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
55	25%	25%	30%	-	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
56	25%	25%	30%	-	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
57	25%	25%	30%	-	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
58	25%	25%	30%	-	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
59	25%	25%	30%	-	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
60	25%	25%	35%	25%	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
61	25%	25%	35%	25%	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
62	25%	25%	50%	25%	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
63	25%	25%	50%	25%	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
64	25%	25%	50%	25%	75%	50%	50%	50%	100%
65	25%	25%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
66	25%	25%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
67	25%	25%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
68	25%	25%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
69	25%	25%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
70	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

## **Disability Incidence**

Sample rates of disability are shown in the following table:

Disability Rates						
Age	% of Active Members Becoming Disabled within Next Year					
25	0.0675%					
30	0.0825%					
35	0.1125%					
40	0.1650%					
45	0.2700%					
50	0.4575%					
55	0.7575%					
60	1.2450%					

No disability rates are assumed before participants have attained 5 years of service.

### **Termination Rates**

Sample rates of active members separating service are shown in the following table:

	% of Active Members Separating within Next Year										
Sample	Years of	General	Sheriff's	Road	Martha T						
Age	Service	County	Department	Commission	Berry MCF						
ALL	0	11.00%	8.00%	6.50%	24.00%						
	1	11.00%	8.00%	6.00%	18.00%						
	2	8.00%	6.00%	5.50%	16.00%						
	3	7.00%	3.00%	5.00%	12.00%						
	4	6.00%	3.00%	4.50%	12.00%						
25	5 & Over	11.60%	4.80%	5.00%	17.40%						
30		10.60%	3.30%	4.00%	15.90%						
35		8.60%	3.00%	4.00%	12.90%						
40		6.60%	2.25%	3.00%	9.90%						
45		4.60%	1.50%	2.00%	6.90%						
50		3.60%	0.75%	1.00%	5.40%						
55		3.50%	0.75%	1.00%	5.25%						
60		3.00%	0.75%	1.00%	4.50%						

### Mortality

RP-2014 (Base 2006) Mortality Tables adjusted by 105% for males and 110% for females, projected with Scale MP-2018 on a fully generational basis was used for Retired and Survivor members.

RP-2014 (Base 2006) Mortality Tables projected with Scale MP-2018 on a fully generational basis was used for Active and Deferred Vested members.

RP-2014 (Base 2006) Disabled Mortality Tables adjusted by 106% for males and 114% for females, projected with Scale MP-2018 on a fully generational basis was used for Disabled members.

The tables mentioned above were first used for the December 31, 2018 valuation. Sample values for retired participants are shown in the following table:

	Single Life Retirement Values							
		irement of \$1	Future Life Expectancy					
Sample	Monthly	for Life	(yea	rs)				
Ages	Men	Women	Men	Women				
50	\$151.09	\$154.99	33.88	36.06				
55	143.64	147.97	29.19	31.18				
60	134.38	139.19	24.67	26.47				
65	123.21	128.50	20.40	22.01				
70	109.89	115.41	16.39	17.77				
75	94.31	99.78	12.69	13.82				
80	77.02	82.19	9.38	10.27				

### **DROP Assumptions**

75% of eligible participants are assumed to enter DROP and remain in DROP for 4 years.

### **Salary Increase**

Rates of salary increases are shown in the following table:

Years of Service	General County	Sheriff's Department	Road Commission	Martha T Berry MCF
0	12.00%	18.00%	15.00%	12.00%
1	8.00%	11.00%	9.00%	5.00%
2	6.00%	11.00%	6.00%	5.00%
3	6.00%	10.00%	6.00%	5.00%
4	6.00%	7.00%	3.00%	5.00%
5	6.00%	7.00%	3.00%	5.00%
6	4.00%	4.00%	3.00%	5.00%
7	4.00%	4.00%	3.00%	5.00%
8	3.00%	4.00%	3.00%	3.00%
9	3.00%	4.00%	3.00%	3.00%
10	3.00%	4.00%	3.00%	3.00%
11+	3.00%	4.00%	3.00%	3.00%

### **Final Average Compensation Loads**

General County & Martha T Berry	4.50%
Road Commission	6.00%
Sheriff's Department	
Command (hired before 11/1/1996)	11.00%
Correction Officers	1.00%
Dispatchers	1.00%
Others	0.00%

This load on pay is to approximate the accumulated sick time leave that gets factored into final benefit calculations.

### **Changes Since the Prior Valuation**

The actuarial assumptions and methods for funding purposes are the same as those used for the December 31, 2020 valuation report.

## **Section 5 – Summary of Plan Provisions**

### **Summary of DROP Provisions**

Please refer to the Benefit Provision Summary for DROP eligibility provisions. The other provisions of the DROP are listed below:

- · The DROP is a forward DROP.
- Members can DROP when they first become eligible for an unreduced benefit.
- Upon entering the DROP, 100% of the member's monthly retirement benefit will be credited to the DROP account.
- The DROP account will be credited with the same interest rate used to accumulate member contributions.
- The maximum DROP period is five years. Members may continue to work past the maximum DROP period, but no additional retirement benefits will be credited to the member's DROP account. Interest on the DROP account will continue to accrue for members working past the maximum DROP period.
- Member contributions to the Retirement System will cease upon entering the DROP.
- Upon actual retirement, the member would receive a monthly annuity equal to the accrued benefit credited to the DROP account under any form of payment available from the plan, and the lump sum amount accumulated in the DROP account. Members elect their form of payment at time of DROP.
- The monthly annuity as of the DROP date is calculated based on service, final average compensation
  and benefit provisions as of the DROP date less the annuity withdrawal reduction, if applicable; this
  amount is not changed for any subsequent changes in pay or benefit provisions. The annuity withdrawal
  is paid at the time of DROP.
- For POLC (Union 1 & 20) and MCDPSA (Union 26), interest is earned on the DROP account balance at the end of each month and shall be paid to the employee's DROP account no later than the last day of the following month.
- For POLC (Union 1), effective August 20, 2010, for new entries into DROP, upon reaching the five-year maximum DROP participation period, the DROP participant shall terminate his/her employment.
- For POAM (Union 7), effective August 6, 2010, an employee of Macomb County who is a member of the POAM-Deputies and Dispatchers, may voluntarily elect to participate in the DROP, upon obtaining the minimum age and service requirements for a normal service retirement.

		Benefit Provision Sun	nmary	/ For 0	General Emp	loyees			
			Service						
Division			Needed	DROP	Retirement Eligibility		Employer	FAC	Employee
Code	Division Name	Benefit Tier	to Vest	Eligible?	(Age/Service)	Multiplier	Maximum	Period	Contribution
		Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 2/26/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
0	General Non Union	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 2/27/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
2	UAW Animal Shelter	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 2/27/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
3	AFSCME Local 411	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	Macomb County	Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 5/1/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
6	Environmental Heath	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	Association	Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 2/27/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
8	Teamsters 214 Court	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	Reporters	Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	International Union of	Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 5/1/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
9	Operating Engineers	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	(Boiler Operators)	Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 7/24/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
10	TPOAM Circuit Court Officers	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	Officers	Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 5/1/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
11	MNA Unit I Heath Dept.	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 2/27/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
12	UAW Local 412 Unit 49	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	Information Technology	Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 2/27/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
13	UAW Local 889 Specialized Offices	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	Specialized Offices	Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 5/1/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
15	Building Trades	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	Association	Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%

<sup>\*</sup> Must be vested on 12/31/2012, otherwise not eligible for DROP.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Minimum Age 50

		Benefit Provision Sun	nmary	/ For (	General Emp	loyees			
			Service						
Division			Needed	DROP	Retirement Eligibility		Employer	FAC	Employee
Code	Division Name	Benefit Tier	to Vest	Eligible?	(Age/Service)	Multiplier	Maximum	Period	Contribution
	UAW Local 412 Unity	Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 9/14/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
16	46 Assistant	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	Prosecutors	Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	Tananatara I anal 044	Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 7/24/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
18	Teamsters Local 214 FOC/Circuit Court	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	1 OC/Circuit Court	Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 2/27/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
19	General	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 5/1/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
21	POAM JJC	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 2/27/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
24	UAW Local 889 MCCSA	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	VICCSA	Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 2/27/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
25	UAW Local 412 Unit 75	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	Supervisors	Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	TPOAM Macomb Co.	Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 2/27/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
27	Senior Service	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	<b>Employees Association</b>	Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	TPOAM Juvenile Court	Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 6/19/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
28	& Justice Center	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	Employees	Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	UAW Local 412 Unit 95	Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 2/27/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
30	Assistant Corporation	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	Counsel	Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	UAW Local 889	Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 6/19/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
43	Probate Court/	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	Corporation Counsel	Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	UAW Local 412 - Unit	Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 2/26/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
44	98 MCCSA	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	Professionals	Hired on or after 1/1/2012	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		otherwise net aligible for DPOP	,		•			,	

<sup>\*</sup> Must be vested on 12/31/2012, otherwise not eligible for DROP.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Minimum Age 50

		Benefit Provision Su	ımmar Service	y For	Sheriff Empl	oyees			
Division Code	Division Name	Benefit Tier	Needed to Vest	DROP Eligible?	Retirement Eligibility (Age/Service)	Multiplier	Employer Maximum	FAC Period	Employee Contribution
		Hired before 11/1/1996	8 years	Yes*	60/8, 25 & out	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	66% of FAC	3 years	4%
1	COAM - Command	Hired on or after 11/1/1996 & before 6/1/2013	8 years	Yes*	60/8, 25 & out		66% of FAC	3 years	4%
		Hired on or after 6/1/2013 & before 12/31/2015	15 years	No	60/15, 25 & out	2.64% for 25 yrs	66% of FAC	3 years	4%
7	FOR Describes	Hired before 6/1/2013	8 years	Yes*	60/8, 25 & out	2.64% for 25 yrs	66% of FAC	3 years	4%
1	FOP Deputies	Hired on or after 6/1/2013 & before 12/31/2015	15 years	No	60/15, 25 & out	2.64% for 25 yrs	66% of FAC	3 years	4%
7	EOD D:	Hired before 6/1/2013	8 years	Yes*	60/8, 25 & out	2.64% for 25 yrs	66% of FAC	3 years	4%
/	FOP Dispatchers	Hired on or after 6/1/2013 & before 12/31/2015	15 years	No	60/15, 25 & out	2.64% for 25 yrs	66% of FAC	3 years	4%
00	DOLO Ossisis	Hired before 6/1/2013	8 years	Yes*	60/8, 25 & out	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	3 years	4%
20	POLC Captains	Hired on or after 6/1/2013 & before 12/31/2015	15 years	No	60/15, 25 & out	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	3 years	4%
26	MCPDSA Corrections	Hired before 6/1/2013	8 years	Yes*	60/8, 25 & out	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	66% of FAC	3 years	4%
26	Officers	Hired on or after 6/1/2013 & before 12/31/2015	15 years	No	60/15, 25 & out	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	66% of FAC	3 years	4%

<sup>\*</sup> Must be vested on 12/31/2012, otherwise not eligible for DROP.

		Benefit Provision Summary	/ For Service	Road	Commission	Employees	i		
Division			Needed	DROP	Retirement Eligibility		Employer	FAC	Employee
Code	Division Name	Benefit Tier	to Vest	Eligible?	(Age/Service)	Multiplier	Maximum	Period	Contribution
		Hired on or before 7/31/2007 or vested by 1/29/2015	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
31	Road Non-Union	Hired on or after 8/1/2007 & before 12/17/2013	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or after 12/17/2013 & before 12/31/2015	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or before 7/31/2007 or vested by 1/29/2015	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
32	Road ADTECH	Hired on or after 8/1/2007 & before 12/17/2013	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or after 12/17/2013 & before 12/31/2015	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or before 7/31/2007 or vested by 1/29/2015	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
33	Road ROADTECH	Hired on or after 8/1/2007 & before 6/1/2013	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or after 6/1/2013 & before 12/31/2015	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%

<sup>\*</sup> Must be vested on 12/31/2012, otherwise not eligible for DROP.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Minimum Age 50

		Benefit Provision Summa	ry Foi	r Mart	ha T. Berry E	Employees			
Division Code	Division Name	Benefit Tier	Service Needed to Vest	DROP Eligible?	Retirement Eligibility (Age/Service)	Multiplier	Employer Maximum	FAC Period	Employee Contribution
		Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 7/17/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
4	MNA (RNs at MTB)	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or after 1/1/2012 & before 12/31/2015	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	Service Employees	Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 7/17/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
5	International Union (LPNs at MTB)	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or after 1/1/2012 & before 12/31/2015	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	AFSCME 411 MTB	Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 6/26/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
14		Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or after 1/1/2012 & before 12/31/2015	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 2/26/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
40	MTB Non Union	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
	Employees	Hired on or after 1/1/2012 & before 12/31/2015	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or before 12/31/2001 or vested by 6/26/2009	8 years	Yes*	60/8, Rule of 70**	2.4% / 1% (26 yrs)	65% of FAC	4 years	3.5%
42	MTB UAW Supervisors	Hired on or after 1/1/2002 & before 1/1/2012	8 years	Yes*	55/25, 60/8	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%
		Hired on or after 1/1/2012 & before 12/31/2015	15 years	No	55/25, 60/15	2.20%	66% of FAC	5 years	2.5%

<sup>\*</sup> Must be vested on 12/31/2012, otherwise not eligible for DROP.

### Participation in the Plan

The Retirement System is closed to new entrants, effective December 31, 2015.

### **Lump Sum Termination Benefit**

At termination, participants hired on or after January 1, 2016 and have 5 years of service are eligible for a \$1,000 lump sum payment.

### **Death Benefit**

No age or service requirements:

Refund of accumulated contributions.

10 or more years of service:

Computed as laid out in the Benefit Provision Summary but actuarially reduced in accordance with a 100% joint and survivor election.

### **Disability Benefit**

Computed as laid out in the Benefit Provision Summary with a minimum benefit of \$400 per month.

### **Employee Contributions**

Employee contributions are accumulated at an annual interest rate of 3.50%.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Minimum Age 50

## Section 6 - ASOP 51 Disclosures

Funding future retirement benefits prior to when those benefits become due involves assumptions regarding future economic and demographic experience. These assumptions are applied to calculate actuarial liabilities, current contribution requirements and the funded status of the plan. However, to the extent future experience deviates from the assumptions used, variations will occur in these calculated values. These variations create risk to the plan. Understanding the risks to the funding of the plan is important. Actuarial Standard of Practice No. 51 ("ASOP 51") requires certain disclosures of potential risks to the plan and provides useful information for intended users of actuarial reports that determine plan contributions or evaluate the adequacy of specified contribution levels to support benefit provisions.

Under ASOP 51, risk is defined as the potential of actual future measurements deviating from expected future measurements resulting from actual future experience deviating from actuarially assumed experience.

It is important to note that not all risk is negative, but all risk should be understood and accepted based on knowledge, judgement and educated decisions. Future measurements may deviate in ways that produce positive or negative financial impacts to the plan.

In the actuary's professional judgment, the following risks may reasonably be anticipated to significantly affect the plan's future financial condition.

- Investment risk potential that the investment return will be different than the 7.00% expected in the actuarial valuation
- Longevity risk potential that participants live longer than expected from the valuation mortality assumptions
- Contribution risk potential that the contribution will be different than the recommended contribution in the actuarial valuation

The following information is provided to comply with ASOP 51 and furnish beneficial information on potential risks to the plan. This list is not all-inclusive; it is an attempt to identify the most significant risks and how those risks might affect the results shown in this report.

## Section 6 – ASOP 51 Disclosures (continued)

Note that ASOP 51 does not require the actuary to evaluate the ability or willingness of the plan sponsor to make contributions to the plan when due, or to assess the likelihood or consequences of potential future changes in law. In addition, this valuation report is not intended to provide investment advice or to provide guidance on the management or reduction of risk. Buck welcomes the opportunity to assist in such matters as part of a separate project or projects utilizing the appropriate staff and resources for those objectives.

### **Investment Risk**

Plan costs are very sensitive to the market return. Any lower than assumed return on assets will increase costs:

- The lower market return will cause the market value of assets to be lower than expected.
- The plan uses an actuarial value of assets that smooths gains and losses on market returns over a five-year period to help control some of the volatility in costs due to investment risk.
- Past volatility of asset returns can be seen in Section 2.4 of this report.

### **Longevity Risk**

Plan costs will be increased as participants are expected to live longer. This is because:

- Benefits are paid over a longer lifetime when life expectancy is expected to increase. The longer duration of payments leads to higher liabilities.
- Health care has been improving which increases the life expectancy of participants. As health care improves, costs to the plan will increase.
- The mortality assumption for the Plan does assume future improvement in mortality. Any improvement in future mortality greater than that expected by the current mortality assumption would lead to increased costs for the Plan.

### **Contribution Risk**

There is a risk associated with the employer's contribution when the actual amount and recommended amount differ. This is because:

- When the actual contribution is lower than the recommended contribution the Plan may not be sustainable in the long term.
- Any underpayment of the contribution will increase future contribution amounts to help pay off the additional Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability associated with any lower than recommended contribution amounts.

# Section 6 – ASOP 51 Disclosures (continued)

### **Plan Maturity Measures:**

There are certain measures that may aid in understanding the significant risks to the plan.

Ratio of Inactive Liability to Total Liability	December 31, 2021	December 31, 2020	December 31, 2019	December 31, 2018	December 31, 2017
Inactive Member     Actuarial Accrued     Liability <sup>1</sup>	805,697,227	789,719,875	776,755,557	755,474,838	737,059,473
Total Actuarial Accrued     Liability	1,089,306,972	1,064,429,280	1,054,636,606	1,034,282,157	1,013,110,113
3. Ratio [(1) / (2)]	74.0%	74.2%	73.7%	73.0%	72.8%

A mature plan will often have a ratio above 60 - 65 percent. An increasing percentage may indicate a need for a less risky asset allocation which may lead to a lower long-term return on assets assumption and increased costs. Due to the plan being closed to new entrants, this ratio is expected to grow over time and eventually equal 100%.

	Ratio of Cash Flow to Assets	December 31, 2021	December 31, 2020	December 31, 2019	December 31, 2018	December 31, 2017
1.	Contributions	18,575,320	18,289,162	20,346,143	26,999,720	25,124,450
2.	Benefit Payments	73,093,602	71,802,977	67,917,452	66,297,751	65,895,203
3.	Cash Flow [(1) – (2)]	(54,518,282)	(53,513,815)	(47,571,309)	(39,298,031)	(40,770,753)
4.	Market Value of Assets	1,317,355,983	1,153,630,925	1,082,041,799	937,087,932	1,037,372,865
5.	Ratio [(3) / (4)]	(4.14%)	(4.64%)	(4.40%)	(4.19%)	(3.93%)

When this cash flow ratio is negative more cash is being paid out than deposited in the fund. Negative cash flow means the fund needs to rely on investment returns to cover benefit payments and at the same time may need to invest in more liquid assets to cover the benefit payments. More liquid assets may not garner the same returns as less liquid assets and therefore increase the investment risk. However, the low magnitude of the ratio implies there may already be enough liquid assets to cover the benefit payments, less investment return is needed to cover the shortfall, or only a small portion of assets will need to be converted to cash. Therefore, the investment risk is likely not amplified at this time. Due to the plan being closed to new entrants, this measure will grow increasingly negative as the plan moves toward wind down in the distant future.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes retirees, beneficiaries, DROP members, and terminated members with deferred benefits

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Contribution Volatility	December 31, 2021	December 31, 2020	December 31, 2019	December 31, 2018	December 31, 2017
Market Value of Assets	1,317,355,983	1,153,630,925	1,082,041,799	937,087,932	1,037,372,865
2. Payroll	92,556,195	93,922,408	101,650,261	107,524,311	112,878,234
3. Asset Volatility Ratio (AVR) [(1) / (2)]	14.23	12.28	10.64	8.72	9.19
Accrued Liability	1,089,306,972	1,064,429,280	1,054,636,606	1,034,282,157	1,013,110,113
5. Liability Volatility Ratio (LVR) [(4) / (2)]	11.77	11.33	10.38	9.62	8.98

Plans that have higher asset-to-payroll ratios experience more volatile employer contributions (as a percentage of payroll) due to investment return. For example, a plan with an asset-to-payroll ratio of 10 may experience twice the contribution volatility due to investment return volatility than a plan with an asset-to-payroll ratio of 5. Plans that have higher liability-to-payroll ratios experience more volatile employer contributions (as a percentage of payroll) due to changes in liability. For example, if an assumption change increases the liability of two plans by the same percent the plan with a liability-to-payroll ratio of 10 may experience twice the contribution volatility than a plan with a liability-to-payroll ratio of 5.

## **Glossary**

### **Actuarial Accrued Liability**

Total accumulated cost to fund pension benefits arising from service in all prior years.

### **Actuarial Cost Method**

Technique used to assign or allocate, in a systematic and consistent manner, the expected cost of a pension plan for a group of plan members to the years of service that give rise to that cost.

### **Actuarial Present Value of Future Benefits**

Amount which, together with future interest, is expected to be sufficient to pay all future benefits.

### **Actuarial Valuation**

Study of probable amounts of future pension benefits and the necessary amount of contributions to fund those benefits.

### **Actuary**

Person who performs mathematical calculations pertaining to pension and insurance benefits based on specific procedures and assumptions.

### **GASB 67**

Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement Number 67.

### **Maturity Ratio**

The ratio of the actuarial accrued liability for members who are no longer active to the total actuarial accrued liability. A ratio of over 50% indicates a mature plan. The higher the maturity ratio, the more volatile the contribution rate will be from year to year given actuarial gains and losses.

### **Normal Cost**

That portion of the actuarial present value of benefits assigned to a particular year in respect to an individual participant or the plan as a whole.

### **Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL)**

The portion of the actuarial accrued liability not offset by plan assets.