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## REPORT TO THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL

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Title

Trial Courts: Superior Court of Los Angeles County Establishment of an Irrevocable Other Post- Employment Benefits (OPEB) Trust

Rules, Forms, Standards, or Statutes Affected None

Recommended by

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Action Required

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## **Executive Summary**

The Judicial Council Finance staff recommends approving the Superior Court of Los Angeles County's request to establish a qualified irrevocable trust with the Los Angeles County Employees Retirement Association to prefund its Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB), effective immediately. Prior Judicial Council action requires the Judicial Council to approve a trial court's establishment of an OPEB qualified irrevocable trust with a provider of such trust and investment services other than the California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS) or Public Agency Retirement Services (PARS). The initial contribution to the OPEB trust is expected to be approximately \$21 million.

## Recommendation

The Judicial Council Finance Staff recommends that the Judicial Council approve the Superior Court of Los Angeles County's request to use the Los Angeles County Employees Retirement Association (LACERA) OPEB Trust as trustee and investment services provider for the

prefunding of the court's OPEB liabilities. The court seeks to establish a tax-exempt qualified irrevocable trust during fiscal year 2015–2016 as a participant under Los Angeles County's agreement with the LACERA OPEB Trust. The court has selected the LACERA OPEB Trust as an appropriate extension of its employee pension and employee benefits relationship with the County of Los Angeles.

## **Previous Council Action**

On October 23, 2009, because of the difficult financial condition of the State Budget, the Judicial Council approved a two-year moratorium on prefunding of OPEB obligations through June 30, 2011. Following expiration of the moratorium, trial courts were permitted to establish OPEB qualified irrevocable trusts with two trust and investment service providers, CalPERS's California Employers' Retiree Benefit Trust (CERBT) and U.S. Bank's PARS, which comply with Internal Revenue Code section 115. The Judicial Council also gave the Administrative Director the authority to approve other qualified irrevocable trust providers. Trial courts seeking to establish such trusts were required to coordinate with the Judicial Council Human Resources and Finance offices when establishing a qualified irrevocable trust and to comply with the *Statement of Investment Policy for the Trial Courts*, adopted in 2004.

On July 27, 2012, the Judicial Council amended the original OPEB policy by requiring notice only to the Judicial Council's Human Resources office of a court's intent to establish an OPEB qualified irrevocable trust and continue to follow the Judicial Council's Statement of Investment Policy for the Trial Courts.<sup>2</sup>

On October 25, 2013, the Judicial Council approved the termination of the Administrative Director's authority to approve other OPEB qualified irrevocable trust providers.<sup>3</sup>

## Rationale for Recommendation

Because the County of Los Angeles prepares the superior court's payroll and because the court is also a member of the county's pension plan and cost-sharing multiple-employer OPEB program administered by LACERA, the court's selection of LACERA's OPEB Trust is an appropriate extension of the existing employee benefits business relationship between the court and its county. LACERA's OPEB Trust is a tax-exempt qualified irrevocable trust similar to those of the Judicial Council–approved CERBT and PARS qualified irrevocable trust providers, which includes professionally managed investment services. The Superior Court of Los Angeles County is a participant under LACERA's cost-sharing multiple-employer OPEB program, along

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Judicial Council of Cal., mins. (Oct. 23, 2009), Discussion Item F, p. 45.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Judicial Council of Cal., mins. (July 27, 2012), Consent Item C, p. 4.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Judicial Council of Cal., mins. (Oct. 25, 2013), Discussion Item L, p. 45.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Los Angeles County Employees Retirement Association, 2015 Annual Report: Working for You (2015), p. 25, <a href="https://www.lacera.com/investments/Annual\_Report/cafr/cafr.pdf">www.lacera.com/investments/Annual\_Report/cafr/cafr.pdf</a>, OPEB Trust, first paragraph; also included as Attachment A.

with Los Angeles County and four outside related districts. The LACERA OPEB Trust was established May 15, 2012, with the initial investments made by both participants, Los Angeles County and LACERA, during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2013. The LACERA OPEB Trust has an invested balance of \$488.28 million at fair value per the most recent available financial statements, dated June 30, 2015. LACERA also operates a pension plan with an invested balance of \$47.99 billion at fair value, as of June 30, 2015, for the benefit of the employees of Los Angeles County, the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, and four outside related districts. 6

The court will participate in the OPEB Trust through its county's relationship with the LACERA OPEB Trust. Its initial contribution to the OPEB Trust of approximately \$21 million will be from the court's share of excess retiree health premiums paid by court employees that LACERA holds in reserve. A separate trust will be established for the court's prefunded OPEB, administered by LACERA as trustee and investment manager. Establishment of the court's OPEB Trust and the initial contribution must be approved by LACERA's boards and ratified by the court's collective bargaining unit<sup>7</sup>. The LACERA Board of Investments will manage the court's and Los Angeles County's OPEB Trust investments under a single investment policy, with full authority to purchase and sell securities within the investment portfolio as specified in the related investment management agreements.<sup>8</sup> LACERA's costs of administering the court's and Los Angeles County's OPEB trusts will be proportionately shared. LACERA will treat the court's OPEB Trust as a separate accounting entity and include its financial results in LACERA's comprehensive annual financial report.

The OPEB Trust of the Superior Court of Los Angeles County will have one investment asset allocation strategy available for all participants in the trust.<sup>9</sup>

CERBT and PARS both provide their participating courts with various investment strategy choices with varying levels of financial risk and return objectives, from "Conservative" to higher-risk and -return alternatives such as "Capital Appreciation." The court has the ability to periodically change the investment strategy. Each investment strategy's varying levels of financial risk and return are determined by each investment strategy's asset allocation: in general, the greater the proportion of equity investment, the higher the risk and return.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Id., at p. 27, Statement of Fiduciary Net Position, OPEB Trust, Total Investments, as of June 30, 2015.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> *Ibid.*, Pension Plan, Total Investments, as of June 30, 2015.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Boards are the LACERA Board of Retirement and LACERA Board of Investments.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> See Attachment B, the existing Los Angeles County Other Post-Employment Benefit (OPEB) Trust Fund Investment Policy Statement, reviewed February 11, 2015, revised February 12, 2014, and adopted November 13, 2012.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Asset allocation is the various categories of securities comprising the investment portfolio's assets, including the combination of fixed-income securities or debt obligations and equity securities.

The LACERA OPEB Trust is a qualified irrevocable trust under Internal Revenue Code section 115, as are the CERBT and PARS OPEB Trusts.<sup>10</sup>

The LACERA OPEB Trust's annual investment return for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, has mixed results as compared to investment portfolios with similar financial risk characteristics offered by CERBT and PARS, per table 1 below. Because the initial investment in the LACERA OPEB Trust was made during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2013, investment returns are available only for the complete fiscal years ended June 30, 2014 and 2015. The CERBT "Aggressive" and PARS "Capital Appreciation" investment portfolio asset allocations and their annual returns for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 (see table 1) are the higher-risk investment strategies offered that are comparable to LACERA OPEB Trust's asset allocation risk profile. Of the 31 courts with prefunded CERBT or PARS OPEB Trusts, none are using the PARS Capital Appreciation investment strategy, and only 3 courts are using the CERBT Aggressive investment strategy.

Table 1. Asset Allocation and Investment Return

As of 06/30/2015			PARS
			Capital
		CERBT #1	Appreciation
_	LACERA	Aggressive	(Index Plus)
Asset Allocation			
Equities	79.5%	57%	75%
Fixed Income		43%	20%
Short Term			
Investments and Cash	20.5%	0%	5%
Total	100%	100%	100%
Investment Return			
1 Year Yield	1.02%	-0.11%	3.65%
Total Administrative			
Fees	0.08%	0.10%	0.33%
Net 1 Year Yield	0.94%	-0.21%	3.32%

CERBT and PARS also offer lower-risk alternatives, with less of the portfolio's assets allocated to equity securities, providing annual returns for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, as provided

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> LACERA, *supra*, at p. 30, OPEB Trust, second paragraph.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> Source documentation for LACERA is available at Attachment C, CERBT #1 Aggressive at Attachment D, and PARS Capital Appreciation at Attachment E.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> In addition to the 31 courts with CERBT or PARS OPEB trusts, 4 courts (Alameda, Orange, San Diego and Santa Barbara) have established OPEB trusts with their counties (The Orange Court has an OPEB trust with its county and PARS). 24 courts do not have OPEB trusts.

in table 2 below.<sup>13</sup> Of the 31 trial courts using CERBT or PARS for prefunding their OPEB obligations, 13 have selected Conservative, 13 have selected Moderate, and 5 have selected Aggressive/Balanced investment strategies.

Table 2. Other Lower-Risk Asset Allocations and Investment Returns

As of 06/30/2015	CERBT		PARS (Index Plus)		
	#3	#2			
	Conservative	Moderate	Conservative	Moderate	Balanced
Asset Allocation					
Equities	24%	40%	15%	50%	60%
Fixed Income	76%	60%	80%	45%	35%
Short Term					
Investments and Cash	0%	0%	5%	5%	5%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
<b>Investment Return</b>					
1 Year Yield	-0.03%	-0.34%	1.45%	2.52%	2.69%
Total Administrative					
Fees	0.10%	0.10%	0.33%	0.33%	0.33%
Net 1 Year Yield	-0.13%	-0.44%	1.12%	2.19%	2.36%

The long-term actuary-determined expected returns<sup>14</sup> for the three investment strategies presented in table 1 above, including the associated assumed long-term inflation rates are provided below in table 3.<sup>15</sup>

Table 3. Long-Term Expected Returns and Assumed Inflation Rates

			PARS -
		CERBT- #1	Capital
_	LACERA	Aggressive	Appr.
Actuarial Estimated Yield*	7.00%	7.28%	6.75%
Assumed Inflation Rate	3.00%	2.75%	2.75%

<sup>\*</sup> The Actuarial Estimated Yield includes the Assumed Inflation Rate, as of June 30, 2014 for LACERA and CERBT, and as of June 30, 2015 for PARS.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> Refer to Attachment F for CERBT #3 Conservative and #2 Moderate source data and Attachment G for PARS Conservative, Moderate, and Balanced source data.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> Long-term expected return is the anticipated rate of return on an investment, net of administrative fees, taking into account an expected inflation rate, short- and long-term return expectations, and the expected cash flows of a hypothetical large plan.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> The Actuarial Estimated Yield is from "LACERA OPEB Funding Considerations, January 20, 2016," page 4, prepared by LACERA's actuary Milliman, as of July 1, 2014, in Attachment H. The LACERA Assumed Inflation Rate is from Milliman's July 1, 2014, Actuarial Valuation, page A-8, in Attachment I. The CERBT data is as of October 15, 2014, <a href="https://www.calpers.ca.gov/docs/opeb-assumption-model.pdf">www.calpers.ca.gov/docs/opeb-assumption-model.pdf</a>, and included as Attachment J, and the PARS data is as of June 30, 2015, as estimated by Van Iwaarden actuaries, attached as Attachment K.

LACERA has been recognized by the Government and Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada with the Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting for the 25th consecutive year<sup>16</sup> and the Public Pension Coordinating Council's Public Pension Standards 2014 Award<sup>17</sup> for meeting professional standards for plan design and administration. LACERA has been awarded the Public Pension Standards Award 12 times.

## **Attachments**

- 1. Attachment A: LACERA 2015 Annual Report
- 2. Attachment B: LACERA OPEB Trust Fund Investment Policy Statement
- 3. Attachment C: LACERA OPEB quarterly performance report, as of June 30, 2015
- 4. Attachment D: Quarterly performance report of CERBT Strategy1, aggressive portfolio, as of June 30, 2015
- 5. Attachment E: Quarterly performance report of PARS Capital Appreciation, as of June 30, 2015
- 6. Attachment F: Quarterly performance reports of CERBT Strategy 3, conservative, and Strategy 2, moderate portfolios, as of June 30, 2015
- 7. Attachment G: PARS Quarterly performance reports Conservative, Moderate, and Balanced Portfolios, as of June 30, 2015
- 8. Attachment H: LACERA OPEB Funding Considerations, January 20, 2016
- 9. Attachment I: LACERA OPEB July 1, 2014 Actuarial Valuation
- 10. Attachment J: CERBT OPEB Assumption Model
- 11. Attachment K: Van Iwaarden PARS Actuarial Investment Returns Analysis as of June 30, 2015

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> LACERA, *supra*, at p. 4, Awards.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>17</sup> *Ibid*.

ATTACHMENT A

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Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for the Fiscal Years ended June 30, 2015 and 2014 Pension and OPEB Trust Funds of the County of Los Angeles, CA

**Working For You** 



LACERA, the retirement association for Los Angeles County employees, strives to be a premiere association. We achieve this by connecting with and keeping our members informed, continuing to embrace technology and develop efficient business processes, securing member data, and working to secure and strengthen the Fund.

Our message is one of dedication to our members and excellent customer service in both word and deed.



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## AWARDS



## Certificate of Achievement

Each year, a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting is presented by the Government Finance Officers Association of (GFOA) to government units and public employee retirement systems whose Comprehensive Annual Financial Reports (CAFRs) achieve the highest accounting and reporting. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) and applicable legal requirements. For the 25th consecutive year, LACERA has earned this prestigious award for the 2014 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report. We believe our current CAFR continues to meet the Certificate of Achievement we will submit it to the GFOA to determine its eligibility for



## **PPCC** Award

LACERA received the **Public Pension Coordinating** Council's (PPCC)\* Public Pension Standards 2014 Award, in recognition of meeting professional standards for plan design and administration as set forth in the Public Pension Standards. The Public Pension Standards are intended to reflect minimum expectations for public retirement systems management and administration, and serve as a benchmark by which all defined benefit public plans should be measured. LACERA is the twelfth-time recipient of this important

\*A confederation of NASRA, NCPERS, and NCTR.

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I am pleased to present the Los Angeles County Employees Retirement Association (LACERA) Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015. This report is intended to provide a detailed review of the association's financial, actuarial, and investment status. LACERA has the duty and authority to administer defined retirement plan benefits for the employees of Los Angeles County and outside districts. It is our mission to produce, protect, and provide the promised benefits to our members and their beneficiaries. In the course of fulfilling that mission, we provide comprehensive customer service to more than 162,500 members, including close to 61,000 benefit recipients.

## **Working for You**

The annual report for fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 tells of our commitment to working for the 162,500 LACERA members who work (or worked) for Los Angeles County. Across 15 divisions and in the various capacities in which we serve, LACERA employees bring expertise and dedication to their work each day. Directed by our Board of Retirement, employees rise to the occasion and connect with members to provide sound work products, deliver excellent customer service, and help to educate members about their retirement. Staff continues to develop efficient business processes all the while keeping member data security in mind. Guided by our Board of Investments, our Investment Office works to secure and strengthen the Funds. Our global commitment to working for our members is crucial to the fulfillment of our broader mission: To produce, protect, and provide the promised benefits.

## LACERA and Its Services

On January 1, 1938, LACERA was established to provide retirement allowances and other benefits to the general and safety members employed by Los Angeles County. Subsequently, LACERA expanded its membership program to include four other outside districts:

- Little Lake Cemetery District
- Local Agency Formation Commission
- · Los Angeles County Office of Education
- South Coast Air Quality Management District

Since our inception, LACERA has been governed by the California Constitution, the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 (CERL), and the regulations, procedures, and policies adopted by LACERA's Boards of Retirement and Investments. The Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors may also adopt resolutions, as permitted by the CERL, which may affect benefits of LACERA members. On September 12, 2012, California Governor Jerry Brown signed the Public Employees' Pension Reform Act of 2013 (PEPRA) into law. As of January 1, 2013, LACERA is governed by CERL and PEPRA. Both laws are contained in the California Government Code.



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The Board of Retirement is responsible for the general management of LACERA. The Board of Investments is responsible for determining LACERA's investment objectives, strategies, and policies. Both Boards appoint a Chief Executive Officer, to whom is delegated the responsibility of overseeing the day-to-day management of LACERA and developing its annual administrative budget. Adoption of the budget is subject to approval by both Boards.

## **Financial Information**

## Internal Control

The financial attest audit performed by Brown Armstrong CPAs states that LACERA's financial statements which are prepared by management, are presented in conformity with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles, and are free of material misstatement. Management acknowledges it is responsible for the entire contents of this CAFR. In the course of sustaining a rigorous and comprehensive

"This fiscal year has been filled with meaningful accomplishments and gains within LACERA. We want our members to feel confident that their retirement association continues to grow, in order to better serve them, by offering additional service options and improving our business efficiencies."

control environment throughout its operations, LACERA practices stringent risk management activities and annually performs a detailed, organization-wide risk assessment in which control objectives and their related processes are reviewed.



Gregg Rademacher

Chief Executive Officer

Maintaining appropriate internal controls is the responsibility of management; however, management recognizes no control or combination of controls can entirely free an organization from all error or misstatement. At their best, controls provide reasonable assurance such failings do not occur. The concept of reasonable assurance recognizes the cost of a control should not exceed benefits likely derived; the valuation of costs and benefits requires estimates and judgments by management.

LACERA management is provided such assurance through the ongoing efforts of its Internal Audit and Quality Control Divisions and its Boards. The Executive Office is confident LACERA's established controls and the interactions of those controls detect all significant occurrences and prevent noteworthy inaccuracies.

## **Analysis**

An overview of LACERA's fiscal operations is presented in the Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) preceding the financial statements. This transmittal letter, when taken into consideration with the MD&A, provides an enhanced picture of the activities of the organization.

## **Investment Activities**

The Board of Investments adopted an Investment Policy Statement that provides a framework for the management of LACERA's investments. This Statement establishes LACERA's investment policies and objectives and defines the principal duties of the Board, investment staff, investment managers, master custodian, and consultants.

A pension fund's strategic asset allocation policy, implemented in a consistent and disciplined manner, is generally recognized to have the most impact on a fund's investment performance. The asset allocation process determines a fund's optimal long-term asset class mix (target allocation), which is expected to achieve a specific set of investment objectives. LACERA's strategic asset allocation targets are long-term by design because of the Fund's long-term investment horizon and the illiquidity of certain asset classes, such as Private Equity and Real Estate.

The total Fund returned 4.3 percent (gross of fees), representing an underperformance of 20 basis points below its Policy Benchmark, which returned 4.5 percent. Over the five-year period ended June 30, 2015, the total Fund's annualized return was 10.5 percent (gross of fees).

## **Actuarial Funding Status**

Pursuant to provisions in the CERL, LACERA engages an independent actuarial firm to perform annual actuarial valuations. A system actuarial valuation is performed every three years (triennial valuation). The economic and non-economic assumptions are updated at the time each triennial valuation is performed. Triennial valuations serve as the basis for changes in member contribution rates necessary to properly fund the system. LACERA also hires an independent actuarial firm to audit the results of each triennial valuation. The latest triennial valuation was conducted as of June 30, 2013.

LACERA is funded by member and employer contributions and investment earnings on those contributions. Normal member contributions are those required to fund a specific annuity at a specified age. Member contribution rates for members who entered LACERA membership prior to January 1, 2013 vary according to the member's plan and age at first membership. The CERL also requires members to pay half the contributions required to fund the cost-of-living benefit, which is affected by changes in both economic and non-economic assumptions.

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Liabilities not funded through member contributions are the responsibility of the employer.

Changes in any of the economic and non-economic assumptions impact employer contribution rates. The employer is responsible for contributing to cover the cost of benefits expected to be accrued in the future and half of the cost-of-living benefit. These are called normal cost contributions. The employer is responsible also for making additional contributions to eliminate any shortfalls in funding covering liabilities that have accrued in the past, which is known as the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL).

Provisions of Public Employees' Pension Reform Act of 2013 (PEPRA) require equal sharing of normal costs between employers and employees. In January 2013, LACERA established two new retirement plans — General Plan G and Safety Plan C — for members with membership dates on or after January 1, 2013. Contributions for these plans are based on a single flat-rate percentage and are structured in accordance with the required 50/50 costsharing. A member's age at first membership is not considered.

The June 30, 2014 valuation, determining the funded ratio to be 79.5 percent, recognized an Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL) of \$11.3 billion. The County contribution rate was therefore set equal to 10.0 percent of payroll for the amortization of the UAAL over a closed 30-year layered period, plus the normal cost rate of 9.3 percent, for a total contribution rate of 19.3 percent of payroll.

In October 2011, the Board of Investments adopted a decrease in the investment return assumption, to be phased in over a period of three years. The investment return assumption in effect for the 2011 actuarial valuation was 7.70 percent; 2012 actuarial valuation was 7.60 percent; and 7.50 percent since the 2013 valuation. For each decrease in the investment return assumption, a corresponding decrease in the price and wage inflation assumptions will be made.

## **Summary of Accomplishments for Fiscal Year 2014 - 2015**

An important accomplishment this fiscal year was our implementation of the Los Angeles County Retiree Healthcare Benefits Program – Tier 2 (Tier 2), the retiree health insurance program for employees hired on or after June 30, 2014. In collaboration with the County, LACERA mailed a Retiree Healthcare Bulletin to all

current active, deferred, and retired members, and their eligible beneficiaries, assuring them their benefits have not changed. Other Tier 2 efforts included updates on lacera.com, reaching out to strategic partners (the Human Resource professionals in the County), programming updates in our Systems (IT), producing new Retiree Healthcare forms and materials, and creating outreach print materials to explain Tier 2 to new members.

Other notable accomplishments include our Member Services and Retiree Healthcare Call Centers which fielded 168,294 calls more calls than our members! Our Member Services Division also connected with 17,253 members in one-on-one counseling sessions, and our Correspondence Unit processed 288,396 mailed inquiries. Our Administrative Services Division scanned 768,007 pages of member documentation. Our Benefits Division paid 61,895 monthly retirement allowances. My LACERA, the member portal on lacera.com received 104,803 visits and 58,131 retirement benefit estimates were created with the retirement calculator.

## Awards and Recognition

For the 25th consecutive year, the Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) awarded LACERA its Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting. This award is in recognition of our CAFR for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014.

LACERA is a recipient also of the GFOA Award for Outstanding Achievement in Popular Annual Financial Reporting, for the 17th year running. We received this honor for our Popular Annual Financial Report (PAFR) for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014.



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These awards recognize contributions to the practice of government finance exemplifying outstanding financial management. In doing so, they stress practical, documented work that offers leadership to the profession.

The Public Pension Coordinating Council (PPCC) presented its Public Pension Standards Award to LACERA in recognition of compliance with professional standards for plan design and administration for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014. LACERA is a twelfth-time recipient of this honor, which is judged on a retirement system's Comprehensive Benefit Program, Funding Adequacy, Actuarial Valuation, Independent Audit, Investments, and Communications.

## Acknowledgements

The preparation of this Comprehensive Annual Financial Report in a timely manner is made possible by the dedicated teamwork of LACERA staff under the leadership, dedication, and support of the LACERA Boards. I am sincerely grateful to the LACERA Boards and staff, as well as to all of our professional service providers, who perform so diligently to ensure the successful operation and financial soundness of LACERA.

Respectfully submitted,

Gregg Rademacher

Gregg Rademacher Chief Executive Officer

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Term expires 12/31/15



Anthony Bravo
Board of Retirement
Appointed by Board of Superviso
Term expires 12/31/17



Yves Chery

Board of Retirement

Flected by General Members

Term expires 12/31/17



William de la Garza Secretary Board of Retirement Elected by Retired Members Term expires 12/31/17



Vivian H. Gray

Board of Retirement

Elected by General Members

Ferm expires 12/31/15



David Green
Vice Chair
Board of Investments
Elected by General Members
Term expires 12/31/17



Chair Board of Retirement Board of Investments Elected by Safety Members Term expires 12/31/16



Joseph Kelly
Secretary
Board of Investments
Board of Retirement
County Treasurer and Tax Collector
Ex-Officio Member



Board of Retirement
Board of Investments
Chief Deputy County Treasurer
and Tax Collector
Alternate Ex-Officio Member



David L. Muir

Board of Retirement
Alternate Retired Member
Elected by Retired Members
Term expires 12/31/17



Ronald A. Okum

Board of Retirement

Appointed by Board of Supervisors

Term expires 12/31/17

## Board of Retirement

The Board of Retirement is responsible for the administration of the retirement system, the retiree healthcare program, and the review and processing of disability retirement applications. The Board is composed of eleven members. Four members are elected: two are elected by active General Members; retired members elect one member and one alternate member; Safety Members elect one member and also have an alternate member. Four of its members are appointed by the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors. The law requires the County Treasurer and Tax Collector to serve as an ex-officio member.



William R. Pryor
Board of Retirement
Alternate Member
Elected by Safety Members
Term expires 12/31/16



Les Robbins

Board of Retirement

Appointed by Board of Supervisors

Term expires 12/31/16



Diane A. Sandoval Board of Investments Elected by Retired Members Term expires 12/31/17



Herman B. Santos

Board of Investments
Elected by General Members
Ferm expires 12/31/15



Kenneth M. Simril

Board of Investments

Appointed by Board of Supervisors

Term expires 12/31/17



Estevan R. Valenzuela
Board of Investments
Appointed by Board of Supervisors
Term expires 12/31/16



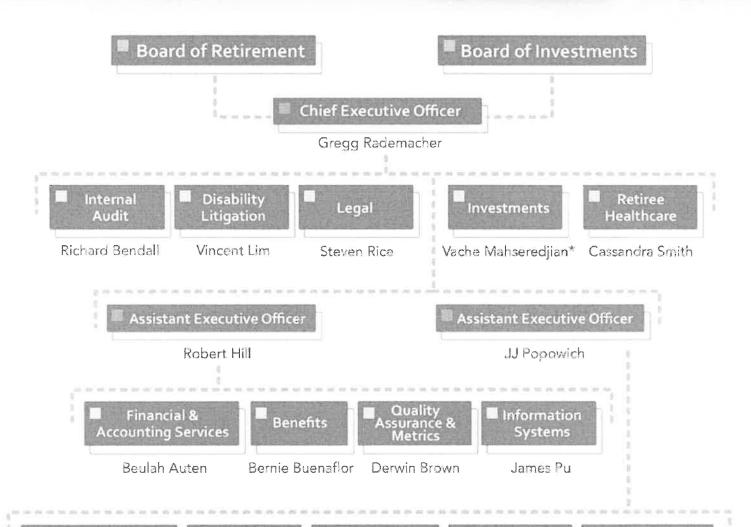
Valerie Rose Villarreal
Board of Investments
Appointed by Board of Supervisors
Term expires 12/31/17

## **Board of Investments**

The Board of Investments is responsible for establishing LACERA's investment policy and objectives, as well as exercising authority and control over the investment management of the Funds. The Board is composed of nine members. Four members are elected: two are elected by active General Members; retired members elect one member, as do Safety Members. Four of its members are appointed by the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors. The law requires the County Treasurer and Tax Collector to serve as an ex-officio member.

## ORGANIZATIONAL CHART

LOS ANGELES COUNTY EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION



Ricki Contreras Sylvia Botros\* Jeannine Smart

Member

Services

Resources Services

Human

John Nogales

Kimberly Hines

Administrative

\*Interim Division Manager

Disability

**Retirement Services** 

Communications



## **Consulting Actuary**

Milliman

## **Auditing Actuary**

Segal Consulting

## **Auditors**

Brown Armstrong, CPAs

## **Commercial Banking**

State Street Bank and Trust Company

## Custodian

State Street Bank and Trust Company

## **Data Processing**

Los Angeles County Internal Services Department

## **Governance Consultants**

Glass, Lewis & Company, LLC Institutional Shareholder Services, Inc.

## **Investment Consultants**

GCM Customized Fund Investment Group, L.P. The Townsend Group Wilshire Associates

## **Mortgage Loan Custodians**

Deutsche Bank National Trust Company

## **Legal Consultants**

Andrews Kurth LLP

Arent Fox LLP

Baggett & Mitchell

Berman DeValerio

Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossman LLP

Bradford & Barthel, LLP

Bryan Cave LLP

Chapman & Cutler LLP

Cotchett, Pitre & McCarthy, LLP

Cox, Castle & Nicholson LLP

DLA Piper

Donna R. Evans, Attorney at Law

Foley & Lardner LLP

Foster Pepper PLLC

Glaser Weil Fink Jacobs Howard Avchen & Shapiro LLP

Grant & Eisenhofer P.A.

Greenberg Traurig, LLP

Gutierrez Preciado & House LLP

Liebert Cassidy Whitmore

Jackson Walker L.L.P.

Kessler Topaz Meltzer & Check, LLP

Labaton Sucharow LLP

Manatt, Phelps & Phillips, LLP

Nossaman LLP

Olson Hagel & Fishburn LLP

Orrick, Harrington & Sutcliffe LLP

Paul Hastings LLP

Pearlman, Borska & Wax

Pearson, Simon & Warshaw, LLP

Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP

Reed Smith LLP.

Seyfarth Shaw LLP

Spector Roseman Kodroff & Willis, P.C.

Steptoe & Johnson LLP

Please refer to the Investment Section for a list of Investment Managers and the Schedule of Investment Management Fees

Working For You

**Financial Section** 

## Education

We employ a variety of methods to keep our members informed on the complexities of their retirement plans and benefits. To ensure our members are equipped with the knowledge they need to make wise retirement choices, we produce quarterly newsletters, an array of brochures, and an interactive website. LACERA values internal education as well. Our boards, management, and staff regularly attend seminars and continuing education courses to keep abreast of the latest legislation and policies affecting retirement.

## informed

The educational tools we provide to our members reflect the expertise and dedication of several LACERA divisions:
Our Communications Division creates and produces our newsletters, brochures, and web content; the Specialists in Member Services hold workshops throughout the year and provide both in-person and byphone retirement counseling; and our Retiree Healthcare Division serves County retirees and their eligible beneficiaries by administering the Retiree Healthcare Benefits Program and holding semiannual Staying Healthy Together Wellness Workshops.

We believe today's well-informed member is tomorrow's thriving retiree.



## BROWN ARMSTRONG

Certified Public Accountants

Boards of Retirement and Investments Los Angeles County Employees Retirement Association Pasadena, California

## Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying Statement of Fiduciary Net Position of the Los Angeles County Employees Retirement Association (LACERA) and the Other Post Employment Benefits Trust (the OPEB Trust) as of June 30, 2015 and 2014; the related Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position for the years then ended; and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise LACERA's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

## Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

## Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to LACERA's and the OPEB Trust's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of LACERA's and the OPEB Trust's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

## **Opinion**

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the fiduciary net position of LACERA and the OPEB Trust as of June 30, 2015 and 2014 and their changes in fiduciary net position for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

## **Emphasis of Matter**

As discussed in Note E to the basic financial statements, the total pension liability of the participating employers as of June 30, 2015 was \$56,570,520. The fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total liability as of June 30, 2015, was 86.30 percent. The actuarial valuations are very sensitive to the underlying actuarial assumptions, including a discount rate of 7.63 percent, which represents the long-term expected rate of return. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.



Additionally, as discussed in Note G to the financial statements, the financial statements include investments that are not listed on national exchanges or for which quoted market prices are not available. These investments include private equity, real estate, and hedge funds. Such investments totaled \$10,519,216,000 (20 percent of total assets) as of June 30, 2015. Where a publicly listed price is not available, the management of LACERA uses alternative sources of information, including audited financial statements, unaudited interim reports, independent appraisals, and similar evidence, to determine the fair value of the investments. Our opinion is not modified with respect to these matters.

## Other Matters

## Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis and required supplementary information, as listed in the table of contents, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB), who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audits of the financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information, because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide such assurance.

## Other Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise LACERA's and the OPEB Trust's basic financial statements. The other supplementary information and the introductory, investment, actuarial, and statistical sections, as listed in the table of contents, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The other supplementary information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the other supplementary information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

The introductory, investment, actuarial, and statistical sections have not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on them.

## Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated October 9, 2015, on our consideration of LACERA's and the OPEB Trust's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards in considering LACERA's and the OPEB Trust's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

BROWN ARMSTRONG
ACCOUNTANCY CORPORATION

Bakersfield, California October 9, 2015 This Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) of the financial activities of the Los Angeles County Employees Retirement Association (LACERA) is an overview of its fiscal operations for the year ended June 30, 2015. Readers are encouraged to consider the information presented here in conjunction with the Basic Financial Statements and the Notes to the Basic Financial Statements. Amounts contained in this discussion have been rounded to facilitate readability.

## FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS — PENSION PLAN

- Net Position Restricted for Benefits, as reported in the *Statement of Fiduciary Net Position*, totaled \$48.8 billion, an increase of \$1.1 billion or 2.3 percent from the prior year.
- Total Additions, as reflected in the *Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position*, were \$3.9 billion. This was primarily due to positive investment earnings and increases in member and employer contributions. Additions totaled \$4.7 billion, 54.7 percent less than the amounts realized for 2014.
- Total Deductions, as reflected in the *Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position*, totaled \$2.8 billion, an increase of \$109 million or 4.0 percent from the prior year. The increase was primarily attributable to an increase in the retiree payroll.
- The latest actuarial valuation completed by Milliman, LACERA's independent consulting actuary, was as of June 30, 2014 and determined the funded status (the ratio of actuarial value of assets to actuarial accrued liabilities) to be 79.5 percent, versus 75.0 percent as of June 30, 2013.

## **OVERVIEW OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

This MD&A serves as an introduction to the Basic Financial Statements. LACERA has two Basic Financial Statements, the Notes to the Basic Financial Statements, and several Required Supplementary Information Schedules of historical trend information. The Basic Financial Statements and the required disclosures are in compliance with the accounting principles and reporting guidelines as set forth by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB), utilizing the accrual basis of accounting.



Chief Financial Officer

The Statement of Fiduciary Net Position is a snapshot of account balances at fiscal year-end. This statement reflects assets available for future payments to retirees and their beneficiaries and any current liabilities owed as of the report date. The Net Position Restricted for Benefits, which is the assets less the liabilities, reflects the funds available for future use.

The County of Los Angeles (County) and LACERA participate in the irrevocable Other Post-Employment Benefit Trust Fund (OPEB Trust). The OPEB Trust is presented separately in the Statement of Fiduciary Net Position. LACERA's Board of Investments manages the OPEB Trust investments for the County and utilizes a separate Investment Policy Statement in managing the OPEB Trust. The Net Position Restricted for Benefits at year-end will serve as a funding tool for paying future expenses associated with other postemployment benefits such as those options provided for in the Retiree Healthcare Program.

To distinguish the activities of the OPEB Trust from the Pension Plan, the OPEB Trust is also presented separately in the Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position. Addition and deduction activities for the OPEB Trust are limited to administrative expenses.

The OPEB Program (or Retiree Healthcare Program) is presented as the OPEB Agency Fund. The assets and liabilities related to OPEB activities are reported in this manner because the OPEB Agency Fund was

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established as a revocable fund. The pay-as-you-go financial activities within the OPEB Agency Fund are represented as additions and deductions to the balances. LACERA is acting as a custodian for these funds on behalf of the plan sponsors and participants. The OPEB Program is administered on a pay-as-you-go basis; therefore, only assets and liabilities are reported.

The Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position reflects all the activities that occurred during the fiscal year and the impact of those addition or deduction activities on the Net Position Restricted for Benefits. The trend of additions versus deductions to the Pension Plan will indicate the condition of LACERA's financial position over time. The Statement of Changes in Assets and Liabilities for the OPEB Agency Fund is presented in the Other Supplementary Information Section.

The Notes to the Basic Financial Statements (Notes) are an integral part of the financial statements. The Notes provide detailed discussion of key policies, programs, and activities that occurred during the year.

## FINANCIAL ANALYSIS — PENSION PLAN

## Net Position Restricted for Benefits

As of June 30, 2015, LACERA's financial position increased \$1.1 billion or 2.3 percent from the prior year, due primarily to positive investment returns. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, LACERA's portfolio earned a 4.1 percent return (net of fees), while retiree payroll and other expenses remained relatively consistent with the prior period.

As of June 30, 2015, LACERA had \$48.8 billion in Net Position Restricted for Benefits, which means that Total Assets of \$51.4 billion exceeded Total Liabilities of \$2.6 billion. As of June 30, 2014, LACERA had \$47.7 billion in Net Position Restricted for Benefits as a result of Total Assets of \$51.0 billion exceeding Total Liabilities of \$3.3 billion. The Total Net Position Restricted for Benefits represents funds available for future retirement benefit payments.

## **Net Position Restricted for Benefits**

As of June 30, 2015, 2014, and 2013 (Dollars in Millions)

2015	2014	2013	2015 % Change	2014 % Change
	\$49,033	\$42,286	-2.1%	16.0%
3,404	2,034	1,440	67.4%	41.3%
51,394	51,067	43,726	0.6%	16.8%
(2,576)	(3,345)	(1,952)	-23.0%	71.4%
\$48,818	\$47,722	\$41,774	2.3%	14.2%
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## Additions and Deductions to Net Position Restricted for Benefits

The primary sources that finance the promised benefits LACERA provides to members and their beneficiaries are investment income and the collection of member and employer retirement contributions. For fiscal year 2015, Total Additions amounted to \$3.9 billion as a result of modest investment returns in the U.S. equity market. For fiscal year 2014, Total Additions amounted to \$8.7 billion, due primarily to significant investment performance returns.

The net investment gain for fiscal year 2015 was \$2.0 billion, a decrease of \$4.9 billion from the 2014 fiscal year net investment gain of \$6.9 billion. This fiscal year's investment returns of 4.1 percent (net of fees) fell short of the actuarial assumed investment earnings rate of 7.5 percent. The investment gains and losses experienced will continue to impact the actuarial funded ratio over time as they are recognized in the future during the actuarial asset-smoothing process.

To finance employer contributions that are due to LACERA, the County makes semimonthly cash payments, which coincides with the employee payroll cycle. For the fiscal years ended June 30, 2015 and 2014, the County paid all of its employer contributions due to LACERA in the form of cash payments.

The primary uses of LACERA's assets include the payment of the promised benefits to members and their beneficiaries, the refund of contributions to terminated employees, and the cost of administering the plan. These deductions totaled \$2.8 billion for fiscal year 2015, an increase of \$109 million or 4.0 percent from the prior year. For fiscal year 2014, these deductions totaled \$2.7 billion, an increase of \$127 million or 4.9 percent from the prior year.



For the Years Ended June 30, 2015, 2014, and 2013 (Dollars in Millions)

(Donars in Millions)				2015		2014	
	2015	2014	2013	Difference	% Change	% Change	
Contributions	\$1,936	\$1,759	\$1,403	\$177	10.1%	25.4%	
Net Investment Income/(Loss)	1,991	6,911	4,659	(4,920)	-71.2%	48.3%	
Total Additions	\$3,927	\$8,670	\$6,062	\$(4,743)	-54.7%	43.0%	
Benefits and Refunds	\$(2,768)	\$(2,663)	\$(2,541)	\$(105)	4.0%	4.8%	
Administrative Expenses and Miscellaneous	(63)	(59)	(54)	(4)	6.8%	9.3%	
Total Deductions	\$(2,831)	\$(2,722)	\$(2,595)	\$(109)	4.0%	4.9%	
Net Increase/(Decrease)	\$1,096	\$5,948	\$3,467	\$(4,852)	-81.6%	71.6%	
Net Position Beginning of Year	47,722	41,774	38,307	5,948	14.2%	9.1%	
Net Position at End of Year	\$48,818	\$47,722	\$41,774	\$1,096	2.3%	14.2%	

## **Pension Liabilities**

As GASB 67 requires, LACERA reports the Total Pension Liability and the Net Pension Liability as calculated by LACERA's actuary. It is important to note that these liabilities are solely calculated for financial reporting purposes and are not intended to provide information about the funding of such liabilities by the employers.

LACERA's Total Pension Liability as of June 30, 2015, was \$56.6 billion or an increase of 2.9 percent from \$55.0 billion as of June 30, 2014. LACERA's Net Pension Liability as of June 30, 2015, was \$7.8 billion, representing an increase of 6.9 percent from \$7.3 billion as of June 30, 2014. This \$497 million increase in net liabilities is primarily due to the increase in LACERA's Fiduciary Net Position.

Under GASB 67, the Fiduciary Net Position as a percentage of the Total Pension Liability is required to be presented. For the fiscal years ended June 30, 2015 and 2014, the Fiduciary Net Position as a percentage of the Total Pension Liability is reported as 86.3 percent and 86.8 percent, respectively. The subtle decrease is due to an offsetting effect of growth in Total Pension Liability of \$1.6 billion compared to an increase in LACERA's Fiduciary Net Position of \$1.1 billion.

## **Net Pension Liability**

As of June 30, 2015, 2014 and 2013 (Dollars in Millions)

(= ====================================	2015	Section 1		2015	
		2014	2013	\$ Change	% Change
Total Pension Liability	\$56,570	\$54,977	\$52,673	\$1,593	2.9%
Less: Fiduciary Net Position	(48,818)	(47,722)	(41,774)	(1,096)	2.3%
Net Pension Liability	\$7,752	\$7,255	\$10,899	\$497	6.9%
Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage					
of Total Pension Liability	86.30%	86.80%	79.31%		

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## **PLAN ADMINISTRATION**

## LACERA Membership

The table below provides comparative LACERA membership data for the last two fiscal years. Vested members decreased 1.25 percent from fiscal years ended 2014 to 2015, evidencing a slight dip in the employers' hiring. Retired members increased slightly, by 2.3 percent, between the two fiscal years ended 2014 and 2015, possibly indicating employees are more confident in their financial situation and ability to lead a sustainable retired lifestyle.

## **LACERA Membership**

As of June 30, 2015 and 2014

	2015	2014
Active Members	93,674	02.466
Retired/Deferred Members		92,466
	68,770	67,313
Total Membership	162,444	159,779

## Benefit Provisions — Retiree Healthcare Program

In June 2014, the County Board of Supervisors authorized, and the LACERA Board of Retirement and Board of Investments approved, the County's request to modify the existing Agreement between the County and LACERA, which created a new retiree healthcare benefit program for new employees in order to lower retiree healthcare costs. Structurally, this means the County segregated all current retirees and current employees, who will be entitled to future benefits, into the LACERA-administered Retiree Healthcare Benefits Program — Tier 1 (Tier 1). Employees hired after June 30, 2014 are entitled to benefits under the new Los Angeles County Retiree Healthcare Benefits Program — Tier 2 (Tier 2).

This modification brought about a significant difference in LACERA's administrative responsibility for the Retiree Healthcare Program between the two tiers. Regarding Tier 1, LACERA continues its agreed-upon role as program administrator under the 1982 Agreement with the County. Regarding Tier 2, LACERA is responsible for administering this new program for as long as the County desires. The County may, at any time, choose another organization to administer Tier 2 benefits.

The County Board of Supervisors adopted changes to Los Angeles County Code Title 5 - Personnel, which established the benefit provisions for Tier 2. The Tier 2 program offers the same selection of medical and dental/vision plans and the same County subsidy percentages as those offered by Tier 1. However, under Tier 2, the County retiree medical and dental/vision subsidy applies to retiree-only coverage, regardless of whether the retiree includes an eligible dependent on his or her healthcare plan. Additionally, under Tier 2, Medicare-eligible retirees and their eligible dependents are required to enroll in Medicare Parts A and B and in a Medicare HMO plan or Medicare Supplement plan.

## **ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES**

The LACERA Boards of Retirement and Investments jointly approve the annual budget, which controls administrative expenses and represents approximately 0.12 percent of the total actual Net Position Restricted for Benefits.

The County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 (CERL) states that the annual budget for administrative expenses of a CERL retirement system may not exceed twenty-one hundredths of one percent (0.21 percent) of the actuarial accrued liability of the retirement system as of the prior fiscal year. The cost of legal representation







is not to exceed one-hundredth of one percent (0.01 percent) of system assets in any budget year. LACERA's appropriation for legal representation is included in the administrative expense allocation.

The table below provides a comparison of the actual administrative expenses for the fiscal years ended 2015 and 2014. The actuarial accrued liability was used to calculate the statutory budget amount. For both years, LACERA's administrative expenditures were well below the limit imposed by law.

## **Budget-to-Actual Analysis of Administrative Expenses**

As of June 30, 2015 and 2014 (Dollars in Thousands)

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	2015	2014
Actual Administrative Expenses	\$62,591	\$58,723
Basis for Budget Calculation (Actuarial Accrued Liability)	53,247,776	50,809,425
Administrative Expenses as a Percentage of		
the Basis for Budget Calculation	0.12%	0.12%
Limit per CERL	0.21%	0.21%

## **ACTUARIAL VALUATIONS**

In order to determine whether the Net Position Restricted for Benefits will be sufficient to meet future obligations, the actuarial funded status needs to be calculated. An actuarial valuation is similar to an inventory process. On the valuation date, the assets available for the payment of retirement benefits are appraised. These assets are compared with the actuarial liabilities, which represent the actuarial present value of all future benefits expected to be paid for each member. The purpose of the valuation is to determine what future contributions by the employees (members) and the employers (plan sponsors) are needed to pay all expected future benefits.

In December 2009, the LACERA Board of Investments adopted a new Retirement Benefit Funding Policy (Funding Policy). The changes in the Funding Policy continued to impact the valuation for 2014, including the implementation of five-year smoothing on asset gains and losses. The positive investment returns for fiscal year ended 2014 were greater than the assumed rate. The recognition of net asset gains from the current and prior years resulted in a gain on the actuarial value of assets for the current year. The Funding Policy utilizes what is referred to as a "layered" amortization method. Under this method, the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL) amounts are amortized over a closed 30-year period. Future actuarial gains and losses on the UAAL are amortized over new closed 30-year periods beginning with the June 30, 2010 valuation. For the June 30, 2014 valuation, six amortization layers were used to calculate the total amortization payment.

The Funding Policy was amended in February 2013 to conform to the new provisions mandated by the California Public Employees' Pension Reform Act of 2013 (PEPRA). In addition, beginning with the June 30, 2012 valuation and on a prospective basis, the Board of Investments approved inclusion of the Supplemental Targeted Adjustment for Retirees (STAR) Reserve balance as part of valuation assets.

In October 2011, the Board of Investments adopted a decrease in the investment return assumption, to be phased in over a three-year period. The investment return assumptions have remained the same at 7.50 percent for the June 30, 2013 and June 30, 2014 actuarial valuations. For each decrease in the investment return assumption, a corresponding decrease in the price and wage inflation assumptions were made.

LACERA's independent consulting actuary, Milliman, performed the actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2014 and determined that the Funded Ratio of the actuarial assets to the actuarial accrued liabilities increased to 79.5 percent, as compared to 75.0 percent as of the June 30, 2013 valuation. The positive investment return for 2014 resulted in a 4.5 percent increase in the Funded Ratio under the five-year actuarial asset smoothing method. For the 2013 valuation, the Pension Fund returned 12.1 percent (net of fees) on a market basis, which is more than the assumed rate of 7.50 percent. The significant recognized gains on actuarial assets from the last two fiscal years ended June 30, 2013 and June 30, 2014 had a positive impact on the 2014 valuation results.

## FAIR VALUE, RATES OF RETURN, AND FUNDED RATIO

The table below provides a three-year history of investment and actuarial returns and the actuarial funded ratio. As required by GASB 67, the money-weighted rate of return is presented as an expression of investment performance, net of investment expense, adjusted for the changing amounts actually invested. For the year ended June 30, 2015, the annual money-weighted rate of return on pension plan investments was 4.1 percent (net of fees). An expanded version of this table, which provides 10 years of information, when available, can be found in the Investment Section.

The investment returns varied between moderately and significantly positive over the last three years. The Board of Investments has reduced the assumed rate of return (as described in the Actuarial Valuations section above). As a result, the funded ratio has increased from fiscal years ended 2013 to 2014.

## Fair Value, Rates of Return, and Funded Ratio

For the Last Three Fiscal Years Ended June 30 (Dollars in Thousands)

Fiscal Year-End	Total Investment Portfolio Fair Value	Total Fund Time-Weighted Return (gross of fees)	Total Fund Money-Weighted Return (net of fees)	Return on Smoothed Valuation Assets* (net of fees)	Actuarial Assumed Rate of Return	Funded Ratio
2013	42,285,906	12.1%	-	5.4%	7.50%	75.0%
2014	49,033,365	16.8%	17.2%	11.8%	7.50%	79.5%
2015**	47,990,447	4.3%	4.1%			77.570

<sup>\*</sup>Returns calculated using the money-weighted rate of return method.

## INTEREST CREDITS FOR RESERVE ACCOUNTS

Pursuant to CERL, LACERA credits interest semiannually on December 31 and June 30 to all contributions in the retirement plan that have been on deposit six months prior to such dates. The Board of Investments' policy is to credit annual interest equal to the current actuarial assumed earnings rate in the same priorities as listed for the allocation of actuarial assets, provided there are sufficient realized earnings for the six-month period to support that interest rate.

The semiannual interest crediting rate applied during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 was 3.75 percent (i.e., 7.50 percent annual rate). This rate was implemented with the Board of Investments' adoption of the June 30, 2012 actuarial valuation. To provide ample time for the County and LACERA to prepare for the rate change implementation, the new 7.50 percent rate became effective July 1, 2014, which was also when corresponding employee contribution rates took effect. The total Pension Fund's positive return provided ample realized

<sup>\*\*</sup>Actuarial valuation report for June 30, 2015 not available at publication.

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earnings, which allowed LACERA to credit the full 3.75 percent semiannual interest for the periods ended December 31, 2014 and June 30, 2015 to certain reserve accounts, according to the CERL provisions.

## **ECONOMIC FACTORS**

The U.S. economic output growth paused in early 2015, weighed down by the stronger dollar and adverse weather. Nonetheless, as evidenced by job gains in the private sector and a falling unemployment rate, the labor market has continued to improve. The Federal Reserve has kept policy rates close to zero, consistent with signs of lingering labor market slack, stagnant wages, low underlying inflation and well-anchored inflation expectations. Supportive monetary conditions and lower energy prices should uphold a sustained pick-up in aggregate demand and ongoing increases in household wealth, consumer spending, and residential construction.

Moving forward, the U.S. economy will likely continue to see moderate economic growth in the second half of 2015 but may not see the recent gains in the Gross Domestic Product (GDP) growth. Strong consumer spending is playing a big role in fueling the economic resurgence. An increase in construction activity, including home-building; strong gains in disposable income; and lower gasoline prices are also encouraging.

Over the past year, the dollar has appreciated 20 percent against a basket of currencies including the euro, the Japanese yen, and the Canadian dollar, making U.S.-produced goods more expensive in foreign markets. Indications are that the dollar will stay strong well into the next year, as will historically low interest rates, which may make dollar-based investments more attractive. Canada, a top trade partner with the U.S., and Brazil, Latin America's largest economy, are in recession. China is slowing and is trying to increase its own exports through currency devaluation.

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, LACERA's total Pension Fund return was 4.3 percent, gross of fees. The Pension Fund's return fell short of its Policy benchmark, which returned 4.5 percent.

## **OPEB TRUST**

Pursuant to the California Government Code, Los Angeles County established an irrevocable tax-exempt Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) Trust for the purpose of holding and investing assets to pre-fund the Retiree Healthcare Program administered by LACERA.

In May 2012, the County hired the LACERA Board of Investments to manage and invest the OPEB Trust assets. The participating employers will be responsible for and have full discretion over contributions to and withdrawals from the OPEB Trust. At this time, there are two participating employers in the OPEB Trust: the County and LACERA.

## Financial Analysis

As reflected in the *Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position*, additions included net investment income of \$4.7 million and total deductions of \$0.2 million for administrative expenses. The total Net Position Restricted for Benefits for the OPEB Trust as of the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 was \$488.4 million.

Information related to the OPEB Trust has been included throughout sections of this report to meet financial reporting standards.

## NEW PENSION ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS

On June 25, 2012, the GASB voted to approve two new standards designed to substantially improve the accounting and financial reporting of public employee pensions by state and local governments. Statement No. 67, Financial Reporting for Pension Plans, revises existing guidance for the financial reports of most pension

plans. Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions, revises and establishes new financial reporting requirements for governments that provide their employees with defined benefit pensions. These accounting and financial reporting standards represent the most significant fundamental changes in reporting requirements for pension plans (LACERA) and plan sponsors (Los Angeles County and outside districts) since 1994.

LACERA adopted GASB 67 effective for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014 and has included the required financial information herein. The most notable change is the distinct separation of actuarial funding from financial reporting. Notes and disclosures provided in LACERA's financial statements are intended to provide accounting-related information but will not necessarily provide sufficient information to reflect the Pension Plan's complete actuarial picture. Reports provided by LACERA's consulting actuary include detailed information to measure and provide the Pension Plan's funding status and metrics.

Plan sponsors of LACERA are required to implement GASB 68, effective as of June 30, 2015. The new standards require the County and outside districts to recognize their proportionate share of the long-term obligation for pension benefits as a liability for the first time in their financial statements and to more comprehensively and comparably measure the annual costs of pension benefits. This proportionate share is based on the plan sponsors' long-term projected contribution effort. The new financial reporting standards also enhance accountability and transparency through revised and new note disclosures and required supplementary information. LACERA and its consulting actuary cooperated to provide the required information to the County and outside districts, which will help satisfy the new financial reporting provisions.

Since April 2013, LACERA has hosted a GASB 67/68 Task Force (Task Force) comprised of key stakeholders from the County, outside districts, and external professional service providers to discuss requirements for implementation of the new GASB 68 accounting standards. The Task Force opened the lines of communication among the parties involved and provided the opportunity to establish timelines and a framework for implementing decisions. We are pleased to report the Task Force successfully achieved its objectives.

## **REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION**

This financial report is designed to provide the Board of Retirement and Board of Investments, our membership, and interested third parties with a general overview of LACERA's finances and to show accountability for the funds it receives.

Address questions regarding this report and/or requests for additional financial information to:

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Chief Financial Officer

## **Statement of Fiduciary Net Position**

As of June 30, 2015 and June 30, 2014 (Dollars in Thousands)

	2015				2014			
	Pension Plan	OPEB Trust	OPEB Agency Fund	Pension Plan	OPEB Trust	OPEB Agency Fund		
Assets Cash	#1 200 414		### ### ### ### ### ##################					
Cash Collateral	\$1,309,414		\$78,735	\$230,254	\$6,299	\$48,084		
on Loaned Securities	1,033,471	_	_	998,216	_			
Receivables				770,210				
Contributions Receivable	81,249			74 412				
Accounts Receivable - Sale	01,247	_	_	74,412		_		
of Investments	778,038			502.016				
Accrued Interest and	99,637	149	_	583,816	206	_		
Dividends	79,037	149	_	120,236	206	_		
Accounts Receivable - Other	102,145	_	44,016	27,000		40,574		
Total Receivables	1,061,069	149	44,016	805,464	206	40,574		
Investments at Fair Value								
Equity	24,689,701	388,254		25 412 712	202.074			
Fixed Income	12,781,560	100,022	110,542	25,412,713 11,893,851	383,874	110.00		
Private Equity	4,346,854	100,022	110,342		94,524	110,884		
Real Estate	5,480,795	·	_	4,015,799	_	_		
Commodities	5,100,775		_	4,995,446	_	-		
Hedge Funds	691,537		_	2,169,289	-	_		
Total Investments	47,990,447	488,276	110,542	546,267 <b>49,033,365</b>	470 200	110.004		
	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	100,270	110,542	49,033,303	478,398	110,884		
<b>Total Assets</b>	51,394,401	488,425	233,293	51,067,299	484,903	199,542		
iabilities								
Accounts Payable - Purchase of								
Investments	1,471,192	_	_	2,283,900	1,000	_		
Retiree Payroll and Other Payables	623	_	124	645	_	150		
Accrued Expenses	30,432	66	418	28,392	65	364		
Tax Withholding Payable	30,693	_	_	29,624	03	JU4		
Obligations under	00,070			27,024		_		
Securities Lending Program	1,033,471	_	_	998,216	_			
Accounts Payable - Other	9,640	_	122,210	4,245	14	88,144		
Due to Employers		_	110,541		_	110,884		
Total Liabilities	2,576,051	66	233,293	3,345,022	1,079	199,542		
let Position Restricted for Benefits	\$48,818,350	\$488,359		\$47.722.27F	\$402.534			
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The accompanying Notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

## Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position

For the Years Ended June 30, 2015 and 2014 (Dollars in Thousands)

	2015		2014	
	Pension Plan	OPEB Trust	Pension Plan	OPEB Trust
Additions			2 1011	Trust
Contributions				
Employer	\$1,494,975	_	\$1,320,442	
Member	441,258		439,001	
Total Contributions	1,936,233		1,759,443	
Investment Income			,,	
From Investing Activities:				
Net Appreciation/(Depreciation) in				
Fair Value of Investments	(330,804)	4,429	4,699,445	35,516
Investment Income/(Loss)	2,421,690	486	2,305,690	(223
Total Investing Activity Income	2,090,886	4,915	7,005,135	35,293
Less Expenses from Investing Activities	(108,079)	(228)	(101,170)	
Net Investing Activity Income	1,982,807	4,687	6,903,965	(180) 35,113
From Securities Lending Activities:		-,,,,,	0,700,700	55,113
Securities Lending Income	5,457		2.004	
Less Expenses from Securities Lending Activities:	3,43/	_	2,896	_
Borrower Rebates	2,533	_	2,289	
Management Fees	(1,439)	_	(738)	
Total Expenses from Securities Lending Activities	1,094	_	1,551	
Net Securities Lending Income	6,551	_	4,447	
Total Net Investment Income	1,989,358	4,687	6,908,412	35,113
Miscellaneous	1,695	_	2,256	
Total Additions	3,927,286	4,687	8,670,111	35,113
Peductions		.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	0,070,111	33,113
Retiree Payroll	2.740.070			
Administrative Expenses	2,740,970	152	2,637,182	_
Refunds	62,591 25,411	152	58,723	144
Lump-Sum Death/Burial Benefits	2,029	-	23,528	
Miscellaneous	2,029		1,691	_
Total Deductions	2,831,213	152	229 <b>2,721,353</b>	144
Net Increase in Net Position	1,096,073	4,535	5,948,758	34,969
Net Position Restricted for Benefits	2,350,070	1,000	J,770,730	34,709
Beginning of Year	47,722,277	483,824	41 772 510	440.055
	• 191449411	703,044	41,773,519	448,855

The accompanying Notes are an integral part of these financial statements.



The Los Angeles County Employees Retirement Association (LACERA) was established on January 1, 1938. It is governed by the California Constitution; the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 (CERL); the California Public Employees' Pension Reform Act of 2013 (PEPRA); and the regulations, procedures, and policies adopted by LACERA's Board of Retirement and Board of Investments. The Los Angeles County (County) Board of Supervisors may also adopt resolutions, as permitted by CERL, that may affect the benefits of LACERA members. LACERA operates as a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit plan for Los Angeles County and its affiliated Superior Court, plus four outside districts: Little Lake Cemetery District, Local Agency Formation Commission, Los Angeles County Office of Education, and South Coast Air Quality Management District.

#### Membership

LACERA provides retirement, disability, and death benefits to its active safety and general members and administers the plan sponsors' Retiree Healthcare Benefits Program. (See Note N — Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) Program). Safety membership includes law enforcement (Sheriff and District Attorney Investigators), firefighting, forester, and lifeguard classifications. General membership is applicable to all other occupational classifications. The retirement benefits within the plan are tiered based on the date of LACERA membership. Additional information regarding the benefit structure is available by contacting LACERA.

### **LACERA** Membership

As of June 30, 2015 and 2014

	2015	2014	
Active Members			
Vested	73,556	74,489	
Non-Vested	20,118	17,977	
Total Active Members	93,674	92,466	
Retired Members	60,584	59,223	
Terminated Vested (Deferred)	8,186	8,090	
Total Membership	162,444	159,779	
		207,177	

#### Investments

Pension Plan: Assets in the Pension Plan are derived from three sources: employer contributions; employee contributions (made by the employer on behalf of employees pursuant to §414(h)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code); and investment earnings. Assets of the Pension Plan are held separate from any other assets and are invested pursuant to policies and procedures adopted by LACERA's Board of Investments. Pension Plan gross income is exempt from federal income taxation under §115 of the Internal Revenue Code.

OPEB Agency Fund: The County provides a health insurance program and death benefits for retired employees and their dependents, which LACERA administers on the County's behalf. Pursuant to an agreement between the County and LACERA, the County subsidizes, either in whole or in part, insurance premiums covering program participants. An Agency Fund is maintained to record income and expenses as well as to maintain asset and liability balances.

LACERA maintains two investment accounts under the OPEB Agency Fund: the OPEB Operating Account and OPEB Reserve Account. Funds in these two accounts are reported and invested separately from Pension Plan assets. External managers invest funds in both accounts pursuant to policies and procedures approved by LACERA's Board of Investments. In addition, tax counsel opined that investment income realized in these types of accounts maintained by government entities generally is exempt from federal income taxation under §115 of the Internal Revenue Code.

OPEB Operating Account: This account is primarily used to fund the OPEB Program's operations. Additions include the monthly insurance subsidy collected from the County, payments from program participants, and interest income. Deductions include premium payments to insurance carriers and program administrative expenses.

OPEB Reserve Account: This account was established to help stabilize premium rates over time. Annual surpluses and deficits for the various insurance plans result from the difference between premiums received and the healthcare costs incurred. The accumulated surplus is held in this account to address deficits and/or emergency premiums. Additions include rebates from insurance carriers and other income. Deductions include management fees and County-authorized payments to offset waived premium costs (i.e., insurance premium holidays) for both the County and affected participants.

OPEB Trust: The County established the OPEB Trust for the purpose of holding and investing assets to pre-fund the Retiree Healthcare Benefits Program, which is administered by LACERA, for eligible retired members and eligible dependents and survivors of LACERA members.

The County hired the LACERA Board of Investments to act as Trustee and Investment Manager by entering into a Trust and Investment Services Agreement on May 15, 2012. The Board of Investments approved an Investment Policy and

initial asset allocation for the purpose of effectively managing and monitoring the assets of the OPEB Trust. Contributions and transfers to the OPEB Trust are determined at the County's discretion. OPEB Trust gross income is exempt from federal income taxation under §115 of the Internal Revenue Code. On August 14, 2014, LACERA obtained a letter ruling from the Internal Revenue Service to this effect.

The OPEB Trust will serve as a funding tool for the participating employers to pay expenses associated with other post-employment benefits and to prefund the liability for retiree healthcare benefits. The OPEB Trust does not modify the participating employer's benefit programs, and at this time there are two participating employers in the OPEB Trust: the County and LACERA. For fiscal year ended June 30, 2013, the participating employers provided the initial contributions to the OPEB Trust. There have been no additional contributions since that period.

#### **Benefit Provisions**

Vesting occurs when a member accumulates five years' creditable service under contributory plans or accumulates 10 years of creditable service under the general service non-contributory plan. Benefits are based upon 12 or 36 months' average compensation, depending on the plan, as well as age at retirement and length of service as of the retirement date, according to applicable statutory formula. Vested members who terminate employment before retirement age are considered terminated vested (deferred) members. Serviceconnected disability benefits may be granted regardless of length of service consideration. Five years of service are required for nonserviceconnected disability eligibility according to applicable statutory formula. Members of the noncontributory plan, who are covered under separate long-term disability provisions not administered by LACERA, are not eligible for disability benefits provided by LACERA.

### **Cost-of-Living Adjustment (COLA)**

Each year, the Board of Retirement considers how the change in the cost of living, a measure

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of inflation, has affected the purchasing power of monthly allowances paid by LACERA. Cost of living is measured by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, which releases the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for all Urban Consumers in the Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside area as of January 1 each year. The difference in the current and previous year's CPI shows whether the cost of living has increased or decreased in this area in the past year.

If the CPI has increased, the Board of Retirement grants a Cost-of-Living Adjustment (COLA) increase for monthly allowances. If the CPI has decreased, it is possible for the Board of Retirement to decrease monthly allowances; however, a decrease in allowances has never occurred. In any event, a cost-of-living decrease could not reduce a member's allowance to an amount less than the allowance received at the time of retirement.

# Supplemental Targeted Adjustment for Retirees (STAR) Program

In addition to cost-of-living increases, the CERL also provides the Board of Retirement the authority to grant supplemental cost-of-living increases. Under this program, known as STAR, excess earnings have been used to restore retirement allowances to 80 percent of the purchasing power held by retirees at the time of retirement. Except for Program year 2005, the Board of Retirement made permanent the 2001 through 2009 STAR Programs at an 80 percent level as authorized in

the CERL §31874.3. There were no new retirees or beneficiaries entitled to additional STAR benefits for Program years 2005 and 2010 through 2015 due to the modest CPI percentage increase. Thus, all eligible members had COLA Accumulation accounts below the 20 percent threshold for providing STAR benefits.

Future ad hoc increases in the current STAR Program will be subject to approval by the Board of Retirement on an annual basis, provided sufficient excess earnings are available as determined by the Board of Investments. Permanent STAR benefits become part of the member's retirement allowance and are payable for life. Ad hoc STAR benefits are payable only for the calendar year approved.

Since the inception of the STAR Program in 1990 to the present, the Program received \$1.5 billion in funding. Except for Program years 2005 and 2010 through 2015, the STAR Program funded approximately \$353 million when the Board of Retirement made permanent the 2001-2009 STAR Program benefits. As of June 30, 2015, there is \$614 million available in the STAR Program reserve to fund future benefits. Total STAR Program costs since inception equaled \$957 million.

The STAR Program is administered on a calendaryear basis. The Statistical Section contains a 10-year trend schedule of costs for the STAR Program.

# NOTE B — Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### **Reporting Entity**

LACERA, with its own governing Boards, is an independent governmental entity separate and distinct from the County of Los Angeles (County). Because of the nature of the close relationship between LACERA and the County, LACERA's basic financial statements are reflected as a Pension Trust Fund of the County's basic financial statements. LACERA's operations are heavily dependent upon County funding, and the operations benefit the County as well as LACERA's members. Maintaining appropriate controls and preparing the financial statements are the responsibility of LACERA management, with oversight by LACERA's Internal Audit staff.

LACERA wholly owns numerous Title Holding Corporations (THCs) and Limited Liability Companies (LLCs). The THCs are nonprofit corporations under §501(c)(25) of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC). The LLCs do not have tax-exempt status, but their income is excludable from taxation under IRC §115. The THCs invest in commercial properties located throughout the United States, and the LLCs invest in hotels and office buildings. The financial activities of the THCs and LLCs are included in the accompanying financial statements as investments at fair value.

#### Method of Reporting

LACERA follows the accounting principles and reporting guidelines set forth by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). The financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting to reflect the overall operations of LACERA.

Member and employer contributions are recognized in the period in which the contributions are due, and benefits and refunds are recognized when payable in accordance with the terms of each benefit plan.

#### Capital Assets (Including Intangible Assets)

Capital Assets are items that benefit more than one fiscal year. LACERA's potential capital assets are largely in information technology. Due to the continual upgrading of information technology systems by LACERA, these items are expensed, as they are immaterial to the Pension Plan's Fiduciary Net Position. Management reviewed and considered all expenses that could be capitalized as intangible assets and determined these items to be appropriately classified as expenses for the current fiscal year.

#### Accrued Vacation and Sick Leave

Employees who terminate or retire from active employment are entitled to full compensation for all unused vacation and a percentage of their unused sick leave. The accrued vacation and sick leave balances for LACERA employees as of June 30, 2015 and 2014, were \$2.6 million and \$2.8 million, respectively.

#### Cash

Cash includes deposits with various financial institutions, the County, and non-U.S. currency holdings, which have original maturities of less than 90 days, translated to U.S. dollars using the exchange rates in effect at June 30, 2015 and 2014.



Investments are carried at fair value. Fair values for investments are derived by various methods, as indicated below:

Investments	Source
Publicly Traded Securities, such as stocks and bonds. Bonds include obligations of the U.S. Treasury, U.S. agencies, non-U.S. governments, and both U.S. and non-U.S. corporations. Also included are mortgage-backed securities and asset-backed securities.	Valuations are provided by LACERA's custodian based on end-of-day prices from external pricing vendors. Non-U.S. securities reflect currency exchange rates in effect at June 30, 2015 and 2014.
Whole Loan Mortgages	For the LACERA Member Home Loan Program, valuation is performed by LACERA staff based on loan information provided by Ocwen Financial Corporation, the program's mortgage servicer, with fair market value adjustments based on the market returns of the Barclays mortgage-backed securities index.
Real Estate Equity Funds	Fair value as provided by real estate fund managers, based on review of cash flow, exit capitalization rates, and market trends; fund managers commonly subject each property to independent third-party appraisal annually. Investments under development are carried at cumulative cost until developed.
Real Estate: Title Holding Corporations, Limited Liability Companies, and Special Purpose Entities	Fair value of the investment as provided by investment managers. Each property is subject to independent third-party appraisals every three years.
Real Estate Debt Investments	Fair value for real estate debt investments as provided by investment managers.
Private Equity	Fair value provided by investment managers as follows:
	Private investments — valued by the General Partner giving consideration to financial condition and operating results of the portfolio companies, nature of investment, marketability, and other factors deemed relevant.
	Public investments — valued based on quoted market prices, less a discount, if appropriate, for restricted securities.
	Fair values are reviewed by LACERA's private equity consultant.
Public Market Equity and Fixed Income Investments held in Institutional Commingled Fund/Partnership	Fair value is typically provided by third-party fund administrator, who performs this service for the fund manager.
Derivatives	Over-the-counter derivatives (other than currency forwards) valuations are provided by the fund managers. Currency forward contracts are valued by the custodian bank.
Hedge Fund of Funds	Valuation of the underlying funds is performed by those funds' general partners. Valuation of the fund of funds portfolios is provided by third-party administrators and by the General Partner for the two portfolios held in limited partnership vehicles.

There are certain market risks, credit risks, foreign currency exchange risks, liquidity risks, and event risks that may subject LACERA to economic changes occurring in certain industries, sectors, or geographies.

Dividend income is recorded on the ex-dividend date. Other investment income is recorded as earned on an accrual basis.

#### **Investment Policies**

Investment Policy. The allocation of investment assets within the LACERA Defined Benefit Pension Plan (Pension Plan) investment portfolio is approved by the Board of Investments, as outlined in the LACERA Investment Policy Statement. Pension Plan assets are managed on a total return basis with a long-term objective of achieving and maintaining a fully funded status for the benefits provided through the Pension Plan. The Investment Policy Statement calls for an asset liability study to be conducted no later than every three to five years. The following table displays the Board of Investments-approved asset allocation targets for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015. These asset allocation targets were developed through the latest asset liability valuation study that was conducted in 2012, and the long-term expected rates of return displayed reflect the expectations for the asset classes at that time. New asset allocation targets were approved by the Board of Investments in August 2015 as the result of a new asset liability study. Plans to implement the new targets are expected to receive final Board of Investments approval before the end of 2015.

### Schedule of Target Allocation and Long-Term Expected Rate of Return

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

Weighted Average Long-Term Expected Rate of Return (Geometric)

Asset n Class	Expected
ii Class	Alpha
7.50%	0.10%
3.50%	0.20%
6.05%	0.00%
9.85%	4.00%
4.35%	0.75%
5.50%	0.00%
1.75%	0.25%
6.85%	0.30%
	4.35% 5.50% 1.75%

Total Fund Long-Term Expected Return Including Alpha 7.15%

Target Allocation. The preceding target allocation was approved by the Board of Investments as a result of the Asset Liability Study completed by Wilshire Consulting in August 2012. These asset allocation targets provide for diversification of assets in an effort to maximize the total return of the Pension Plan consistent with market conditions and risk control. It is anticipated that an extended period of time may be required to fully implement the asset allocation policy and that periodic revisions will occur. The Board of Investments and internal staff implement the asset allocation policy through the use of external managers, who manage portfolios using active and passive investment strategies.

Expected Long-Term Rate of Return by Asset

Class. The long-term expected rate of return on Pension Plan investments was determined using a building-block approach, in which a median (or expected) geometric rate of return is developed for each major asset class. The median rates are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future rates of return by the target asset allocation percentages. Estimates of the median geometric rates of return for each major asset class at the time the asset allocation targets were selected are shown in the table. The asset class return assumptions are presented on a nominal basis, and all assumptions incorporate a base inflation rate assumption of 2.35 percent.

**Discount Rate.** The investment rate of return assumption used for actuarial funding was 7.50 percent for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015.

GASB Statement No. 67 requires determination that the Pension Plan's Fiduciary Net Position is projected to be sufficient to make projected benefit payments. The discount rate used to measure the Total Pension Liability was 7.63 percent. This rate reflects the long-term assumed rate of return on assets for funding purposes of 7.50 percent, net of all expenses, increased by 0.13 percent to be gross of administrative expenses.

Funding requirements under LACERA's funding policy require the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability to be amortized as a level percent of pay over 30-year closed layered periods and require minimum employee contributions. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that Pension Plan member contributions will be made at the current contribution rate and that employer contributions will be made at rates equal to the difference between actuarially

determined contribution rates and the member rates. Based on those assumptions, the Pension Plan's Fiduciary Net Position was projected to be sufficient to pay projected benefit payments in all future years. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on Pension Plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the Total Pension Liability.

Money-Weighted Rate of Return. For the year ended June 30, 2015, the annual money-weighted rate of return on Pension Plan investments, net of Pension Plan investment expense, was 4.1 percent. The money-weighted rate of return expresses investment performance, net of investment expense, adjusted for the changing amounts actually invested.

**Investment Concentrations.** The Pension Plan does not hold investments in any one organization that represents 5 percent or more of the Pension Plan's Fiduciary Net Position.

#### Use of Estimates

The preparation of LACERA's financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (i.e., GAAP) requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes to the financial statements. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

#### Reclassifications

Comparative data for the prior year have been presented in the selected sections of the accompanying Statement of Fiduciary Net Position and Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position. Also, certain accounts presented in the prior year's data may have been reclassified to be consistent with the current year's presentation.

#### **NOTE C** — Contributions

Members and employers contribute to LACERA based on unisex rates recommended by an independent consulting actuary and adopted by the Board of Investments and the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors. Contributory plan members are required to contribute between approximately 5 percent and 16 percent of their annual covered salary. Member and employer contributions received from the outside districts are considered part of LACERA's pension plan as a whole.

Participating employers are required to contribute the remaining amounts necessary to finance the coverage of their employees (members) through monthly or annual prefunded contributions at actuarially determined rates. Rates for the contributory plans for members who entered the Pension Plan prior to January 1, 2013 are based upon age at entry to the plan and plantype enrollment. As of January 1, 2013, the rate methodology for new members entering the Pension Plan is different from the previous plans' "age-based" structure. The PEPRA-mandated retirement plans are administered as single average rate contributions.

LACERA's consulting actuary determined these rates following an analysis of PEPRA. Both member rate methodologies are actuarially designed for the employees, as a group, to make the same dollar contributions into the Pension Plan. As a result of collective bargaining, actual member contribution rates for various Plan Types are controlled through these agreements and through additional employer contributions (for some contributory plans), known as the surcharge amount, which is subject to change each year.

For fiscal years ended June 30, 2015 and June 30, 2014, Los Angeles County and the outside districts paid their employee and employer contributions due to LACERA, in the form of monthly and semimonthly cash payments totaling \$1.94 billion and \$1.76 billion, respectively.



LACERA includes accounts within Net Position Restricted for Benefits as reserve accounts for various operating purposes stipulated in various agreements within the plan sponsor. Reserves are neither required nor recognized under accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. These are not shown separately on the Statement of Fiduciary Net Position, as the sum of these reserves equals the Net Position Restricted for Benefits. Reserves are established from member and employer contributions and the accumulation of investment income after satisfying investment and administrative expenses. The reserves do not represent the present value of assets needed, as determined by actuarial valuation, to satisfy retirements and other benefits as they become due.

#### **Pension Plan**

LACERA's major classes of reserves:

Member Reserves represent the balance of member contributions. Additions include member contributions and related earnings. Deductions include annuity payments to retirees, refunds to members, and related expenses.

Employer Reserves represent the balance of employer contributions for future retirement payments to current active members. Additions include contributions from employers and related earnings. Deductions include annuity payments to retired members, lump-sum death/burial benefit payments to members' survivors, and supplemental disability payments.

County Contribution Credit Reserve (CCCR) was created pursuant to the 1994 Retirement System Funding Agreement between LACERA and the County. Seventy-five percent (75%) of excess earnings in fiscal years 1995-1999 were credited into the CCCR. Deductions include payments, as the County authorizes, for current and future employer contributions due to LACERA.

STAR Reserve represents the balance of transfers from the Contingency Reserve for future supplemental cost-of-living adjustment (COLA)

increases. Twenty-five percent (25%) of excess earnings in fiscal years 1995-1999 were credited to the STAR Reserve pursuant to the 1994 Retirement System Funding Agreement between LACERA and the County. Additions include transfers from the Contingency Reserve. Deductions include STAR COLA payments to retirees and funding for permanent benefits. Except for Program year 2005, the Board of Retirement made permanent the 2001 through 2009 STAR Programs at an 80 percent level, as authorized in the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 (CERL). There were no new retirees or beneficiaries entitled to additional STAR benefits for Program years 2005 and 2010 through 2015 due to the modest Consumer Price Index (CPI) percentage increase. Thus, all eligible members had COLA Accumulation accounts below the 20 percent threshold for providing STAR benefits.

Future ad hoc increases in the current STAR Program will be subject to approval by the Board of Retirement on an annual basis, provided sufficient excess earnings are available as determined by the Board of Investments. Permanent STAR benefits become part of the member's retirement allowance and are payable for life. Ad hoc STAR benefits are payable only for the calendar year approved.

Contingency Reserve represents reserves accumulated for future earning deficiencies, investment losses, and other contingencies. Additions include realized investment income and other revenues. Deductions include investment expenses; administrative expenses; interest allocated to other reserves, in priority order, to the extent that realized earnings are available for the six-month period, as defined in the 2009 Retirement Benefit Funding Policy (Funding Policy) approved by the Board of Investments; and funding of the STAR Reserve when excess earnings are available and authorized by the Board of Retirement. The Contingency Reserve is used to satisfy the CERL requirement for LACERA to reserve against deficiencies in interest earnings in other years, losses on investments, and other contingencies.

For fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, the net investment earnings were applied to credit interest to some of the reserves in accordance with the Funding Policy, leaving no balance in the

Contingency Reserve. For fiscal year ended June 30, 2014, the Contingency Reserve balance of \$49 million represented 0.1 percent of the Fair Value of Total Investments.

#### Reserves

As of June 30, 2015 and 2014 (Dollars in Thousands)

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	2015	2014
Member Reserves	\$18,784,899	\$17,816,467
Employer Reserves	21,369,845	20,862,024
County Contribution Credit Reserve	21,891	21,891
STAR Reserve	614,011	614,011
Contingency Reserve		49,376
Total Reserves at Book Value	40,790,646	39,363,769
Unrealized Investment Portfolio Appreciation	8,027,704	8,358,508
Total Reserves at Fair Value	\$48,818,350	\$47,722,277

#### **OPEB Trust**

The County hired the LACERA Board of Investments to manage and invest the County's OPEB Trust. During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2013, the County made initial contributions to prefund the growing liability for retiree healthcare benefits. There have been no additional contributions since then. The Trust Fund balance

represents the employer contributions received from both employers: the County and LACERA. Additions include contributions from employers and investment income. Deductions include investment and administrative expenses.

As of June 30, 2015, the OPEB Trust Fund balance was \$488 million.



The County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 (CERL) requires an actuarial valuation to be performed at least every three years for the purpose of measuring the Plan's funding progress and setting contribution rates. LACERA exceeds this requirement by engaging an independent actuarial consulting firm to perform an actuarial valuation for the pension plan annually. Employer contribution rates may be updated annually as a result of the valuation.

Actuarial standards guide the frequency with which an investigation of experience (experience study) is performed. LACERA engages an independent actuarial consulting firm to perform the experience study at least every three years. The economic and demographic assumptions are reviewed and updated as required each time an experience study is performed. The experience study and corresponding annual valuation serve

as the basis for changes in member contribution rates necessary to properly fund the Pension Plan. New assumptions were adopted by the Board of Investments (BOI) beginning with the June 30, 2013 actuarial valuation, based on the results of the 2013 triennial experience study. In December 2013, the BOI adopted a decrease in the investment return and other economic assumptions. The investment return assumption in effect for the 2014 actuarial valuation was 7.50 percent.

The information displayed below presents the funded status as of the most recent actuarial valuation. The Schedule of Funding Progress — Pension Plan in the Actuarial section presents multi-year trend information about whether the actuarial value of plan assets is increasing or decreasing over time, relative to the actuarial accrued liability of benefits.

# Funded Status — Pension Plan as of the Most Recent Actuarial Valuation Date (Dollars in Thousands)

Actuarial Valuation Date	Actuarial Value of Valuation Assets (a)	Actuarial Accrued Liabilities (AAL) (b)	Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liabilities (UAAL) (b-a)	Funded Ratio (a/b)	Covered Payroll (c)	UAAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll [(b-a)/c]
June 30, 2014	\$43,654,462	\$54,942,453	\$11,287,991	79.5%	\$6,672,228	169.2%

### **Actuarial Methods and Significant Assumptions**

Actuarial Cost Method	Entry Age Normal.
Actuarial Asset Valuation Method	Five-year smoothed method based on the difference between the expected market value and the actual market value of the assets as of the valuation date. The expected market value is the prior year's market value increased with the net cash flow of funds, both adjusted to reflect expected investment returns during the past fiscal year at the investment return assumption. The five-year smoothing valuation basis for all assets was adopted beginning with the June 30, 2009 valuation.
Inflation Rate — Consumer Price Index (CPI)	3.0 percent. This rate was adopted beginning with the June 30, 2013 valuation.
Investment Return	7.5 percent.  Compounded annually, net of both investment and administrative expenses. This rate was adopted beginning with the June 30, 2013 valuation.
Projected Salary Increases	3.76 percent to 9.71 percent.  The total expected increase in salary includes both merit and the general wage increase assumption of 3.5 percent per annum. The total result is compounded rather than additive. Increases are assumed to occur mid-year (i.e., January 1) and apply only to base salary. The mid-year timing reflects that salary increases occur throughout the year, or on average mid-year. These rates were adopted beginning with the June 30, 2013 valuation.
Post-Retirement Benefit Increases	Increase varies by plan. Regular Plan Cost-of-Living Adjustment (COLA) is no greater than the Consumer Price Index (CPI) assumption. A supplemental COLA may be provided to certain members to limit the loss of purchasing power to no more than 20.0 percent.
	Post-retirement benefit increases of either 3.0 percent or 2.0 percent per year are assumed for the valuation in accordance with the benefits provided. These adjustments, which are based on the CPI, are assumed payable each year in the future as they are less than the expected increase in the CPI of 3.0 percent per year. This rate was adopted beginning with the June 30, 2013 valuation.
	Plan E members receive a prorated post-retirement benefit increase of 2.0 percent for service credit earned after June 4, 2002. The portion payable is based on the member's years of service earned after June 4, 2002 to the member's total years of service. The portion of the full 2.0 percent increase not provided for may be purchased by the member.

### **Actuarial Methods and Significant Assumptions continued**

#### Amortization Method and Period

In accordance with LACERA's Funding Policy adopted in 2009, the County's contributions are set equal to the normal cost rate, net of expected member contributions for the next year, plus amortization of any Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL) or Surplus Funding. A UAAL occurs if the Funded Ratio is less than 100 percent. Surplus Funding occurs if the Funded Ratio is greater than 100 percent.

The amortization of the UAAL beginning with the June 30, 2009 valuation is funded over a closed 30-year period. Any future unanticipated changes in the UAAL, such as assumption changes or actuarial gains and losses, are amortized over new closed 30-year periods beginning with the June 30, 2010 valuation. This approach is often referred to as a "layered amortization method." For the June 30, 2014 valuation, six amortization layers were used to calculate the total amortization payment beginning July 1, 2015. The employer contribution rate is not allowed to be less than the rate if LACERA amortized the total UAAL over a 30-year period. If the Funded Ratio is greater than 120 percent in future valuations, the amortization of any Surplus Funding is funded over an open or "rolling" 30year period. If the Funded Ratio is between 100 and 120 percent, only the employer normal cost rate is contributed.

In December 2009, the BOI adopted a new Retirement Benefit Funding Policy (Funding Policy). The Funding Policy was amended in February 2013 to conform with the new standards mandated in the California Public Employees' Pension Reform Act of 2013. In addition, the BOI approved inclusion of the STAR Reserve as part of valuation assets and on an ongoing basis for future valuations. The liability for STAR benefits that may be granted in the future is not included in the valuation.

The latest actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2014 decreased the County's normal cost rate from 9.44 percent to 9.29 percent. The change in the normal cost contribution rates from year to year is generally due to a few factors. This year the normal cost rate was impacted by normal actuarial experience and a change in plan proportion as new members are hired into General Plan G and Safety

Plan C. The County's required contribution rate to finance the UAAL over a layered 30-year period decreased from 11.90 percent to 10.04 percent. Additionally, member contribution rates decreased slightly for General Plan G and increased slightly for Safety Plan C members at most entry ages, effective with the 2014 valuation and due to typical year-to-year experience. There were no changes in the member contribution rates for the other plans.

The combined result is a 2.01 percent decrease in the total required County contribution rate from the previous valuation (from 21.34 percent to 19.33 percent of payroll). The most significant factor causing the decrease was the recognition of asset losses from prior years, which resulted in a 0.88 percent decrease in the UAAL rate, while the recognition of asset losses from the current year resulted in a 0.55 percent decrease. All other factors caused a 0.58 percent decrease.

#### **Net Pension Liability**

GASB 67 requires public pension plans to provide a Net Pension Liability. The Net Pension Liability is measured as the Total Pension Liability less the amount of the pension plan's Fiduciary Net Position. The Net Pension Liability is an accounting measurement for financial statement reporting purposes. The components of LACERA's (the Pension Plan's) Net Pension Liability at June 30, 2015 were as follows:

### Schedule of Net Pension Liability

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015 (Dollars in Thousands)

	2015
Total Pension Liability	\$56,570,520
Less: Fiduciary Net Position	(48,818,350)
Net Pension Liability	\$7,752,170

Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of Total Pension Liability

86.30%

Actuarial Assumptions. Actuarial valuations of an ongoing plan involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of occurrence of events far into the future. Examples include assumptions about future employment, mortality, and cost trends. Actuarially determined amounts are subject to continual review or modification as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future. Projections of benefits for financial reporting purposes are based on the substantive Pension Plan and include the types of benefits provided at the time of each valuation.

The Total Pension Liability at June 30, 2015 was determined by completing a roll-forward calculation based on an actuarial valuation conducted as of June 30, 2014, using the following actuarial assumptions applied to all prior periods included in the measurement in accordance with the requirements of GASB 67. All actuarial methods and assumptions used for this GASB analysis were the same as those used for the June 30, 2014 funding valuation, except where differences are noted. Key methods and assumptions used to calculate the Total Pension Liability are presented below.

Description	Method
Inflation	3.0 percent.
Salary Increases	3.5 percent, average, including inflation.
Discount Rate	7.63 percent, net of pension plan investment expense, including inflation.
Mortality	Various rates based on the RP-2000 mortality tables and using static projection of improvement to 2025 using Projection Scale AA. See June 30, 2014 valuation report for further details.
Cost-of-Living Adjustments	The LACERA funding policy calls for the inclusion of the STAR (Supplemental Targeted Adjustment for Retirees) reserves in the calculation of valuation assets for funding purposes, with no corresponding liability. For the Total Pension Liability, STAR COLA (cost-of-living adjustments) benefits are assumed to be substantively automatic at the 80 percent purchasing power level until the STAR reserve is projected to be insufficient to pay further STAR benefits. This roll-forward calculation includes a future liability for STAR COLA benefits.

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2014 actuarial valuation were based on the results of the actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2010 to June 30, 2013. LACERA's actuary performs an experience study every three years.

### **Cost-Of-Living Adjustments (COLA)**

Each year, the Board of Retirement considers how the change in the cost of living, a measure of inflation, has affected the purchasing power of monthly allowances paid by LACERA. Cost of living is measured by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, which releases the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for all Urban Consumers in the Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside area as of January 1 each year. The difference in the current and previous year's CPI shows whether the cost of living has increased or decreased in this area in the past year.

If the CPI has increased, the Board of Retirement grants a cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) increase for monthly allowances. If the CPI has decreased, it is possible for the Board of Retirement to decrease monthly allowances; however, a decrease in allowances has never occurred. In any event, a cost-of-living decrease could not reduce a member's allowance to an amount less than the allowance received at the time of retirement.

LACERA members may receive more than one type of COLA:

#### COLA ("April 1st COLA")

The COLA percentage increase is effective annually on April 1. Members who retire prior to April 1, or eligible survivors of members who died prior to April 1, are eligible for COLA. The increase begins with the April 30 monthly allowances. The

COLA provision was added to CERL in 1966, and LACERA's first COLA increase was granted July 1, 1967. Until 2002, only contributory members were eligible for COLA.

#### Plan E COLA

Effective June 4, 2002, Plan E members and | their survivors also are eligible for COLA. The portion of the COLA percentage received by each Plan E member is a ratio of the member's service credit earned on and after June 4, 2002, to total service credit.

# Supplemental Targeted Adjustment for Retirees (STAR) Program

The STAR percentage increase is effective annually on January 1. STAR is designed to keep the purchasing power of monthly allowances no more than 20 percent behind accumulated cost-of-living adjustments based on the CPI (in other words, to restore at least 80 percent of the original value of the monthly allowance). STAR applies to contributory plans only. Retirees and survivors whose allowances have lost more than 20 percent of their purchasing power are eligible for STAR. The STAR Program became effective January 1, 1990.

### Sensitivity Analysis

In accordance with GASB 67, changes to the Total Pension Liability and Net Pension Liability must be reported. The Net Pension Liability changes when there are changes in the discount rate. The following presents the Net Pension Liability, calculated using the discount rate of 7.63 percent, as well as what the Net Pension Liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1 percentage point lower (6.63 percent) or 1 percentage point higher (8.63 percent) than the current rate (7.63 percent):

### **Sensitivity Analysis**

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015 (Dollars in Thousands)

1% Decrease [6.63%]	Discount Rate [7.63%]	1% Increase [8.63%]
\$63,816,436	\$56,570,520	\$50,515,373
(48,818,350)	(48,818,350)	(48,818,350)
\$14,998,086	\$7,752,170	\$1,697,023
	\$63,816,436 (48,818,350)	\$63,816,436 \$56,570,520 (48,818,350) (48,818,350)

# NOTE F — Partial Annuitization of Benefit Payments

In January 1987, LACERA entered into agreements to purchase single life annuities from two insurance carriers to provide benefit payments to a portion of the retired members. Under the terms of the agreements, LACERA continues to administer all benefit payments to covered members. There is no effect on covered members, since they retain all benefits accorded to other LACERA members, including rights to continuance of benefits to survivors, health insurance subsidies, and COLA. The values of the annuities are entirely allocated to covered members.

The monthly annuity reimbursement from the carriers is limited to the straight life annuity payments and statutory COLA increases.

LACERA is responsible for any difference in benefit payments payable to covered members who are unreimbursed by the insurance carriers. The reimbursements received are netted with the pension and annuity payments in the financial statements. During the fiscal year ended June 30. 2015, LACERA paid \$22.0 million to covered members and received \$18.1 million in related reimbursements. During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014, LACERA paid \$25.0 million to covered members and received \$20.2 million in related reimbursements. As the monthly annuity reimbursement from carriers is allocated to covered members, the fair value of contracts has been excluded from Pension Plan assets and actuarially determined information.

# NOTE G — Deposit and Investment Risks

The County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 (CERL) vests the Board of Investments (BOI) with exclusive control over LACERA's investment portfolio. The BOI established an Investment Policy Statement. BOI members exercise authority and control over the management of LACERA's Net Position Restricted for Benefits by setting policy that the investment staff executes either internally or through the use of prudent external experts.

The Investment Policy Statement encompasses the following:

- U.S. Equity Investment Policy
- Non-U.S. Equity Investment Policy
- Private Equity Investment Policy
- Fixed Income Investment Policy
- Cash and Cash Equivalents Investment Policy
- Real Estate Investment Policy
- Commodities Investment Policy
- Corporate Governance Policy and Principles
- Derivatives Investment Policy
- Emerging Manager Policy
- Manager Monitoring and Review Policy
- Securities Lending Policy
- · Placement Agent Policy
- Hedge Fund Policy

#### Credit Risk

Credit Risk is the risk that an issuer or other counterparty to an investment will not fulfill its obligations. LACERA seeks to maintain a diversified portfolio of fixed income instruments in order to obtain the highest total return for the Pension Fund at an acceptable level of risk within this asset class. To control Credit Risk, credit quality guidelines have been established.

The majority of the Core, Core Plus, and High Yield portfolios use the following guidelines in terms of credit quality.

# **Domestic Fixed Income Core and Core Plus Portfolios**

A minimum of 80 percent and 70 percent of Core and Core Plus portfolios, respectively, must be invested in securities rated investment-grade by

the major credit rating agencies: Moody's Investors Service (Moody's), Standard & Poor's (S&P), and Fitch Ratings (Fitch).

#### In addition:

- Money market instruments must be rated at least A-2/P-2 or equivalent by at least one major credit rating agency.
- All rated securities, including Rule 144A securities, must be rated at least B- by S&P or equivalent by at least one major credit rating agency at the time of purchase.
- Unrated issues may be purchased provided, in the judgment of the Investment Manager, they would not violate LACERA's minimum credit quality criteria.
- Unrated issues and securities rated BBB+, BBB, or BBB- by S&P or equivalent, in combination, may represent up to 30 percent of the portfolio.

# Domestic High-Yield Fixed Income Portfolios

By definition, high-yield bonds are securities rated below investment grade. Therefore, the majority of bonds in the high-yield portfolios are rated below investment grade by at least one of the major credit rating agencies: Moody's, S&P, and Fitch.

#### In addition:

- Money market instruments must be rated at least A-2/P-2 or equivalent by at least one major credit rating agency.
- At least 95 percent of all rated securities, including Rule 144A securities, must be rated at least B- by S&P or equivalent by at least one major credit rating agency at the time of purchase.
- Consistent with the preceding requirement, a maximum of 5 percent of the portfolio may be invested in issues rated below B- by S&P or equivalent; however, these issues must be rated at least CCC by S&P or Caa by Moody's.
- Unrated issues may be purchased provided, that in the judgment of the Investment Manager, they would not violate LACERA's minimum credit criteria.

LACERA's Opportunistic Credit portfolios allow for the assumption of more credit risk than other fixed income portfolios, by investing in securities that include unrated bonds, bonds rated below investment grade issued by corporations undergoing financial stress or distress, junior

tranches of structured securities backed by residential and commercial mortgages, and bank loans. LACERA utilizes specific investment guidelines for these portfolios that limit maximum exposure by issuer, industry, and sector, which result in well-diversified portfolios.

The following is a schedule of the credit quality ratings by Moody's, a nationally recognized statistical rating organization, of investments in fixed income securities. Whole loan mortgages from Pension Plan of \$63 million, short-term investments from OPEB Trust of \$43 million, and short-term investments from OPEB Agency Fund of \$2 million are excluded from this presentation. Additionally, investment-grade fixed income securities of \$57 million and \$109 million held in OPEB Trust and OPEB Agency Fund, respectively, are excluded.

### Credit Quality Ratings of Investments in Fixed Income Securities

As of June 30, 2015 (Dollars in Thousands)

				Corporate			
Quality	U.S.	U.S. Govt.		Debt/Credit	Pooled		% of
Ratings	Treasuries	Agencies	Municipals	Securities	Funds	Total	Portfolio
Aaa	\$1,858,585	\$2,205,374	\$1,043	\$753,165	_	\$4,818,167	38%
Aa	_	6,471	34,268	418,283		459,022	4%
A	-	2,406	33,886	1,138,907		1,175,199	9%
Baa	_	595	_	1,798,916	_	1,799,511	14%
Ва	_	17		780,317	400	780,317	6%
В	_	_	3,857	909,027	_	912,884	7%
Caa	-	· ·	5,499	321,043	_	326,542	3%
Ca	_	_	_	6,201	_	6,201	0%
C		-		21,706	-	21,706	0%
Not Rated	: <del></del>	-	5,620	490,109	1,922,832	2,418,561	19%
Total Investment in Fixed Income							
Securities	\$1,858,585	\$2,214,846	\$84,173	\$6,637,674	\$1,922,832	\$12,718,110	100%

#### **Custodial Credit Risk**

LACERA's contract with its primary custodian (Bank) provides that the Bank may hold LACERA's securities registered in the Bank's or its agent's nominee name, in bearer form, book-entry form, a clearing house corporation, or a depository, so long as the Bank's records clearly indicate that the securities are held in custody for LACERA's account. The Bank may also hold securities in custody in LACERA's name when required by LACERA. When held in custody by the Bank, the securities are not at risk of loss in the event of the Bank's financial failure, because the securities are

not property (assets) of the Bank. Cash invested overnight in the Bank's depository accounts is subject to the risk that in the event of the Bank's failure, LACERA might not recover all or some of its deposits. This risk is mitigated when the overnight deposits are insured or collateralized.

LACERA's policy as incorporated in its current contract with the Bank requires the Bank to certify it has taken all steps to assure all LACERA monies on deposit with the Bank are eligible for and covered by "pass-through insurance," in accordance with applicable law and FDIC rules

and regulations. The steps taken by the Bank include paying deposit insurance premiums when due, maintaining a "prompt corrective action" (PCA) capital category of "well capitalized," and identifying on the Bank's records that it acts as a fiduciary for LACERA with respect to the monies on deposit. In addition, the Bank is required to provide evidence of insurance and to maintain a Financial Institution Bond, which will cover the loss of money and securities with respect to any and all property the Bank or its agents hold in or for LACERA's account, up to the amount of the bond. To implement certain investment strategies in a cost-effective manner, some of LACERA's assets are invested in investment managers' pooled vehicles. The securities in these vehicles may be held by a different custodian.

#### Counterparty Risk

Counterparty Risk for investments is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty to complete a transaction, LACERA would not be able to recover the value of the investment or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party.

#### Concentration of Credit Risk

No more than 5 percent of the Core, Core Plus, or High-Yield portfolios may be invested in securities of a single issuer, except: U.S. Treasury

securities, government-guaranteed debt (including G-7 countries), agency debt, agency mortgage-backed securities, and manager's approved commingled funds.

As of June 30, 2015, LACERA did not hold any investments in any one issuer that would represent 5 percent or more of total investments. Investments issued or explicitly guaranteed by the U.S. government and pooled investments are excluded from this requirement.

#### **Interest Rate Risk**

Interest Rate Risk is the risk that the changes in interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. Duration is a measure of the price sensitivity of a fixed income portfolio to changes in interest rates. It is calculated as the weighted average time to receive a bond's coupon and principal payments. The longer the duration of a portfolio, the greater its price sensitivity to changes in interest rates.

To manage Interest Rate Risk, the modified adjusted duration of the Domestic Fixed Income Core, Core Plus, and High-Yield portfolios is restricted to +/- 25.0 percent of the duration of the portfolios' respective benchmarks. Deviations from any of the stated guidelines require prior written authorization from LACERA.

The Fixed Income Securities – Duration schedule presents the duration by investment type. Whole loan mortgages from Pension Plan of \$63 million, short-term investments from OPEB Trust of \$43 million, and short-term investments from OPEB Agency Fund of \$2 million are excluded from this presentation. Additionally, investment-grade fixed income securities of \$57 million and \$109 million held in OPEB Trust and OPEB Agency Fund, respectively, were excluded.

#### Fixed Income Securities - Duration

As of June 30, 2015 (Dollars in Thousands)

Investment	Fair	Portfolio-Weighted Average Effective
Туре	Value	Duration*
U.S. Government and Agency Instruments:		
U.S. Treasury	\$1,858,585	6.36
U.S. Government Agency	2,214,846	2.53
Municipal/Revenue Bonds	84,173	9.54
Subtotal U.S. Government and Agency Instruments	\$4,157,604	
Corporate Bonds and Credit Securities:		
Asset-Backed Securities	\$475,437	1.05
Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities	317,718	0.92
Corporate and Other Credit	3,788,855	4.44
Fixed Income Swaps	3,468	N/A
Pooled Investments	1,922,832	N/A
Subtotal Corporate Bonds and Credit Securities	\$6,508,310	
Non-U.S. Fixed Income	\$193,816	5.77
Private Placement Fixed Income	1,858,380	4.10
Subtotal Non-U.S. and Private Placement Securities	\$2,052,196	
<b>Total Fixed Income Securities</b>	\$12,718,110	

Effective Duration is a measure of a bond's sensitivity to interest rates. It is calculated as the percentage change in a bond's price caused by a change in the bond's yield. For example, a modified duration of 5 indicates that a 1 percent increase in a bond's yield will cause the bond price to decline 5 percent.

#### Foreign Currency Risk

Foreign Currency Risk is the risk that changes in exchange rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment or deposit. LACERA's authorized managers are permitted to invest in approved countries or regions, as stated in their respective investment guidelines. To mitigate Foreign Currency Risk, LACERA has in place a passive currency hedging program, which hedges into U.S. dollars (USD) approximately 50 percent of LACERA's foreign currency exposure for developed market equities.

The following schedule represents LACERA's exposure to Foreign Currency Risk in U.S. dollars. LACERA is invested in several non-U.S. commingled funds. This means LACERA owns units of commingled funds, and the fund holds the actual securities and/or currencies. The values shown include LACERA's pro rata portion of non-U.S. commingled fund holdings.

Non-U.S. Securities at Fair Value

As of June 30, 2015 (Dollars in Thousands)

				Real Estate	Private		
		Fixed	Foreign	Commingled		Forward	
Currency	Equity	Income	Currency	Funds	Investments	Contract	Total
AMERICAS						Contract	Total
Argentine Peso	\$6,753	_	-		_		<b>\$6.753</b>
Bermuda Dollar	2,956	_	_	<u></u>	_		\$6,753 2,956
Brazilian Real	177,857	15,812	8	_	_	(105)	193,572
Canadian Dollar	834,224	4,769	165	_	_	7,308	846,466
Chilean Peso	17,994	_	_	( <del>)</del>	5 <del></del>	-	17,994
Columbian Peso	6,254	_	_	_	-	_	6,254
Mexican Peso	112,394	40,586	953	_	-	7	153,940
Peruvian New Sol	11,670	_	_	· -	_	_	11,670
EUROPE							,
British Pound Sterling	1,719,028	25,472	761	3,529	54,022	(33,065)	1,769,747
Czech Republic		ŕ		-,,	01,022	(55,005)	1,709,747
Koruna	1,483	-	_	_	_	_	1,483
Danish Krone	151,861	_	-	_	_	(1,455)	150,406
Euro	2,558,657	92,520	26,760	161,247	295,705	(14,300)	3,120,589
Hungarian Forint	4,492	_	_	_	_	_	4,492
Norwegian Krone	70,914	_	203	_		264	71,381
Polish Zloty	20,698				_		20,698
Russian Ruble	88,714	-		_	_		88,714
Swedish Krona	263,162	_	_		<u></u>	(3,339)	259,823
Swiss Franc	742,937	_	·	_	_	(6,986)	735,951
PACIFIC						(0,700)	733,731
Australian Dollar	606,176	_	3,020	_		2 122	(12, 220
Chinese RNB	28,184	_	-	-		3,132	612,328
Japanese Yen	1,863,021	_	6,805	1		10 275	28,184
New Zealand Dollar	14,924	1,730	225	_	_	18,375	1,888,201
South Korean Won	280,312	-	277		_	1,282	18,161
MIDDLE EAST	,		27,7			-	280,589
Egyptian Pound	3,199						
Israeli New Shekel	40,865	8 <del></del>	10	_	-	(1.0.47)	3,199
Lebanese Pound	770	_	10	2 <del>=</del>	_	(1,367)	39,508
Omani Rial	2,065	_		_	_	-	770
Qatari Rial		5 <del></del>	_	_	_	_	2,065
Saudi Riyal	8,407	_	-	, <del></del>		_	8,407
Turkish Lira	11,121	_	_	-	-	_	11,121
UAE Dirham	52,172	_	_	_	_	_	52,172
OVE DIHISHI	8,925	_	_	_	_	_	8,925

Non-U.S. Securities at Fair Value continued

As of June 30, 2015 (Dollars in Thousands)

		1721 J	177	Real Estate	Private	_ ,	
Cramon or	E it	Fixed	Foreign	Commingled	Equity	Forward	
Currency	Equity	Income	Currency	Funds	Investments	Contracts	Total
AFRICA							
CFA Franc (W. African)	\$1,812	_	_	_	_	-	\$1,812
Ghana New Cedi	2,046	_	_	-	_	_	2,046
Kenyan Shilling	3,728	_	_	_		_	3,728
Moroccan Dirham	581	==:		_	-	_	581
Mozambique Metical			-	_	_	_	_
Nigerian Naira	11,748			=	_	-	11,748
South African Rand	182,208		341		i —		182,549
Tanzanian Shilling	507	_		_	_	_	507
Tunisian Dinar	1,362	-	_	_	_	: —	1,362
SOUTHEAST ASIA							
Hong Kong Dollar	926,476	(=	6,399		<b>.</b>	13	932,888
Indonesian Rupiah	39,328	( <u></u> )	15	<del>==</del> 8	-	=	39,343
Malaysian Ringgit	51,076	( <del></del>	16	_	_	_	51,092
New Taiwan Dollar	247,904	, <del></del>	291	==,	_	-	248,195
Philippine Peso	14,598	7,535		_	_	_	22,133
Singapore Dollar	192,626		2,736		-	(539)	194,823
Thai Baht	58,839	_	_	_	_	_	58,839
Vietnamese Dong	3,810	_	_	-	_	_	3,810
SOUTH ASIA							·
Indian Rupee	231,325	-	_	:: <del></del>	_		231,325
Sri Lankan Rupee	311		_	2-	-		311
Total Securities							
Subject to Foreign							
Currency Risk	\$11,682,474	\$188,424	\$48,985	\$164,776	\$349,727	\$(30,775)	\$12,403,611



The Board of Investments' policies authorize LACERA to participate in a securities lending program. Securities lending is an investment management activity that mirrors the fundamentals of a loan transaction. Securities are lent to brokers and dealers (borrower), and in turn, LACERA receives cash as collateral. LACERA pays the borrower interest on the collateral received and invests the collateral with the goal of earning a higher yield than the interest rate paid to the borrower.

LACERA's securities lending program is managed by two parties: LACERA's custodian bank, State Street Bank and Trust, and a third-party lending agent, Goldman Sachs Agency Lending (GSAL). State Street Bank and Trust lends LACERA's non-U.S. equities, U.S. Treasury, agency, and mortgage-backed securities. GSAL lends LACERA's U.S. equities and corporate bonds. All non-U.S. loans are collateralized at 105 percent, while the U.S. loans are collateralized at 102 percent of the loan market value.

State Street Global Advisors invests the collateral received from both lending programs. The collateral is invested in short-term, highly liquid instruments. The collateral is marked-to-market daily, and if the market value of the securities on loan rises, LACERA receives additional collateral. Earnings generated above and beyond the interest paid to the borrowers represent net income. LACERA shares this net income with the two lending agents based on contractual agreements.

Under the terms of their lending agreements, both lending agents provide borrower default indemnification in the event a borrower does not return securities on loan. The terms of the lending agreements entitle LACERA to terminate all loans upon the occurrence of default and purchase a like amount of "replacement securities" when loaned securities are not returned. In the event the purchase price of replacement securities exceeds the amount of collateral, the lending agent shall be liable to LACERA for the amount of such excess, with interest. Either LACERA or the borrower of the security can terminate a loan on demand.

At year-end, LACERA had no credit risk exposure to borrowers, because the amount of collateral received exceeded the value of securities on loan. As of June 30, 2015, there were no known violations of legal or contractual provisions. LACERA had no losses on securities lending transactions resulting from the default of a borrower for the years ended June 30, 2015 and 2014.

As of June 30, 2015, the fair value of securities on loan was \$1.7 billion, with a value of cash collateral received of \$1.0 billion and non-cash collateral of \$815 million. As of June 30, 2014, the fair value of securities on loan was \$1.7 billion, with a value of cash collateral received of \$998 million and non-cash collateral of \$707 million. LACERA's income, net of expenses from securities lending, was \$6.6 million and \$4.0 million for the years ended June 30, 2015 and 2014, respectively.

The following table shows the fair value of securities on loan and cash collateral received.

### Securities Lending

As of June 30, 2015 (Dollars in Thousands)

Securities on Loan	Fair Value of Securities on Loan	Cash Collateral Received	Non-Cash Collateral Received
U.S. Equities	\$443,668	\$455,078	_
U.S. Fixed Income	168,288	171,887	
Non-U.S. Equities	1,135,566	406,506	815,428
Total	\$1,747,522	\$1,033,471	\$815,428

# NOTE I — Derivative Financial Instruments

LACERA's Investment Policy Statement and Manager Guidelines allow the use of derivatives by certain investment managers. Derivatives are financial instruments that derive their value, usefulness, and marketability from an underlying instrument that represents direct ownership of an asset or an obligation of an issuer whose payments are based on or derived from the performance of some agreed-upon benchmark. Managers are required to mark-to-market derivative positions daily and may trade only with counterparties with a credit rating of A3/A-, as defined by Moody's Investors Service (Moody's) and Standard & Poor's (S&P), respectively. Trades with counterparties with a minimum credit rating of BBB/Baa2 may also be allowed with the posting of initial collateral. Substitution, risk control, and arbitrage are the only derivative strategies permitted. Speculation is prohibited. Gains and losses from derivatives are included in net investment income. For financial reporting purposes, all LACERA derivatives are classified as investment derivatives. The following types of derivatives are permitted: futures contracts, currency forward contracts, option contracts, and swap agreements. Given that hedge fund managers may already have discretion to use derivatives in the funds they manage,

LACERA's Derivatives Policy will not apply to hedge fund investments.

#### **Futures Contracts**

A futures contract represents an agreement to buy (long position) or sell (short position) an underlying asset at a specified future date for a specified price. Payment for the transaction is delayed until a future date, which is referred to as the settlement or expiration date. Futures contracts are standardized contracts traded on organized exchanges.

#### **Currency Forward Contracts**

A forward contract represents an agreement to buy or sell an underlying asset at a specified date in the future at a specified price. Payment for the transaction is delayed until the settlement or expiration date. A forward contract is a non-standardized contract that is tailored to each specific transaction. Forward contracts are privately negotiated and are intended to be held until the settlement date. Currency forward contracts are used to manage currency exposure, implement the passive currency hedge, and facilitate the settlement of international security purchase and sale transactions.



As of June 30, 2015 (Dollars in Thousands)

Currency		Pending Foreign	Pending Foreign	Fair Value	Fair Value
Name	<b>Notional Cost</b>	Exchange Purchases	Exchange Sales	2015	2014
Australian Dollar	\$495,087	\$498,219	\$(495,087)	\$3,132	\$(8,418)
Brazilian Real	18,987	18,882	(18,987)	(105)	61
British Pound Sterling	1,458,400	1,425,335	(1,458,400)	(33,065)	(23,296)
Canadian Dollar	598,506	605,813	(598,506)	7,308	(16,224)
Swiss Franc	649,001	642,015	(649,001)	(6,986)	65
Danish Krone	126,495	125,039	(126,495)	(1,456)	246
Euro	2,957,527	2,943,227	(2,957,527)	(14,300)	445
Hong Kong Dollar	172,549	172,563	(172,549)	14	16
Israeli New Shekel	55,606	54,239	(55,606)	(1,367)	(448)
Japanese Yen	1,978,955	1,997,331	(1,978,955)	18,375	(7,744)
Mexican Peso	14,991	14,998	(14,991)	7	6
Norwegian Krone	55,934	56,198	(55,934)	264	956
New Zealand Dollar	24,901	26,183	(24,901)	1,282	(320)
Swedish Krona	332,147	328,808	(332,147)	(3,339)	3,042
Singapore Dollar	125,124	124,585	(125,124)	(539)	(951)
Total	\$9,064,210	\$9,033,435	\$(9,064,210)	\$(30,775)	\$(52,564)

#### **Option Contracts**

An option contract is a type of derivative in which a buyer (purchaser) has the right, but not the obligation, to buy or sell a specified amount of an underlying security at a fixed price by exercising the option before its expiration date. The seller (writer) has an obligation to buy or sell the underlying security if the buyer decides to exercise the option.

#### **Swap Agreements**

A swap is an agreement between two or more parties to exchange a sequence of cash flows over a period of time in the future. The cash flows the counterparties exchange are tied to a notional amount. A swap agreement specifies the time period over which the periodic payments will be exchanged. The fair value represents the gains or losses as of the prior mark-to-market.

The Investment Derivatives schedule below reports the fair value balances, changes in fair value, and notional amounts of derivatives outstanding as of and for the year ended June 30, 2015, classified by type.

#### **Investment Derivatives**

As of June 30, 2015 (Dollars in Thousands)

Derivative Type	Net Appreciation/ (Depreciation) in Fair Value For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015	Fair Value at June 30, 2015	Notional (Dollars)	Notional (Units)
Commodity Futures Long	\$(326,378)	_	<u></u>	\$345,062
Commodity Futures Short	122,199	_		(74,906)
Credit Default Swaps Bought	1,165	(1,352)	39,889	(, 1,,,,,,,,
Credit Default Swaps Written	(1,113)	1,259	77,727	_
Equity Options Bought	(40)	, <u> </u>	_	_
Equity Swaps	(7)		_	_
Fixed Income Futures Long	10,909	_	=	297,495
Fixed Income Futures Short	(900)	_	_	(789,902)
Fixed Income Options Bought	(2,030)	1,386	609,577	(707,702)
Fixed Income Options Written	2,675	(1,749)	(934,051)	
Foreign Currency Options Bought	118	78	13,663	
Foreign Currency Options Written	64	(6)	(7,184)	
Futures Options Bought	(1,866)	935	8,184	
Futures Options Written	2,376	(1,308)	(14,086)	_
FX Forwards	735,286	(30,775)	9,064,209	_
Pay Fixed Interest Rate Swaps	1,385	3,563	819,524	
Receive Fixed Interest Rate Swaps	(371)	(323)	56,509	
Rights	388	47	-	9
Total Return Swaps Bond	141	185	38,736	<del>-</del>
Total Return Swaps Equity	(102,296)	7,834	(336,103)	_
Warrants	(95)	_	(555,105)	6,167
Total	\$441,610	\$(20,226)	\$9,436,594	\$(216,075)

All investment derivative positions are included as part of Investments at Fair Value in the *Statement of Fiduciary Net Position*. All changes in fair value are reported as part of Net Appreciation/ (Depreciation) in Fair Value of Investments in the *Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position*.

Investment information was provided either by investment managers or LACERA's investment custodian.

#### **Counterparty Credit Risk**

LACERA is exposed to counterparty credit risk on investment derivatives that are traded over

the counter and are reported in asset positions. Derivatives exposed to counterparty credit risk include currency forward contracts and swap agreements. To minimize counterparty credit risk exposure, LACERA's investment managers continuously monitor credit ratings of counterparties. Should there be a counterparty failure, LACERA would be exposed to the loss of the fair value of derivatives that are in asset positions and any collateral provided to the counterparty, net of the effect of applicable netting arrangements. LACERA requires investment managers to have Master Agreements in place that

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permit netting in order to minimize credit risk. Netting arrangements provide LACERA with a legal right of setoff in the event of bankruptcy or default by the counterparty. LACERA would

be exposed to loss of collateral provided by the counterparty. Collateral provided by the counterparty reduces LACERA's counterparty credit risk exposure.

The schedule displays the fair value of investments with each counterparty's S&P, Fitch, and Moody's credit rating by counterparty's name alphabetically.

### **Counterparty Credit Risk Analysis**

As of June 30, 2015 (Dollars in Thousands)

	Total Fair	S&P	Fitch	Moody's
Counterparty Name	Value	Rating	Rating	Rating
Bank of America N.A.	\$322	A	A+	A1
Bank of New York	113	A+	AA-	A1
Barclays	35	A-	A	A2
Barclays Bank PLC Wholesale	2	A-	A	A2
Barclays Capital	204	A-	A	A2
BNP Paribas	39	A+	A+	A1
BNP Paribas SA	379	A+	A+	A1
Citibank N.A.	1,455	A	A+	A1
Credit Suisse FOB CME	1,949	A	A	A1
Credit Suisse FOB LCH	1,846	A	A	A1
Credit Suisse International	4,700	A	A	A1
Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC	1,887	A	A	A1
Deutsche Bank AG	13,635	BBB+	A	A3
Deutsche Bank Securities Inc	55	BBB+	A	A3
Goldman Sachs + Co	1,418	Α-	A	A3
Goldman Sachs CME	1,824	A-	A	A3
Goldman Sachs International	4,998	A-	A	A3
HSBC Bank USA	1	AA-	AA-	Aa3
JP Morgan	134	A	A+	A3
JP Morgan Chase Bank N.A.	119	A+	AA-	Aa3
JP Morgan Securities Inc	1,579	A	A+	A3
Macquarie Bank Limited	62	A	A	A2
Morgan Stanley Bank N.A.	274	A	A+	A1
Morgan Stanley Co Incorporated	2	A-	A	A3
Royal Bank of Scotland PLC	11,221	BBB+	BBB+	A3
Societe Generale	2,836	A	A	A2
Standard Chartered Bank	66	A+	AA-	Aa2
Standard Chartered Bank, London	17	A+	AA-	Aa2
State Street Bank And Trust Company	1,101	AA-	AA	A1
Toronto Dominion Bank	2	AA-	AA-	Aa1
UBS AG	62	A	A	A2
UBS AG London	14,244	Α	A	A2
UBS CME	447	Α	A	A2
Westpac Banking Corporation	11,501	AA-	AA-	Aa2
Total	\$78,529			

#### Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. Interest Rate Swaps are an example

of an investment that has a fair value that is highly sensitive to interest rate changes. These investments are disclosed in the following table:

### Interest Rate Risk Analysis

As of June 30, 2015 (Dollars in Thousands)

			Investment Maturities (in years)			
Investment Type	Notional Value	Fair Value	Less Than 1	1 - 5	6 - 10	More Than 10
Credit Default Swaps Bought	\$39,889	\$(1,352)	_	\$(1,502)	\$150	
Credit Default Swaps Written	77,727	1,259	32	1,171	(5)	61
Fixed Income Futures Long	297,495	_			(3)	01
Fixed Income Futures Short	(789,902)	_	_		Name of	_
Fixed Income Options Bought	609,577	1,386	1,258	128		_
Fixed Income Options Written	(934,051)	(1,749)	(1,589)	(153)	(7)	
Pay Fixed Interest Rate Swaps	819,524	3,563	(52)	(2,371)	61	5,925
Receive Fixed Interest Rate Swaps	56,509	(323)	_	6	(313)	(16)
Total Return Swaps Bond	38,736	185	(53)	238	(313)	(10)
Total Return Swaps Equity	(336,103)	7,834	7,798	36	-	_
Total	\$(120,599)	\$10,803	\$7,394	\$(2,447)	\$(114)	\$5,970



As of June 30, 2015, the LACERA real estate portfolio included 87 Title Holding Corporations (THCs) and 31 Limited Liability Companies (LLCs).

As of June 30, 2014, the portfolio included 89 THCs and 23 LLCs.

The following is a summary of the THCs' and LLCs' financial positions.

# Title Holding Corporations' and Limited Liability Companies' Financial Position *As of June 30, 2015 and 2014* (Dollars in Thousands)

	2015	2014
Assets	\$6,541,502	\$5,828,040
Less: Liabilities	(2,162,184)	(2,025,448)
Net Assets	\$4,379,318	\$3,802,592
Net Income	\$237,858	\$115,610

In March 2011, the LACERA Board of Investments approved allocating up to \$200 million for a commercial real estate debt investment mandate managed by Cornerstone Real Estate Advisors. Additional allocations of \$300 million were made in 2013, bringing the total investable equity commitment to \$500 million. In 2014, a \$250

million commitment was added for the purpose of backstopping a subscription facility, though this equity is not considered investable. The total assets and liabilities of this Special Purpose Entity (SPE) as of June 30, 2015 were \$373 million and \$181 million, respectively, with a net income of \$12.8 million.

# **NOTE** K — Related Party Transactions Office Lease

LACERA, as the sole shareholder, formed a Title Holding Corporation (THC) to acquire Gateway Plaza. In January 1991, LACERA entered into its original lease agreement with the THC to occupy approximately 85,000 square feet. Under the terms of the agreement, LACERA's base rent is abated via a base rent credit. However, LACERA is required to pay its proportionate share of the building's taxes and operating costs as defined in the lease.

Subsequent to the original lease agreement, several amendments have been entered into that adjusted the rentable square footage and lease expiration dates. The latest is the Eleventh Amendment to the Office Lease, dated March 14, 2013, leasing a total close to 107,000 rentable square feet of space and maintaining the lease's existing expiration date of December 31, 2015. LACERA has one five-year option to further extend the terms of the lease.

Additionally, LACERA leased two additional spaces, one for 3,421 square feet and another for 2,642 square feet of space, on August 6, 2013 and March 17, 2014, respectively, with terms expiring December 31, 2020 for both spaces.

Total operating expenses charged to LACERA were approximately \$1.82 million and \$1.80 million for the years ended June 30, 2015 and June 30, 2014, respectively.

#### Notes Receivable

LACERA had a notes receivable balance of approximately \$22.5 million from one of its THCs for each of the years ended June 30, 2015 and 2014. This amount is reflected in the Accounts Receivable-Other balance for both years.



The Board of Retirement and Board of Investments annually adopt the operating budget for the administration of LACERA. The administrative expenses are charged against the earnings of the retirement fund.

Beginning in fiscal year 2012, LACERA implemented §31580.2 of the CERL, which provided administrative budget limitation relief to LACERA by shifting from an asset-based cap to a more stable liability-based cap. This CERL provision states that the annual budget for administrative expenses of a CERL retirement system may not exceed twenty-one hundredths of one percent (0.21 percent) of the actuarial accrued liability of the retirement system.

Expenses for computer software, hardware, and computer technology consulting services relating to those expenditures are not to be considered a cost of administration subject to the budget limit. The cost of legal representation is not to exceed one-hundredth of one percent (0.01 percent) of system assets in any budget year, pursuant to §31529.1 of the CERL. LACERA's appropriation for legal representation is included in the administrative expense allocation.

Under applicable sections of the CERL, both LACERA Boards approved the operating budgets for fiscal years ended June 30, 2015 and June 30, 2014, which were prepared based upon the twenty-one hundredths of one percent (0.21 percent) CERL limit.

The following budget-to-actual analysis of administrative expenses schedule is based upon the budget, as approved by the LACERA governing boards, in comparison to actual administrative expenses.

### **Budget-to-Actual Analysis of Administrative Expenses**

As of June 30, 2015 and 2014

(Dollars in Thousands)

	2015	2014
Basis for Budget Calculation (Actuarial Accrued Liability)	\$53,247,776	\$50,809,425
Maximum Allowable for Administrative Expense*	111,820	106,700
Total Statutory Budget Appropriation	111,820	106,700
Operating Budget Request Administrative Expenses	65,629 (62,591)	62,193 (58,723)
Underexpended Operating Budget	3,038	3,470
Administrative Expenses Basis for Budget Calculation	62,591 53,247,776	58,723 50,809,425
Administrative Expenses as a Percentage of the Basis for Budget Calculation	0.12%	0.12%
Limit per CERL	0.21%	0.21%
Administrative Expenses Net Position Restricted for Benefits	62,591 \$48,818,350	58,723 \$47,722,277
Administrative Expenses as a Percentage of Net Position Restricted for Benefits	0.13%	0.12%
Limit per CERL	0.21%	0.21%

 $<sup>{\</sup>bf ^*LACERA's\ appropriation\ for\ legal\ representation\ is\ included\ in\ administrative\ expense}.$ 



#### Litigation

LACERA is a defendant in various lawsuits and other claims arising in the ordinary course of its operations. LACERA's management and legal counsel estimate the ultimate outcome of such litigation will not have a material effect on LACERA's financial statements.

### **Securities Litigation**

In 2001, the Board of Investments adopted a Securities Litigation Policy in response to increasing incidents of corporate corruption and fraud. The policy requires LACERA's Legal Office to monitor securities fraud class actions and to actively pursue recovery of LACERA's losses in accordance with the policy.

In 2011, the U.S. Supreme Court held that certain fraud provisions of the U.S. securities laws could not be applied to securities purchased outside the U.S. Therefore, the Board of Investments adopted a global policy to ensure that LACERA continues to meet its fiduciary duty by identifying, monitoring, and evaluating securities actions in which the fund has an interest both foreign and domestic and pursuing such claims when and in a manner the Board of Investments determines is in the best interest of the fund.

Compliance with the Securities Litigation Policy ensures that the Board of Investments, with the assistance of the LACERA Legal Office, will continue to aggressively protect the financial interests of LACERA and its members.

#### Leases

LACERA leases equipment under lease agreements that expire over the next five years. The annual commitments and operating expenses for such equipment leases were approximately \$276,000 and \$279,000 in fiscal years 2015 and 2014, respectively.

The building space lease agreement was originally entered in January 1991. Subsequent amendments were made with the latest one dated August 22, 2013. LACERA agreed to lease additional space of which extended lease terms to December 31, 2020. As of fiscal year 2015, a total of 112,756 rentable square feet is leased by LACERA, which requires a proportionate share of taxes, parking facilities, and operating costs applicable to the premises be paid.

LACERA's leasing agreements are also discussed in Note K — Related Party Transactions. The total operating expenses for leasing the building premises are \$1.82 million and \$1.80 million in fiscal years 2015 and 2014, respectively.

### **Capital Commitments**

LACERA real estate, private equity, and activist investment managers identify and acquire investments on a discretionary basis. Each manager's investment activity is controlled by the LACERA Manager Investment Plan, which identifies the limitations on each manager's discretion. Such investment activities are further restricted by the amount of capital allocated or committed to each manager. Both the Manager Investment Plan and capital commitments are subject to approval by the Board of Investments and may be updated as often as necessary to reflect LACERA investment preferences, as well as changes in market conditions.

As of June 30, 2015, outstanding capital commitments to the various investment managers, as approved by the Board of Investments, totaled \$4.21 billion. Subsequent to June 30, 2015, LACERA funded \$266 million of these capital commitments.

# Note N — Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) Program

LACERA administers a cost-sharing multipleemployer Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) or Retiree Healthcare Program on behalf of the County, its affiliated Superior Court, and four outside districts. The outside districts include: Little Lake Cemetery District, Local Agency Formation Commission, Los Angeles County Office of Education, and the South Coast Air Quality Management District. This OPEB Program is presented in the Statement of Fiduciary Net Position as the OPEB Agency Fund.

#### **Program Description**

In April 1982, the County adopted an ordinance pursuant to the CERL that provided for a retiree health insurance program and death/burial benefits for retired employees and their eligible dependents. In 1982, the County and LACERA entered into an Agreement whereby LACERA would administer the program subject to the terms and conditions of the Agreement. In 1994, the County amended the Agreement to continue to support LACERA's retiree insurance benefits program, regardless of the status of the active member insurance.

In June 2014, the LACERA Boards approved the County's request to modify the agreement to create a new retiree healthcare benefit program in order to lower its costs. Structurally, this means that the County segregated all current retirees and current employees into LACERA-Administered Retiree Healthcare Benefits Program — Tier 1 (Tier 1) and place all employees hired after June 30, 2014 into

Los Angeles County Retiree Healthcare Benefits Program — Tier 2 (Tier 2).

A significant difference included in this modification concerns LACERA's administrative responsibility for the Retiree Healthcare Program. Under Tier 1, LACERA will continue its agreed-upon role as program administrator for retiree healthcare benefits as governed by the 1982 Agreement. Under Tier 2, LACERA is responsible for administering this program for as long as the County desires. The County may, at any time, choose another organization to administer the Tier 2 program.

On June 17, 2014, the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors adopted changes to Los Angeles County Code Title 5 – Personnel, which established the Benefit Provisions for the new Tier 2.

#### **Membership**

Employees are eligible for the OPEB Program if they are members of LACERA and retire from the County of Los Angeles, the Superior Court, or a participating outside district. Healthcare benefits are also offered to qualifying survivors of deceased retired members and deceased active employees who were eligible to retire at the time of death. Receipt of a pension benefit is a prerequisite for retiree healthcare and death benefits; therefore, eligibility and qualifications applicable to retiree healthcare and death/burial benefits are substantially similar to pension benefits.

# Summary of Participating Retired Members, Spouses, and Dependents — OPEB OPEB Actuarial Valuation — July 1, 2014

Plan Type	Retirees and Survivors	Spouses and Dependents
Medical	45,825	22,298
Dental/Vision	46,612	25,404
Death Benefit	50,434	N/A

#### **Benefit Provisions**

The OPEB Program offers members an extensive choice of medical plans as well as two dental/

vision plans. The medical plans are either HMOs or indemnity plans, and some are designed to work with Medicare benefits, such as the Medicare

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Supplement or Medicare HMO plans. Coverage is available regardless of pre-existing medical conditions. Under the new Tier 2 program, retirees who are eligible for Medicare are required to enroll in that program. Medicare-eligible retirees and their covered dependents must enroll in Medicare Parts A and B and in a Medicare HMO plan or Medicare Supplement plan.

Medical and Dental/Vision — The participant's cost for medical and dental/vision insurance varies according to the years of retirement service credit with LACERA, the plan selected, and the number of persons covered. The County contribution subsidizing the participant's cost starts at 10 years of service credit or 40 percent of the lesser of the benchmark plan rate (Anthem Blue Cross Plans I and II for medical and Cigna Indemnity Dental/ Vision for dental and vision) or the premium of the plan in which the retiree is enrolled. Under Tier 2, the County subsidy is based on retiree-only coverage. Tier 2 benchmark plans are: Anthem Blue Cross Plans I and II for Medicare-ineligible members, Anthem Blue Cross Plan III for Medicare-eligible members, and Cigna Indemnity Dental/Vision for dental and vision. For each year of retirement service credit beyond 10 years, the County contributes four percent per year, up to a maximum of 100 percent for a member with 25 years of service credit. The County contribution can never exceed the premium of the benchmark plan.

Medicare Part B — The member's base rate premiums paid to Social Security for Part B coverage are reimbursed by the County, subject to annual approval by the County Board of Supervisors. Eligible members and their dependents must be enrolled in both Medicare Part A and Medicare Part B and in a LACERA-administered Medicare HMO Plan or Medicare Supplement Plan. Under Tier 2, the County reimburses for Medicare Part B (standard rate) for eligible members or eligible survivors only.

Disability — If a member is granted a service-connected disability retirement and has less than 13 years of service, the County contributes the lesser of 50 percent of the benchmark plan rate or the premium of the plan in which the retiree is enrolled. Under Tier 2, the benchmark plan rate is

based on retiree-only premiums. A member with 13 years of service credit receives a 52 percent subsidy. This percentage increases 4 percent for each additional completed year of service.

Death/Burial Benefit — There is a one-time lump-sum \$5,000 death/burial benefit payable to the designated beneficiary upon the death of a retiree, paid directly by the County. Active and vested terminated (deferred) members are eligible for this benefit once they retire. Spouses and dependents are not eligible for this death benefit upon their death.

#### **Healthcare Reform**

In March 2010, President Obama signed into law the Affordable Care Act (ACA). The ACA will have an impact on the County's future healthcare liabilities. Estimated ACA fees are included in the OPEB trend assumptions. As potential impacts become clearer, they will be reflected in the OPEB assumptions. However, as a "retiree only" group plan, LACERA is exempt from many of the provisions implemented thus far, including these significant provisions:

- Dependent Coverage for Adult Children up to Age 26
- Elimination of Lifetime Limits
- No Cost-Sharing for Approved Preventive Services

Other provisions of the ACA may or may not impact the Retiree Healthcare Benefits Program as these provisions and any governing regulations are clarified and implemented.

# Eligible Dependent Child Age Limit Increased to Age 26

The plan sponsor, the County of Los Angeles, has approved an extension of the dependent children age limit to age 26 under the Retiree Healthcare Benefits Program, regardless of a dependent child's marital or student status. This comes as a result of a California law, Senate Bill (SB) 1088.

Until July 1, 2014, this law exempted retiree-only plans, such as LACERA's. SB 1088 requires health plan carriers to offer the coverage to dependents up to age 26 but does not obligate the plan sponsor, the County of Los Angeles, to pay for coverage up to age 26. However, in March 2015, the County

determined that it will pay for dependent coverage up to age 26 under the contribution method described above.

# **Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

Basis of Presentation — The OPEB Agency
Fund is presented according to the principles and
reporting guidelines set forth by the Governmental
Accounting Standards Board (GASB). This OPEB
Agency Fund accounts for assets held as an
agent on behalf of others. This fund is custodial
in nature and does not measure the results of
operations. Assets and liabilities are recorded
using the accrual basis of accounting. Receivables
include contributions due as of the reporting date.
Payables include premium payments and refunds
due to members and accrued investment and
administrative expenses.

Investment Valuation — Investments are carried at fair value. Fair values for investments are derived from quoted market prices. For publicly traded stocks and bonds and issues of the United States Government and its agencies, the most recent sales price as of fiscal year-end is used.

Contributions Authority - Pursuant to the 1982, 1994, and 2014 Agreements between the County and LACERA, the parties agreed to the continuation of the health insurance benefits then in existence. The County agreed to subsidize a portion of the insurance premiums of certain retired members and their eligible dependents based on the member's length of service. The County further agreed to maintain the status quo of existing benefits provided to participants. As part of the 2014 Agreement, the County modified the existing healthcare benefit plan, which created a new benefit structure for all employees hired after June 30, 2014. LACERA agreed not to lower retired members' contributions toward insurance premiums or modify medical benefit levels without the County's prior consent.

Funding Policy and Contributions — The County has historically discharged its premium subsidy obligations on a pay-as-you-go basis. LACERA bills the healthcare premiums to the County and members on a monthly basis. An administrative

fee to cover the costs of administering the OPEB Program is added to the monthly premium. Internal cost allocations among the participating outside districts, including the Superior Court, have historically been based on the number of active employees. In June 2015, the Board of Supervisors approved the budget with a dedicated funding promise for the OPEB Liability. LACERA will work with the County to determine its OPEB Trust Fund contribution schedule in a strategic effort to sustain the program on a prefunding basis. LACERA, as an independent employer, will also bring recommendations to the LACERA Boards on joining the County in prefunding its share of the OPEB liability.

#### **Premium Payments**

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, premium payments of \$455.1 million were made to insurance carriers. These payments were funded by employer subsidy payments of \$415.6 million and payments of \$39.5 million by the participants. In addition, the County paid \$47.3 million in Medicare Part B reimbursements and \$7.3 million in death/burial benefits.

In December 2014 and January 2015, the County granted a Premium Holiday. A Premium Holiday is a temporary period in which the monthly premium costs for both the Program Sponsor (County) and affected members are waived. Affected members are those retirees enrolled in certain medical benefit plans who also pay their share of the monthly premiums. The Premium Holiday granted in the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 amounted to \$12.1 million.

#### Establishment of OPEB Trust

Pursuant to the California Government Code, the County established an irrevocable OPEB Trust for the purpose of holding and investing assets to prefund the Retiree Healthcare Benefits Program, which LACERA administers. In May 2012, the County Board of Supervisors approved entering into a Trust and Investment Services Agreement with the LACERA Board of Investments to act as trustee and investment manager.

The OPEB Trust was the County's first step to reduce its OPEB unfunded liability. It provides a

framework where the Board of Supervisors can make contributions to the trust and transition, over time, from pay-as-you-go to prefunding. The OPEB Trust does not modify the participating employers' benefit programs.

The OPEB Trust will serve as a funding tool for the participating employers to hold and invest assets for paying expenses associated with OPEB benefits, such as the Retiree Healthcare Benefits Program and retiree death/burial benefit. The participating employers will be responsible for and have full discretion over contributions to and withdrawals from the OPEB Trust. At this time, there are only two participating employers in the trust: Los Angeles County and LACERA. Both employers funded contributions to the OPEB Trust totaling \$448.8 million during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2013. There have been no additional contributions to the OPEB Trust since the initial funding. The LACERA Board of Investments is responsible for setting the investment policy and investing any contributions transferred into the OPEB Trust from the participating employers.

# **Employer Disclosures**

Participating employers, upon implementing the related GASB Statement No. 45, are required to disclose additional information in their financial statements with regard to funding policy. This includes the employer's annual OPEB Program costs and contributions made, the funded status and funding progress of the employer's individual plan, and actuarial assumptions and methods used to prepare the actuarial valuation.

### **OPEB Actuarial Valuation**

The Los Angeles County OPEB actuarial valuation was conducted by Milliman as of July 1, 2014. The valuation was performed in accordance with GASB Statements No. 43 and No. 45 requirements to satisfy financial statement reporting guidelines that apply to the sponsoring employers and the pension plans that administer the benefits program. The reporting guidelines are intended to improve cost disclosures and do not require any funding arrangements. The valuations are conducted at least every two years using the projected unit credit actuarial cost method. The next OPEB actuarial valuation will be conducted as of July 1, 2016.

# Funded Status — OPEB Program as of the Most Recent Actuarial Valuation Date (Dollars in Thousands)

Actuarial Value of Valuation Assets (a)	Actuarial Accrued Liabilities (AAL) (b)	Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liabilities (UAAL) (b-a)	Funded Ratio (a/b)	Covered Payroll* (c)	UAAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll [(b-a)/c]
\$483,800	\$28,546,600	\$28,062,800	1.7%	\$6,672,228	420.6%
	Value of Valuation Assets (a)	Value of Actuarial Valuation Accrued Assets Liabilities (a) (AAL) (b)	Value of Actuarial Actuarial Valuation Accrued Accrued Assets Liabilities Liabilities (a) (AAL) (b) (UAAL) (b-a)	Value of Actuarial Actuarial Valuation Accrued Accrued Funded Assets Liabilities Liabilities Ratio (a) (AAL) (b) (UAAL) (b-a) (a/b)	Value of Actuarial Actuarial Valuation Accrued Accrued Funded Covered Assets Liabilities Liabilities Ratio Payroll*  (a) (AAL) (b) (UAAL) (b-a) (a/b) (c)

<sup>\*</sup>Covered Payroll is consistent with the pension plan's covered payroll.

Excise Tax — The ACA currently contains provisions to assess an excise tax in 2018 on employer-provided health insurance benefits that are determined by the ACA to be an excess benefit. Milliman has estimated the impact on the projection of benefits in the measurement of Los Angeles County's OPEB Actuarial Accrued Liability as of July 1, 2014 to be approximately

\$2.17 billion. This would increase the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liabilities from \$28.06 billion to \$30.23 billion and would mean a corresponding increase of the Annual Required Contribution as a percentage of payroll from 31.82 percent to 35.04 percent. LACERA and the County are evaluating a process of allocating such potential liabilities among the various OPEB Program stakeholders.

# Disclosure of Information about Actuarial Assumptions and Methods

Actuarial valuations involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of events far into the future. Actuarially determined amounts are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared to past expectations and new estimates are made about the future.

The required Schedule of Funding Progress — OPEB Program immediately following the Notes to the Basic Financial Statements presents multi-year trend information about whether the actuarial value of plan assets is increasing or decreasing over time relative to the actuarial accrued liability for benefits.

Actuarial calculations are based on the benefits provided under the terms of the substantive plan in effect at the time of each valuation and on the cost-sharing pattern between the employer and plan members to that point.

The projection of benefits for financial reporting purposes does not explicitly incorporate the potential effects of legal or contractual funding limitations on the cost-sharing pattern between the employer and plan members that may be adopted in the future.

Actuarial calculations reflect a long-term perspective. Actuarial assumptions and methods used include techniques designed to reduce short-term volatility in actuarial accrued liabilities and the actuarial value of assets.



# **Actuarial Assumptions and Methods**

Where applicable, the same actuarial assumptions used for the LACERA retirement benefit plan (Pension Plan) are used for the LACERA-administered Los Angeles County OPEB Program. The table below summarizes the primary OPEB-related assumptions that were approved and used to conduct the July 1, 2014 OPEB actuarial valuation. The retirement benefit-related demographic and economic assumptions are based on those developed for the June 30, 2014 valuation of the Pension Plan. Economic and demographic assumptions from the retirement benefit investigation of experience are integrated into the OPEB Investigation of Experience. The OPEB demographic and economic assumptions are based on the results of the 2013 OPEB Investigation of Experience, dated March, 25, 2014. OPEB-specific assumptions that have been updated since the 2013 OPEB Investigation of Experience include health cost trend rates, claim costs, and economic assumptions. The 2016 OPEB investigation of experience is scheduled to be completed and the results used for the July 1, 2016 valuation.

Actuarial Cost Method	Projected Unit Credit			
Actuarial Asset Valuation Method	Market Value			
Inflation Rate	3.0 percent per annum			
Investment Return	3.75 percent. This assumption 2014 OPEB valuation.	was adopted b	eginning with	the July 1,
Projected Salary Increases	3.50 percent The general wage increase assi is used for projecting the total Unfunded Actuarial Accrued percentage of payroll. General increases due to promotion anthe Program's OPEB benefit.	future payroll. Liability (UAA wage increase	The amortiza L) is determing s and individu	tion of the ned as a leve al salary
Healthcare Cost Trend Rates*		FY 2014 to FY 2015	FY 2015 to FY 2016	Ultimate
	LACERA Medical Under 65 LACERA Medical Over 65 Part B Premiums Dental (all) Weighted Average Trend	7.05% 9.60% 2.20% 0.50% 7.41%	6.40% 8.85% 4.60% 3.00% 7.31%	4.70% 4.70% 4.85% 3.35% 4.71%
Amortization Method	Level percentage of projected s present and future, over a "roll This assumption was adopted by valuation.	ing" 30-year an	nortization pe	eriod.
Probability of Initial Enrollment	Years of Service	Medical	Den	tal/Vision
Jpon Retirement	<10	9%		11%
	10-14	47%		51%
	15-19	66%		58%
		0.307		2207
	20-24	82%	•	33%
	20-24 25+ Disabled	82% 95%		95%

<sup>\*</sup>The first-year trend rates for LACERA's medical and dental/vision plans are adjusted to reflect premium increases effective July 1, 2015. Healthcare Reform Fees including Transitional Reinsurance Fee and Insurer Fee are also included in the medical and dental/vision trends.

<sup>\*</sup>For the Healthcare Cost Trend Ultimate Rates, the grading period used ranges from June 30, 2015 to June 30, 2094, or 79 years.

# **Actuarial Assumptions and Methods continued**

	Non-Firefighter 1014*				Firefighter 1014
Medical Spouse/Dependent	<65 Male	<65 Female	65+ Male	65+ Female	All
Enrollment Probability	76.50%	45%	64.50%	32.50%	93%
Dental/Vision Spouse/Dependent		Male		Fe	male
Enrollment Probability	_	74%		4	13%

<sup>\*</sup>Members who have been covered by the Firefighters Local 1014 medical plan while actively employed by Los Angeles County may continue this coverage after retirement. Retired Local 1014 non-Firefighter members are eligible for the Local 1014 Firefighters' retiree medical plan.



The hedge fund category of investments is not a separate asset class but is comprised of strategies that: 1) invest in securities within LACERA's existing asset classes or across multiple asset classes; 2) have an absolute return objective; and 3) include the ability to use specialized techniques, such as leverage and short-selling, and instruments such as derivatives.

LACERA employs two hedge fund of funds managers with specialized knowledge and expertise to construct three hedge fund portfolios. The hedge fund of funds managers identify, select, implement, and monitor these investment strategies in the portfolios consistent with LACERA's stated objectives, constraints, and Investment Policy.

In October 2011, LACERA began investing in hedge funds with a goal of reducing the volatility of the Pension Fund without materially decreasing Pension Fund returns. This initial investment consisted of a portfolio of hedge funds invested in a diversified strategy.

In December 2012, LACERA began investing in a second portfolio of hedge funds focused on opportunistic credit strategies.

These two hedge fund portfolios are each structured in a limited partnership in which LACERA is the sole limited partner, and each was created to hold the interests in the underlying hedge funds. LACERA's original fund of funds manager serves as General Partner and owns a 0.01 percent stake in each partnership.

In April 2015, LACERA began funding a third portfolio of hedge funds, managed in a diversified strategy by a second fund of funds manager. The underlying hedge funds in this portfolio are held directly by LACERA.

Each underlying fund investment in the entire hedge fund program is in a legal entity designed to limit liability for each fund's investment to the capital invested with that fund.

The investment performance for this strategy is measured separately from other asset classes. The market values of assets invested in hedge funds as of June 30, 2015 and June 30, 2014 were \$692 million and \$546 million, respectively.

# NOTE P — Subsequent Event

Subsequent events have been evaluated through October 9, 2015, which is the date the financial statements were issued.



**Financial Section** 

# Schedule of Funding Progress — Other Post-Employment Benefits Program

(Dollars in Thousands)

Los Angeles County and Participating Agencies

Actuarial Valuation Date	Actuarial Value of Assets (a)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL)* (b)	Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL) (b-a)	Funded Ratio (a/b)	Covered Payroll (c)	UAAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll [(b-a)/c]
July 1, 2006	-	\$21,215,800	\$21,215,800	0.0%	\$5,205,804	407.5%
July 1, 2008	_	21,863,600	21,863,600	0.0%	6,123,888	357.0%
July 1, 2010	_	24,031,000	24,031,000	0.0%	6,695,439	358.9%
July 1, 2012	_	26,952,700	26,952,700	0.0%	6,619,816	407.2%
July 1, 2014	483,800	28,546,600	28,062,800	1.7%	6,672,228	420.6%

<sup>\*</sup>Using the Projected Unit Credit actuarial cost method. NOTE: The next valuation will be conducted as of July 1, 2016.

# Schedule of Employer Contributions — Other Post-Employment Benefits Program (Dollars in Thousands)

Fiscal Year Ended June 30	Annual Required Contribution (ARC)	Actual Employer Contributions	Percentage of ARC Contributed
2010	\$1,737,0001	\$400,686	23%
2011	1,938,400²	423,032	22%
2012	1,938,400²	442,099	23%
2013	2,126,100 <sup>3</sup>	460,331	22%
2014	2,126,100³	466,788	22%
2015	2,152,300+	470,185	22%
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### NOTES:

ARC determined by most recent OPEB Actuarial Valuation conducted as of: \(^1\) July 1, 2008, \(^2\) July 1, 2010, \(^3\) July 1, 2012, \(^4\) July 1, 2014. Significant changes to the OPEB Program and trends that may affect the amounts reported here are discussed in Note N - Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB Program).

# Schedule of Net Pension Liability

For the Years Ended June 30, 2015, 2014, and 2013 (Dollars in Thousands)

	2015	2014	<b>2013</b> <sup>1</sup>
Total Pension Liability Less: Fiduciary Net Position	\$56,570,520	\$54,977,021	\$52,672,558
	(48,818,350)	(47,722,277)	(41,773,519)
Net Pension Liability	\$7,752,170	\$7,254,744	\$10,899,039
Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of Total Pension Liability	86.30%	86.80%	79.31%
Covered Employee Payroll <sup>2</sup>	\$7,592,760	\$7,196,869	\$7,041,734
Net Position Liability as a Percentage of Covered Employee Payroll	102.10%	100.80%	154.78%

# **Total Pension Liability**

The Total Pension Liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of the valuation date, calculated based on the discount rate and actuarial assumptions and methods noted below, and was then projected forward to the measurement date taking into account any significant changes between the valuation date and the fiscal year-end as prescribed by GASB 67.

### Rates of Return

Discount Rate			
Discoult Rate	7.63%	7.63%	7.63%
Long-Term Expected Date of Dat			
Long-Term Expected Rate of Return, Net of Expenses	7.50%	7.50%	7.50%
Municipal Bond Rate			7.0070
radincipal boild Rate	N/A	N/A	N/A
	•	14/11	IN/A

The best-estimate range for the long-term expected rate of return was determined by adding expected inflation to expected long-term real returns and reflecting volatility and correlation. The 2013 Investigation of Experience analysis was used to develop the 7.63 percent assumption used for the current financial statement reporting date. This is equal to the 7.5 percent long-term investment return assumption adopted by the Board of Investments (net of investment and administrative expenses), plus 0.13 percent assumed administrative expenses.

The plan's Fiduciary Net Position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current active and inactive employees. Therefore, the discount rate for calculating the Total Pension Liability is equal to the plan's long-term expected rate of return, gross of administrative expenses.

## Other Key Actuarial Assumptions

The actuarial assumptions that determined the Total Pension Liability as of June 30, 2015 were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the three-year period July 1, 2010 to June 30, 2013.

Valuation Date <sup>3</sup>	June 30, 2014	June 30, 2013	June 30, 2013
Measurement Date	June 30, 2015	June 30, 2014	June 30, 2013

For Other Actuarial Assumptions and Methods — See Notes to the Required Supplementary Information.

### NOTES

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Trend Information: Schedule will ultimately show information for 10 years. Additional years will be displayed as they become available prospectively.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Covered Employee Payroll reported for GASB 67 disclosures is the payroll of employees who are provided with pensions through the pension plan. Covered Payroll presented here is for financial statement reporting and is distinct from covered payroll reported in actuarial valuation disclosures.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>For the initial year of GASB 67 implementation at June 30, 2014, both the beginning of the year (June 30, 2013) measurement and at the end of year (June 30, 2014) measurement are based on the June 30, 2013 actuarial valuation.



# Schedule of Changes in Net Pension Liability and Related Ratios

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015 and 2014 (Dollars in Thousands)

	2015	2014*
Total Pension Liability	Mark Street or other Printers and the	
Service Cost	\$1,024,288	\$1,009,834
Interest on Total Pension Liability	4,073,299	3,957,030
Effect of Plan Changes	4,073,277	3,937,030
Effect of Assumptions Changes or Inputs		_
Effect of Economic/Demographic Gains or (Losses)	(735,678)	
Benefit Payments and Refund of Contributions	(2,768,410)	(2,662,401)
Net Change in Total Pension Liability	1,593,499	2,304,463
Total Pension Liability - Beginning	54,977,021	52,672,558
Total Pension Liability - Ending (a)	\$56,570,520	\$54,977,021
Fiduciary Net Position		
Contributions - Employer	\$1,494,975	\$1,320,442
Contributions - Member	441,258	439,001
Net Investment Income	1,989,358	6,910,439
Net Miscellaneous Income	1,483	0,710,437
Benefit Payments	(2,768,410)	(2,662,401)
Administrative Expenses	(62,591)	(58,723)
Net Change in Fidcuiary Net Position	\$1,096,073	\$5,948,758
iduciary Net Position - Beginning	\$47,722,277	\$41,773,519
Fiduciary Net Position - Ending (b)	\$48,818,350	\$47,722,277
Net Pension Liability - Ending (a) - (b)	\$7,752,170	\$7,254,744
iduciary Net Position as a Percentage of Total Pension Liability	86.30%	86.80%
Covered Employee Payroll**	\$7,592,760	\$7,196,869
Net Position Liability as a Percentage of Covered Employee Payroll	102.10%	100.80%

<sup>\*</sup>Trend Information: Schedule will ultimately show information for 10 years. Additional years will be displayed as they become available prospectively.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Covered Employee Payroll reported for GASB 67 disclosures is the payroll of employees who are provided with pensions through the pension plan. Covered Payroll presented here is for financial statement reporting and is distinct from covered payroll reported in actuarial valuation disclosures.

# Schedule of Contributions History — Pension Plan

Last Ten Fiscal Years (Dollars in Thousands)

2015 to 2011

	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
Actuarially Determined Contributions	\$1,494,975	\$1,320,442	\$1,172,014	\$1,078,929	\$944,174
Contributions in Relation to the Actuarially					·
Determined Contribution  Contribution Deficiency/	1,494,975	1,320,442	1,172,014	1,078,929	944,174
(Excess)	_	_		_	_
Covered Employee Payroll	\$6,948,738	\$6,672,228	\$6,595,902	\$6,619,816	\$6,650,674
Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Employee Payroll	21.51%	19.79%	17.77%	16.30%	14.20%

# 2010 to 2006

	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006
Actuarially Determined					
Contributions	\$843,704	\$847,172	\$827,911	\$863,626	\$855,531
Contributions in					
Relation to the Actuarially					
Determined Contribution	843,704	847,172	828,630	863,626	856,035
Contribution Deficiency/					
(Excess)	_	_	\$(719)	_	\$(504)
Covered Employee Payroll	\$6,695,439	\$6,547,616	\$6,123,888	\$5,615,736	\$5,205,804
Contributions as a Percentage					ŕ
of Covered Employee Payroll	12.60%	12.94%	13.52%	15.38%	16.43%

# Schedule of Investment Returns — Pension Plan

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015 and 2014

	2015	2014
Annual Money-Weighted Rate of Return, Net of Investment Expenses	4.1%	17.2%
MOGRA		

Money-Weighted Rate of Return is calculated as the internal rate of return on pension plan investments, net of investment expenses. Trend Information: Schedule will ultimately show information for 10 years. Additional years will be displayed as they become available prospectively.



For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

# **Changes in Benefit Terms**

California Public Employees' Pension Reform Act of 2013 (PEPRA) changed benefits for new members of Los Angeles County Employees Retirement Association (LACERA) who entered on or after January 1, 2013. These members join either General Plan G or Safety Plan C. The provisions of PEPRA apply for the current valuation. Due to the limited membership in these plans as of the June 30, 2013 valuation, a hypothetical five-year population has been used to determine the normal cost rate for this group. This methodology was adopted by the Board of Investments at its February 2014 meeting and will apply through the June 30, 2017 valuation, when the actual plan populations are expected to reflect five years of membership.

# 2014 Changes in Assumptions

In addition to the annual valuations, LACERA requires its actuary to review the reasonableness of the economic and non-economic actuarial assumptions every three years. This review, commonly referred to as the investigation of experience, or experience study, is accomplished by comparing actual experience during the preceding three years to what was expected to happen according to the actuarial assumptions. On the basis of this review, the actuary determines whether changing the assumptions or methodology will better project benefit liabilities and asset growth.

At the December 2013 Board of Investments meeting, the Board adopted new valuation assumptions with the 2013 Investigation of Experience report. The adopted assumptions included 7.50 percent for the investment return, 3.5 percent for wage growth, and an increase in life expectancies. All assumption changes are reflected in the June 30, 2014 actuarial valuation.

# **Actuarial Methods and Assumptions**

As required by Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 67 (GASB 67), LACERA's actuary completed a roll forward analysis to calculate the Total Pension and Net Pension Liability information for financial reporting, as of June 30, 2015. The basis for these calculations was the latest valuation report, prepared for funding purposes. All actuarial methods and assumptions used for this roll forward analysis were the same as those used in the June 30, 2014 valuation report, except as noted below. Please see NOTE E — Pension Actuarial Valuations for the actuarial assumptions and methods used for the June 30, 2014 valuation report.

The following are key assumptions and methods used in this GASB analysis:

	June 30, two years prior to the end of the fiscal year in which the contributions are reported.
Actuarial Cost Method	Individual Entry Age Normal*
Amortization Method	
Level Percent or Level Dollar	Level Percent
Closed, Open, or Layered Periods	Layered
Amortization Period for Each Layer	30 years
Amortization Growth Rate	3.5 percent
Agget Valuation Mathad	

Actuarially determined contribution rates are calculated as of

### **Asset Valuation Method**

**Valuation Timing** 

Smoothing Period 5 years
Recognition Method Non-Asymptotic
Corridor None

Differs slightly from actuarial valuation for groups in existence for less than five years.

Inflation	3.0 percent
Salary Increases Including Inflation	3.5 percent
Discount Rate	7.63 percent*
Retirement Age	A schedule of the probabilities of employment termination based on age due to a particular cause is used. For additional information, see the Probability of Occurrence tables in the Actuarial Section of this report.
Cost-of-Living Adjustments	As noted in the June 30, 2014 actuarial valuation report, with one modification: STAR COLA benefits are assumed to be substantively automatic at the 80 percent purchasing power level until the STAR Reserve is projected to be insufficient to pay further STAR benefits.**
Mortality	Various rates based on RP-2000 mortality tables using static projection of improvement to 2025 using Projection Scale AA. See June 30, 2014 valuation report for further details.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>circ}$ Differs from actuarial valuation due to addition of administrative expense load of 0.13 percent.  $^{\circ}$ Differs from actuarial valuation due to inclusion of future liability for STAR COLA benefits.



# **Administrative Expenses**

For the Years Ended June 30, 2015 and 2014 (Dollars in Thousands)

	2015	2014
Personnel Services		
Salaries and Wages	\$29,355	\$27,682
Employee Benefits	16,735	15,166
<b>Total Personnel Services</b>	46,090	42,848
Consultant & Professional Services		
County Department Services	205	216
External Audit Fees	153	243
Legal Consultants	439	243
Professional Services	405	391
Temporary Personnel Services	1,627	1,832
<b>Total Consultant &amp; Professional Services</b>	2,829	2,909
Operating & Equipment Expenses		
Administrative Support	165	288
General Expenses	757	783
Computer Software	1,754	2,255
Disability Medical Service Fees	1,929	1,775
Educational Expenses	918	694
Equipment  Facilities Operations	1,758	961
Facilities Operations Insurance	2,872	2,983
	603	458
Printing Postage	690	692
Postage Telecommunications	839	756
	668	544
Transportation & Travel	719	777
Total Operating & Equipment Expenses	13,672	12,966
Total Administrative Expenses	\$62,591	\$58,723

# **Schedule of Investment Expenses**

For the Years Ended June 30, 2015 and 2014 (Dollars in Thousands)

	Pension	Trust Fund	OPEB Trust Fund	
	2015	2014	2015	2014
Investment Management Fees	No. of the last of		2000	2014
Cash and Short-Term Managers	\$951	<b>₩₽.41</b>	4=0	
Commodity Managers	3,848	\$841 4,330	\$50	\$92
Equity Managers	3,040	4,550	_	_
U.S. Equity	15 (10	15.05		
Non-U.S. Equity	15,612	15,267	134	50
Fixed Income Managers	23,230	21,446	-	-
Hedge Fund Mergers	23,502	18,591	<del>-</del>	_
-	11,266	10,341	_	_
Private Equity Managers	44,542	45,362	_	
Real Estate Managers	38,372	39,137		
Total Investment Management Fees	161,323	155,315	184	142
ther Investment Expenses				
Consultants	2,360	2.204		
Custodian		2,296	_	_
Legal Counsel	3,073	2,324	44	38
Other	598	523	\ <del>-</del>	_
	4,863	7,621	_	_
Total Other Investment Expenses	10,894	12,764	44	38
otal Management Fees & Other Investment Expenses	\$172,217	\$168,079	\$228	\$180



# **Schedule of Payments to Consultants**

For the Years Ended June 30, 2015 and 2014 (Dollars in Thousands)

	2015	2014
Actuarial	THE RESERVE LIES WILLIAM	2011
Actuarial Valuations and Consulting Fees	\$217	\$230
Audit	, ——·	Ψ230
External Audit Services	153	243
Legal		
Investment Legal Counsel	598	523
Legislative Consulting	146	68
Other Legal Services	293	159
Total	1,037	750
Management	1,007	730
Management and Human Resources	125	113
Information Technology Consulting	41	_
Total		71
	166	184
Total Payments to Consultants	\$1,573	\$1,407

NOTE:

 $For fees \ paid \ to \ investment \ professionals, refer to \ Schedule \ of \ Investment \ Management \ Fees \ in \ the \ Investment \ Section.$ 

# Statement of Changes in Assets and Liabilities — OPEB Agency Fund

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

(Dollars in Thousands)

	Balance July 1, 2014	Additions	Deductions	Balance June 30, 2015
Assets				T. Santa and St. Co. St. Co. St. Co.
Cash	\$48,084	\$526,214	\$495,563	\$78,735
Accounts Receivable - Other	40,574	521,704	518,261	44,017
Fixed Income	110,884	1,339,024	1,339,367	110,541
Total Assets	\$199,542	\$2,386,942	\$2,353,191	\$233,293
Liabilities				
Retiree Payroll and Other Payables	\$150	\$42,161	\$42,187	\$124
Accrued Expenses	364	418	364	418
Accounts Payable - Other	88,144	523,892	489,827	122,210
Due to Employers	110,884	1,339,024	1,339,367	110,541
Total Liabilities	\$199,542	\$1,905,495	\$1,871,745	\$233,293

# Technology

LACERA uses technology to make both internal processes and member self-service on My LACERA as efficient as they are secure. Our Benefits Division refines member-related processes, working with our Systems Division to develop innovations such as automated calculations and expedient Direct Deposit enrollment. It's important to us that each member's transition to retirement is smooth and that their beneficiaries receive benefits seamlessly.

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In a dynamic IT landscape, our Systems Division plans strategically for LACERA's current and foreseeable information requirements and offers internal technical assistance and consultation. Our Benefits Division serves members by efficiently and accurately processing their retirement benefits.

With the application of advancing technologies, we are able to grow and innovate as a company.

September 30, 2015

Board of Investments Los Angeles County Employees Retirement Association Gateway Plaza 300 North Lake Avenue, Suite 850 Pasadena, CA 91101

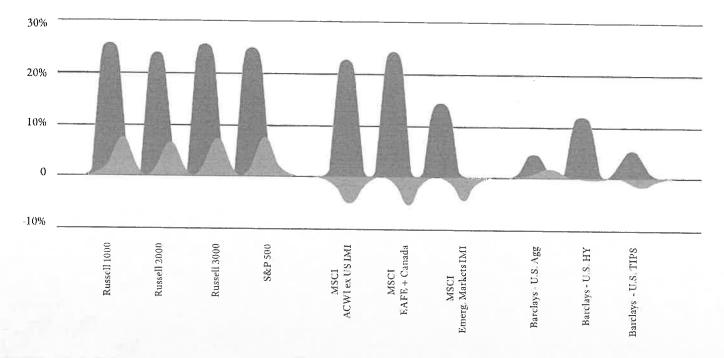


### Dear Board Members:

Wilshire Associates Incorporated ("Wilshire"), investment consultant to the Board of Investments of the Los Angeles County Employees Retirement Association ("LACERA"), is pleased to present this review of LACERA's investment performance over the past fiscal year (period ending June 30, 2015).

The U.S. equity market posted modest single-digit gains for the one-year period ending June 30, 2015. This represents the third consecutive fiscal year of positive U.S. equity returns across all market capitalizations. An upand-down year, markets started to follow a more downward path as the fiscal year came to close as rumors of the Fed's first interest rate hike since the Fiscal Crisis began to swirl and issues overseas started to come to a head. The non-U.S. equity markets took a downward trajectory during the year; with Europe concerned about debt issues, prospective Scottish independence, low oil prices, and lastly the Chinese slowdown. The investment grade fixed income markets continued to offer disappointing risk premiums. Speculation regarding rising interest rates made investors uneasy throughout much of the year. The graph below illustrates the capital market results for the past two fiscal years.





### **Annual Consultant Review**

LACERA's 2015 fiscal year Total Fund return performance and ranking within Wilshire's Total Public Fund's Plan Sponsor Universe are displayed in the table below. Percentile rankings are shown to the right of the return and range from 1st (best) to 100th (worst). Differences in returns between plans in the universe are most often driven by differences in asset allocation policies. LACERA has implemented a broadly diversified allocation to both public and private assets, which has achieved top quartile performance over the long term. The LACERA Total Fund ranked in the 5th percentile over the Ten-Year period, while the LACERA Policy ranked in the 11th percentile. LACERA tends to have a lower U.S. Equity policy allocation than many other plans in the universe, as LACERA's U.S. equity allocation is based on the weight of the global equity opportunity set. Because U.S. equity performed well relative to non-U.S. equity over the One- and Five-Year periods, LACERA has ranked lower in the universe over these periods.

# 2015 Fiscal Year Total Fund Performance\*

(Gross of Fees)

	One Year	Rank	Five Years	Rank	Ten Years	Rank
Total Fund	4.33	21	10.51	68	7.22	5
Policy	4.45	19	9.97	83	6.92	11
Over/(Under) Policy	-0.12		0.54		0.30	
Universe Median	16.86		12.69		7.27	
*As of June 30, 2015 Number of Funds.	50		47		42	

During fiscal year 2015, the LACERA investment staff and Wilshire have worked cooperatively to address goals and implement ideas designed to improve the efficiency of the investment program. Among the projects completed or currently underway are:

- Board Offsite Education ("Approaches to Asset Allocation")
- Investment Performance Reporting
- Asset/Liability Analysis
- Securitized Credit Fixed Income Search
- Emerging Market Debt Fixed Income Search
- Activist Investment Management Search
- Risk Parity Education
- Performance Fee Education
- Commodities Education

In our partnership with LACERA, Wilshire Associates looks forward to implementing projects both currently underway and those planned for the future.

Sincerely,

Marlin D. Pease, CFA

Managing Director

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# **Investment Policy**

LACERA's investment program objective is to provide Association participants with retirement benefits as required by the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937. The Board of Investments has exclusive control of all retirement system investments. There are nine Board of Investments members: Four are elected by the active and retired members, and four are appointed by the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors. The County Treasurer-Tax Collector serves as an ex-officio member.

The Board of Investments has adopted an Investment Policy Statement that provides a framework for the management of LACERA's investments. This Statement establishes LACERA's investment policies and objectives and defines the principal duties of the Board of Investments, investment staff, investment managers, master custodian, and consultants.

The assets are managed on a total return basis with a long-term objective of achieving and maintaining a fully funded status for the pension fund. LACERA applies principles of Modern Portfolio Theory, which asserts that higher levels of investment risk are expected to be rewarded with higher returns in the long run. Consequently, prudent risk-taking is warranted within the context of overall portfolio diversification to meet this objective. These activities are executed in a manner that serves the best interests of LACERA's members.

## **Asset Allocation**

A pension fund's strategic asset allocation policy is generally recognized to have the most impact on a fund's investment performance. The asset allocation policy determines a fund's optimal long-term asset class mix (target allocation). This policy is expected to achieve a specific set of investment goals, such as risk

and return objectives. The policy also establishes ranges around the optimal target asset class mix that act as triggers for reallocating assets to ensure adherence to target weights.

The Board of Investments reviews the Fund's Asset Allocation Policy (the Policy) every three to five years. In August 2012, the Board of Investments adopted the Policy in use during this fiscal year. Since the end of the fiscal year, in August 2015, the Board of Investments adopted a new Asset Allocation Policy. LACERA staff, its Board of Investments, and consultant are developing a plan to implement the new Asset Allocation Policy. The following factors were considered in establishing the Asset Allocation Policy:

- Projected actuarial assets, liabilities, benefit payments, and contributions
- Expected long-term capital market risk and return targets
- Expected future economic conditions, including inflation and interest rate levels
- LACERA's current and projected funding status

# LACERA's target and actual asset allocations as of June 30, 2015

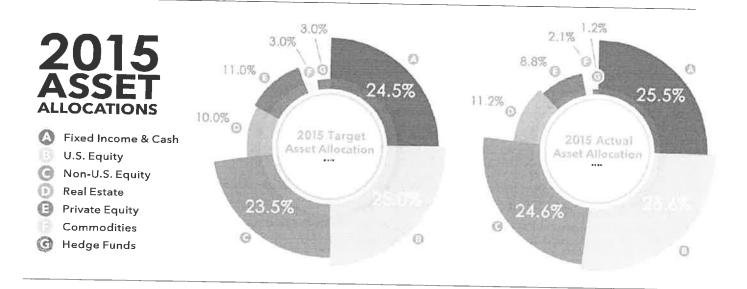
The Board of Investments implements the asset allocation plan by hiring investment managers to invest assets on LACERA's behalf, subject to investment guidelines. LACERA's investment staff closely monitors manager activities and assists the Board of Investments with the implementation of investment policies and long-term investment strategies.



Chief Investments Officer

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In December 2013, the Board of Investments approved a new allocation for the OPEB Trust consisting of a strategic reserve of \$100 million in cash and the remainder invested in a global equity index fund. The



cash portion consists of high quality, short-term debt instruments such as U.S. Treasury Bills and Notes, commercial paper, and other corporate obligations, certificates of deposit, and asset-backed securities. The global equity fund's allocation between U.S. equity and non-U.S. equity was 51.6 percent and 48.4 percent, respectively, as of June 30, 2015.

# **Performance Overview**

After generating double-digit returns in the two prior fiscal years, LACERA's investment program earned a modest 4.3 percent for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015. The best performing sectors of the portfolio were Private Equity (+13.2 percent for the year), Real Estate (+12.8 percent), and U.S. Equities (+7.4 percent). Lower performing sectors were non-U.S. Equity (+1.1 percent), Cash (+0.1 percent), and Commodities (-23.0 percent).

Despite the lackluster return of the past year, the portfolio's average annualized return of 7.2 percent over the past 10 years is solid. As noted in the accompanying letter from LACERA's investment consultant, Wilshire Associates, the fund's relative performance over the past 10 years is excellent, ranking in the top 5 percent of

public pension plans in Wilshire's universe. Taking an even longer-term perspective, over the past 25 years, the fund has generated an average annualized return of 8.7 percent, comfortably ahead of the 8 percent return that the actuaries assumed back in 1990.

# **Economic and Market Review**

Despite a weather-related dip in GDP during the first quarter of 2015, U.S. economic conditions improved over the course of the fiscal year. The unemployment rate declined to 5.3 percent, inflation remained subdued, home prices continued to appreciate, and full-year GDP increased 2.7 percent. Conditions improved to such an extent that the Federal Reserve began to taper monetary accommodation, and concerns arose about when the Fed would begin to raise rates—its first such action in over nine years.

In contrast, economic conditions were generally disappointing in other parts of the world. As a result, foreign central banks continue to provide loose monetary policy in an effort to stimulate their respective economies. Growth in Japan was negative in the most recent quarter, and eurozone growth continues to be barely positive. Investors' biggest concern is the slowdown in China, where growth is expected to be approximately 7 percent, down slightly from levels over the past few years and significantly lower than growth rates a decade ago, when China was the biggest contributor to global growth. The slowdown in China has had farreaching ramifications, negatively impacting commodities prices and depressing growth in emerging market countries, particularly those dependent on commodity exports.

In addition to the slowdown in global growth, financial markets continue to be buffeted by geopolitical developments. Hostilities in the Middle East, Ukraine, and parts of North Africa, combined with political instability in several countries including Greece and Brazil, led to increased uncertainty and a heightened sensitivity to risk. Another wild card was oil, as the combination of slower global growth, increased U.S. production via fracking, and the possible lifting of U.N. sanctions on Iran has led to a 55 percent decline in oil prices over the past year.

# **Performance by Asset Class**

LACERA's 4.3 percent return for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 was 20 basis points (bps) below the 4.5 percent return of its policy benchmark. Underperformance relative to policy benchmarks was evident last year in the private equity and hedge funds asset classes, whereas global equities and commodities showed modest outperformance. Over the past five years, the Fund has generated an average annualized return of 10.5 percent, outperforming its policy benchmark by an average of 0.5 percent per year.

LACERA'S U.S. and non-U.S. equity portfolios are structured to have a low level of risk relative to their respective benchmarks. With improving economic conditions in the U.S., equity markets provided adequate returns during the fiscal year. LACERA'S U.S. equity portfolio returned 7.4 percent, 10 bps above its benchmark, the Russell 3000 Index, a broad-based measure of the U.S. stock market. However, deeper concerns about growth outside the U.S. and in emerging markets led to low returns in those areas. The non-

U.S. equity market, as measured by the Morgan Stanley Capital International (MSCI) All Country World ex-U.S. Investable Market Index (IMI), a broad-based world equity benchmark, declined 5.0 percent in U.S. dollar terms.



The non-U.S. equity portfolio ended the year up 1.1 percent, 20 bps above its customized hedged benchmark, as most active managers performed well. This custom benchmark hedges 50 percent of the currency exposure from developed markets countries. Over the course of the year, the U.S. dollar appreciated 17.7 percent versus a basket of 10 leading currencies. Because of the strengthening dollar, LACERA's 50 percent passive currency hedge program returned 7.7 percent during the year.

LACERA's bond portfolio gained 1.6 percent for the year, matching the performance of its benchmark, the Barclays U.S. Universal Bond Index. Gains from modest declines in long-term U.S. Treasury interest rates were offset by price declines from corporate bonds, particularly lower-rated, higher yielding bonds. Higher-rated corporate bonds, as measured by the Barclays U.S. Corporate Investment Grade Bond Index, generated a total return of +0.8 percent for the year. In comparison, lower-rated corporate bond returns were -0.4 percent, as measured by the Barclays U.S. Corporate High Yield Bond Index.

LACERA's commodities portfolio performed poorly in absolute terms, down 23.0 percent, but exceeded the -23.7 percent return of the broad-based Bloomberg Commodity Index Total Return by 70 bps. Cash, used to fund benefit payments and other obligations, had low absolute performance of 0.1 percent, consistent with the 0.1 percent return of the Citigroup 6-month Treasury Bill Index. LACERA's hedge fund program returned 3.1 percent. This was 190 bps below the 5.0 percent absolute return benchmark, reflecting lower general performance for credit-oriented strategies to which the program is exposed.

LACERA's private market asset classes, private equity and real estate, focus on longer-term, less liquid investments. Both asset classes experienced positive performance during the fiscal year. Though these returns are indicative of overall market direction, final returns can be known with certainty only when assets are sold. Private equity generated a 13.2 percent return due to a favorable environment for exits via initial public offerings and elevated valuations, particularly in the healthcare and technology sectors. LACERA's private equity composite missed its target return of 13.8 percent by 60 bps. The real estate portfolio continued its fifth consecutive year of positive performance, ending the fiscal year up 12.8 percent, which equaled the return of its target benchmark. Stable core properties have been able to generate attractive yields and to benefit from modest capital appreciation.

### **Outlook**

As we look across the investment landscape, several themes come to mind. First, given the improvement in U.S. economic growth, we are on the cusp of a shift in monetary policy. The era of lower domestic interest rates appears to be nearing its end. Second, given weak global growth, it is likely that any increase in U.S. interest rates will be slow and moderate. Third, although rising interest rates will have a different impact on various markets, generally speaking, rising rates have a dampening effect on returns.

Therefore, expected returns in the near term do not look as attractive as past returns. Finally, from a valuation perspective, all of the asset classes look fairly valued, at best.

Faced with this challenging environment, more diligence and creativity are required to uncover investment opportunities and construct a portfolio with the appropriate mix of return, risk, cost, and liquidity. As always, LACERA's investment staff will do its utmost to carry out its fiduciary duties, ever mindful of the 162,000 LACERA members we serve.

Respectfully submitted,

Vache Mahseredjian

Vache Mahseredjian, CFA, CAIA, FRM, ASA Interim Chief Investment Officer

# Investment Summary — Pension Plan\*

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

(Dollars in Thousands)

Type of Investment	Fair Value	Percent of Total Fair Value
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$1,436,774	3.0%
Fixed Income	10,882,471	22.5%
Subtotal Fixed Income and Cash	12,319,245	25.5%
U.S. Equity	12,865,258	26.6%
Non-U.S. Equity	11,888,456	24.6%
Subtotal Equities	24,753,714	51.2%
Commodities	1,012,372	2.1%
Private Equity	4,308,056	8.8%
Real Estate	5,413,965	11.2%
Hedge Funds	596,666	1.2%
Total Investments — Pension Plan	\$48,404,018	100.0%

# Investment Summary - OPEB Agency Fund\*

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

(Dollars in Thousands)

Type of Investment	Fair Value	Percent of Total Fair Value
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$4,821	4.4%
Fixed Income	105,742	95.6%
Total Investments — OPEB Agency Fund	\$110,563	100.0%

# Investment Summary — OPEB Trust\*

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

(Dollars in Thousands)

Type of Investment	Fair Value	Percent of Total Fair Value
Cash and Cash Equivalents Equity	\$100,158	20.5%
Total Investments — OPEB Trust	388,220 \$488,378	79.5% <b>100.0</b> %

<sup>\*</sup>Differences between Statement of Fiduciary Net Position and investment values above are due to the utilization of investment manager asset classifications and their fair values.

# Investment Results Based on Fair Value\*

As of June 30, 2015

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	Current Year	Three-year	Five-year
U.S. Equity	7.4%	18.1%	17.7%
Benchmark: Russell 3000 Index	7.3%	17.7%	17.5%
Non-U.S. Equity, 50% Developed Markets Hedge <sup>1</sup>	1.1%	12.6%	9.5%
Benchmark: Non-U.S. Equity Custom Hedged Index <sup>2</sup>	0.9%	12.1%	9.1%
Fixed Income³	1.6%	3.6%	5.1%
Benchmark: Barclays U.S. Universal Index	1.6%	2.3%	3.8%
Real Estate⁴	12.8%	10.2%	9.8%
Benchmark: Real Estate Target Return <sup>5</sup>	12.8%	11.8%	12.8%
Private Equity⁴	13.2%	15.7%	15.8%
Benchmark: Private Equity Target Return <sup>6</sup>	13.8%	13.4%	11.1%
Commodities Benchmark: Bloomberg Commodity Index	(23.0)%	(7.1)%	(1.8)%
Total Return <sup>7</sup>	(23.7)%	(8.8)%	(3.9)%
Hedge Funds³	3.1%	8.3%	
Benchmark: Hedge Fund Custom Index <sup>9</sup>	5.0%	5.0%	_
Cash	0.1%	0.3%	0.6%
Benchmark: Citigroup 6-Month T-Bill Index	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
Total Fund (Gross of Fees)	4.3%	11.0%	10.5%
Total Fund (Net of Fees)	4.1%	10.7%	10.3%
Total Fund Policy Benchmark	4.5%	10.3%	10.0%

<sup>\*</sup>Asset class returns are calculated based on time-weighted rates of return; Total Fund performance is calculated based on the weighted average returns of the asset classes.

Prior year returns are restated to enhance comparability to the current year.

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Passive 50 percent developed markets hedge implemented 7/30/10.

One quarter in arrears. Preliminary returns.

<sup>6</sup>Rolling 10-year return of the Russell 3000 Index plus 500 bps.

<sup>7</sup> Formerly known as The DJ-UBS Commodity Index, prior to 7/1/14.

<sup>9</sup> The Hedge Fund benchmark is the Citigroup 3-month T-Bill Index plus 500 basis points annually.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>The Non-U.S. Equity benchmark is MSCI ACWI X U.S. IMI (Net) with 50 percent hedged Developed Markets from 7/31/10 to present. From 8/31/08 to 7/31/10, it was MSCI ACWI X U.S. IMI (Net).

The performance of two opportunistic portfolios are reported with a one-month lag.

From 7/1/13 to the present, Open End Diversified Core Equity (ODCE)(Net) Index plus 40 basis points.

For the period in this table prior to 6/30/13, the benchmark was NCREIF Property Index (NPI) minus 25 basis points.

<sup>8</sup> Portfolio and benchmark are one month in arrears. Performance included in Total Pund beginning 10/31/11.

# **Total Pension Investment Rates of Return**

For the Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30

(Dollars in Thousands)

Fiscal Year- End	Total Investment Portfolio Fair Value	Total Fund Time- Weighted Return (gross of fees) <sup>1</sup>	Total Fund Money- Weighted Return (net of fees) <sup>2</sup>	Return on Smoothed Valuation Assets (net of fees) <sup>3</sup>	Actuarial Assumed Rate of Return <sup>4</sup>	Actuarial Funded Ratio <sup>5</sup>
2006	\$35,190,995	13.4%	_	14.5%	7.75%	90.5%
2007	41,329,424	19.1%	_	14.5%	7.75%	93.8%
2008	39,472,905	(1.4)%		9.0%	7.75%	94.5%
2009	30,918,057	(18.2)%	_	1.5%	7.75%	88.9%
2010	33,760,695	11.8%	_	0.5%	7.75%	83.3%
2011	39,770,032	20.4%	_	3.3%	7.70%	80.6%
2012	38,627,163	0.3%	:	1.8%	7.60%	76.8%
2013	42,285,906	12.1%	· -	5.4%	7.50%	75.0%
2014	49,033,365	16.8%	17.5%	11.8%	7.50%	
20156	47,990,447	4.3%	4.1%	11.070	7.30%	79.5%
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### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Total Fund - Time-Weighted Rate of Return is the aggregate increase or decrease in the value of the portfolio resulting from the net appreciation or depreciation of the principal of the fund, plus or minus the net income or loss experienced by the fund during the period. The returns are presented gross of investment management fees.

<sup>2</sup>Total Fund - Money-Weighted Rate of Return is a measurement of investment performance, net of investment expenses, adjusted for the changing amounts actually invested.

Return on Smoothed Valuation Assets consists of annual investment income in excess or shortfall of the expected rate of return on a valuation (actuarial) basis smoothed over a specified period with a portion of the year's asset gains or losses being recognized each year beginning with the current year. The money-weighted rate of return is presented, net of investment management fees.

Actuarial Assumed Rate of Return is the future investment earnings of the assets which are assumed to accrue at an annual rate, compounded annually, net of both investment and administrative expenses. The Actuarial Assumed Rate of Return is 7.50 percent as adopted by the Board of Investments based on the results of the Actuarial Investigation of Experience completed in December 2013. For Fiscal Year 2014-2015, interest crediting and operating tables applied the 7.50 percent Actuarial Assumed Rate of Return.

Actuarial Funded Ratio is a measurement of the funded status of the fund calculated by dividing the valuation assets by the actuarial accrued liability.

<sup>6</sup>Actuarial Valuation report for June 30, 2015 is not available at CAFR publication.

# Largest Equity Holdings (by Fair Value)

As of June 30, 2015

(Dollars in Thousands)

Shares	Description	Fair Value
360,585	Apple Inc.	\$45,226
2,207,652	DBS Group Holdings Ltd.	33,922
186,400	Murata Manufacturing Company Ltd.	32,538
130,000	Fanuc Corporation	26,645
579,253	Microsoft Corporation	25,574
375,900	Toyota Motor Corporation	25,199
374,348	Commonwealth Bank of Australia	24,494
228,800	Daito Trust Construction Company Ltd.	23,709
283,931	Exxon Mobil Corporation	23,623
306,000	Nidec Corporation	22,919

### NOTE:

A complete list of portfolio holdings is available upon request.

# Largest Fixed Income Holdings by Fair Value

As of June 30, 2015 (Dollars in Thousands)

Par	Description	Fair Value
104,915,000	Federal National Mortgage Association TBA 3.500% 08/13/2045	\$107,841
102,000,000	U.S. Treasury Note 2.000% 01/31/2016	103,084
88,120,000	Federal National Mortgage Association TBA 4.000% 08/13/2045	93,155
80,679,000	U.S. Treasury Note 2.500% 02/15/2045	71,004
70,580,000	U.S. Treasury Note 0.375% 03/31/2016	70,652
61,112,500	Federal National Mortgage Association TBA 3.500% 07/14/2045	62,979
49,262,675	U.S. Treasury Inflation Indexed Bond 2.375% 01/15/2025	57,953
53,500,000	U.S. Treasury Note 2.125% 12/31/2015	54,022
52,000,000	U.S. Treasury Note 1.375% 11/30/2015	,
51,872,000	U.S. Treasury Note 0.875% 08/15/2017	52,280 52,058

NOTE: A complete list of portfolio holdings is available upon request.

# **Schedule of Investment Management Fees**

For the Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 2015 and 2014 (Dollars in Thousands)

	Pension Plan		OPEB Trust	
	2015	2014	2015	2014
Cash and Short-Term Managers	\$951	\$841	\$50	\$92
Commodity Managers Equity Managers	3,848	4,330	ψ30 —	φ92
U.S. Equity	15,612	15,267	134	50
Non-U.S. Equity	23,230	21,446	15+	30
Fixed Income Managers	23,502	18,591		<del></del>
Hedge Fund Managers	11,266	10,341		
Private Equity Managers	44,542	45,362	_	==
Real Estate Managers	38,372	39,137	_	_
Total Investment Management Fees	\$161,323	\$155,315	\$184	\$142

### Cash & Short-Term

J.P. Morgan Asset Management

# **Equities** — U.S.

BlackRock Institutional Trust Company, N.A. Cramer Rosenthal & McGlynn, LLC Eagle Asset Management, Inc.

FIS Group, Inc.

Frontier Capital Management Company, LLC INTECH Investment Management, LLC

Northern Trust Global Advisors, Inc.

Relational Investors, LLC

Twin Capital Management, Inc.

Westwood Management Corporation

# Equities — Non-U.S.

Acadian Asset Management, LLC

AQR Capital Management, LLC

BlackRock Institutional Trust Company, N.A.

Capital Group

GAM International Management, Ltd.

Genesis Investment Management, LLP

Lazard Asset Management, LLC

Putnam Advisory Company, LLC

# **Fixed Income**

Beach Point Capital

BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.

Brigade Capital Management, LP

Crescent Capital Group LP

Dodge & Cox

Dolan McEniry Capital Management, LLC

GW Capital, Inc.

LM Capital Group, LLC

Loomis, Sayles & Company, LP

Oaktree Capital Management, L.P.

Pacific Investment Management Company (PIMCO)

PENN Capital Management Company, Inc.

Principal Global Investors, LLC

Pugh Capital Management, Inc.

Sankaty Advisors, LLC

TCW Asset Management Company

Tennenbaum Capital Partners, LLC

Wells Capital Management

Western Asset Management Company

### **Hedge Funds**

Goldman Sachs Hedge Fund Strategies LLC Grosvenor Capital Management, LP

# **Private Equity**

Gateway Private Equity Fund GTB Capital Partners, LP J.P. Morgan EMP

# **Real Estate**

Capri Capital Advisors, LLC

**CBRE Global Investors** 

CityView

Clarion Partners

Cornerstone Real Estate Advisers, LLC

Deutsche Asset & Wealth Management

Europa Capital

Heitman Capital Management, LLC

Hunt Investment Management

Invesco Institutional (N.A.), Inc.

LaSalle Investment Management, Inc.

Phoenix Realty Group, LLC

**ProLogis** 

Quadrant Real Estate Advisors, LLC

Realty Associates Advisors, LLC (TA)

Starwood Capital Group

Stockbridge Capital Group

The Carlyle Group

TriPacific Enterprises Residential Advisors (LOWE)

Urban America Advisors

Vanbarton Group

# Mortgage Loan Servicer

Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC

### **Commodities**

Credit Suisse Asset Management, LLC

Gresham Investment Management, LLC

Neuberger Berman Alternative Fund Management,

LLC

Pacific Investment Management Company (PIMCO)

# Passive (Index Fund) Manager

BlackRock Institutional Trust Company, N.A.

# **Securities Lending Program**

State Street Corporation

State Street Bank & Trust Company of California, N.A.

Goldman Sachs Agency Lending (GSAL)

# **Health Reserve Program**

Standish Mellon Asset Management Company, LLC



# Service

At LACERA we're committed to customer service. It drives everything we do, from taking members' calls, responding to correspondence, leading workshops, and counseling individuals in one-on-one sessions to offering technology like My LACERA that makes connecting with retirement and performing account transactions easy.

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Our Member Services Division mission:
To explain complex retirement information
accurately and clearly and to provide
world-class service in a positive, supported,
professional, and equitable manner through a
variety of channels.

Our commitment to customer service motivates us as a team — Boards, Management, and Staff-to be our best.

### Introduction

The actuarial process at LACERA is governed by provisions in the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 (CERL) §31453. This section requires LACERA to obtain an actuarial valuation at least once every three years. It further requires the Board of Investments to transmit its recommendations related to contribution rates to the County's Board of Supervisors. The Board of Supervisors adopts and adjusts contribution rates in accordance with LACERA's recommendations.

# Valuation Policy

LACERA's Board of Investments adopted the Retirement Benefit Funding Policy that requires annual adjustment of the employer contribution rates based on the annual valuation of LACERA's actuary. Milliman, the Plan actuary, performed the actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2014 and recommended changes to the employer and employee contribution rates.

In addition to the annual valuations, LACERA requires its actuary to review the reasonableness of the economic and non-economic actuarial assumptions every three years. This review, commonly referred to as the investigation of experience or experience study, is accomplished by comparing actual experience during the preceding three years to what was expected to happen according to the actuarial assumptions. Based on this review, the actuary recommends changes in the assumptions or methodology that will better project benefit liabilities and asset growth. The Board of Investments adopts, possibly with modification, the recommended assumptions and methods to be used in future valuations.

# **Employee Contributions**

As part of the experience study, the Plan actuary will recommend adjustments to employee rates, if necessary, due to changes in the underlying assumptions and methodologies used in calculating employee rates for age-based contributory Plan (General Plans A, B, C, and D, and Safety Plans A and B). Therefore, it is expected that the age-based employee rates will change no more frequently than every three years, when the actuary reviews the assumptions and methodologies.

For the Plans that use single-rate employee contribution rates (General Plan G and Safety Plan C), the Plan actuary is required to recommend rates that are one-half the normal cost rate. If there is a change in these plans' total normal cost, the actuary will recommend new employee rates.

# **Employer Contributions**

The members and employers are responsible for contributing to the cost of benefits to be earned each year. These contributions are known as normal cost contributions. The portion not funded by expected member contributions is the responsibility of the employers and is referred to as the employer normal cost. The actuary has recommended new employer normal cost contribution rates for all Plans.

The employers are responsible also for contributing for funding shortfalls related to liabilities accrued in the past including changes in the economic and non-economic assumptions impacting past service. This portion of the employer's contribution rate is known as the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL) contribution.

# **Actuarial Cost Method**

The entry age normal actuarial cost method is used for both funding requirements and financial reporting purposes. This method was approved by LACERA in 1999, as recommended by the consulting actuary. The entry age normal method allocates costs to each future year as a level percentage of payroll, which is ideal for employers to budget future costs.

### **Audits**

The valuation policy requires actuarial audits of retirement benefit valuations at regular intervals in the same cycle as LACERA's triennial experience study and valuation. With 2013 being a year where the triennial valuation and experience study was completed, the Plan audit actuary, The Segal Company (Segal), performed an audit of Milliman's 2013 experience study and valuation reports.

Segal concluded, "Milliman has employed generally accepted actuarial practices and principles in studying Plan experience, selecting assumptions, computing employer contribution rates, and presenting the results of their work. We believe that the actuarial assumptions as recommended by Milliman, as well as those approved by the Board of Investments are reasonable for use in LACERA's actuarial valuation." The audit of Milliman's valuation report "confirms that the actuarial calculations as of June 30, 2013 are reasonable and based on generally accepted actuarial principles and practices," according to Segal.

At their December 2014 meeting, the Board of Investments accepted the June 30, 2014 actuarial valuation report prepared by Milliman.

# Other Actuarial Information

Actuarially Determined Contributions: The Schedule of Contributions History-Pension Plan included in the Required Supplementary Information Section provides 10 years of actuarially determined contributions in relation to the actual contributions provided to the Pension Plan.

Actuarial Methods and Significant Assumptions: A description of the actuarial assumptions and methods for the Pension Plan Valuation used by the Pension Plan actuary are included in this Actuarial Section. In addition, Note E-Pension Actuarial Valuations provides a summary of the methods and assumptions used to prepare the Pension Plan (Retirement Benefits) Valuation Report, which determines the Pension Plan's funding requirements. The Notes to Required Supplementary Information discusses the actuarial methods and assumptions used for financial reporting and required GASB 67 disclosures. Any differences between the assumptions used for financial reporting and those applied for funding purposes are noted.

Summary of Plan Provisions: A Summary of Plan Provisions for the Retirement Benefits Plan is available upon request from LACERA.

The following additional information is included in this section:

- Actuary's Certification Letter Pension Plan
- Actuary's Certification Letter OPEB Program
- Summary of Actuarial Assumptions and Methods Pension Plan
- Schedule of Funding Progress Pension Plan
- · Active Member Valuation Data
- Retirants and Beneficiaries Added To/Removed From Retiree Payroll Pension Plan
- Retirants and Beneficiaries Added To/Removed From Benefits OPEB Program
- Actuary Solvency Test Pension Plan
- Actuarial Analysis of Financial Experience Pension Plan
- Actuarial Analysis of Financial Experience OPEB Program
- Probability of Occurrence

September 4, 2015

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### Dear Members of the Board:

The basic financial goal of LACERA is to establish contributions that fully fund the System's liabilities and which, as a percentage of payroll, remain level for each generation of active members.\* Annual actuarial valuations measure the progress toward this goal and test the adequacy of the contribution rates.

LACERA measures its funding status as the Funded Ratio, which is equal to the actuarial value of valuation assets over the actuarial accrued liabilities. The funding status based on the past three actuarial valuations is shown below:

Valuation Date: June 30, 2012Funded Ratio: 76.8%Valuation Date: June 30, 2013Funded Ratio: 75.0%Valuation Date: June 30, 2014Funded Ratio: 79.5%

It is our opinion that LACERA continues in sound financial condition as of June 30, 2014. Most of this year's increase in the Funded Ratio is due to the recognition of a portion of the deferred asset gains. Using the market value of assets on June 30, 2014, the Funded Ratio would be 86.0 percent. Currently, a net asset gain is being deferred.

LACERA's funding policy provides that the County's contributions are set equal to the normal cost rate, net of member contributions, plus the amortization payment of any Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL) or minus the amortization of any Surplus Funding. A UAAL occurs if the Funded Ratio is less than 100 percent. Surplus Funding occurs when the Funded Ratio is greater than 100 percent. The amortization of the UAAL uses a layered 30-year approach. Under this approach, the UAAL, as of June 30, 2009, is amortized over a closed 30-year period. Each year thereafter, any increase or decrease in the UAAL is also amortized over a new 30-year closed period. If the Funded Ratio exceeds 100 percent, then any Surplus is amortized over an open 30-year period.

The current funding policy requires LACERA to consider all of the funds in the Contingency Reserve in excess of 1 percent of the market value of assets as part of the valuation assets. The STAR Reserve is also considered part of the valuation assets. The Board's policy does not include any corresponding liability for future STAR benefits in the valuation. Note that if all of the STAR Reserve funds were excluded from the valuation assets for funding purposes, the Funded Ratio on June 30, 2014 would decrease to 78.3 percent.

The June 30, 2014 valuation results are based on the membership data and the asset information provided by LACERA. In our examination of these data, we have found them to be reasonably consistent and comparable with data used for other purposes, although we have not audited the data at the source. Since the valuation results are dependent on the integrity of the data supplied, the results can be expected to differ if the underlying data is incomplete or missing. It should be noted that if any data or other information is found to be materially inaccurate or incomplete, our calculations would need to be revised.

The valuation is also based on our understanding of LACERA's current benefit provisions and the actuarial assumptions that were reviewed and adopted by the Board of Investments. The funding assumptions were

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<sup>\*</sup>A further goal is to minimize employer contributions, consistent with the requirements of Article XVI, Section 17 of the California Constitution and §31595 of the California Government Code.

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based on the triennial investigation of experience study report as of June 30, 2013 and adopted at the December 11, 2013 Board of Investments meeting. The assumptions used for financial reporting under GASB 67 are the same as the funding assumptions, with the following exceptions:

- 1) The discount rate of 7.63 percent is gross of administrative expenses;
- 2) The STAR COLA is treated as substantively automatic and valued to the extent it is projected to be paid in the future; and
- 3) The individual entry age normal cost method is used without modification.

The actuarial computations presented in the valuation report are for purposes of determining the recommended funding amounts for LACERA consistent with our understanding of their funding requirements and goals. The liabilities are determined by using the entry age normal funding method. The actuarial assets are determined by using a five-year smoothed recognition method of asset gains and losses, determined as the difference of the actual market value to the expected market value. We believe that the actuarial assumptions and methods are internally consistent, reasonable, and meet the parameters of GASB Statement No. 67 for fulfilling financial accounting requirements. Nevertheless, the emerging costs will vary from those presented in our report to the extent that actual experience differs from that projected by the actuarial assumptions. Future actuarial measurements may differ significantly from the current measurements as presented in the valuation report due to such factors as the following: experience differing from that anticipated by the economic or demographic assumptions; increases or decreases expected as part of the natural operation of the methodology used for these measurements (such as the end of an amortization period); and changes in the program provisions or applicable law. Due to the limited scope of our assignment, we did not perform an analysis of the potential range of future measurements.

Our valuation report and this letter have been prepared exclusively for LACERA for a specific and limited purpose. Milliman does not intend to benefit and assumes no duty or liability to other parties who receive this work. It is a complex, technical analysis that assumes a high level of knowledge concerning LACERA's operations and uses LACERA's data, which Milliman has not audited. Any third-party recipient of Milliman's work product who desires professional guidance should not rely upon Milliman's work product but should engage qualified professionals for advice appropriate to its own specific needs.

The consultants who worked on this assignment are pension actuaries. Milliman's advice is not intended to be a substitute for qualified legal or accounting counsel. The signing actuaries are independent of the plan sponsor. We are not aware of any relationship that would impair the objectivity of our work.

Milliman prepared the following information for the actuarial and financial sections:

- For the actuarial section, the Retirants and Beneficiaries Added to and Removed from Retiree Payroll – Pension Plan.
- 2) For Note E of the financial section, the Schedule of Net Pension Liability and Sensitivity Analysis.

Except as noted above, LACERA staff prepared the supporting schedules in this section and the information in Note E of the financial section, based on information supplied in prior actuarial reports and our June 30, 2014 actuarial valuation and GASB 67 Disclosure reports for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014. Milliman has reviewed the information in Note E for accuracy.

We certify that the June 30, 2014 valuation was performed in accordance with the Actuarial Standards Board (ASB) standards of practice and by qualified actuaries. We are members of the American Academy of Actuaries and have experience in performing valuations for public retirement systems.

Sincerely,

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### Dear Members of the Board:

Los Angeles County provides Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB): retiree medical, dental/vision, and life insurance benefits to the retired Los Angeles County (County) workers who also participate in the Los Angeles County Employees Retirement Association (LACERA) retirement benefits program. These benefits are called the Los Angeles County OPEB Benefits Program, or the "Program." The Program provides these benefits on a "pay-as-you-go" basis. Biennial actuarial valuations provide the required financial disclosures for the Program.

A summary of the results of the past three actuarial valuations is shown below:

Valuation Date	Actuarial Accrued Liability (\$ billions)	Annual Required Contribution (ARC) as a Percentage of Payroll
July 1, 2010	\$24.03	28.79%
July 1, 2012	\$26.95	32.07%
July 1, 2014	\$28.55	31.82%

The County's Board of Supervisors affirmed their support for pre-funding its OPEB liabilities by providing specific initial appropriations to the OPEB Trust Fund. Since the July 1, 2012 valuation, details of a long-term funding policy have been finalized. The July 1, 2014 valuation includes assets invested in the Trust.

Biennial actuarial valuations are expected. The first five valuations were as of July 1, 2006, July 1, 2008, July 1, 2010, July 1, 2012 and July 1, 2014. The next valuation is expected as of July 1, 2016.

In preparing the July 1, 2014 OPEB valuation report, we relied, without audit, on information (some oral and some in writing) supplied by Los Angeles County, LACERA, and Aon Hewitt. This information includes, but is not limited to, benefit descriptions, membership data, and financial information. We found this information to be reasonably consistent and comparable with data used for other purposes. The valuation results depend on the integrity of this information. In some cases, where the data was incomplete, we made assumptions as noted in Table C-11 of our July 1, 2014 valuation report. If any of this information is inaccurate or incomplete, our results may be different and our calculations may need to be revised.

The valuation is also based on our understanding of the Program's current benefit provisions and the actuarial assumptions which were reviewed and adopted by the Board of Retirement. The retirement benefit related demographic and economic assumptions were based on those developed for the June 30, 2014 valuation of the LACERA's retirement benefit program, approved by LACERA's Board of Investments. Economic and relevant demographic assumptions from the retirement benefit investigation of experience, conducted by Milliman, are included in the July 1, 2014 OPEB valuation. Assumptions unique to OPEB were identified and evaluated in our 2013 OPEB investigation of experience study report as of June 30, 2013, approved by LACERA's Board of Retirement.

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The actuarial computations presented in the valuation report are for purposes of fulfilling financial accounting requirements for LACERA. The liabilities are determined by using the projected unit credit actuarial cost method. We consider the actuarial assumptions and methods to be internally consistent, to represent a long-term perspective, and to be reasonable. We believe they also meet the parameters of Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 43 for fulfilling financial accounting requirements. Nevertheless, the emerging costs will vary from those presented in our report to the extent that actual experience differs from that projected by the actuarial assumptions. Future actuarial measurements may differ significantly from the current measurements presented in the valuation report due to such factors as the following: OPEB program experience differing from that anticipated by the economic or demographic assumptions; increases or decreases expected as part of the natural operation of the methodology used for these measurements (such as the end of an amortization period); and changes in OPEB program provisions or applicable law. Due to the limited scope of our assignment, we did not perform an analysis of the potential range of future measurements.

Our valuation report and this letter have been prepared solely for a specific and limited purpose. Milliman does not intend to benefit and assumes no duty or liability to other parties who receive this work. It is a complex, technical analysis that assumes a high level of knowledge concerning LACERA's operations and uses LACERA's data, which Milliman has not audited. Any third-party recipient of Milliman's work product who desires professional guidance should not rely upon Milliman's work product but should engage qualified professionals for advice appropriate to its own specific needs.

The consultants who worked on this assignment are employee benefit actuaries. Milliman's advice is not intended to be a substitute for qualified legal or accounting counsel. The signing actuaries are independent of the plan sponsor. We are not aware of any relationship that would impair the objectivity of our work.

Milliman prepared the following information for the actuarial section:

- 1. Retirees and Beneficiaries Added to and Removed from Benefits OPEB Program.
- 2. Actuarial Analysis of Financial Experience OPEB Program.

Except as noted above, LACERA staff prepared the supporting schedules in this section and the information in Note N of the financial section and the Required Supplementary Information, based on information supplied in prior actuarial reports and our July 1, 2014 actuarial valuation. Milliman has reviewed the information in Note N for accuracy.

We certify that the July 1, 2014 valuation was performed in accordance with the Actuarial Standards Board (ASB) standards of practice and by qualified actuaries. We are members of the American Academy of Actuaries and have experience in performing valuations for public OPEB programs.

Sincerely,

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### Actuarial Assumptions and Methods

Recommended by the Consulting Actuary and adopted by the Board of Investments. The actuarial assumptions used to determine the liabilities are based on the results of the 2013 triennial investigation of experience study (experience study). In December 2013, the Board of Investments adopted a decrease in the investment return and other economic assumptions.

In 2009, the Board of Investments adopted a new Retirement Benefit Funding Policy (Funding Policy). Under the Funding Policy, modifications to the asset valuation and amortization methods were adopted beginning with the June 30, 2009 actuarial valuation. The Funding Policy was amended in February 2013 to conform with the new standards mandated in the PEPRA and to specify that the Supplemental Targeted Adjustment for Retirees Reserve (STAR) should be included with the valuation assets on an ongoing basis.

#### **Actuarial Cost Method**

Entry Age Normal.

### Actuarial Asset Valuation Method

The assets are valued using a five-year smoothed method based on the difference between expected and actual market value of assets as of the valuation date. The expected market value is the prior year's market value increased with the net cash flow of funds, all increased with interest during the past fiscal year at the expected investment return rate assumption. The five-year smoothing valuation basis for all assets was adopted beginning with the June 30, 2009 valuation.

For the June 30, 2014 valuation, the Board of Investments approved including the STAR Reserve as part of the 2014 valuation assets. The inclusion of the STAR Reserve in the valuation assets was formalized for the current and future actuarial valuations in the February 2013 amendment to LACERA's Funding Policy.

### Amortization of Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL) or Funding Surplus

In accordance with LACERA's Funding Policy, the County's contributions are set equal to the normal cost rate, net of expected member contributions for the next year, plus amortization of any UAAL or Surplus Funding. A UAAL occurs if the Funded Ratio is less than 100 percent. Surplus Funding occurs if the Funded Ratio is greater than 100 percent.

The amortization of the UAAL beginning with the June 30, 2009 valuation is funded over a closed 30-year period. Any future unanticipated changes in the UAAL, such as assumption changes or actuarial gains and losses, are amortized over new closed 30-year periods beginning with the June 30, 2010 valuation. This approach is often referred to as a "layered amortization method." The employer contribution rate is not allowed to be less than the rate if LACERA amortized the total UAAL over a 30-year period. If the Funded Ratio is greater than 120 percent in future valuations, the amortization of any Surplus Funding is funded over an open or "rolling" 30-year period. If the Funded Ratio is between 100 and 120 percent, only the employer normal cost rate is contributed.

### Amortization of Gains and Losses

Actuarial gains and losses are reflected in the UAAL or Surplus Funding. The original UAAL, beginning with the June 30, 2009 valuation, is amortized over a closed 30-year period. Future gains and losses are amortized over new closed 30-year periods, referred to as layered amortization. For the June 30, 2014 valuation, six amortization layers were used to calculate the total amortization payment beginning July 1, 2015.

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### Investment Rate of Return

Future investment earnings are assumed to accrue at an annual rate of 7.5 percent, compounded annually, net of both investment and administrative expenses. This rate was adopted beginning with the June 30, 2013 valuation.

### Projected Salary Increases

Rates of annual salary increases assumed for the purpose of the valuation range from 3.76 percent to 9.71 percent. In addition to increases in salary due to promotions and longevity, the increases include an assumed 3.5 percent per annum rate of increase in the general wage level of membership. Increases are assumed to occur mid-year (i.e., January 1) and apply only to base salary, excluding Megaflex compensation. The mid-year timing reflects that salary increases occur throughout the year, or on average, mid-year. For plans with a one-year final average compensation period, actual average annual compensation is used. These rates were adopted beginning with the June 30, 2013 valuation.

### Post-Retirement Benefit Increases

Post-retirement benefit increases of either 3.0 percent or 2.0 percent per year are assumed for the valuation in accordance with the benefits provided. These adjustments, which are based on the Consumer Price Index (CPI), are assumed payable each year in the future, as they are less than the expected increase in the CPI of 3.0 percent per year. This rate was adopted beginning with the June 30, 2013 valuation.

Plan E members receive a prorated post-retirement benefit increase of 2.0 percent for service credit earned after June 4, 2002. The portion payable is based on a ratio of the member's years of service earned after June 4, 2002, to his/her total years of service. The portion of the full 2.0 percent increase not provided for may be purchased by the member.

#### **Consumer Price Index**

Increase of 3.0 percent per annum. This rate was adopted beginning with the June 30, 2013 valuation.

### Rates of Separation From Employment

Various rates dependent upon member's age, sex, and retirement plan. Each rate represents the probability that a member will separate from service at each age due to the particular cause. These rates of separation from active service were adopted beginning with the June 30, 2013 valuation.

### **Expectation of Life After Retirement**

The same post-retirement mortality rates are used in the valuation for active members, members retired from service, and beneficiaries. Current beneficiary mortality is assumed to be the same as healthy members of the same sex. Future beneficiaries are assumed to be of the opposite sex and have the same mortality as general members.

#### Males:

**General Members:** RP-2000 Combined Mortality Table for Males, projected to 2025 using Projection Scale AA, with ages set back one year.

**Safety Members:** RP-2000 Combined Mortality Table for Males, projected to 2025 using Projection Scale AA, with ages set back two years.

#### Females:

**General Members:** RP-2000 Combined Mortality Table for Females, projected to 2025 using Projection Scale AA, with ages set back one year.

**Safety Members:** RP-2000 Combined Mortality Table for Females, projected to 2025 using Projection Scale AA, with ages set back one year.

These rates were adopted beginning with the June 30, 2013 valuation.

### Expectation of Life After Disability

#### Males:

**General Members:** Average of RP-2000 Combined and Disabled Mortality Tables for Males, projected to 2025 using Projection Scale AA, with ages set back one year.

**Safety Members:** RP-2000 Combined Mortality Table for Males, projected to 2025 using Projection Scale AA, with no age adjustment.

#### Females:

**General Members:** Average of RP-2000 Combined and Disabled Mortality Table for Females, projected to 2025 using Projection Scale AA, with ages set back one year.

**Safety Members:** RP-2000 Combined Mortality Table for Females, projected to 2025 using Projection Scale AA, with no age adjustment.

These rates were adopted for the June 30, 2013 valuation.

### Recent Changes and Their Financial Impact

An experience study was performed by the consulting actuary for the three-year period ended June 30, 2013. The Board of Investments adopted the demographic assumptions as recommended in that report, as well as reductions in the economic assumptions. Changes to those assumptions and other financial impacts are discussed below.

**STAR Reserve:** The STAR Reserve is included in the 2014 valuation assets. There is no corresponding liability for future potential STAR benefits included in the valuation. The inclusion of the STAR Reserve in the valuation assets was formalized for the current and future actuarial valuations in the February 2013 amendment to LACERA's Funding Policy.

Employer Contributions: The total required employer contribution rate calculated in the 2014 valuation decreased over the prior year by 2.01 percent of payroll. The most significant factor causing this decrease was the recognition of asset gains from the current and prior years, which resulted in a 1.43 percent decrease. Additionally, Cost-of-Living Adjustments (COLAs) less than assumed and salary increases less than assumed caused further decreases in the employer rate.

Member Contributions: New member contribution rates for General Plan G and Safety Plan C were implemented based on the new plan normal cost rates calculated in the 2014 actuarial valuation. The General Plan G member rate decreased from 7.63 percent to 7.62 percent, while the Safety Plan C member rate increased from 13.39 percent to 13.42 percent, effective July 1, 2015.

Funding: The recognition of deferred asset gains from the current and prior years caused a 3.0 percent increase in the Funded Ratio. Additionally, the salary increases and COLA increases less than assumed caused further increases to the Funded Ratio. In total, the Funded Ratio increased from 75.0 percent in the June 30, 2013 valuation to 79.5 percent in the June 30, 2014 valuation due to these changes.

See Note N — OPEB Program in the Financial Section for a Summary of Actuarial Assumptions and Methods for the OPEB Program.



### Schedule of Funding Progress — Pension Plan

Actuarial Valuation Date	Actuarial Value of Assets (a)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL)* (b)	Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL) (b-a)	Funded Ratio (a/b)	Covered Payroll (c)	UAAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll [(b-a)/c]
June 30, 2005	\$29,497,485	\$34,375,949	\$4,878,464	85.8%	\$4,982,084	97.9%
June 30, 2006	32,819,725	36,258,929	3,439,204	90.5%	5,205,802	66.1%
June 30, 2007	37,041,832	39,502,456	2,460,624	93.8%	5,615,736	43.8%
June 30, 2008	39,662,361	41,975,631	2,313,270	94.5%	6,123,888	37.8%
June 30, 2009	39,541,865	44,468,636	4,926,771	88.9%	6,547,616	75.2%
June 30, 2010	38,839,392	46,646,838	7,807,446	83.3%	6,695,439	116.6%
June 30, 2011	39,193,627	48,598,166	9,404,539	80.6%	6,650,674	141.4%
June 30, 2012	39,039,364	50,809,425	11,770,061	76.8%	6,619,816	177.8%
June 30, 2013	39,932,416	53,247,776	13,315,360	75.0%	6,595,902	201.9%
June 30, 2014	43,654,462	54,942,453	11,287,991	79.5%	6,672,228	169.2%

<sup>\*</sup>Using the Entry Age Normal actuarial cost method.

### **Active Member Valuation Data**

				Average	% Increase/ Decrease
Valuation	Plan	Member	Annual	Annual	in Average
Date	Туре	Count	Salary*	Salary	Salary
June 30, 2005	General	75,167	\$4,046,526,732	\$53,834	1.53%
	Safety	11,217	904,864,212	80,669	3.94%
	Total	86,384	\$4,951,390,944	\$57,318	1.86%
June 30, 2006	General	77,167	\$4,267,148,748	\$55,298	2.72%
	Safety	11,464	969,379,404	84,559	4.82%
	Total	88,631	\$5,236,528,152	\$59,082	3.08%
June 30, 2007	General	79,829	\$4,673,126,964	\$58,539	5.86%
	Safety	12,267	1,103,924,952	89,991	6.42%
	Total	92,096	\$5,777,051,916	\$62,729	6.17%
June 30, 2008	General	81,664	\$5,016,720,948	\$61,431	4.94%
	Safety	12,828	1,187,406,768	92,564	2.86%
	Total	94,492	\$6,204,127,716	\$65,658	4.67%
June 30, 2009	General	82,878	\$5,347,558,596	\$64,523	5.03%
	Safety	12,910	1,239,655,092	96,023	3.74%
	Total	95,788	\$6,587,213,688	\$68,769	4.74%
June 30, 2010	General	81,413	\$5,318,137,692	\$65,323	1.24%
	Safety	12,997	1,257,305,532	96,738	0.75%
	Total	94,410	\$6,575,443,224	\$69,648	1.28%
June 30, 2011	General	80,145	\$5,295,354,528	\$66,072	1.15%
	Safety	12,641	1,239,553,116	98,058	1.36%
	Total	92,786	\$6,534,907,644	\$70,430	1.12%
June 30, 2012	General	79,467	\$5,271,580,728	\$66,337	0.40%
	Safety	12,485	1,229,922,420	98,512	0.46%
	Total	91,952	\$6,501,503,148	\$70,705	0.39%
June 30, 2013	General	79,006	\$5,253,152,532	\$66,491	0.23%
	Safety	12,539	1,234,902,228	98,485	-0.03%
	Total	91,545	\$6,488,054,760	\$70,873	0.24%
June 30, 2014	General	79,943	\$5,487,670,164	\$68,645	3.24%
	Safety	12,523	1,252,867,272	100,045	1.58%
	Total	92,466	\$6,740,537,436	\$72,897	2.86%

<sup>\*</sup>Active Member Valuation Annual Salary is an annualized compensation of only those members who were active on the actuarial valuation date. Covered Payroll includes compensation paid to all active employees, on which contributions are calculated.



### Retirants and Beneficiaries Added to and Removed From Retiree Payroll — Pension Plan

	Added	l to Rolls	Removed	Removed From Rolls		End of Year			
Valuation Date	Member Count	Annual Allowance (in 000s)	Member Count	Annual Allowance (in 000s)	Member Count	Annual Allowance <sup>1</sup> (in 000s)	% Increase in Retiree Allowance	Average Annual Allowance	
June 30, 2005	2,855	\$102,903	(1,418)	\$(17,465)	49,769	\$1,645,490	7.07%	\$33,063	
June 30, 2006	3,007	104,405	(1,784)	(33,101)	50,992	1,768,706	7.49%	34,686	
June 30, 2007	2,015	79,955	(1,615)	(35,054)	51,392	1,858,225	5.06%	36,158	
June 30, 2008	2,759	167,753 <sup>2</sup>	(1,801)	(47,103)	52,350	1,978,875	6.49%	37,801	
June 30, 2009	2,505	157,469 <sup>2</sup>	(1,786)	(50,619)	53,069	2,085,725	5.40%	39,302	
June 30, 2010	2,947	188,724 <sup>2</sup>	(1,820)	(54,105)	54,196 <sup>3</sup>	2,220,344	6.45%	40,969	
June 30, 2011	3,134	185,204 <sup>2</sup>	(1,959)	(62,923)	55,371	2,342,625	5.51%	42,308	
June 30, 2012	3,194	193,865 <sup>2</sup>	(1,795)	(61,588)	56,770	2,474,902	5.65%	43,595	
June 30, 2013	3,373	205,659 <sup>2</sup>	(2,057)	(69,494)	58,086	2,611,067	5.50%	44,952	
June 30, 2014	3,128	172,743 <sup>2</sup>	(1,985)	(71,730)	59,229	2,712,080	3.87%	45,790	

#### NOTES:

### Retirants and Beneficiaries Added to and Removed From Benefits — OPEB Program

	Added to Rolls		Removed From Rolls		Rolls at End of Year				
Valuation Date*	Member Count	Annual Allowance** (in 000s)	Member Count	Annual Allowance (in 000s)	Member Count	Annual Allowance (in 000s)	% Increase in Retiree Allowance	Average Annual Allowance	
July 1, 2010	_	_	_	_	43,936	\$391,979	_	\$8,922	
July 1, 2012	5,336	56,982	(3,070)	(25,497)	46,202	423,464	8.03%	9,165	
July 1, 2014	5,335	89,205	(3,369)	(29,925)	48,168	482,744	14.00%	10,022	

 $<sup>{}^*</sup>$ Includes changes for continuing retirees and beneficiaries.

 $<sup>^{1}\</sup>mathrm{Annual}$  allowance is the monthly benefit allowance annualized for those members counted as of June 30.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Includes COLAs that occurred during the fiscal year and therefore were not included in the previous years' Annual Allowance totals.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>For the June 30, 2010 actuarial valuation, Member Count includes 25 beneficiaries of recently deceased retirees who due to timing at year end, are not yet included in the total Retired Members count disclosed in Note A - Plan Description.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Schedule is intended to show information for six years. Additional years will be displayed as they become available prospectively.

### Actuary Solvency Test — Pension Plan

(Dollars in Millions)

	Actuarial A	Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL)			Percentage of AAL Covered by Assets			
Valuation Date	(1) Active Member Contributions	(2) Retired/ Vested Member Contributions	(3) Employer Financed Portion	Actuarial Value of Valuation Assets	(1) Active	(2) Retired	(3) Employer	
June 30, 2005	\$4,308	\$20,238	\$9,829	\$29,497	100%	100%	50%	
June 30, 2006	4,628	21,377	10,254	32,820	100%	100%	66%	
June 30, 2007	4,852	22,398	12,253	37,042	100%	100%	80%	
June 30, 2008	5,279	23,730	12,966	39,662	100%	100%	82%	
June 30, 2009	5,795	24,692	13,982	39,542	100%	100%	65%	
June 30, 2010	6,278	26,220	14,148	38,839	100%	100%	45%	
June 30, 2011	6,529	27,559	14,511	39,194	100%	100%	35%	
June 30, 2012	6,961	29,118	14,730	39,039	100%	100%	20%	
June 30, 2013	7,837	30,980	14,430	39,932	100%	100%	8%	
June 30, 2014	8,354	31,882	14,706	43,654	100%	100%	23%	

### Actuarial Analysis of Financial Experience — Pension Plan

(Dollars in Millions)

	Valuation as of June 30								
	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014			
Prior Valuation Unfunded Actuarial									
Accrued Liability	\$2,313	\$4,927	\$7,807	\$9,405	\$11,770	\$13,315			
Expected Increase (Decrease) from			, ,,	77,100	Ψ.1,//Ο	Ψ10,010			
Prior Valuation	(78)	333	565	772	1,380	338			
Salary Increases Greater (Less)	, ,			,,,,	1,500	550			
than Expected	380	(353)	(579)	(629)	(563)	(291)			
CPI Less than Expected	(4)	(29)	(215)	(181)	(190)	(427)			
Asset Return Less (Greater) than				` ′	( /	(,,			
Expected	2,465	2,879	1,761	2,337	893	(1,664)			
All Other Experience	(149)	50	66	66	25	17			
Ending Unfunded Actuarial									
Accrued Liability	\$4,927	\$7,807	\$9,405	\$11,770	\$13,315	\$11,288			

### Actuarial Analysis of Financial Experience — OPEB Program (Dollars in Billions)

	Valuation as of July 1				
	2008	2010	2012	2014	
Prior Valuation Unfunded Actuarial					
Accrued Liability	\$21.22	\$21.86	\$24.03	\$26.95	
Expected Increase (Decrease) from	,	+==1.00	Ψ2 1100	Ψ20.73	
Prior Valuation	3.34	3.48	3.77	3.68	
Claim Costs Greater (Less) than Expected*	(3.13)	(1.27)	(4.60)	(4.50)	
Change in Assumptions	0.53	0.29	4.15	2.47	
All Other Experience	(0.10)	(0.33)	(0.40)	(0.05)	
Ending Unfunded Actuarial		, ,	,,	(0.00)	
Accrued Liability	\$21.86	\$24.03	\$26.95	\$28.55	

<sup>\*</sup>Includes the trend assumption change.

### Plans A, B, and C General Members

Age	Service Retirement	Service Disability	Ordinary Disability	Service Death	Ordinary Death	Other
Male		Disability	Disability	Death	Death	Terminations
20	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0002	0.0050
30	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0004	0.0050
40	0.0300	0.0006	0.0002	N/A	0.0009	0.0050
50	0.0300	0.0014	0.0004	N/A	0.0014	0.0050
60	0.2600	0.0036	0.0010	N/A	0.0037	0.0050
70	0.2800	0.0042	0.0025	N/A	0.0071	0.0050
75	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000	N/A	0.0000	0.0000
Female						
20	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001	0.0050
30	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0002	0.0050
40	0.0300	0.0005	0.0002	N/A	0.0004	0.0050
50	0.0300	0.0012	0.0004	N/A	0.0009	0.0050
60	0.2600	0.0024	0.0010	N/A	0.0032	0.0050
70	0.2800	0.0052	0.0025	N/A	0.0061	0.0050
75	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000	N/A	0.0078	0.0000

### Plans D and G General Members

Age	Service Retirement	Service Disability	Ordinary Disability	Service Death	Ordinary Death	Years of	Other
Male		Distibility	Disability	Death	Death	Service	Terminations
20	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0002	5	0.0233
30	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0004	10	0.0233
40	0.0200	0.0006	0.0002	N/A	0.0009	15	0.0120
50	0.0200	0.0014	0.0004	N/A	0.0014	20	0.0076
60	0.0600	0.0036	0.0010	N/A	0.0037	25	0.0048
70	0.2000	0.0042	0.0025	N/A	0.0071	30 & up	0.0000
75	1.0000	0.0042	0.0000	N/A	0.0119	_ '	<del> </del>
Female							
20	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001	5	0.0233
30	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0002	10	0.0170
40	0.0200	0.0005	0.0002	N/A	0.0004	15	0.0120
50	0.0200	0.0012	0.0004	N/A	0.0009	20	0.0076
60	0.0600	0.0024	0.0010	N/A	0.0029	25	0.0048
70	0.2000	0.0052	0.0025	N/A	0.0061	30 & up	0.0000
75	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000	N/A	0.0078	_	_

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### Plan E General Members

Age	Service Retirement	Service Disability	Ordinary Disability	Service Death	Ordinary Death	Years of Service	Other Terminations
Male							
20	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0002	5	0.0277
30	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0004	10	0.0200
40	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0009	15	0.0162
50	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0014	20	0.0132
60	0.0450	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0037	25	0.0108
70	0.2000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0071	30 & up	0.0100
75	1.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0119	up	0.0100
Female							
20	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0001	5	0.0277
30	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0002	10	0.0200
40	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0004	15	0.0162
50	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0009	20	0.0132
60	0.0450	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0029	25	0.0108
70	0.2000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0061	30 & up	0.0100
75	1.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0078	—	-

### Plans A, B, and C Safety Members

Age	Service Retirement	Service Disability	Ordinary Disability	Service Death	Ordinary Death	Years of Service	Other Terminations
Male							
20	0.0000	0.0027	0.0000	0.0001	0.0002	5	0.0113
30	0.0000	0.0027	0.0000	0.0001	0.0003	10	0.0076
40	0.0100	0.0041	0.0000	0.0001	0.0007	15	0.0042
50	0.0100	0.0090	0.0000	0.0001	0.0011	20 & up	0.0000
60	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0019	— —	_
Female							
20	0.0000	0.0033	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	5	0.0113
30	0.0000	0.0046	0.0000	0.0001	0.0002	10	0.0076
40	0.0100	0.0095	0.0000	0.0001	0.0004	15	0.0042
50	0.0100	0.0203	0.0000	0.0001	0.0009	20 & up	0.0000
60	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0029	_ up	-





### Investments

As a premier retirement association, LACERA's investment strategy is multifaceted to ensure the security of the Fund. Our Board of Investments is responsible for establishing LACERA's investment policy and objectives in addition to exercising authority and control over the investment management of the Funds, guiding our internal Investments Office in its activities. This structure enables us to pay the promised benefits, generation after generation.

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Our Investment Office's role is to oversee, administer, and implement the Board of Investments' policies and decisions. In doing so, they develop and recommend investment and risk management strategies that help the pension Fund achieve its objectives.

The Investment Office helps make it possible for LACERA to fulfill our collective mission: To produce, protect, and provide the promised benefits.

The objective of the Statistical Section is to provide historical perspective, context, and detail to assist in utilizing the Basic Financial Statements, Notes to the Basic Financial Statements, and Required Supplementary Information to understand and assess LACERA's economic condition. Statistical data is maintained by LACERA's in-house member information system, commonly referred to as Member Workspace (Workspace). Workspace is a sophisticated data management system where member-specific information resides and comprehensive plan membership records are actively maintained by LACERA. For the fiscal year-end, membership information is generated and reported so that the status of each member (active, retired, deferred, etc.) is the most current information available to report.

The Statistical Information provided here is divided into two main categories: Financial Trends Information and Operating Information.

Financial Trends Information is intended to assist readers in understanding how LACERA's financial position has changed over time. Changes in Fiduciary Net Position — Pension Plan and Changes in Fiduciary Net Position — OPEB Trust present additions by source, deductions by type, and the total change in Fiduciary Net Position for each year. Pension Benefit Expenses by Type presents retirement benefits, lump-sum death/burial benefits, and refund deductions by type of benefit, such as Service Retiree and Disability Retiree, as well as by General and Safety benefits.

Operating Information provides contextual information about LACERA's operations and membership to assist readers in using financial statement information to comprehend and evaluate LACERA's fiscal condition. Active and Deferred Members provides membership statistics for active vested and non-vested members as well as for deferred members. Retired Members by Type of Pension Benefit and the Retired Members by Type of OPEB Benefit present benefit information for the current year by benefit type and dollar levels. Schedule of Average Pension Benefit Payments presents the average monthly benefit, average final salary, and number of retired members, organized in five-year increments of credited service. Active Members and Participating Pension Employers presents the employers and their corresponding covered employees. Retired Members of Participating OPEB Employers presents the number of covered members by medical or dental/vision benefits. The Employer Contribution Rates are provided as additional information. Finally, the Supplemental Targeted Adjustment for Retirees Cost-of-Living Adjustment (STAR COLA) Program Cost schedule trends the Program's cost through June 30, 2015.

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### Changes in Fiduciary Net Position — Pension Plan

**Last Ten Fiscal Years** 

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Additions					
<b>Employer Contributions</b>	\$676,66 <del>7</del>	\$751,928	\$788,029	\$831,671	\$843,704
Member Contributions	296,176	347,701	414,752	415,545	429,612
Net Investment Income/(Loss)	4,092,410	6,487,184	(1,426,117)	(7,407,790)	3,840,401
Miscellaneous	1,582	1,803	1,767	1,221	868
Total Additions/(Declines)	5,066,835	7,588,616	(221,569)	(6,159,353)	5,114,585
Deductions				, , , , , , , , , ,	0,221,000
Total Benefit Expenses*	1,798,463	1,792,654	1,913,272	2,016,364	2,130,738
Administrative Expenses	42,469	43,880	48,223	49,730	48,892
Miscellaneous	75	197	371	243	48
Total Deductions	1,841,007	1,836,731	1,961,866	2,066,337	2,179,678
Transfer to OPEB Agency Fund"	66,344	29,368		_	_
Net Increase/(Decrease) in Fiduciary Net Position	\$3,159,484	\$5,722,517	\$(2,183,435)	\$(8,225,690)	\$2,934,907

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Additions					
<b>Employer Contributions</b>	\$944,174	\$1,078,929	\$723,195	\$1,320,442	\$1,494,975
Member Contributions	463,743	506,758	679,572	439,001	441,258
Net Investment Income/(Loss)	6,930,358	(291,009)	4,659,015	6,908,412	1,989,358
Miscellaneous	591	1,004	385	2,256	1,695
Total Additions/(Declines)	8,338,866	1,295,682	6,062,167	8,670,111	3,927,286
Deductions					
Total Benefit Expenses*	2,269,791	2,390,598	2,541,351	2,662,401	2,768,410
Administrative Expenses Miscellaneous	50,605 347	50,218 121	53,863 190	58,723 229	62,591 212
Total Deductions	2,320,743	2,440,937	2,595,404	2,721,353	2,831,213
Transfer to OPEB Agency Fund**	_	_	_	_	_
Net Increase/(Decrease) in					
Fiduciary Net Position	\$6,018,123	\$(1,145,255)	\$3,466,763	\$5,948,758	\$1,096,073

<sup>\*</sup>See Pension Benefit Expenses by Type.
\*\*GASB Statement No. 43 implementation.

### Changes in Fiduciary Net Position — OPEB Trust

	2015	2014	2013*
Additions		-	
Employer Contributions	_	_	\$448,819
Member Contributions			Ψ110,017
Net Investment Income	4,688	35,113	209
Miscellaneous	<del>-</del>	_	_
Total Additions	4,688	35,113	449,028
Deductions	,	00,110	117,020
Premium Expense		_	_
Administrative Expense	153	144	173
Miscellaneous	_	-	_
Total Deductions	153	144	173
Net Increase in Fiduciary Net Position	\$4,535	\$34,969	\$448,855

<sup>\*</sup>Trend Information: Schedule will ultimately show information for 10 years. Additional years will be displayed as they become available prospectively.

### Pension Benefit Expenses by Type

### Last Ten Fiscal Years

(Dollars in Thousands)					
A	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Service Retiree Payroll					
General	\$1,072,193	\$1,087,908	\$1,162,474	\$1,221,671	\$1,295,574
Safety	234,565	228,779	242,948	269,893	291,796
Total	1,306,758	1,316,687	1,405,422	1,491,564	1,587,370
Disability Retiree Payroll					
General	135,397	133,361	139,390	141,821	144,861
Safety	335,226	322,979	341,158	361,235	377,429
Total	470,623	456,340	480,548	503,056	522,290
Total Retiree Payroll					
General	1,207,590	1,221,269	1,301,864	1,363,492	1,440,435
Safety	569,791	551,758	584,106	631,128	669,225
Total	1,777,381	1,773,027	1,885,970	1,994,620	2,109,660
Refunds					,,,,,,,,,,,
General	16,889	15,682	20,894	16,743	13,041
Safety	2,842	2,356	4,694	3,613	5,863
Total	19,731	18,038	25,588	20,356	18,904
Lump-Sum Death/Burial	1,351	1,589			
Benefits	1,551	1,309	1,714	1,388	2,174
Total Benefit Expenses	¢1 700 462	<b>61 E00 CE</b> 4	<b># * * * * * * * * * *</b>		
Total Delicite Expenses	\$1,798,463	\$1,792,654	\$1,913,272	\$2,016,364	\$2,130,738
	2011	2012	2012	2011	
Service Retiree Payroll	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
General	¢1 202 470	¢1.465.010	dt 556 014		
Safety	\$1,383,478 315,745	\$1,465,218 340,177	\$1,556,814	\$1,631,285	\$1,692,558
Total	1,699,223		367,471	384,248	397,962
	1,077,223	1,805,395	1,924,285	2,015,533	2,090,520
Disability Retiree Payroll					
General	150,585	152,698	157,406	162,338	165,543
Safety	395,197	413,300	432,405	459,311	484,907
Total	545,782	565,998	589,811	621,649	650,450
Total Retiree Payroll					
General					
Safety	1,534,063	1,617,916	1,714,220	1,793,623	1,858,101
	1,534,063 710,942	1,617,916 753,477	1,714,220 799,876	1,793,623 843,559	1,858,101 882,869
Total					
Total	710,942	753,477	799,876	843,559	882,869
	710,942 <b>2,245,005</b>	753,477 <b>2,371,393</b>	799,876 <b>2,514,096</b>	843,559 2,637,182	882,869 2,740,970
Total Refunds	710,942	753,477 <b>2,371,393</b> 14,523	799,876 <b>2,514,096</b> 19,406	843,559 <b>2,637,182</b> 18,994	882,869 2,740,970 22,050
Total Refunds General	710,942 <b>2,245,005</b> 17,498	753,477 2,371,393 14,523 3,098	799,876 2,514,096 19,406 5,606	843,559 2,637,182 18,994 4,534	882,869 2,740,970 22,050 3,361
Total Refunds General Safety Total	710,942 <b>2,245,005</b> 17,498 5,220 <b>22,718</b>	753,477 2,371,393 14,523 3,098 17,621	799,876 2,514,096 19,406 5,606 25,012	843,559 2,637,182 18,994 4,534 23,528	882,869 2,740,970 22,050 3,361 25,411
Total  Refunds  General  Safety  Total  Lump-Sum Death/Burial	710,942 <b>2,245,005</b> 17,498 5,220	753,477 2,371,393 14,523 3,098	799,876 2,514,096 19,406 5,606	843,559 2,637,182 18,994 4,534	882,869 2,740,970 22,050 3,361
Total Refunds General Safety Total	710,942 <b>2,245,005</b> 17,498 5,220 <b>22,718</b>	753,477 2,371,393 14,523 3,098 17,621	799,876 2,514,096 19,406 5,606 25,012	843,559 2,637,182 18,994 4,534 23,528	882,869 2,740,970 22,050 3,361 25,411

Active	and	Deferred	Members
Last Ten	Fisca	al Years	

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Active Vested					
General	53,280	53,918	53,884	54,729	56,162
Safety	9,860	10,061	9,876	9,761	9,916
Subtotal	63,140	63,979	63,760	64,490	66,078
Active Non-Vested					
General	23,887	25,911	27,780	28,149	25,251
Safety	1,604	2,206	2,952	3,149	3,081
Subtotal	25,491	28,117	30,732	31,298	28,332
Total Active Members					
General	77,167	79,829	81,664	82,878	81,413
Safety	11,464	12,267	12,828	12,910	12,997
Total	88,631	92,096	94,492	95,788	94,410
Deferred Members					
General	7,021	7,441	11,149	7,589	7,478
Safety	438	470	685	462	460
Total	7,459	7,911	11,834	8,051	7,938

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	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	
Active Vested						
General	59,055	61,433	62,803	63,301	62,532	
Safety	10,054	10,663	11,177	11,188	11,024	
Subtotal	69,109	72,096	73,980	74,489	73,556	
Active Non-Vested						
General	21,090	18,034	16,203	16,642	18,696	
Safety	2,587	1,822	1,362	1,335	1,422	
Subtotal	23,677	19,856	17,565	17,977	20,118	
Total Active Members						
General	80,145	79,467	79,006	79,943	81,228	
Safety	12,641	12,485	12,539	12,523	12,446	
Total	92,786	91,952	91,545	92,466	93,674	
Deferred Members						
General	7,423	7,379	7,462	7,550	7,623	
Safety	465	480	497	540	563	
Total	7,888	7,859	7,959	8,090	8,186	



### Retired Members by Type of Pension Benefit

As of June 30, 2015

	Amount Number of of Monthly Retired		Т	Type of Retirement <sup>1</sup>		
	Mont. Benefi	•	Members	1	2	3
\$1		\$1,000	15,437	9,584	1,499	4,354
\$1,001		\$2,000	14,165	9,708	2,104	2,353
\$2,001	_	\$3,000	9,579	6,994	1,718	867
\$3,001	_	\$4,000	6,382	4,868	1,062	452
\$4,001		\$5,000	4,409	3,545	628	236
\$5,001	_	\$6,000	3,132	2,468	534	130
\$6,001	_	\$7,000	2,191	1,690	432	69
	>	\$7,000	5,289	3,923	1,257	109
			60,584	42,780	9,234	8,570

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	Amount of nthly Benefit Unmod						Option 2 Option 3		
\$1		\$1,000	14,094	543	163	451	85	101	
\$1,001	_	\$2,000	12,778	721	154	309	85	118	
\$2,001	_	\$3,000	8,582	608	98	154	50	87	
\$3,001	_	\$4,000	5,677	451	56	87	27	84	
\$4,001	_	\$5,000	3,834	395	47	50	23	60	
\$5,001	_	\$6,000	2,705	320	22	28	7	50	
\$6,001	-	\$7,000	1,794	306	11	22	6	52	
	>	\$7,000	3,946	1,127	24	23	20	149	
			53,410	4,471	575	1,124	303	701	

#### NOTES:

The following options reduce the member's monthly benefit:
Unmodified+Plus - For all Plans (A-G), member's allowance is reduced to pay an increased continuing allowance to an eligible surviving spouse/partner.

Option 1 - Beneficiary receives lump sum of member's unused contributions.

Option 2 - Beneficiary receives 100% of member's reduced monthly benefit.

Option 3 - Beneficiary receives 50% of member's reduced monthly benefit.

Option 4 - Beneficiary(ies) receives percentage of member's reduced monthly benefit as designated by member.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Type of Retirement:

<sup>1 -</sup> Service Retiree 2 - Disability Retiree

<sup>3 -</sup> Beneficiary/Continuant/Survivor

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Retirement Option Selected:

Unmodified - For Plans A-G, beneficiary receives 65% of the member's allowance (60% if the member retired before June 4, 2002); for Plan E, beneficiary receives 55% of member's allowance (50% if the member retired before June 4, 2002).

### Retired Members by Type of OPEB Benefit

As of June 30, 2015

	N	Medical Be	nefit/Prem	ium Amour	nts	Total
		\$501-	\$1,001-	\$1,501-		Member
	\$1-\$500	\$1,000	\$1,500	\$2,000	> \$2,000	Count
Medical Plans by Plan Type						
Blue Cross I	4	_	1,044	395	38	1,481
Blue Cross II	2	_	2,227	1,992	455	4,676
Blue Cross III	6,045	3,533	1,109	82	_	10,769
Blue Cross Prudent Buyer Plan	2	828	36	579	_	1,445
CIGNA Healthcare for Seniors	21	17	8	1	_	47
CIGNA Network Model Plan	1	_	408	22	226	657
Kaiser - California	_	3,187	194	2,673	49	6,103
Kaiser - Senior Advantage	13,652	_	1,922		_	15,574
Kaiser - Colorado	27	13	5	_	2	47
Kaiser - Georgia	55	19	39	_	7	120
Kaiser - Hawaii	28	18	7	2		55
Kaiser - Oregon-Washington	72	40	9	12	6	139
Firefighters Local 1014	_	426	_	983	255	1,664
Pacificare	_	418	_	352	188	958
Scan/Smart Care Health Plan	269	91	_		-	360
Secure Horizons - Pacificare	1,375	753	344	_	_	2,472
Total Medical by Plan Type	21,553	9,343	7,352	7,093	1,226	46,567
Medical Plans by Retirement Type						
Service Retirees	16,279	6,819	5,324	4,902	769	34,093
Disability Retirees	1,891	1,588	1,000	2,058	429	6,966
Survivors	3,383	936	1,028	133	28	5,508
Total Medical by Retirement Type	21,553	9,343	7,352	7,093	1,226	46,567

Dental/Vision
Benefit Premium
Amount
\$1 - \$500
42,183
5,303
47,486
34,555
7,290
5,641
47,486



	Years of Credited Service						
Retirement Effective Dates	5 - 9	10 - 14	15 - 19	20 - 24	25 - 29	30+	
7/1/05 to 6/30/06							
Retirants							
General Members							
Average Monthly Benefit	\$754	\$1,001	\$1,491	\$2,351	\$3,652	\$4,207	
Average Final Salary	\$4,402	\$4,291	\$4,521	\$5,550	\$7,178	\$5,77	
Number of Active Retirants	75	268	277	180	235	908	
Safety Members							
Average Monthly Benefit	\$4,625	\$3,843	\$3,408	\$3,612	\$5,977	\$7,646	
Average Final Salary	\$6,858	\$6,458	\$6,994	\$7,454	\$8,461	\$9,032	
Number of Active Retirants	29	19	13	29	58	110	
Survivors							
General Members							
Average Monthly Benefit	\$611	\$635	\$726	\$1,132	\$1,793	\$2,434	
Average Final Salary	\$2,962	\$3,500	\$3,397	\$3,707	\$4,519	\$4,518	
Number of Active Survivors	19	52	31	30	37	71	
Safety Members					0,	, -	
Average Monthly Benefit	\$487	\$1,608	\$2,449	\$2,693	\$3,358	\$5,707	
Average Final Salary	\$5,061	\$5,254	\$6,059	\$4,501	\$5,950	\$7,384	
Number of Active Survivors	1	4	3	6	φ3,930 6	21	
7/1/06 to 6/30/07				-			
Retirants							
General Members							
Average Monthly Benefit	\$1,011	\$955	\$1,445	\$1,927	\$2,325	\$4,068	
Average Final Salary	\$4,398	\$4,201	\$4,775	\$5,224	\$5,070	\$5,749	
Number of Active Retirants	74	219	246	177	266	624	
Safety Members						021	
Average Monthly Benefit	\$2,714	\$3,414	\$3,433	\$3,837	\$5,903	\$8,093	
Average Final Salary	\$6,093	\$7,083	\$6,906	\$7,498	\$8,622	10,050	
Number of Active Retirants	25	19	20	14	62	88	
Survivors				- 7	02	00	
General Members							
Average Monthly Benefit	\$600	\$480	\$917	\$951	\$1,565	\$2,210	
Average Final Salary	\$2,436	\$3,462	\$4,165	\$3,246	\$4,171	\$4,832	
Number of Active Survivors	15	31	31	34	27	φ4,032 61	
Safety Members			01	57	21	UI	
Average Monthly Benefit	\$3,432	\$2,960	¢2 540	¢a 120	<b>#2.020</b>	Ø4 400	
Average Final Salary	\$6,863	\$3,735	\$2,549 \$6,591	\$2,138 \$4,149	\$2,939 \$5,347	\$4,493	
Number of Active Survivors	φυ,ου3 2	φ3,733 1	эв, ээт 4	\$4,149 3	\$5,347 8	\$6,656 15	

Last Ten Fiscal Years						
		Ye	ears of Cred	lited Servi	ce	
Retirement Effective Dates	5 - 9	10 - 14	15 - 19	20 - 24	25 - 29	30+
7/1/07 to 6/30/08						
Retirants						
General Members						
Average Monthly Benefit	\$1,247	\$894	\$1,681	\$2,198	\$2,575	\$4,60
Average Final Salary	\$5,160	\$4,425	\$5,095	\$5,394	\$5,352	\$6,15
Number of Active Retirants	109	206	256	195	264	77
Safety Members						
Average Monthly Benefit	\$4,264	\$3,995	\$3,534	\$4,785	\$6,170	\$9,47
Average Final Salary	\$7,234	\$7,344	\$8,061	\$8,923	\$9,252	\$11,06
Number of Active Retirants	25	17	13	20	92	18
Survivors						
General Members						
Average Monthly Benefit	\$1,026	\$738	\$906	\$1,101	\$1,690	\$2,50
Average Final Salary	\$5,729	\$4,095	\$4,409	\$3,937	\$4,441	\$5,113
Number of Active Survivors	18	37	28	29	37	50
Safety Members						
Average Monthly Benefit	\$1,574	\$3,661	\$1,555	\$2,964	\$3,638	\$4,723
Average Final Salary	\$5,295	\$4,838	\$4,379	\$5,534	\$6,619	\$7,088
Number of Active Survivors	2	1	5	5	10	Ψ7,000
7/1/08 to 6/30/09						
Retirants						
General Members						
Average Monthly Benefit	\$1,462	\$1,018	\$1,793	\$2,284	\$2,916	\$4,917
Average Final Salary	\$5,224	\$4,233	\$5,054	\$5,478	\$5,711	\$6,387
Number of Active Retirants	116	232	195	172	182	669
Safety Members						00,
Average Monthly Benefit	\$4,959	\$4,185	\$4,593	\$4,719	\$7,000	\$10,042
Average Final Salary	\$8,344	\$7,798	\$8,425	\$9,120	\$10,131	\$11,838
Number of Active Retirants	22	13	17	22	76	127
Survivors				22	70	12/
General Members						
Average Monthly Benefit	\$755	\$688	\$999	\$1,204	\$1,819	<b>ቀ</b> ጋ ኃረጋ
Average Final Salary	\$4,243	\$3,810	\$4,450	\$3,939	\$4,563	\$2,363 \$4,987
Number of Active Survivors	14	31	39	43	φ <del>τ</del> ,303	φ4,307 67
Safety Members			07	±₽	34	07
Average Monthly Benefit	\$3,045	\$3,267	\$2,136	¢2 £25	#2 2 <b>72</b>	¢4.001
Average Final Salary	\$5,765	\$5,267 \$5,497	\$2,136 \$4,271	\$2,535 \$5,996	\$3,272	\$4,931
Number of Active Survivors	φ3,703 4	φ3,497 2	φ+,2/1	ゆつ・メソロ	\$6,153	\$7,238

**Last Ten Fiscal Years** 

Survivors

General Members

Safety Members

Average Monthly Benefit

Average Monthly Benefit

Number of Active Survivors

Number of Active Survivors

Average Final Salary

Average Final Salary

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	Years of Credited Service							
Retirement Effective Dates	5 - 9	10 - 14	15 - 19	20 - 24	25 - 29	30+		
7/1/09 to 6/30/10								
Retirants								
General Members								
Average Monthly Benefit	\$1,242	\$1,204	\$1,782	\$2,559	\$3,418	\$5,319		
Average Final Salary	\$4,984	\$4,790	\$5,072	\$5,888	\$6,525	\$6,923		
Number of Active Retirants	116	242	251	210	258	888		
Safety Members								
Average Monthly Benefit	\$4,656	\$3,461	\$3,008	\$4,840	\$7,055	\$10,450		
Average Final Salary	\$8,092	\$7,848	\$8,377	\$8,519	\$10,104	\$12,206		
Number of Active Retirants	14	22	10	11	85	157		
Survivors					0.0	157		
General Members								
Average Monthly Benefit	\$737	\$825	\$1,077	\$1,201	\$1,336	\$2,528		
Average Final Salary	\$4,738	\$4,069	\$4,592	\$3,875	\$3,732	\$4,926		
Number of Active Survivors	19	31	33	40	ψ3,752	Ψ <del>1,</del> ,20		
Safety Members					0,	0)		
Average Monthly Benefit	\$5,467	\$1,895	\$3,210	\$3,413	\$3,884	\$5,653		
Average Final Salary	\$8,746	\$7,268	\$8,850	\$7,809	\$7,374	\$7,554		
Number of Active Survivors	1	3	6	7	11	10		
7/1/10 to 6/30/11								
Retirants								
General Members								
Average Monthly Benefit	\$1,721	\$1,249	\$1,810	\$2,784	\$3,418	\$5,082		
Average Final Salary	\$5,702	\$5,064	\$5,296	\$6,286	\$6,576	\$6,820		
Number of Active Retirants	127	238	269	284	258	922		
Safety Members				-				
Average Monthly Benefit	\$2,336	\$4,135	\$5,198	\$5,308	\$7,347	\$9,667		
Average Final Salary	\$6,862	\$9,057	\$9,158	\$9,679	\$10,365	\$11,617		
Number of Active Retirants	10	28	21	30	φ10,303 91	152		
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Last Ten Fiscal Years									
		Years of Credited Service							
Retirement Effective Dates	5 - 9	10 - 14	15 - 19	20 - 24	25 - 29	30+			
7/1/11 to 6/30/12									
Retirants									
General Members									
Average Monthly Benefit	\$1,793	\$1,362	\$2,082	\$2,567	\$3,525	\$4,95			
Average Final Salary	\$5,624	\$5,141	\$5,683	\$5,686	\$6,711	\$6,83			
Number of Active Retirants	141	291	234	278	297	91			
Safety Members									
Average Monthly Benefit	\$2,203	\$4,924	\$6,474	\$4,417	\$7,372	\$9,750			
Average Final Salary	\$6,307	\$8,948	\$9,929	\$9,108	\$10,380	\$11,58			
Number of Active Retirants	8	29	13	33	103	18:			
Survivors									
General Members									
Average Monthly Benefit	\$1,055	\$691	\$965	\$1,770	\$1,643	\$2,730			
Average Final Salary	\$4,661	\$3,821	\$3,766	\$5,244	\$4,301	\$5,662			
Number of Active Survivors	21	46	26	43	ψ+,501 57	92,002			
Safety Members		10	20	+3	37	<i>)</i> -			
Average Monthly Benefit	\$2,786	\$2,352	<b>#1.700</b>	φο οπι	<b>42.001</b>	<b>#</b> = = 0.			
Average Final Salary	\$5,771	\$2,332 \$6,466	\$2,789	\$3,271	\$3,221	\$5,580			
Number of Active Survivors	φ3,771 5	φυ,400 5	\$7 <b>,</b> 785	\$7,019	\$6,127	\$7,824			
Transfer of factive daily 17013	3	3	5	7	8	23			
7/1/12 to 6/30/13 Retirants									
General Members									
	d	4							
Average Monthly Benefit	\$1,825	\$1,562	\$2,116	\$2,663	\$3,570	\$5,043			
Average Final Salary	\$6,046	\$5,405	\$6,042	\$6,009	\$6,758	\$6,888			
Number of Active Retirants	112	324	233	271	338	897			
Safety Members									
Average Monthly Benefit	\$2,233	\$5,909	\$6,416	\$5,507	\$7,360	\$10,046			
Average Final Salary	\$7,299	\$9,266	\$9,611	\$9,843	\$10,481	\$11,921			
Number of Active Retirants	12	29	20	33	118	191			
Survivors									
General Members									
Average Monthly Benefit	\$861	\$804	\$1,097	\$1,403	\$1,889	\$2,496			
Average Final Salary	\$4,743	\$4,020	\$3,961	\$4,451	\$4,930	\$5,611			
Number of Active Survivors	22	54	39	70	60	103			
Safety Members									
Average Monthly Benefit	\$989	\$1,523	\$2,523	\$3,378	\$4,137	\$5,460			
Average Final Salary	\$4,454	\$4,896	\$5,990	\$8,242	\$7,055	\$7,468			
Number of Active Survivors	6	7	10	φο,2 12	20	31			

### Last Ten Fiscal Years

		Ye	ars of Cre	dited Servi	ce	
Retirement Effective Dates	5 - 9	10 - 14	15 - 19	20 - 24	25 - 29	30+
7/1/13 to 6/30/14						
Retirants						
General Members						
Average Monthly Benefit	\$1,913	\$1,624	\$2,024	\$2,722	\$3,553	\$4,788
Average Final Salary	\$6,415	\$5,241	\$5,657	\$5,930	\$6,724	\$6,733
Number of Active Retirants	109	307	240	305	358	726
Safety Members						
Average Monthly Benefit	\$1,542	\$4,454	\$6,018	\$5,225	\$7,467	\$9,719
Average Final Salary	\$6,452	\$8,381	\$10,140	\$9,414	\$10,753	\$11,823
Number of Active Retirants	8	31	18	20	83	212
Survivors						
General Members						
Average Monthly Benefit	\$1,017	\$837	\$936	\$1,726	\$1,888	\$2,550
Average Final Salary	\$4,475	\$4,679	\$3,794	\$4,913	\$4,732	\$6,064
Number of Active Survivors	29	51	37	41	63	119
Safety Members						
Average Monthly Benefit	\$1,031	\$1,709	\$2,056	\$3,132	\$3,827	\$5,358
Average Final Salary	\$6,377	\$6,249	\$5,830	\$6,874	\$6,772	\$7,309
Number of Active Survivors	2	8	6	6	15	22
7/1/14 to 6/30/15						
Retirants						
General Members						
Average Monthly Benefit	\$1,422	\$1,716	\$2,202	\$3,106	\$3,360	\$5,017
Average Final Salary	\$5,939	\$5,543	\$5,903	\$6,731	\$6,294	\$6,970
Number of Active Retirants	126	331	280	308	436	784
Safety Members						
Average Monthly Benefit	\$2,917	\$5,412	\$5,374	\$6,477	\$7,082	\$9,923
Average Final Salary	\$7,015	\$9,261	\$9,810	\$10,748	\$10,400	\$11,847
Number of Active Retirants	20	19	21	28	116	215
Survivors						
General Members						
Average Monthly Benefit	\$903	\$1,021	\$1,342	\$1,854	\$1,799	\$2,741
Average Final Salary	\$4,076	\$4,471	\$5,243	\$5,464	\$4,814	\$5,525
Number of Active Survivors	32	53	40	52	71	126
Safety Members						
Average Monthly Benefit	\$2,101	\$2,054	\$1,768	\$2,911	\$4,530	\$6,206
Average Final Salary	\$5,564	\$6,518	\$4,737	\$6,552	\$6,815	\$8,367

### Active Members and Participating Pension Employers Last Ten Fiscal Years

		2006	2007			
County of Los Angeles	Covered Members	Percentage of Total Covered Members	Covered Members	Percentage of Total Covered Members		
General Members	77,153	87.050%	79,816	86.666%		
Safety Members	11,464	12.935%	12,267	13.320%		
Total	88,617	99.985%	92,083	99,986%		
Participating Agencies						
(General Membership)						
South Coast Air Quality						
Mgmt. District	2	0.002%	2	0.002%		
Los Angeles County		0100270	2	0.002%		
Office of Education	3	0.003%	3	0.003%		
Little Lake Cemetery District	1	0.001%	1	0.003%		
<b>Local Agency Formation</b>			1	0.001/0		
Commission	8	0.009%	7	0.008%		
Total Participating Agencies	14	0.015%	13	0.014%		
Total Active Membership						
General Members	77,167	87.065%	79,829	86.680%		
Safety Members	11,464	12.935%	12,267	13.320%		
Total	88,631	100.000%	92,096	100.000%		

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County of Los Angeles	Covered Members	Percentage of Total Covered Members	Covered Members	Percentage of Total Covered Members		
General Members	81,650	86,409%	82,865	86.509%		
Safety Members	12,828	13.576%	12,910	13.478%		
Total	94,478	99.985%	95,775	99.987%		
Participating Agencies				77770770		
(General Membership)						
South Coast Air Quality						
Mgmt. District	2	0.002%	2	0.002%		
Los Angeles County			2	0.00270		
Office of Education	3	0.003%	3	0.003%		
Little Lake Cemetery District	1	0.001%	1	0.001%		
Local Agency Formation			-	0.00170		
Commission	8	0.009%	7	0.007%		
<b>Total Participating Agencies</b>	14	0.015%	13	0.013%		
Total Active Membership						
General Members	81,664	86.424%	82,878	86.522%		
Safety Members	12,828	13.576%	12,910	13.478%		
Total	94,492	100.000%	95,788	100.000%		

# Active Members and Participating Pension Employers Last Ten Fiscal Years

		2010	2011		
County of Los Angeles	Covered Members	Percentage of Total Covered Members	Covered Members	Percentage of Total Covered Members	
General Members	81,400	86.220%	80,133	86.363%	
Safety Members	12,997	13.767%	12,641	13.624%	
Total	94,397	99.987%	92,774	99.987%	
Participating Agencies				77170770	
(General Membership)					
South Coast Air Quality					
Mgmt. District	2	0.002%	1	0.001%	
Los Angeles County		01002/0	1	0.001%	
Office of Education	3	0.003%	3	0.003%	
Little Lake Cemetery District	1	0.001%	1	0.003%	
Local Agency Formation		***************************************	1	0.00170	
Commission	7	0.007%	7	0.008%	
Total Participating Agencies	13	0.013%	12	0.013%	
Total Active Membership					
General Members	81,413	86.233%	80,145	86.376%	
Safety Members	12,997	13.767%	12,641	13.624%	
Total	94,410	100.000%	92,786	100.000%	

	20	12	2013			
County of Los Angeles	Covered Members	Percentage of Total Covered Members	Covered Members	Percentage of Total Covered Members		
General Members	79,459	86.413%	78,997	86.293%		
Safety Members	12,485	13.578%	12,539	13.697%		
Total	91,944	99.991%	91,536	99.990%		
Participating Agencies						
(General Membership)						
South Coast Air Quality						
Mgmt. District	1	0.001%	1	0.001%		
Los Angeles County			•	0.00170		
Office of Education	_	0.000%	-	0.000%		
Little Lake Cemetery District	1	0.001%	1	0.001%		
Local Agency Formation				314 4 27 3		
Commission	6	0.007%	7	0.008%		
Total Participating Agencies	8	0.009%	9	0.010%		
Total Active Membership						
General Members	79,467	86.422%	79,006	86.303%		
Safety Members	12,485	13.578%	12,539	13.697%		
Total	91,952	100.000%	91,545	100.000%		

# Active Members and Participating Pension Employers Last Ten Fiscal Years

		2014	2015			
County of Los Angeles	Covered Members	Percentage of Total Covered Members	Covered Members	Percentage of Total Covered Members		
General Members	79,934	86.447%	81,219	86.704%		
Safety Members	12,523	13.543%	12,446	13.286%		
Total	92,457	99.990%	93,665	99.990%		
Participating Agencies						
(General Membership)						
South Coast Air Quality						
Mgmt. District	1	0.001%	1	0.001%		
Los Angeles County		0.00270	1	0.001%		
Office of Education	_	0.000%		0.000%		
Little Lake Cemetery District	1	0.001%	1	0.000%		
<b>Local Agency Formation</b>			1	0.001/0		
Commission	7	0.008%	7	0.008%		
<b>Total Participating</b>				0,000/0		
Agencies	9	0.010%	9	0.010%		
Total Active Membership						
General Members	79,943	86.457%	81,228	86.714%		
Safety Members	12,523	13.543%	12,446	13.286%		
Total	92,466	100.000%	93,674	100.000%		

Last Ten Fiscal Years*					
2007 to 2011	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Los Angeles County					
and Participating Agencies					
Medical	40,807	40,444	40,868	41,676	42,627
Dental/Vision	40,172	40,628	41,175	42,045	43,114
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2012 to 2015		2012	2013	2014	2015
Los Angeles County					STATE OF THE PARTY
and Participating Agencies					
Medical		43,746	44,753	45,576	46,567
Dental/Vision		44,344	45,485	46,383	47,486

<sup>\*</sup>This schedule was implemented effective with GASB Statement No. 43 reporting in fiscal year-end June 30, 2007.

If the OPEB counts in this schedule are different from the counts in Note N - Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) Program in the Financial Section, the differences are due to data edits conducted for the actuarial valuation by the consulting actuary. Data in Note N includes members who retired on or before July 1 but did not enroll for insurance coverage until after July 1.

## Employer Contribution Rates: County of Los Angeles Last Ten Fiscal Years

			General l	Members			Sa	<b>Iembers</b>		
Effective Date	Plan A	Plan B	Plan C	Plan D	Plan E	Plan G*	Plan A	Plan B	Plan C*	
7/1/2005 to 6/30/2006	21.42%	14.53%	14.16%	14.25%	14.33%	_	28.21%	23.65%	_	
7/1/2006 to 6/30/2007	20.17%	13.31%	13.02%	13.16%	13.32%	_	28.05%	22.70%		
7/1/2007 to 6/30/2008	18.14%	11.44%	11.14%	11.33%	11.29%	_	26.89%	20.93%	_	
7/1/2008 to 6/30/2009	17.64%	10.79%	10.22%	10.79%	10.67%		28.16%	20.54%	_	
7/1/2009 to 9/30/2010	17.28%	10.62%	9.88%	10.48%	10.45%	_	27.83%	20.35%	_	
10/1/2010 to 9/30/2011	19.40%	12.74%	12.23%	12.65%	12.67%		29.46%	22.69%	_	
10/1/2011 to 9/30/2012	21.59%	15.00%	14.51%	14.80%	15.30%	_	30.38%	24.10%	_	
10/1/2012 to 9/30/2013	22.65%	15.55%	15.35%	16.00%	16.77%	-	31.55%	25.37%		
1/1/2013 to 9/30/2013	_	_		_	_	15.61%	-		20.98%	
10/1/2013 to 9/30/2014	25.08%	17.95%	17.54%	18.24%	19.09%	17.81%	34.63%	27.92%		
10/1/2014 to 6/30/2015	26.99%	19.49%	19.01%	19.74%	20.95%	19.53%	35.91%	29.26%	23.18% 25.29%	

<sup>\*</sup>As a result of PEPRA implementation, effective January 1, 2013.

### Employer Contribution Rates: Little Lake Cemetery District<sup>1</sup>, Local Agency Formation Commission<sup>2</sup>, and Los Angeles County Office of Education<sup>3</sup> Last Ten Fiscal Years

			General					
Effective Date			Plan A	Plan D	Plan E	Plan G⁴		
7/1/2005	to	6/30/2006			21.42%	14.25%	14.33%	_
7/1/2006	to	6/30/2007			20.17%	13.16%	13.32%	_
7/1/2007	to	6/30/2008			18.14%	11.33%	11.29%	
7/1/2008	to	6/30/2009			17.64%	10.79%	10.67%	_
7/1/2009	to	9/30/2010			17.28%	10.48%	10.45%	_
10/1/2010	to	9/30/2011			19.40%	12.65%	12,67%	
10/1/2011	to	9/30/2012			21.59%	14.80%	15.30%	_
10/1/2012	to	9/30/2013			_	16.00%	16.77%	
1/1/2013	to	9/30/2013			~	_	_	15.61%
10/1/2013	to	9/30/2014				18.24%	— 19.09%	17.81%
10/1/2014	to	6/30/2015			N REF	19.74%	20.95%	
						174/17/0	20.7370	19.53%

#### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Rates applicable to Little Lake Cemetery District are limited to Plan D.

<sup>2</sup>Rates applicable to the Local Agency Formation Commission are limited to Plans D, E, and G.

<sup>4</sup>As a result of PEPRA implementation effective January 1, 2013.

# **Employer Contribution Rates: South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD)**<sup>1</sup>

Last Ten Fiscal Years

			General	
Effective Date		Plan A <sup>2</sup>	Plan B	Plan C <sup>3</sup>
7/1/2005 to 6/30/20	006	_	20.39%	18.80%
7/1/2006 to 6/30/20	007	_	19.18%	18.91%
7/1/2007 to 6/30/20	008	24.04%	17.31%	17.04%
7/1/2008 to 6/30/20	009	22.38%	16.67%	_
7/1/2009 to 9/30/20	010	22.02%	16.51%	
10/1/2010 to 9/30/20	011	24.14%	18.64%	_
10/1/2011 to 9/30/20	012	_	20.90%	_
10/1/2012 to 9/30/20	013		21.45%	_
10/1/2013 to 9/30/20	014		23.87%	_
10/1/2014 to 6/30/20	015		25.38%	_

#### NOTES:

SCAQMD recalculates its employer contribution rates to pick up a portion of its employee rates, in accordance with its labor contract.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Rates applicable to the Los Angeles County Office of Education are limited to Plan A. Effective June 30, 2012, all participating members retired, leaving no active members for this agency.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Effective March 31, 2011, participating member in Plan A retired, leaving no active members in Plan A.

Member changed from Plan C to Plan A effective November 2007, leaving no active members in Plan C.

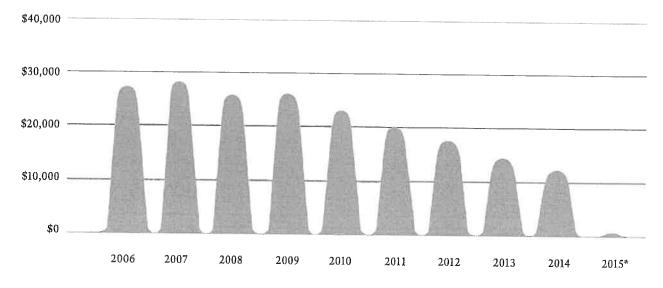


# Supplemental Targeted Adjustment for Retirees Cost-of-Living Adjustment (STAR COLA)

The STAR COLA Program is administered on a calendar-year basis. The chart below represents the STAR COLA Program cost for the last 10 years.

# LACERA STAR COLA PROGRAM COSTS

**AS OF JUNE 2015** 



<sup>\*</sup>Represents Program year through June 30.





# LOS ANGELES COUNTY OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFIT (OPEB) TRUST FUND INVESTMENT POLICY STATEMENT

#### INTRODUCTION

The Los Angeles County Employees Retirement Association ("LACERA") has been named as the Investment Manager for the Los Angeles County Other Post-employment Benefit Trust ("OPEB" or "the Trust"). As the Trustee, the LACERA Board of Investments (the "Board") has the responsibility to oversee investment of the Trust assets. LACERA's Investment Staff ("Investment Staff" or "Staff") provides the day-to-day oversight of the investment activities, and executes the instructions of the Board.

This document provides the framework for the management of the OPEB Trust's assets. The purpose of the Investment Policy is to assist the Board and Staff in effectively supervising and monitoring the investment and use of OPEB Trust assets. Specifically, it addresses the following issues:

- The general goals of the investment program.
- Specific asset class allocations, targets, and ranges.
- Performance objectives.
- The investment policies and structures for the management of the assets.
- Responsible parties and duties.

The Board establishes this investment policy in accordance with applicable local, State, and Federal laws. The Board members exercise authority and control over the management of the Trust, by setting policy which the Investment Staff executes through the use of external prudent experts. The Board oversees and guides the Trust subject to the following basic fiduciary responsibilities:

- Solely in the interest of, and for the exclusive purpose of providing other post employment benefits to employees and retirees of Los Angeles County.
- With the care, skill, prudence, and diligence under the circumstances then prevailing that a prudent person acting in a like capacity and familiar with these matters would use in the conduct of an enterprise of a like character with like objectives.
- To diversify the investments of the Trust so as to minimize the risk of loss and to maximize the rate of return, unless under the circumstances, it is clearly prudent

not to do so. Diversification is applicable to the deployment of the assets as a whole.

This policy statement is designed to allow for sufficient flexibility in the management oversight process to capture investment opportunities as they may occur, while setting forth reasonable parameters to ensure prudence and care in the execution of the investment program. Incorporated by reference and attached to this document are the following:

#### Attachments

- A Cash and Cash Equivalents Investment Policy
  - Enhanced Cash Investment
- B Global Equity Investment Policy
- C Manager Monitoring and Review Policy

These are concise policy statements; more detailed strategic plans or procedures may be developed separately.

#### **INVESTMENT GOALS**

The Trust's general investment goals are broad in nature. The objective shall be to efficiently allocate and manage the assets dedicated to the payment of post employment benefits and administrative expenses. The following goals, consistent with the above described purpose, are adopted:

- The overall goal of the Trust's investment program is to provide employees and retirees of Los Angeles County with post-employment health care benefits as promised. This will be accomplished through a carefully planned and executed long-term investment program.
- Trust assets will be managed on a total return basis. While the Trust recognizes the importance of the preservation of capital, it also adheres to the principle that varying degrees of investment risk are generally rewarded with compensating returns in the long term. At the request of the Plan Sponsor, a reserve of \$100 million cash is established for potential immediate access.
- The Plan Sponsor requests the remainder of the assets be invested in an effort to maximize the total return of the Trust consistent with market conditions and appropriate levels of risk.

The Investment Policy has been designed to allow the Trust to achieve a long-term total return. Consequently, prudent risk-taking is warranted within the context of overall portfolio diversification to meet this goal. The investment activities are designed and executed in a manner that serves the best interests of the beneficiaries of the Trust.

All transactions undertaken will be for the sole economic benefit of beneficiaries and for the exclusive purpose of providing benefits to them.

The OPEB Trust has a long-term investment horizon, and utilizes an asset allocation which encompasses a strategic, long-run perspective of capital markets. It is generally recognized that a strategic long-term asset allocation plan implemented in a consistent and disciplined manner will be the major determinant of the Trust's investment performance.

Investment recommendations and subsequent actions are expected to comply with "prudent expert" standards.

#### ASSET ALLOCATION POLICY

The asset allocation policy is predicated on a number of factors, including:

- A projection of actuarial assets, liabilities, benefit payments, contributions, and the assumed actuarial rate of return<sup>1</sup>.
- Historical behavior and expected long-term capital market risk, return and correlation forecasts.
- An assessment of future economic conditions, including inflation and interest rate levels.
- The current and projected funded status of the Trust.
- Various risk/return scenarios.
- Liquidity requirements.
- Requests by the Plan Sponsor regarding investment of assets

This policy provides for diversification of assets in an effort to maximize the total return of the Trust consistent with market conditions and risk control. The asset allocation modeling process identifies asset classes the Trust may utilize and the percentage that each class represents of the total fund. Due to the fluctuation of market values, positioning within a specified range is acceptable and constitutes compliance with the policy. Investment Staff will monitor and assess the actual asset allocation versus policy and will evaluate any variation deemed significant.

The Board will implement the asset allocation policy through the use of passive investment managers, who will invest the assets of their portfolios. All investments are subject to investment guidelines incorporated into the executed investment management agreements or the policies established by the Board<sup>2</sup>. The strategic asset allocation targets and ranges for the investments of the Trust's assets are shown below:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The July 1, 2012 OPEB Actuarial Valuation indicates an assumed actuarial rate of return of 5%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> General Investment Guidelines may be found in the attachments related to Global Equity Policy and Cash and Cash Equivalents Investment Policy. Through this Investment Policy Statement, Staff is authorized to implement Investment Guidelines specific to each portfolio within these constraints. Investment Guidelines falling outside these constraints require approval by the Chief Investment Officer, with notice to the Board.

ASSET CLASS	BENCHMARK	TARGET ALLOCATION	ALLOCATION RANGE
Cash/Enhanced Cash	Citi 6-month T-Bills Index	\$100 million	
Global Public Equity	MSCI ACWI IMI	100% of remainder of assets	
TOTAL FUND		100%	

#### PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES

The long-term performance objective of the Trust's total fund is to match its Policy benchmark gross of fees

#### INVESTMENT PROGRAM POLICIES

The policies of the Trust's investment program are designed to maximize the likelihood that the investment goals will be achieved. Investment policies will evolve as fund conditions change and as investment conditions warrant. In addition, legislative modifications, as adopted by the Federal or State Government, will be adhered to.

#### **Portfolio Components**

The OPEB Trust will utilize the following portfolio components to fulfill the asset allocation targets and total fund performance goals established elsewhere in this document.

**Cash and Cash Equivalents** -Cash equivalents are part of the Trust's strategic asset allocation. Cash equivalents will be invested in short term investments as described in **Attachment A** 

**Global Equities** - The Trust will utilize Global Index Funds and not pursue active management strategies. Policies for this asset class are contained in **Attachment B**.

#### **INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT POLICIES**

The Trust will utilize externally managed portfolios based on specific mandates and methodologies. The external managers will be expected to acknowledge in writing that they are Trust fiduciaries, and they will have discretion and authority to determine investment strategy, security selection and timing, subject to the Policy guidelines and investment guidelines specific to their portfolio.

Investment managers, as prudent experts, will be expected to know specific investment guidelines for their portfolios, and to comply with these guidelines. It is each manager's responsibility to identify guidelines that may have an adverse impact on performance, and to initiate discussion with Staff toward possible improvement of said guidelines.

As outlined in the Manager Monitoring and Annual Review Policy (Attachment C), Staff, under Board supervision, is responsible for monitoring investment managers' adherence to their investment mandate, and any material changes in the managers' organization. The investment managers retained by the Trust will be responsible for informing Staff of all such material changes on a timely basis. Further, Staff is responsible for monitoring and evaluating manager performance on a regular basis relative to each portfolio's benchmark return and relative to a peer group of managers with similar investment mandates.

Investment managers under contract to the Trust shall have discretion to establish and execute transactions with any securities broker/dealers as needed. However, the Trust reserves the right to preclude investment managers from directing trades through brokerage subsidiaries of Trust or LACERA contractors. The investment managers must obtain the most favorable executions with respect to all of the portfolio transactions as market conditions permit.

#### **Prohibited Transactions**

The following transactions will be prohibited unless stated otherwise in the investment manager guidelines:

- Short sales.
- Selling or buying on margin.
- "Prohibited transactions" as defined under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).
- Transactions that involve a broker acting as a "principal", where such broker is also the investment manager who is making the transaction.
- Any or all investment activities forbidden by SEC or other applicable governing bodies.
- No investment manager or trustee may leverage the OPEB Trust portfolio by investing more than 100% of the total market value. This measure must reflect the effective exposure associated with derivative securities. The exposure for options, when permitted by contract, must be based on an appropriate options pricing model.

#### **Selection Criteria for Investment Managers**

Criteria will be established for each manager search undertaken by the Trust and will be tailored to the Trust's needs in such a search. In general, eligible managers will possess attributes including, but not limited to, the following:

- The firm must be experienced in managing investments for institutional clients in the asset class/product category/investment style specified by the Trust.
- The firm must display a record of stability in retaining and attracting qualified investment professionals, as well as a record of managing asset growth effectively, both in gaining and retaining clients.
- The firm must have an asset base sufficient to accommodate the Trust's portfolio. In general, the Trust's portfolio should make up no more than 25% of the firm's total asset base at funding. Exceptions may be made on a case-by-case basis.
- The firm must demonstrate adherence to the investment mandate sought by the Trust, and adherence to the firm's stated investment discipline.
- The firm's fees should be competitive with industry standards for the product category.
- The firm must comply with the "Duties of the Investment Managers" outlined herein.
- The firm must conform to Global Investment Performance Standards (GIPS) for performance reporting.

As much as possible, the Trust intends to leverage the relationships LACERA maintains with various asset management organizations in order to take advantage of preferred pricing and capabilities. Where the needs of the Trust differ from those of LACERA, such considerations shall take precedence in the manager selection process.

#### **Termination Criteria for Investment Managers**

LACERA reserves the right to terminate an investment manager for any reason. Grounds for investment manager termination may include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Failure to comply with the guidelines agreed upon for management of the Trust portfolio, including holding restricted issues.
- Failure to achieve performance objectives specified in the manager's guidelines.
- Significant deviation from the manager's stated investment philosophy and/or process.
- Loss of key personnel.
- Evidence of illegal or unethical behavior by the investment management firm.
- Lack of willingness to cooperate with reasonable requests by LACERA for information, meetings or other material related to its portfolios.
- Loss of confidence by Staff and the Board in the investment manager.

• A change in the Trust's asset allocation program which necessitates a shift of assets to another sector.

The presence of any one of these factors will be carefully reviewed by LACERA Staff, but will not necessarily result in an automatic termination.

#### **DUTIES OF RESPONSIBLE PARTIES**

#### **Duties of LACERA's Board of Investments**

The Board or its designee(s) will adhere to the following in the management of Trust assets:

- Shall approve guidelines for the execution of the Trust's investment program. Only the Board in its sole discretion can delegate its decision-making authority regarding the investment program. Staff will be responsible for the timely implementation and administration of these decisions.
- Shall review the Trust's investment structure, asset allocation and financial performance annually or more frequently as the need arises. The review will include recommended adjustments to the long-term, strategic asset allocation to reflect any changes in applicable regulations, long-term capital market assumptions, actuarial assumptions or the Trust's financial condition.
- Shall review Trust investments quarterly or as needed to ensure that policies
  and guidelines continue to be met. The Board shall monitor investment
  returns on both an absolute basis and relative to appropriate benchmarks and
  peer group comparisons. The source of information for these reviews shall
  come from Staff, consultants, the custodian and the Trust's investment
  managers.
- May retain investment consultants to provide such services as conducting performance reviews, asset allocation, manager reviews and investment research. The comments and recommendations of the consultants will be considered in conjunction with other available information to aid the Board in making informed, prudent decisions.
- Shall take appropriate action if investment objectives are not being met or if policies and guidelines are not being followed. Reviews for separate portfolios managed by external managers are defined in the Manager Monitoring and Annual Review Policy (Attachment C).
- Shall expect Staff to administer Trust investments in a cost-effective manner subject to Board approval. These costs include, but are not limited to, management, consulting and custodial fees, transaction costs and other administrative costs chargeable to the Trust.
- Shall select a qualified custodian with advice from Staff.
- Shall strive to avoid conflicts of interests.

#### **Duties of the Investment Staff**

The Investment Staff, as designated by the Board, plays a significant role in the management and oversight of the Fund. Investment Staff shall be responsible for the following:

- Manage the strategic asset allocation of the Trust in accordance with agreed upon target ranges and rebalancing policies.
- Monitor external managers for adherence to appropriate policies and guidelines. Ensure that investment managers conform to the terms of their contracts.
- Ensure that due diligence and oversight of the Investment portfolios is conducted.
- Evaluate and manage the relationships with the consultants to the Trust to ensure that they are providing all the necessary assistance to Staff and the Board as set forth in their service contracts.
- Conduct the manager search process, as set forth in this document, with assistance from consultants as directed by the Board.
- Manage portfolio restructurings resulting from external manager terminations with the assistance of consultants and managers, as needed.
- As directed by the Board, conduct special research required to manage the Trust more effectively.
- Report on investment activity and matters of significance at least quarterly.
- Rebalance the portfolio to maintain asset allocation and/or to provide liquidity
  for cash needs or benefit payments. This requires delegating authority to the
  Chief Investment Officer to periodically invest income generated from the
  Enhanced Cash portfolio or Global Equities, or to liquidate assets as needed to
  meet cash needs as requested by the Plan Sponsor for payments related to the
  Retiree Healthcare Program.
- Maintain control over all wire transfers or movement of monies to or from all investment accounts.
- Strive to avoid conflicts of interest.
- Authorize consent to assignments of Investment Manager Agreements that are technical assignments under the Investment Advisors Act of 1940 with subsequent notification to the Board.
- Report to the entire Board if either the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) or a member of the Board of Investments has contacted the Investment Staff on three separate occasions over a rolling one-year period regarding a potential investment manager.
- In addition to these core responsibilities, LACERA's Board of Investments has delegated to the Chief Investment Officer the following authorities. In the event

the CIO is not available, and time is of the essence in making a decision, the CEO shall have the authorities identified below. In the event neither the CIO or CEO are available, a committee comprised of all available Principal Investment Officers shall have such authority.

- O Authority to sign all investment-related consultant contracts and agreements, subsequent to Board approval. Thereafter, authority to sign all amendments and modifications with respect to such contracts and agreements, and make all decisions with respect to their day-to-day operation and implementation where the investment mandate remains substantially unchanged. The Board will receive written notification of all material actions taken.
- Authority to approve temporary variances from public market investment manager guidelines. The Board will receive written notification of all such actions.
- Authority to approve reductions to investment manager fee schedules. The Board will receive written notification of all such actions.
- Authority to limit or freeze manager trading activity pending discussion and action by the Board.
- Authority to take actions not otherwise specifically delegated, when deemed in the best interest of the Trust, in consultation with the CEO and the Chair of the Board of Investments, pending discussion and action by the Board of Investments.

All investment-related contracts and agreements and all amendments and modifications to them are subject to review and approval by LACERA's Legal Office.

#### **Duties of the Investment Managers**

The investment managers shall have designated discretion to direct and manage the investment and reinvestment of assets allocated to their accounts in accordance with this document; applicable Local, State and Federal statutes and regulations; and individual management investment plans and executed contracts. The investment managers shall be responsible for the following:

- Execution of a contractual agreement to invest within the guidelines established in the Investment Plan.
- Provide LACERA with proof of liability and fiduciary insurance coverage.
- Be a SEC-Registered Investment Advisor under the 1940 Act, unless LACERA has previously approved an exemption from registration, and be recognized as providing demonstrated expertise over a number of years in the management of institutional, tax-exempt assets within a defined investment specialty.
- Adhere to the investment management style and principles for which they were retained, including, but not limited to, developing portfolio strategy,

- performing research, developing buy, hold and sell lists, and purchasing and selling securities.
- Execute all transactions for the benefit of the Trust with brokers and dealers qualified to execute institutional orders on an ongoing basis at the best net cost to the Trust.
- Reconcile monthly accounting, transaction and asset summary data with custodian valuations, and communicate and resolve any significant discrepancies with the custodian. Maintain frequent and open communication with Staff on all significant matters that affect the Fund, including, but not limited to, the following:
  - o Major changes in the Investment Manager's investment outlook, investment strategy and portfolio structure.
  - Significant changes in ownership, organizational structure, financial condition or senior personnel.
  - Any changes in the Portfolio Manager or other key personnel assigned to the Plan.
  - Each significant client which terminates its relationship with the Investment Manager, within 30 days of such termination.
  - All pertinent issues which the Investment Manager deems to be of significant interest or material importance.
  - o Meet with the Board or its designee(s) on an as-needed basis.

#### **Duties of the Master Custodian**

The Master Custodian shall be responsible for the following:

- Provide complete global custody and depository services for the designated accounts.
- Manage, if directed by the Board, a Short-Term Investment Fund (STIF) for investment of any cash not invested by managers, and ensure that all available cash is invested. If the cash reserves are managed externally, full cooperation must be provided.
- Provide Staff with portfolio performance in a timely manner, and reconcile differences with managers.
- Provide, in a timely and effective manner, a monthly report of the investment activities implemented by the investment managers.
- Calculate all income and principal realized and properly report the results in periodic statements.
- Provide monthly and fiscal year-end accounting statements for the portfolio, including all transactions; these should be based on accurate security values

for both cost and market. These reports should be provided within acceptable time frames.

- Report to LACERA situations where accurate security pricing, valuation and accrued income is either not possible or subject to considerable uncertainty.
- Provide assistance to LACERA to complete such activities as the annual audit, transaction verification, corporate actions, securities litigation, or unique issues as required by the Board.

#### **Duties of Consultants**

The Board and Staff will consider the comments and recommendations of consultants in conjunction with other available information to make informed, prudent decisions.

#### **General Investment Consultant**

The General Investment Consultant shall be responsible for the following:

- Assist LACERA's senior Staff with strategic investment decisions—focus on "big-picture" total fund investment policy and structure issues.
- **Provide independent reviews**—when requested, provide independent reviews via brief (1 to 2 pages) summary reports to the Board on projects that Staff has completed in the following areas:
  - 1. Investment Policy and Guidelines
  - 2. Asset Class Structures and Strategies
  - 3. Investment Manager Searches
- Calculate performance measurement-independently from LACERA's
  custodian and provide quarterly Trust performance reports. Once a year
  the Consultant will make a performance presentation to the Board of
  Investments.
- **Research investment ideas**—provide independent, thorough research on current industry issues.

**Educate LACERA's Investment Board**-provide educational presentations to the Board on specific issues. Education will range from informational items to critical investment policy issues.

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#### ATTACHMENT A

#### **CASH and CASH EQUIVALENTS INVESTMENT POLICY**

The OPEB Trust's cash is actively managed. The two sources of cash are: 1) a \$100 million Strategic Reserve in the Trust's current asset allocation mix, and 2) un-invested cash swept daily from the Trust's other portfolios. The investment's key objectives are to:

- Preserve principal through the use of high quality, short-term fixed income instruments.
- Diversify with respect to maturity, sector, industry, and issuer.
- Generate income and maintain adequate liquidity to pay benefits,.
- Outperform the Citigroup 6-month U.S. Treasury Bill Index by 25 bps, net-of-fees, over a full market cycle, with an expected tracking error of 0.5% 1%.

The manager may invest in high quality, short-term fixed income instruments with a credit rating of at least A-2/P-2 by Moody's or S&P. The portfolio's maximum average duration is one year, and the maximum average maturity for individual securities is two years. The use of repurchase agreements will be permitted provided these agreements are adequately collateralized.

Although the Trust recognizes that duration management is a key contributor to total return in the management of cash/short-term assets, the investment manager may also enhance the total return of the portfolio through sector rotation and security selection. Investment Staff will continually monitor the manager's portfolio to analyze the account's performance, review stability of key investment personnel, ensure the continuity of their investment process, and verify that securities purchased on the Trust's behalf conform to the stated and approved investment guidelines.

#### **Tobacco Policy**

Investment managers should refrain from purchasing tobacco securities when the same investment goals concerning risk, return, and diversification can be achieved through the purchase of another security.

#### **Sudan Policy**

Investment managers should refrain from purchasing securities where the company has been identified as doing business in Sudan or with the government of Sudan, when the same investment goals concerning risk, return and diversification can be achieved through the purchase of another security.

#### Iran Policy

Investment managers should refrain from purchasing securities where the company has been identified as doing business in Iran's energy sector or with the government of Iran, when the same investment goals concerning risk, return and diversification can be achieved through the purchase of another security.

Reviewed: February 11, 2015 Revised: February 12, 2014 Adopted: November 13, 2012

#### ATTACHMENT B

#### GLOBAL EQUITY INVESTMENT POLICY

The OPEB Trust seeks to maintain a diversified portfolio of equity securities in order to obtain the highest total return for the Fund at an acceptable level of risk within this asset class:

- The Global equity portfolio is expected to earn an annualized rate of return from dividends and realized and unrealized capital gains that matches the Morgan Stanley Capital International All Country World Investable Market Index (MSCI-ACWI IMI) over rolling five-to-seven year periods, with expected tracking error of 5 15 basis points (.05% .15%).
- Passive management will comprise 100% of the total Global Equity portfolio.
- Active management will not be utilized in this portfolio.

Reviewed: February 11, 2015 Adopted: February 12, 2014

#### ATTACHMENT C

#### MANAGER MONITORING AND REVIEW POLICY

This policy outlines and defines, in accordance with Board Policies, a process for the on-going monitoring and review of investment managers by LACERA's Investment Staff on behalf of the Los Angeles County Other Post Employment Benefit Trust ("OPEB Trust" or "Trust") and to establish guidelines for scheduling manager presentations to the Board of Investments (the Board). In adopting this policy, the Board acknowledges that LACERA has developed a highly qualified and capable in-house Investment Staff. The Staff is led by a Chief Investment Officer with asset class responsibility delegated to individual Investment Officers. This Investment Staff is responsible for and fully capable of performing the work assigned to it by the procedures discussed below.

The Board recognizes it is not necessary to meet with every investment manager annually, although from time-to-time, the Board may wish to meet with managers experiencing either performance or organizational related problems.

The following outlines the Investment Staff's responsibilities for monitoring and reporting back to the Board investment manager activities.

#### MONTHLY AND QUARTERLY INVESTMENT REPORTS

#### **Quarterly Chief Investment Officer Reports**

This report will provide the Board asset class market values and target allocations, as well as preliminary performance results for calendar year-to-date, fiscal year-to-date, and most recent calendar year's return. Other information may include investment activity such as manager rebalancing and funding activity.

#### **Performance Measurement Reports**

The Investment Staff will provide quarterly performance measurement reports for the most recent calendar quarter end. Staff will supplement these written reports with oral presentations to the Board annually, alternating every six months with the Trust's general investment consultant.

Public market reports will include the Total Fund results for the trailing quarter, one-, three- and five-year periods. Composite results for all asset classes will also be reported. Public markets individual manager results will also be included in this report. Manager results will include a summary page reviewing all managers' gross and net-of-fee performance results for the most recent quarter, one, three, and five years. Risk-adjusted graphs will be provided for managers with at least three years of data.

A one-page summary for each manager will also be provided in the quarterly performance report. This summary will list each manager's mandate, provide peer and benchmark relative performance and since inception results. Estimated manager fees will be included in the appendix.

#### MONITORING MANAGERS BY INVESTMENT STAFF

The Board has delegated to the investment Staff the fundamental responsibility of monitoring the OPEB Trust's investment managers on an on-going basis. Effectively monitoring managers can be broken into two key areas: identifying critical factors to monitor and establishing how managers will be monitored.

#### **Public Markets**

Staff will monitor the following critical factors: adherence to investment style, changes in key personnel, performance, organizational changes such as a sale of a firm, rapid asset growth or loss, and high staff turnover. Additionally, manager portfolios will be monitored for adherence to investment guidelines and contract compliance issues.

Managers will be monitored via periodic telephone calls and on-site visits. Each manager's performance will be reviewed quarterly. In addition, portfolio characteristics will be reviewed periodically to ensure that a manager is adhering to its investment style. Such reviews will incorporate analytics from external software packages and data provided by the Trust's custodian or obtained from the investment managers.

#### FORMAL BOARD REVIEW OF MANAGERS

Formal manager reviews may be undertaken for any of the following reasons:

- When a manager's last three consecutive quarters of one year rolling excess returns are below the calculated performance bands.
- When a manager's last three consecutive quarters of one year rolling excess returns are *above* the calculated performance bands, a manager review may be undertaken at the discretion of the Chief Investment Officer.
- At the Board's request.
- At either Staff's or Consultant's recommendations.

Staff will notify the Board during performance reviews, or at other times of the year, when in Staff's opinion it is necessary to conduct a manager review. Additionally, the Board may periodically decide for no particular reason to invite investment managers to undertake a formal review.

The review may entail the manager conducting a formal presentation to the Board of Investments. Managers requested to present to the Board because of performance or organizational concerns will be asked to specifically address these issues. They will also be asked to review the following key points:

- Investment philosophy.
- Performance results.
- Past Investment strategy and performance impact relative to the benchmark.
- Current investment strategy.
- Potential investment strategy risk.

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### **OPEB TRUST FUND**

for the quarter ended June 30, 2015

#### **COMMENTARY**

The Los Angeles County Other Post Employment Benefit (OPEB) Trust was funded in January of 2013 with an initial deposit of \$325.6 million. Additional contributions during the first quarter of 2013 raised total deposits to \$448.8 million. The OPEB portfolio was invested initially in an enhanced cash mandate. In December of 2013, LACERA's Board of Investments approved a new allocation consisting of a strategic reserve of \$100 million in cash, with the remainder invested in a global equity index fund. As of June 30, 2015, the OPEB Trust's market value was \$488.4 million, consisting of \$388.2 million in equity and \$100.2 million in cash.

The equity investment is benchmarked to the MSCI All Country World Investable Market Index (ACWI IMI), which reflects equity market performance in the U.S., as well as unhedged non-U.S. market returns in developed and emerging countries. The equity portfolio returned 0.64% for the quarter, slightly outperforming the index return of 0.54%. The index performance reflected a return of 0.10% in the U.S., -0.45% in Canada, 0.96% in Europe, 1.35% in the Pacific region, and 1.19% in emerging markets.

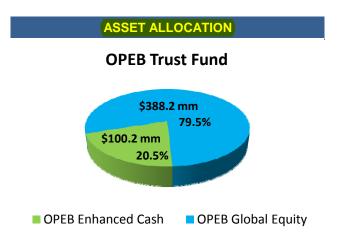
The cash portion is invested in high quality, short-term debt instruments such as U.S. Treasury Bills and Notes, commercial paper and other corporate obligations, certificates of deposit, and asset-backed securities. The portfolio's exposure to interest rate risk is low, as signified by a duration of 0.3 years. The cash portfolio return was 0.13% for the quarter, versus the 0.02% return of its benchmark, the Citigroup 6 month T-Bill index.

The combined OPEB portfolio's gross return for the second quarter was 0.54%, versus the blended cash/equity benchmark return of 0.43%.

CONTRIBUTION HISTORY				
Date	Description	Amount		
01/17/13	Initial Funding	\$325,610,555		
01/30/13	Deposit	\$43,360,129		
02/15/13	Deposit	\$21,313,821		
02/28/13	Deposit	\$20,611,263		
03/15/13	Deposit	\$20,508,942		
03/29/13	Deposit	\$17,414,061		
Total Contribution	ns:	\$448,818,771		

PERFORMANCE						
	Qtr	FYTD	1 Yr	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	10 Yrs
OPEB Global Equity	0.64	1.18	1.18			
MSCI ACWI IMI (Net)	0.54	0.81	0.81			
OPEB Enhanced Cash	0.13	0.40	0.40			
CG 6-Month T-Bill	0.02	0.07	0.07			
<b>OPEB Trust Fund - Gross</b>	0.54	1.02	1.02			
<b>OPEB Trust Fund - Net</b>	0.53	0.98	0.98			
<b>OPEB Trust Fund - Net All*</b>	0.52	0.94	0.94			
<b>OPEB Custom Index</b>	0.43	0.66	0.66			

<sup>\*</sup> Includes Custody & LACERA's Administrative Fees (\$18,351 a month since inception).



MARKET VALUE & PERCENT OWNERSHIP					
County	\$486,516,956	99.62%			
LACERA	\$1,860,719	0.38%			
<b>OPEB Trust</b>	\$488,377,675	100.00%			



## **OPEB TRUST FUND**

for the quarter ended June 30, 2015

MANAGER PROFILE

Firm: BlackRock Institutional Trust Co.

Location: San Franciso, CA

Year Founded: 1985

Portfolio Manager: Lilian Wan, Managing Director

Account Assets: \$388,219,458

Account Inception: Mar-14

Benchmark: MSCI ACWI IMI (Net)

Investment Style: Global Equity

PERFORMANCE						
Qtr FYTD 1 Yr 3 Yrs 5 Yrs 10 Y						10 Yrs
OPEB Global Equity	0.64	1.18	1.18			
MSCI ACWI IMI (Net)	0.54	0.81	0.81			

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Firm: J.P. Morgan Asset Management

Location: New York, NY

Year Founded: 1871

Portfolio Manager: Kyongsoo Noh, Exec. Director

Account Assets: \$100,158,218

Account Inception: Feb-13

Benchmark: Citigroup 6-month T-Bill

Investment Style: Enhanced Cash

PERFORMANCE						
Qtr FYTD 1 Yr 3 Yrs 5 Yrs 10 Yrs						
OPEB Enhanced Cash	0.13	0.40	0.40			
CG 6-Month T-Bill	0.02	0.07	0.07			



June 30, 2015

#### **Objective**

The objective of the CERBT Strategy 1 portfolio is to seek returns that reflect the broad investment performance of the financial markets through capital appreciation and investment income. There is no guarantee that the portfolio will achieve its investment objective.

#### Strategy

The CERBT Strategy 1 portfolio is invested in various asset classes in percentages approved by the CalPERS Board. The specific percentages of portfolio assets allocated to each asset class are shown under "Composition". Generally, equities are intended to help build the value of the employer's portfolio over the long term while bonds are intended to help provide income and stability of principal. Also, strategies invested in a higher percentage of equities seek higher investment returns (but assume more risk) compared with strategies invested in a higher percentage of bonds.

Compared with CERBT Strategy 2 and Strategy 3, this portfolio consists of a higher percentage of equities than bonds and other assets. Historically, equities have displayed greater price volatility and therefore this portfolio may experience greater fluctuation of value. Employers that seek higher investment returns, and are able to accept greater risk and tolerate more fluctuation in returns, may wish to consider this portfolio.

CalPERS Board may change the list of approved asset classes, in composition as well as targeted allocation percentages and ranges at any time.

#### **Assets Under Management**

As of the specifed reporting month-end, the aggregate total of assets under management for all CERBT Strategies was

\$4,435,254,081.

#### Composition

#### Asset Class Allocations and Benchmarks

The CERBT Strategy 1 portfolio consists of the following accorresponding benchmarks:

Asset Class	Target Allocation <sup>1</sup>	Target Range	Benchmark
Global Equity	57%	± 2%	MSCI All Country World Index IMI (net)
Fix ed Income	27%	±2%	Barclay's Capital Long Liability Index
Treasury Inflation- Protected Securities ("TIPS")	5%	± 2%	Barclays Capital Global: US TIPS Index
Real Estate Investment Trusts ("REITs")	8%	± 2%	FTSE EPRA/NAREIT Developed Liquid Index (net)
C ommodities	3%	± 2%	S&P GSCI Total Return Index

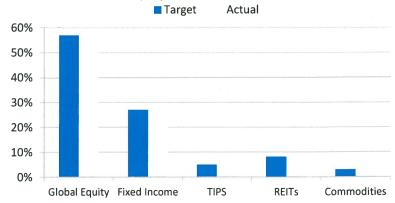
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Allocations approved by the Board at the October 2014 Investment Committee meeting

#### **Portfolio Benchmark**

The CERBT Strategy 1 benchmark is a composite of underlying asset class market indices, each assigned the target weight for the asset class it represents.

#### **Target vs. Actual Asset Class Allocations**

The following chart shows policy target allocations compared with actual asset allocations as of the specified reporting month-end. CalPERS may overweight or underweight an allocation to a particular asset class based on market, economic, or CalPERS policy considerations.



CERBT Strategy 1 Performance as of June 30, 2015							
	1 Month	3 Months	Fiscal YTD	1 Year	3 Years*	5 Years*	Since Inception* (June 1, 2007)
Returns before expenses <sup>1</sup>	-2.15%	-0.93%	-0.11%	-0.11%	9.79%	10.62%	4.19%
Benchmark returns	-2.23%	-1.07%	-0.57%	-0.57%	9.43%	10.46%	3.74%

<sup>\*</sup>Returns for periods greater than one year are annualized.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See the Expense section of this document.



June 30, 2015

#### **General Information**

#### Information Accessibility

The CERBT Strategy 1 portfolio consists of assets managed internally by CalPERS and/or external advisors. Since it is not a mutual fund, a prospectus is not available nor is information available from a newspaper source. This summary is designed to provide descriptive information. CalPERS provides a quarterly statement of the employer's account and other information about the CERBT. For total market value, detailed asset allocation, investment policy and current performance information, including performance to the most recent month-end, please visit our website at: www.calpers.ca.gov.

#### **Portfolio Manager Information**

The CalPERS Investment Committee and Board of Administration directs the investment strategy and investments of the CERBT. Under that direction, CalPERS Investment staff manages fixed income, treasuery inflation-protected securities and commodities assets; and State Street Global Advisors (SSgA) manages the global equity and real estate investment trust assets.

#### **Custodian and Record Keeper**

State Street Bank serves as custodian for the CERBT. Northeast Retirement Services serves as record keeper.

#### **Expenses**

CERBT is a self-funded trust in which participating employers pay for all administrative and investment expenses. Expenses reduce the gross investment return by the fee amount. The larger the fee, the greater the reduction of investment return. Currently, CERBT expenses are 0.10% which consist of administrative expenses borne by CalPERS to administer and oversee the Trust assets, investment management and administrative fees paid to SSqA to manage the global equity and real estate trust assets, and recordkeeping fees paid to Northeast Retirement Services to administer individual employer accounts. The expenses described herein are reflected in the net asset value per share. CERBT's actual expenses may differ from the amount currently being accrued due to factors such as changes in average fund assets or market conditions. The expense accrual rate may change without notice in order to reflect changes in average portfolio assets or in expense amounts. The CalPERS Board annually reviews the operating expenses and changes may be made as appropriate. Even if the portfolio loses money during a period, the fee is still charged.

#### What Employers Own

Each employer choosing CERBT Strategy 1 owns a percentage of this portfolio, which invests in pooled asset classes managed by CalPERS and/or external advisors. Employers do not have direct ownership of the securities in the portfolio.

#### **Price**

The value of the portfolio changes daily, based upon the market value of the underlying securities. Just as prices of individual securities fluctuate, the portfolio's value also changes with market conditions.

#### **Principal Risks of the Portfolio**

The CalPERS CERBT Fund provides California government employers with a trust through which they may prefund retiree medical costs and other postemployment benefits. CERBT is not, however, a defined benefit plan. There is no guarantee that the portfolio will achieve its investment objectives nor provide sufficient funding to meet these employer obligations. Further, CalPERS will not make up the difference between actual health care premiums for payment of future benefits provided to retirees should CERBT assets not be sufficient to cover future obligations.

An investment in the portfolio is not a bank deposit, and it is not insured nor guaranteed by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), CalPERS, the State of California or any other government agency.

There are risks associated with investing, including possible loss of principal. The portfolio's risk depends in part on the portfolio's asset class allocations and the selection, weighting and risks of the underlying investments. For more information about investment risks, please see the document entitled "CERBT Principal Investment Risks" located at www.calpers.ca.gov.

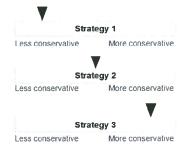
#### **Fund Performance**

Performance data shown on page 1 represents past performance and is no guarantee of future results. The investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an employer's units, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be higher or lower than historical performance data shown. For current performance information, please visit www.calpers.ca.gov and follow the links to California Employer Retirees' Benefit Trust.

#### **CERBT Strategy Risk Levels**

CalPERS offers employers the choice of one of three investment strategies. Risk levels among strategies vary, depending upon the target asset class allocations. Generally, equities carry more risk than fixed income securities.

Asset Class Target Allocations	Strategy 1	Strategy 2	Strategy 3
Global Equity	57%	40%	24%
Fixed Income	27%	39%	39%
Treasury Inflation-Protected Securities	5%	10%	26%
Real Estate Investment Trusts	8%	8%	8%
Commodities	3%	3%	3%





# PARS DIVERSIFIED PORTFOLIOS CAPITAL APPRECIATION AS OF JUNE 30, 2015

## WHY THE PARS DIVERSIFIED CAPITAL APPRECIATION PORTFOLIO?

#### **Comprehensive Investment Solution**

HighMark® Capital Management, Inc.'s (HighMark) diversified investment portfolios are designed to balance return expectations with risk tolerance. Key features include: sophisticated asset allocation and optimization techniques, four layers of diversification (asset class, style, manager, and security), access to rigorously screened, top tier money managers, flexible investment options, and experienced investment management.

#### Rigorous Manager Due Diligence

Our manager review committee utilizes a rigorous screening process that searches for investment managers and styles that have not only produced above-average returns within acceptable risk parameters, but have the resources and commitment to continue to deliver these results. We have set high standards for our investment managers and funds. This is a highly specialized, time consuming approach dedicated to one goal: competitive and consistent performance.

#### **Flexible Investment Options**

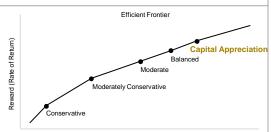
In order to meet the unique needs of our clients, we offer access to flexible implementation strategies: HighMark Plus utilizes actively managed mutual funds while Index Plus utilizes index-based securities, including exchange-traded funds. Both investment options leverage HighMark's active asset allocation approach.

#### **Risk Management**

The portfolio is constructed to control risk through four layers of diversification – asset classes (cash, fixed income, equity), investment styles (large cap, small cap, international, value, growth), managers and securities. Disciplined mutual fund selection and monitoring process helps to drive return potential while reducing portfolio risk.

#### **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE**

The primary goal of the Capital Appreciation objective is growth of principal. The major portion of the assets are invested in equity securities and market fluctuations are expected.



Risk (Standard Deviation)

#### **ASSET ALLOCATION** — CAPITAL APPRECIATION PORTFOLIO

	Strategic Range	Policy	Tactical
Equity	65 - 85%	75%	73%
Fixed Income	10 - 30%	20%	24%
Cash	0 - 20%	5%	3%

(Gross of Investment Management Fees, but ANNUALIZED TOTAL RETURNS Net of Embedded Fund Fees)

Current Quarter*	0.30%
Blended Benchmark**	-0.29%
Year To Date*	2.79%
Blended Benchmark*	1.90%
1 Year	3.65%
Blended Benchmark	3.97%
3 Year	11.73%
Blended Benchmark	12.13%
5 Year	11.77%
Blended Benchmark	12.25%
Inception To Date (78-Mos.)	11.76%
Blended Benchmark	12.60%

<sup>\*</sup> Returns less than 1-year are not annualized. \*\*Breakdown for Blended Benchmark: 39.5% S&P500, 7.5% Russell Mid Cap, 10.5% Russell Mid Cap, 10.5% Russell Mid Cap, 10.5% Russell Mid Cap, 10.5% MSCI EAFE, 16% BC US Agg, 3% ML 1-3 Yr US Corp/Gov't, 1% US High Yield Master II. 2% Wilshire REIT. and 5% Citi 1 Mth T-Bill.

#### **ANNUAL RETURNS**

2008	N/A%
2009	23.77%
2010	12.95%
2011	-1.35%
2012	13.87%
2013	20.33%
2014	6.05%

#### **PORTFOLIO FACTS**

HighMark Plus (Active)		Index Plus (Passive)		
Inception Data	01/2009	Inception Data	N/A	
No of Funds in Portfolio	19	No of Funds in Portfolio	14	

A newly funded account enters a composite after three full months of management and is removed from a composite at the end of the last full month that the account is consistent with the criteria of the composite. Terminated accounts are included in the historical results of a composite through the last full month prior to closing. Composites may include accounts invested in domestic (U.S.) or international (non-U.S.) individual securities, funds, or a combination thereof. Account exclusions based on equity security concentrations are applied quarterly. Employing a construction methodology different from the above could lead to different results.



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#### ABOUT THE ADVISER

 ${\rm HighMark}^{\rm s}$  Capital Management, Inc. (HighMark) has over 90 years (including predecessor organizations) of institutional money management experience with more than \$15.0 billion in assets under management. HighMark has a long term disciplined approach to money management and currently manages assets for a wide array of clients.

#### ABOUT THE PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT TEAM Andrew Brown, CFA®

Senior Portfolio Manager Investment Experience: since 1994

HighMark Tenure: since 1997

Education: MBA, University of Southern California;

BA, University of Southern California

#### Kevin Churchill, CFA®, CFP®

Senior Portfolio Manager Investment Experience: since 1996 HighMark Tenure: since 2012 Education: MS, Seattle University; BS, University of Puget Sound

Salvatore "Tory" Milazzo III, CFA® Senior Portfolio Manager Investment Experience: since 2004 HighMark Tenure: since 2014 Education: BA, Colgate University

#### J. Keith Stribling, CFA

Senior Portfolio Manager Investment Experience: since 1985 Education: BA, Stetson University

#### **Christiane Tsuda**

Senior Portfolio Manager Investment Experience: since 1987 HighMark Tenure: since 2010 Education: BA, International Christian University, Tokyo

## Matthew Webber, CFA® Senior Portfolio Manager

Investment Experience: since 1995 HighMark Tenure: since 2011 Education: BA, University of California, Santa Barbara

#### Anne Wimmer, CFA®

Senior Portfolio Manager Investment Experience: since 1987 HighMark Tenure: since 2007

Education: BA, University of California, Santa Barbara

#### **Asset Allocation Committee**

Number of Members: 15 Average Years of Experience: 26 Average Tenure (Years): 14

#### Manager Review Group

Number of Members: 9 Average Years of Experience: 22 Average Tenure (Years): 8

#### **SAMPLE HOLDINGS**

#### HighMark Plus (Active)

Columbia Contrarian Core Z T. Rowe Price Growth Stock Columbia Small Cap Value II Z T. Rowe Price New Horizons Nationwide Bailard International Equities Nationwide HighMark Bond Vanguard Short-Term Invest-Grade Adm Loomis Sayles Value Y PIMCO Total Return Dodge & Cox International Stock MFS International Growth I First American Prime Obligation Z TIAA-CREF Mid Cap Value

Harbor Capital Appreciation Schroder Emerging Market Equity Dodge & Cox Stock

Ivy Mid Cap Growth

SPDR Euro Stoxx 50 ETF PIMCO High Yield

#### Index Plus (Passive)

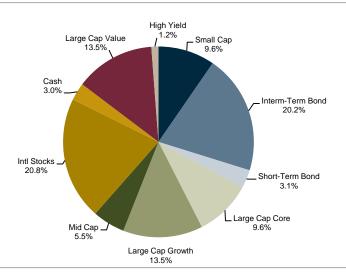
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ATTACHMENT E

Holdings are subject to change at the discretion of the investment manager.

Vanguard FTSE Emerging Markets ETF

#### STYLE



The performance records shown represent size-weighted composites of tax exempt accounts that meet the following criteria: Composites are managed by HighMark's HighMark Capital Advisors (HCA) with full investment authority according to the PARS Capital Appreciation active and passive objectives and do not have equity concentration of 25% or more in one common stock security.

e adviser to the PARS portfolios is US Bank, and HighMark serves as sub-adviser to US Bank to manage these portfolios. US Bank by charge clients as much as 0.60% annual management fee based on a sliding scale. As of June 30, 2015, the blended rate is 18%. US Bank pays HighMark 60% of the annual management fee for assets sub-advised by HighMark under its sub-advisory agreement with US Bank. The 36 basis points paid to HighMark, as well as other expenses that may be incurred in the management of the portfolio, will reduce the portfolio returns. Assuming an investment for five years, a 5% annual total return, and an annual sub-advisory fee rate of 0.36% deducted from the assets at market at the end of each year, a 10 million initial value would grow to \$12.54 million after fees (Net-of-Fees) and \$12.76 million before fees (Gross-of-Fees). Additional information regarding the firm's policies and procedures for calculating and reporting performance results is available upon request. In Q1 2010, the PARS Composite definition was changed from \$750,000 minimum to no minimum. Performance results are calculated and presented in U.S. dollars and do not reflect the deduction of investment advisory fees, custody fees, or taxes but do reflect the deduction of trading expenses. Returns are calculated based on trade-date accounting.

Blended benchmarks represent HighMark's strategic allocations between equity, fixed income, and cash and are rebalanced monthly. Benchmark returns do not reflect the deduction of advisory fees or other expenses of investing but assumes the reinvestment of dividends and other earnings. An investor cannot invest directly in an index. The unmanaged S&P 500 Index is representative of the performance of large companies in the U.S. stock market. The MSCI EAFE Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization index performance of large companies in the U.S. stock market. The MSCI EAFE Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization index designed to measure developed market equity performance, excluding the U.S. and Canad. The MSCI Emerging Markets Free Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization index that is designed to measure equity market performance in the global emerging markets. The Russell Midcap Index measures the performance of the mid-cap segment of the U.S. equity universe. The Russell 2000 Index measures the performance of the small-cap segment of the U.S. expective universe. The Russell 2000 Midca measures the performance of below investment grade U.S. dollar-denominated corporate bonds publicly issued in the U.S. domestic market. Wilshire REIT index measures U.S. publicly traded Real Estate Investment Trusts. The unmanaged Barclays Capital (BC) U.S. Aggregate Bond Index is generally representative of the U.S. taxable bond market as a whole. The Mertill Lynch (ML) 1-3 Year U.S. Corporate & Government Index, with a remaining term to final maturity less than 3 years. The unmanaged Citizon 1.4 Mouth Traesure, Bill Index tracks the visid of the 4 month 1.5. Traesure. final maturity less than 3 years. The unmanaged Citigroup 1-Month Treasury Bill Index tracks the yield of the 1-month U.S. Treasury

HighMark Capital Management, Inc. (HighMark), an SEC-registered investment adviser, is a wholly owned subsidiary of MUFG Union Bank, N.A. (MUB). HighMark manages institutional separate account portfolios for a wide variety of for-profit and nonprofit organizations, public agencies, public and private retirement plans, and personal trusts of all sizes. It may also serve as sub-adviser for mutual funds, common trust funds, and collective investment funds. MUB, a subsidiary of MUFG Americas Holdings Corporation, for mutual funds, common trust funds, and conjective investment funds. Much, a subsidiary of mutre Americas mutinity provides certain services to HighMark and is compensated for these services. Past performance does not guarantee future results. Individual account management and construction will vary depending on each client's investment needs and objectives. Investments employing HighMark strategies are NOT insured by the FDIC or by any other Federal Government Agency, are NOT Bank deposits, are NOT guaranteed by the Bank or any Bank affiliate, and MAY lose value, including possible loss of principal.



June 30, 2015

#### Objective

The objective of the CERBT Strategy 3 portfolio is to seek returns that reflect the broad investment performance of the financial markets through capital appreciation and investment income. There is no guarantee that the portfolio will achieve its investment objective.

Strategy

The CERBT Strategy 3 portfolio is invested in various asset classes in percentages approved by the CalPERS Board. The specific percentages of portfolio assets allocated to each asset class are shown under "Composition". Generally, equities are intended to help build the value of the employer's portfolio over the long term while bonds are intended to help provide income and stability of principal. Also, strategies invested in a higher percentage of equities seek higher investment returns (but assume more risk) compared with strategies invested in a higher percentage of bonds.

Compared with CERBT Strategy 1 and Strategy 2, this portfolio consists of a lower percentage of equities than bonds, and other assets. Historically, funds with a lower percentage of equities have displayed less price volatility and therefore, this portfolio may experience less fluctuation of value. Employers that seek greater stability of value, in exchange for possible lower investement returns, may wish to consider this portfolio.

CalPERS Board may change the list of approved asset classes, in composition as well as targeted allocation percentages and ranges at any time.

#### **Assets Under Management**

As of the specified reporting month-end, the aggregate total of assets under management for all CERBT Strategies was \$4,435,254,081.

#### Composition

Asset Class Allocations and Benchmarks

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Asset Class	Target Allocation <sup>1</sup>	Target Range	Benchmark
Global Equity	24%	± 2%	MSCI All Country World Index IMI (net)
Fix ed Income	39%	± 2%	Barclay's Capital Long Liability Index
Treasury Inflation- Protected Securities ("TIPS")	26%	± 2%	Barclays Capital Global: US TIPS Index
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Commodities	3%	± 2%	S&P GSCI Total Return Index

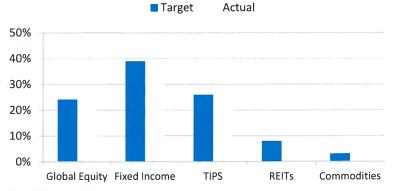
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#### Portfolio Benchmark

The CERBT Strategy 3 benchmark is a composite of underlying asset class market indices, each assigned the target weight for the asset class it

#### **Target vs. Actual Asset Class Allocations**

The following chart shows policy target allocations compared with actual asset allocations as of the specified reporting month-end. CalPERS may overweight or underweight an allocation to a particular asset class based on market, economic, or CalPERS policy considerations.



CERBT Strategy 3 Performance as of June 30, 2015							
	1 Month	3 Months	Fiscal YTD	1 Year	3 Years*	5 Years*	Since Inception* January 1, 2012)
Returns before expenses <sup>1</sup>	-1.90%	-1.81%	-0.03%	-0.03%	5.88%	-	6.49%
Benchmark returns	-1.96%	-1.91%	-0.57%	-0.57%	5.35%	-	6.13%

<sup>\*</sup>Returns for periods greater than one year are annualized.

<sup>1</sup> See the Expense section of this document.



June 30, 2015

#### **General Information**

#### **Information Accessibility**

The CERBT Strategy 3 portfolio consists of assets managed internally by CalPERS and/or external advisors. Since it is not a mutual fund, a prospectus is not available nor is information available from a newspaper source. This summary is designed to provide descriptive information. CalPERS provides a quarterly statement of the employer's account and other information about the CERBT. For total market value, detailed asset allocation, investment policy and current performance information, including performance to the most recent month-end, please visit our website at: www.calpers.ca.gov.

#### **Portfolio Manager Information**

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#### **Custodian and Record Keeper**

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#### **Expenses**

CERBT is a self-funded trust in which participating employers pay for all administrative and investment expenses. Expenses reduce the gross investment return by the fee amount. The larger the fee, the greater the reduction of investment return. Currently, CERBT expenses are 0.10% which consist of administrative expenses borne by CalPERS to administer and oversee the Trust assets, investment management and administrative fees paid to SSqA to manage the global equity and real estate trust assets, and recordkeeping fees paid to Northeast Retirement Services to administer individual employer accounts. The expenses described herein are reflected in the net asset value per share. CERBT's actual expenses may differ from the amount currently being accrued due to factors such as changes in average fund assets or market conditions. The expense accrual rate may change without notice in order to reflect changes in average portfolio assets or in expense amounts. The CalPERS Board annually reviews the operating expenses and changes may be made as appropriate. Even if the portfolio loses money during a period, the fee is still charged.

#### What Employers Own

Each employer choosing CERBT Strategy 3 owns a percentage of this portfolio, which invests in pooled asset classes managed by CalPERS and/or external advisors. Employers do not have direct ownership of the securities in the portfolio.

#### **Price**

The value of the portfolio changes daily, based upon the market value of the underlying securities. Just as prices of individual securities fluctuate, the portfolio's value also changes with market conditions.

#### **Principal Risks of the Portfolio**

The CalPERS CERBT Fund provides California government employers with a trust through which they may prefund retiree medical costs and other postemployment benefits. CERBT is not, however, a defined benefit plan. There is no guarantee that the portfolio will achieve its investment objectives nor provide sufficient funding to meet these employer obligations. Further, CalPERS will not make up the difference between actual health care premiums for payment of future benefits provided to retirees should CERBT assets not be sufficient to cover future obligations.

An investment in the portfolio is not a bank deposit, and it is not insured nor guaranteed by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), CalPERS, the State of California or any other government agency.

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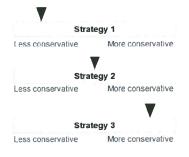
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Treasury Inflation-Protected Securities	5%	10%	26%
Real Estate Investment Trusts	8%	8%	8%
Commodities	3%	3%	3%





June 30, 2015

#### **Objective**

The objective of the CERBT Strategy 2 portfolio is to seek returns that reflect the broad investment performance of the financial markets through capital appreciation and investment income. There is no guarantee that the portfolio will achieve its investment objective.

#### **Strategy**

The CERBT Strategy 2 portfolio is invested in various asset classes in percentages approved by the CalPERS Board. The specific percentages of portfolio assets allocated to each asset class are shown under "Composition". Generally, equities are intended to help build the value of the employer's portfolio over the long term while bonds are intended to help provide income and stability of principal. Also, strategies invested in a higher percentage of equities seek higher investment returns (but assume more risk) compared with strategies invested in a higher percentage of bonds.

Compared with CERBT Strategy 1 and Strategy 3, this portfolio consists of a moderate allocation of equities, bonds, and other assets. Historically, equities have displayed greater price volatility and therefore, this portfolio may experience comparatively less fluctuation of value compared to CERBT Strategy 1 but more fluctuation of value compared to CERBT Strategy 3. Employers that seek a moderate approach to investing may wish to consider this portfolio.

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Benchmark returns	-2.16%	-1.65%	-0.73%	-0.73%	7.46%	-	8.94%

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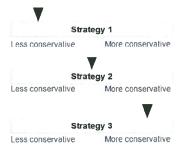
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# PARS DIVERSIFIED PORTFOLIOS CONSERVATIVE AS OF JUNE 30, 2015

## WHY THE PARS DIVERSIFIED CONSERVATIVE PORTFOLIO?

#### **Comprehensive Investment Solution**

HighMark® Capital Management, Inc.'s (HighMark) diversified investment portfolios are designed to balance return expectations with risk tolerance. Key features include: sophisticated asset allocation and optimization techniques, four layers of diversification (asset class, style, manager, and security), access to rigorously screened, top tier money managers, flexible investment options, and experienced investment management.

#### Rigorous Manager Due Diligence

Our manager review committee utilizes a rigorous screening process that searches for investment managers and styles that have not only produced above-average returns within acceptable risk parameters, but have the resources and commitment to continue to deliver these results. We have set high standards for our investment managers and funds. This is a highly specialized, time consuming approach dedicated to one goal: competitive and consistent performance.

#### **Flexible Investment Options**

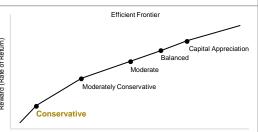
In order to meet the unique needs of our clients, we offer access to flexible implementation strategies: HighMark Plus utilizes actively managed mutual funds while Index Plus utilizes index-based securities, including exchange-traded funds. Both investment options leverage HighMark's active asset allocation approach.

#### **Risk Management**

The portfolio is constructed to control risk through four layers of diversification – asset classes (cash, fixed income, equity), investment styles (large cap, small cap, international, value, growth), managers and securities. Disciplined mutual fund selection and monitoring process helps to drive return potential while reducing portfolio risk.

#### **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE**

To provide a consistent level of inflation-protected income over the long-term. The major portion of the assets will be fixed income related. Equity securities are utilized to provide inflation protection.



Risk (Standard Deviation)

#### **ASSET ALLOCATION** — CONSERVATIVE PORTFOLIO

	Strategic Range	Policy	Tactical
Equity	5 – 20%	15%	15%
Fixed Income	60 – 95%	80%	80%
Cash	0 – 20%	5%	5%

(Gross of Investment Management Fees, but Net of Embedded Fund Fees)

## ANNUALIZED TOTAL RETURNS

HighMark Plus (Active)	
Current Quarter*	-0.80%
Blended Benchmark**	-0.86%
Year To Date*	1.03%
Blended Benchmark*	0.59%
1 Year	1.74%
Blended Benchmark	1.98%
3 Year	4.19%
Blended Benchmark	3.62%
5 Year	5.09%
Blended Benchmark	4.31%
10 Year	4.83%
Blended Benchmark	4.24%

#### Index Plus (Passive)

Current Quarter*	-1.01%
Blended Benchmark**	-0.86%
Year To Date*	0.42%
Blended Benchmark*	0.59%
1 Year	1.45%
Blended Benchmark	1.98%
3 Year	3.69%
Blended Benchmark	3.62%
5 Year	4.67%
Blended Benchmark	4.31%
10 Year	4.41%
Blended Benchmark	4.24%

<sup>\*</sup> Returns less than 1-year are not annualized. \*\*Breakdown for Blended Benchmark: 7.5% S&P500, 1.5% Russell Mid Cap, 2.5% Russell 2000, 1% MSCI EM FREE, 2% MSCI EAFE, 52.25% BC US Agg, 25.75% ML 1-3 Yr US Corp/Gov¹t, 2% US High Yield Master II, 0.5% Wilshire REIT, and 5% Citi 1 Mth T-Bill. Prior to October 2012, the blended benchmarks were 12% S&P 500, 1% Russell 2000, 2% MSCI EAFE, 40% ML 1-3 Year Corp/Gov¹t, 40% BC Agg, 5% Citi 1 Mth T-Bill. Prior to April 2007, the blended benchmarks were 15% S&P 500, 40% ML 1-3 Yr Corp/Gov, 40% BC Agg, and 5% Citi 1 Mth T-Bill.

#### **ANNUAL RETURNS**

HighMark Plus (Active)		Index Plus (Passive)	
2008	-9.04%	2008	-6.70%
2009	15.59%	2009	10.49%
2010	8.68%	2010	7.67%
2011	2.19%	2011	3.70%
2012	8.45%	2012	6.22%
2013	3.69%	2013	3.40%
2014	3.88%	2014	4.32%

#### **PORTFOLIO FACTS**

HighMark Plus (Active)		Index Plus (Passive)		
Inception Data	07/2004	Inception Data	07/2004	
No of Funds in Portfolio	19	No of Funds in Portfolio	14	

A newly funded account enters a composite after three full months of management and is removed from a composite at the end of the last full month that the account is consistent with the criteria of the composite. Terminated accounts are included in the historical results of a composite through the last full month prior to closing. Composites may include accounts invested in domestic (U.S.) or international (non-U.S.) individual securities, funds, or a combination thereof. Account exclusions based on equity security concentrations are applied quarterly. Employing a construction methodology different from the above could lead to different results.



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#### ABOUT THE ADVISER

 ${\rm HighMark}^{\rm s}$  Capital Management, Inc. (HighMark) has over 90 years (including predecessor organizations) of institutional money management experience with more than \$15.0 billion in assets under management. HighMark has a long term disciplined approach to money management and currently manages assets for a wide array of clients.

#### ABOUT THE PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT TEAM Andrew Brown, CFA®

Senior Portfolio Manager Investment Experience: since 1994

HighMark Tenure: since 1997 Education: MBA, University of Southern California;

BA, University of Southern California

#### Kevin Churchill, CFA®, CFP®

Senior Portfolio Manager Investment Experience: since 1996 HighMark Tenure: since 2012 Education: MS, Seattle University; BS, University of Puget Sound

Salvatore "Tory" Milazzo III, CFA® Senior Portfolio Manager Investment Experience: since 2004 HighMark Tenure: since 2014 Education: BA, Colgate University

#### J. Keith Stribling, CFA

Senior Portfolio Manager Investment Experience: since 1985 Education: BA, Stetson University

#### **Christiane Tsuda**

Senior Portfolio Manager Investment Experience: since 1987 HighMark Tenure: since 2010 Education: BA, International Christian University, Tokyo

## Matthew Webber, CFA® Senior Portfolio Manager

Investment Experience: since 1995 HighMark Tenure: since 2011 Education: BA, University of California, Santa Barbara

#### Anne Wimmer, CFA®

Senior Portfolio Manager Investment Experience: since 1987 HighMark Tenure: since 2007 Education: BA, University of California, Santa Barbara

#### **Asset Allocation Committee**

Number of Members: 15 Average Years of Experience: 26 Average Tenure (Years): 14

#### Manager Review Group

Number of Members: 9 Average Years of Experience: 22 Average Tenure (Years): 8

#### **SAMPLE HOLDINGS**

#### HighMark Plus (Active)

Columbia Contrarian Core Z T. Rowe Price Growth Stock Columbia Small Cap Value II Z T. Rowe Price New Horizons

Nationwide Bailard International Equities Nationwide HighMark Bond

Vanguard Short-Term Invest-Grade Adm

Loomis Sayles Value Y

PIMCO Total Return

Dodge & Cox International Stock

MFS International Growth I

First American Prime Obligation Z

TIAA-CREF Mid Cap Value

Ivy Mid Cap Growth

Harbor Capital Appreciation

Schroder Emerging Market Equity

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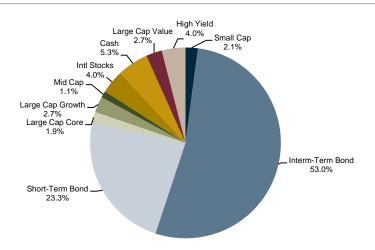
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Vanguard FTSE Emerging Markets ETF

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Holdings are subject to change at the discretion of the investment manager.

#### STYLE



The performance records shown represent size-weighted composites of tax exempt accounts that meet the following criteria: Composites are managed by HighMark's HighMark Capital Advisors (HCA) with full investment authority according to the PARS Conservative active and passive objectives and do not have equity concentration of 25% or more in one common stock security.

The adviser to the PARS portfolios is US Bank, and HighMark serves as sub-adviser to US Bank to manage these portfolios. US Bank by charge clients as much as 0.60% annual management fee based on a sliding scale. As of June 30, 2015, the blended rate is 38%. US Bank pays HighMark 60% of the annual management fee for assets sub-advised by HighMark under its sub-advisory remement with US Bank. The 36 basis points paid to HighMark, as well as other expenses that may be incurred in the management of the portfolio, will reduce the portfolio returns. Assuming an investment for five years, a 5% annual total return, and an annual sub-advisory fee rate of 0.36% deducted from the assets at market at the end of each year, a 10 million initial value would grow to \$12.54 million after fees (Net-of-Fees) and \$12.76 million before fees (Gross-of-Fees). Additional information regarding the firm's policies and procedures for calculating and reporting performance results is available upon request. In Q1 2010, the PARS Composite definition was changed from \$750,000 minimum to no minimum. Performance results are calculated and presented in U.S. dollars and do not reflect the deduction of investment advisory fees, custody fees, or taxes but do reflect the deduction of trading expenses. Returns are calculated based on trade-date accounting.

Blended benchmarks represent HighMark's strategic allocations between equity, fixed income, and cash and are rebalanced monthly. Benchmark returns do not reflect the deduction of advisory fees or other expenses of investing but assumes the reinvestment of dividends and other earnings. An investor cannot invest directly in an index. The unmanaged S&P 500 Index is representative of the performance of large companies in the U.S. stock market. The MSCI EAFE Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization index designed to measure developed market equity performance, excluding the U.S. and Canada. The MSCI EAFE index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization index that is designed to measure equity market performance in the global emerging markets. The Russell Middcap Index measures the performance of the mid-cap segment of the U.S. equity universe. The Russell 2000 Index measures the performance of the small-cap segment of the U.S. equity universe. The US High Yield Master II Index tracks the performance of below investment track U.S. data-denominated compraried provise under the U.S. domestic market. Index measures the periormance of the small-cap segment or the U.S. equity universe. The U.S. ring Yield Master II Index tracks the performance of below investment grade U.S. dollar-denominated corporate bonds publicly issued in the U.S. domestic market. Wilshire REIT index measures U.S. publicly traded Real Estate Investment Trusts. The unmanaged Barclays Capital (BC) U.S. Aggregate Bond Index is generally representative of the U.S. taxable bond market as a whole. The Merrill Lynch (ML) 1-3 Year U.S. Corporate & Government Index tracks the bond performance of The ML U.S. Corporate & Government Index. with a remaining term to final maturity less than 3 years. The unmanaged Citigroup 1-Month Treasury Bill Index tracks the yield of the 1-month U.S. Treasury Bill

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## PARS DIVERSIFIED PORTFOLIOS MODERATE

AS OF JUNE 30, 2015

#### WHY THE PARS DIVERSIFIED **MODERATE PORTFOLIO?**

#### **Comprehensive Investment Solution**

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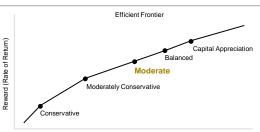
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#### **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE**

To provide growth of principal and income. It is expected that dividend and interest income will comprise a significant portion of total return, although growth through capital appreciation is equally important.



Risk (Standard Deviation)

#### **ASSET ALLOCATION** — MODERATE PORTFOLIO

	Strategic Range	Policy	Tactical
Equity	40 - 60%	50%	49%
Fixed Income	40 - 60%	45%	48%
Cash	0 - 20%	5%	3%

(Gross of Investment Management Fees, but ANNUALIZED TOTAL RETURNS Net of Embedded Fund Fees)

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HighMark Plus (Active)	
Current Quarter*	-0.28%
Blended Benchmark**	-0.62%
Year To Date*	2.10%
Blended Benchmark*	1.30%
1 Year	2.78%
Blended Benchmark	3.31%
3 Year	8.45%
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2010	12.42%	2010	11.77%
2011	0.55%	2011	2.29%
2012	12.25%	2012	10.91%
2013	13.06%	2013	12.79%
2014	4.84%	2014	5.72%

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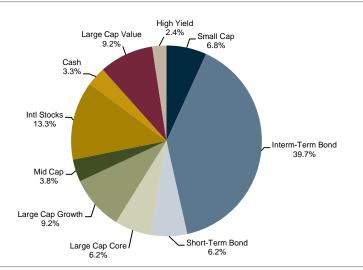
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## PARS DIVERSIFIED PORTFOLIOS **BALANCED**

AS OF JUNE 30, 2015

#### WHY THE PARS DIVERSIFIED **BALANCED PORTFOLIO?**

#### **Comprehensive Investment Solution**

HighMark® Capital Management, Inc.'s (HighMark) diversified investment portfolios are designed to balance return expectations with risk tolerance. Key features include: sophisticated asset allocation and optimization techniques, four layers of diversification (asset class, style, manager, and security), access to rigorously screened, top tier money managers, flexible investment options, and experienced investment management.

#### Rigorous Manager Due Diligence

Our manager review committee utilizes a rigorous screening process that searches for investment managers and styles that have not only produced above-average returns within acceptable risk parameters, but have the resources and commitment to continue to deliver these results. We have set high standards for our investment managers and funds. This is a highly specialized, time consuming approach dedicated to one goal: competitive and consistent performance.

#### **Flexible Investment Options**

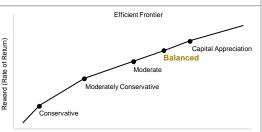
In order to meet the unique needs of our clients, we offer access to flexible implementation strategies: HighMark Plus utilizes actively managed mutual funds while Index Plus utilizes index-based securities, including exchange-traded funds. Both investment options leverage HighMark's active asset allocation approach.

#### **Risk Management**

The portfolio is constructed to control risk through four layers of diversification - asset classes (cash, fixed income, equity), investment styles (large cap, small cap, international, value, growth), managers and securities. Disciplined mutual fund selection and monitoring process helps to drive return potential while reducing portfolio risk.

#### **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE**

To provide growth of principal and income. While dividend and interest income are an important component of the objective's total return, it is expected that capital appreciation will comprise a larger portion of the total return.



Risk (Standard Deviation)

#### **ASSET ALLOCATION** — BALANCED PORTFOLIO

	Strategic Range	Policy	Tactical
Equity	50 – 70%	60%	58%
Fixed Income	30 – 50%	35%	39%
Cash	0 – 20%	5%	3%

(Gross of Investment Management Fees, but ANNUALIZED TOTAL RETURNS Net of Embedded Fund Fees)

#### HighMark Plus (Active)

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Current Quarter*	-0.05%
Blended Benchmark**	-0.51%
Year To Date*	2.57%
Blended Benchmark*	1.52%
1 Year	3.11%
Blended Benchmark	3.69%
3 Year	9.94%
Blended Benchmark	10.12%
5 Year	10.53%
Blended Benchmark	10.77%
Inception to Date (105-Mos.)	5.33%
Blended Benchmark	5.89%

#### Index Plus (Passive)

Current Quarter*	-0.56%
Blended Benchmark**	-0.51%
Year To Date*	1.49%
Blended Benchmark*	1.52%
1 Year	2.69%
Blended Benchmark	3.69%
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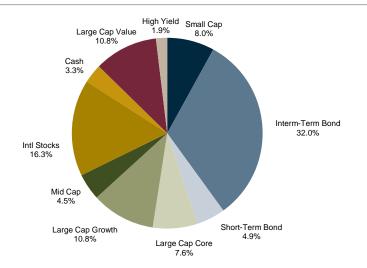
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# OPEB Funding Considerations Board Offsite Meeting January 20, 2016

Presented by:

Robert Schmidt, FSA, EA, MAAA

Janet Jennings, ASA, MAAA

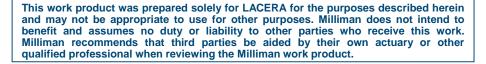




# **Agenda**

- OPEB Trust Fund Updates
- Cost Sharing vs. Agent
  - Considerations
  - Transitional steps
  - Implementation
  - Estimated cost impact
- GASB 74/75
  - What has changed?
  - How will it affect the July 1, 2016 valuation?
- 2016-2017 Projects







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# **Background**

- The County has established an OPEB Trust satisfying three criteria:
  - Irrevocable
  - Assets dedicated to plan members
  - Legally protected from creditors
- LACERA has a private letter ruling from the IRS confirming the tax-exempt status of the OPEB Trust
- Advance funding of liabilities will require a shift from pay as you go funding to pre-funding



# **Investment Policy**

- The policy includes:
  - General goals
  - Asset class allocation:
    - \$100 million cash reserve
    - 100% of remainder of assets: MSCI ACWI IMI Global Public Equity
  - Performance objectives: match Policy benchmark gross of fees
  - Policies and structures for the management of assets
  - Responsible parties and duties
- Based on this information, we used an allocation of 20% Cash, 40% Broad US Equities, 20% Developing Foreign Equities, and 20% Emerging Markets Equities, resulting in an estimated discount rate of 7.00% for a plan funding the full "Annual Required Contribution"

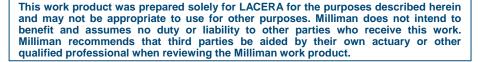


# **Funding Policy**

- The County and LACERA adopted a six-year funding plan on 6/20/15 to phase in the funding of the OPEB unfunded liability
  - Continue to pay for the Retiree Healthcare Program on a pay-asyou-go basis (about \$500 million in FY2015, increasing each year)
  - Make gradually increasing additional annual contributions until a sustainable level is reached
- Funding decisions for the County, LACERA, and Superior Court are independent of each other
  - The Superior Court is not assumed to be pre-funding at this time
- There is no legally binding funding policy yet, although our projections assume there is one
- First and second quarter of FY2016 have been funded



# **COST SHARING VS. AGENT**





# Cost-Sharing Plan vs. Agent Plan

## **Cost Sharing Plan**

Los Angeles County

LACERA

Superior Court

If the County proceeds with a Cost Sharing plan that includes the Superior Court, assets would be available to all participating employers, including those that choose not to pre-fund the benefits.



Percentages are based on each participating employer's AAL from the July 1, 2014 OPEB Valuation.

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# **Alternative One: Cost-Sharing Plan**

- Contributions from participating employers are not segregated from other participating employers
- Assumptions apply to the entire group
- Benefit payouts are paid from the assets of the entire group



# **Alternative Two: Agent Plan**

- Contributions from one employer are only used for benefits payable for that employer's members
- Assets are clearly designated as separate accounts for each employer
- Administrative and investment functions may still be pooled
- Provides flexibility for each employer to change benefit structure and funding policy



# **Transitional Steps**

- Employer groups for purposes of the Agent plan would be LA County, LACERA, and the Superior Court
- Valuation results must be presented for each employer group
  - Each employer group may have different discount rates under
     GASB 74/75 because of different fund values and depletion dates
- Review the change with tax, legal, and audit teams



# **Implementation**

- The change would be effective July 1, 2016
- Assets would be split as follows:
  - LA County
  - LACERA
  - Superior Court: \$0
- It would be preferable to have separate valuation reports for each employer



# High Level Results from July 1, 2014 Valuation

	July 1, 2014	July 1, 2012
Actuarial Accrued Liability (\$billions)	\$ 28.55	\$ 26.95
County Normal Cost Rate	17.50%	17.55%
County ARC as a Percentage of Payroll	31.82%	32.07%

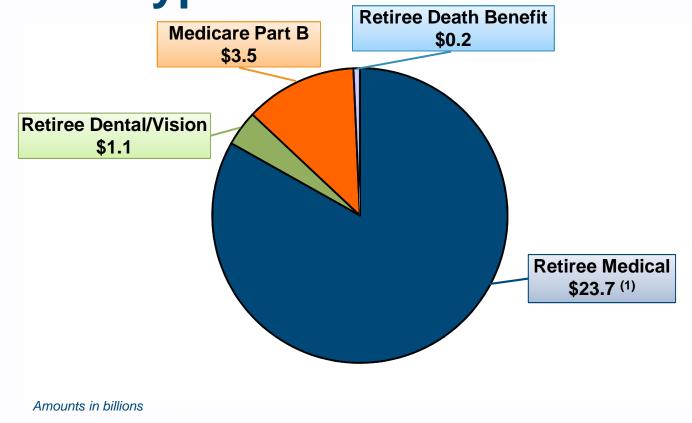
### **Assumptions**

Discount Rate: 3.75% (assumes partial pre-funding of OPEB benefits)

Other Assumptions: Per July 1, 2014 Report



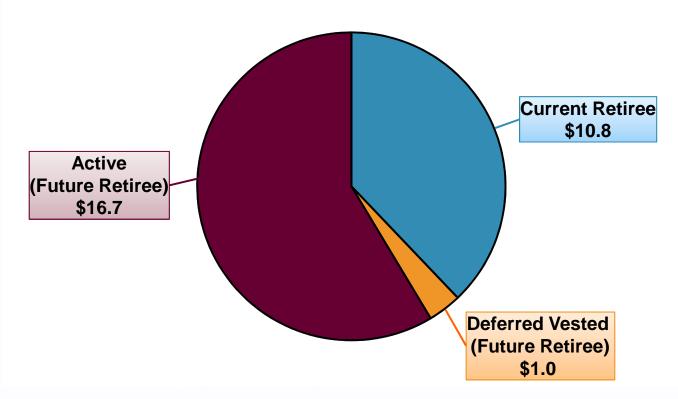
**Actuarial Accrued Liability by Benefit Type** 



(1) Retiree Medical is composed of \$4.1 billion for pre-65 and \$19.6 billion for post-65.



# **Actuarial Accrued Liability by Member Status**



Amounts in billions



# **High Level Projection Results**

	First Year ARC is Fully Funded <sup>(1)</sup>	Percentage of AAL Funded by 2054
Cost Sharing		
Total	2028	46%
Agent		
LA County	2027	47%
LACERA	2028	44%
Superior Court	N/A	0%

#### Notes:

Projections are based on GASB 43/45 methodology, and do not include the impact of the ACA Excise Tax ("Cadillac Tax").

Future GASB reporting requirements will differ from these projections.

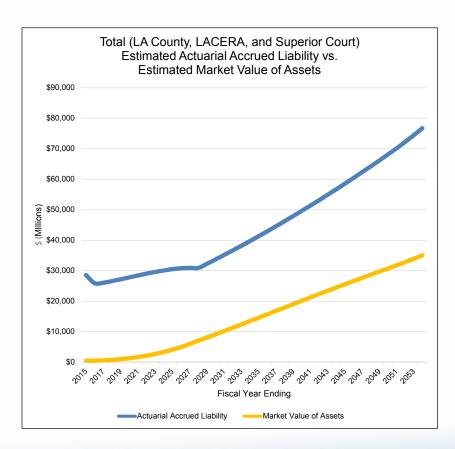
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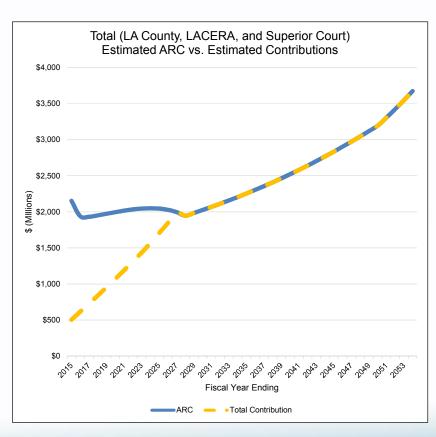
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# **Cost Sharing Projections**

Total (LA County, LACERA, and Superior Court)



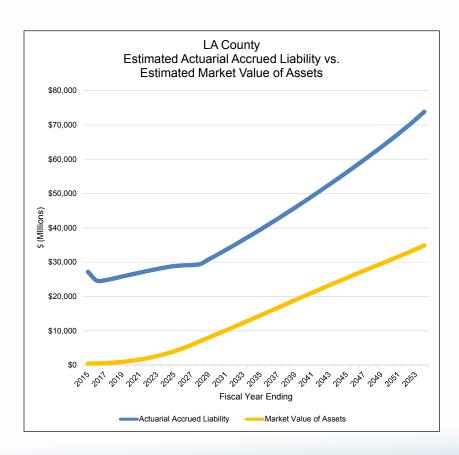


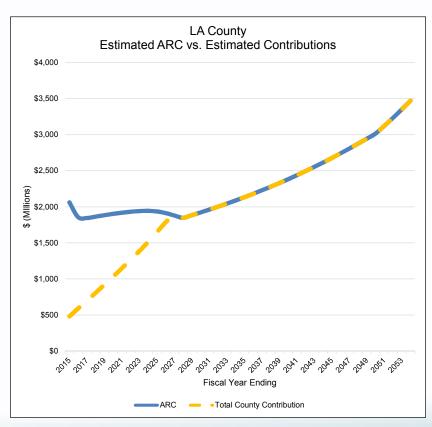
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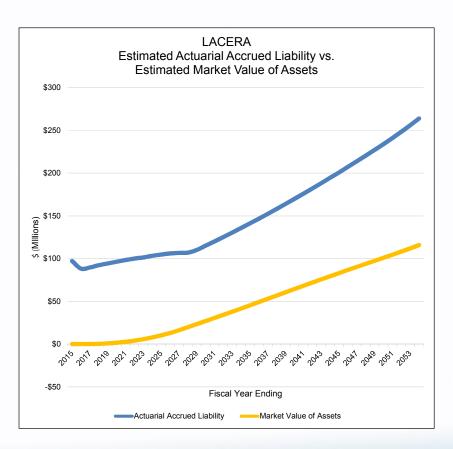


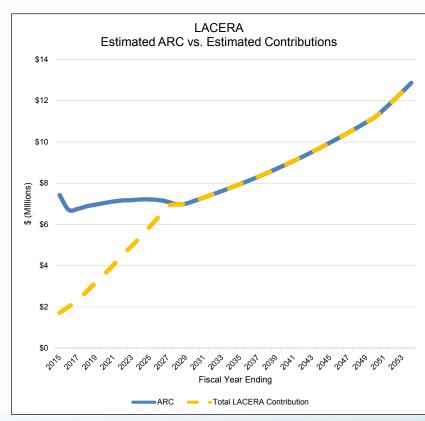
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### LACERA



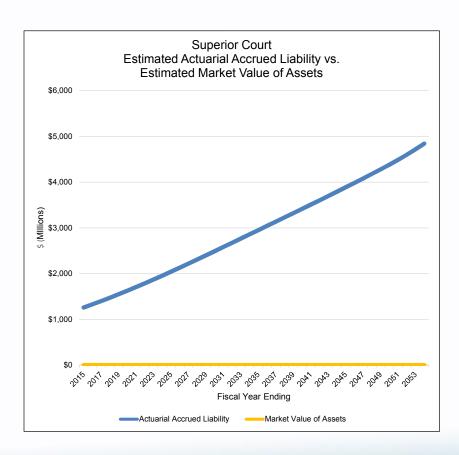


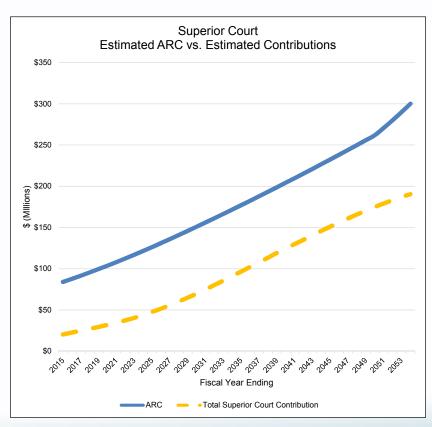
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# **Agent Projections**

### Superior Court





The assumed discount rate remains at 3.75% for all years.



# **Assumptions**

- Data methods, plan provisions, and assumptions used are based on our July 1, 2014 OPEB Valuation and December 19, 2013 Tier 2 Study other than:
  - 4,000 new entrants each year
  - All benefits are included, not just medical
- ACA Excise Tax is not included
- Interpolated discount rate based on prior year's % ARC funded
  - Used an asset allocation of 20% Cash, 40% Broad US Equities,
     20% Developing Foreign Equities, and 20% Emerging Markets
     Equities



# **Assumptions (continued)**

- Based total County (LA County + LACERA) contributions to the fund on Cheiron's April 2, 2015 Projections (Scenario 1, \$25
   Million + Subvention Contribution), delayed one year
- Based LACERA contributions to the fund on November 20, 2015 Funding Policy recommendation through 2021 and then used a portion of the total County contribution based on a weighted average of the headcounts and 7/1/2014 AAL
- LACERA projected AAL and Normal Cost use same portion of the total County as described above
- An annual OPEB valuation is assumed for illustrative purposes
- Projections are based on GASB statements 43 and 45





### Overview of the Statements

- Statement 74 supersedes Statement 43 for the plan's financials
- Statement 75 supersedes Statement 45 for the sponsoring employer's financials
- New Terminology
- Timing and effective dates
- Key areas
  - Discount Rate
  - Actuarial Cost Method
  - Assets at market value, no smoothing
  - Expense Recognition



### New Terminology

- Total OPEB Liability (TOL)
  - Actuarial Accrued Liability calculated in accordance with statements
- Fiduciary Net Position (FNP)
  - Market value of plan assets
- Net OPEB Liability (NOL)
  - TOL less FNP; formerly the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability
  - Significant increase compared with GASB 43/45
- Deferred inflows and outflows of resources
  - Unrecognized gains (deferred inflows or "acquisition of net asset") and losses (deferred outflows or "consumption of net asset")
- Actuarially Determined Contribution
  - Reported in Required Supplementary Information (RSI), in comparison to actual contribution, can use any methodology (including that previously used for ARC)



### **Timing**

- GASB 74
  - Net OPEB liability must be measured as of plan's fiscal year end (FYE)
  - Effective with FYE June 30, 2017
- GASB 75
  - Effective with FYE June 30, 2018
- The 7/1/2016 OPEB valuation report will be under GASB 74/75



### Key Areas – Discount Rate

- Blended rate is no longer based on what portion of ARC is funded and methodology is spelled out
- Represents a "blended" rate equivalent to combination of:
  - Long-term expected rate of return on assets (LT-ROR) while such assets are sufficient to pay benefits
  - 20-year tax-exempt municipal bond yield or index rate for the period following asset depletion (crossover)
- Discount rate is single rate producing same actuarial present value (PVB) as the combination of rates described above
- The projection of assets and benefit payments used to assess the "crossover point" is critical in establishing the discount rate



### Key Areas – Other

- Statements require "traditional" Entry Age cost method
  - Will change the AAL and Normal Cost
- Recognition of annual changes in Actuarial Accrued Liability:
  - Changes due to plan amendments are immediately recognized
  - Changes due to investment experience are recognized over five years
  - All other AAL changes are recognized over participants' expected remaining service (with zero years averaged in for inactives)
  - Expense will likely be more volatile and could be higher than the ARC reported under GASB 43/45
- Funding and Reporting may be based on different methodologies

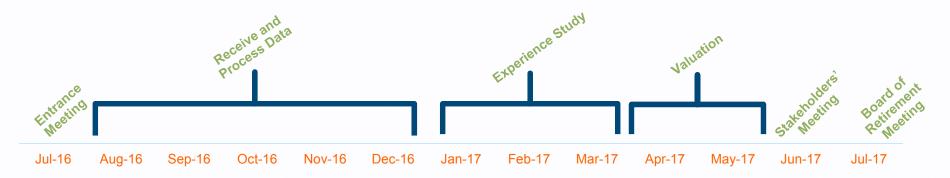


# **2016-2017 PROJECTS**



# 2016-2017 Projects – Schedule

- July 2016 Entrance Meeting
- August December 2016 Receive and Process Data
- January March 2017 Experience Study
- April May 2017 Valuation
- June 2017 Stakeholders' Meeting
- July 2017 Board of Retirement Meeting





# **Questions?**





### **Caveats and Disclaimers**

This presentation is based on the data, methods, assumptions and plan provisions described in our July 1, 2014 Valuation Report except as otherwise stated. All caveats and limitations of use contained in the valuation report continue to apply to this presentation.

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# **APPENDIX**



# **Cost Sharing – Total**

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				Unfunded	-					
Fiscal Year		Actuarial	Market Value of	Actuarial				Prefunding	Total	% of ARC
Ending	Discount Rate	Accrued Liability	Assets	Liability	Percent Funding	ARC	Benefit Payment	Contribution	Contribution	Funded
2015	3.75%	\$28,547	\$484	\$28,063	1.7%	\$2,152	\$504	\$0	\$504	23.4%
2016	4.51%	\$25,873	\$488	\$25,385	1.9%	\$1,939	\$561	\$56	\$617	31.8%
2017	4.78%	\$26,020	\$580	\$25,440	2.2%	\$1,931	\$614	\$112	\$726	37.6%
2018	4.97%	\$26,570	\$737	\$25,833	2.8%	\$1,951	\$670	\$168	\$838	43.0%
2019	5.15%	\$27,158	\$962	\$26,196	3.5%	\$1,973	\$730	\$224	\$954	48.4%
2020	5.32%	\$27,786	\$1,261	\$26,525	4.5%	\$1,996	\$789	\$280	\$1,069	53.6%
2021	5.49%	\$28,405	\$1,639	\$26,766	5.8%	\$2,016	\$851	\$336	\$1,187	58.9%
2022	5.66%	\$29,016	\$2,101	\$26,914	7.2%	\$2,034	\$918	\$392	\$1,310	64.4%
2023	5.84%	\$29,563	\$2,654	\$26,909	9.0%	\$2,045	\$984	\$448	\$1,432	70.0%
2024	6.03%	\$30,051	\$3,303	\$26,748	11.0%	\$2,049	\$1,060	\$504	\$1,564	76.4%
2025	6.23%	\$30,475	\$4,055	\$26,419	13.3%	\$2,045	\$1,141	\$560	\$1,701	83.2%
2026	6.45%	\$30,783	\$4,919	\$25,864	16.0%	\$2,029	\$1,227	\$616	\$1,843	90.8%
2027	6.70%	\$30,926	\$5,900	\$25,026	19.1%	\$1,998	\$1,317	\$672	\$1,989	99.6%
2030	7.00%	\$33,655	\$9,110	\$24,545	27.1%	\$2,026	\$1,610	\$416	\$2,026	100.0%
2035	7.00%	\$41,267	\$14,545	\$26,722	35.2%	\$2,254	\$2,165	\$89	\$2,254	100.0%
2040	7.00%	\$49,574	\$20,095	\$29,479	40.5%	\$2,521	\$2,817	(\$295)	\$2,521	100.0%
2045	7.00%	\$58,508	\$25,516	\$32,992	43.6%	\$2,835	\$3,541	(\$707)	\$2,835	100.0%
2050	7.00%	\$68,064	\$30,710	\$37,353	45.1%	\$3,193	\$4,286	(\$1,093)	\$3,193	100.0%
2054	7.00%	\$76,734	\$35,013	\$41,720	45.6%	\$3,673	\$4,884	(\$1,210)	\$3,673	100.0%

Dollar amounts are in millions.



# **Agent – LA County**

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Reginning	of Fiscal Year	

				Unfunded			_			
Fiscal Year		Actuarial	Market Value of	Actuarial				Prefunding	Total County	% of ARC
Ending	Discount Rate	Accrued Liability	Assets	Liability	Percent Funding	ARC	Benefit Payment	Contribution	Contribution	Funded
2015	3.75%	\$27,191	\$484	\$26,707	1.8%	\$2,061	\$482	\$0	\$482	23.4%
2016	4.51%	\$24,653	\$488	\$24,165	2.0%	\$1,856	\$536	\$56	\$592	31.9%
2017	4.79%	\$24,753	\$580	\$24,173	2.3%	\$1,845	\$587	\$112	\$699	37.9%
2018	4.98%	\$25,285	\$736	\$24,548	2.9%	\$1,864	\$641	\$168	\$809	43.4%
2019	5.16%	\$25,853	\$961	\$24,892	3.7%	\$1,884	\$698	\$223	\$922	48.9%
2020	5.34%	\$26,409	\$1,259	\$25,150	4.8%	\$1,902	\$754	\$279	\$1,033	54.3%
2021	5.52%	\$26,957	\$1,636	\$25,321	6.1%	\$1,918	\$814	\$335	\$1,149	59.9%
2022	5.70%	\$27,495	\$2,097	\$25,398	7.6%	\$1,932	\$878	\$391	\$1,268	65.7%
2023	5.88%	\$28,025	\$2,648	\$25,377	9.4%	\$1,941	\$940	\$446	\$1,386	71.4%
2024	6.07%	\$28,498	\$3,295	\$25,203	11.6%	\$1,944	\$1,013	\$502	\$1,515	77.9%
2025	6.28%	\$28,861	\$4,045	\$24,816	14.0%	\$1,936	\$1,090	\$558	\$1,648	85.1%
2026	6.52%	\$29,066	\$4,906	\$24,160	16.9%	\$1,913	\$1,171	\$614	\$1,785	93.3%
2027	6.78%	\$29,168	\$5,884	\$23,284	20.2%	\$1,878	\$1,257	\$622	\$1,878	100.0%
2030	7.00%	\$32,191	\$9,083	\$23,109	28.2%	\$1,923	\$1,535	\$388	\$1,923	100.0%
2035	7.00%	\$39,528	\$14,500	\$25,028	36.7%	\$2,133	\$2,061	\$72	\$2,133	100.0%
2040	7.00%	\$47,555	\$20,031	\$27,525	42.1%	\$2,382	\$2,683	(\$300)	\$2,382	100.0%
2045	7.00%	\$56,202	\$25,433	\$30,769	45.3%	\$2,676	\$3,378	(\$702)	\$2,676	100.0%
2050	7.00%	\$65,458	\$30,609	\$34,848	46.8%	\$3,015	\$4,097	(\$1,082)	\$3,015	100.0%
2054	7.00%	\$73,848	\$34,897	\$38,951	47.3%	\$3,471	\$4,677	(\$1,205)	\$3,471	100.0%

Dollar amounts are in millions.



# Agent – LACERA

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Fiscal Year		Actuarial	Market Value of	Actuarial			_	Prefunding	Total LACERA	% of ARC
Ending	Discount Rate	Accrued Liability		Liability	Percent Funding	ARC	Benefit Payment	Contribution	Contribution	Funded
2015	3.75%	\$97	\$0	\$97	0.0%	\$7	\$2	\$0	\$2	23.2%
2016	4.50%	\$88	\$0	\$88	0.0%	\$7	\$2	\$0	\$2	29.9%
2017	4.72%	\$90	\$0	\$90	0.1%	\$7	\$2	\$0	\$2	34.4%
2018	4.87%	\$92	\$0	\$92	0.4%	\$7	\$2	\$0	\$3	39.9%
2019	5.05%	\$94	\$1	\$94	0.9%	\$7	\$2	\$1	\$3	45.6%
2020	5.23%	\$96	\$2	\$95	1.7%	\$7	\$3	\$1	\$4	51.2%
2021	5.41%	\$98	\$3	\$96	2.7%	\$7	\$3	\$1	\$4	56.9%
2022	5.60%	\$100	\$4	\$96	4.0%	\$7	\$3	\$1	\$5	63.3%
2023	5.81%	\$101	\$6	\$96	5.7%	\$7	\$3	\$2	\$5	69.0%
2024	5.99%	\$103	\$8	\$95	7.5%	\$7	\$4	\$2	\$5	75.0%
2025	6.19%	\$105	\$10	\$95	9.7%	\$7	\$4	\$2	\$6	81.6%
2026	6.40%	\$106	\$13	\$93	12.2%	\$7	\$4	\$2	\$6	88.8%
2027	6.64%	\$107	\$16	\$91	15.1%	\$7	\$4	\$2	\$7	96.9%
2030	7.00%	\$115	\$27	\$88	23.4%	\$7	\$5	\$2	\$7	100.0%
2035	7.00%	\$141	\$45	\$96	32.2%	\$8	\$7	\$1	\$8	100.0%
2040	7.00%	\$170	\$64	\$106	37.9%	\$9	\$10	(\$1)	\$9	100.0%
2045	7.00%	\$201	\$83	\$118	41.4%	\$10	\$12	(\$2)	\$10	100.0%
2050	7.00%	\$234	\$101	\$133	43.2%	\$11	\$15	(\$3)	\$11	100.0%
2054	7.00%	\$264	\$116	\$148	43.9%	\$13	\$17	(\$4)	\$13	100.0%

Dollar amounts are in millions.



# **Agent – Superior Court**

#### Beginning of Fiscal Year

				Unfunded					Total Superior	
Fiscal Year		Actuarial	Market Value of	Actuarial				Prefunding	Court	% of ARC
Ending	Discount Rate	Accrued Liability	Assets	Liability	Percent Funding	ARC	Benefit Payment	Contribution	Contribution	Funded
2015	3.75%	\$1,259	\$0	\$1,259	0.0%	\$84	\$20	\$0	\$20	24.1%
2016	3.75%	\$1,329	\$0	\$1,329	0.0%	\$88	\$23	\$0	\$23	25.8%
2017	3.75%	\$1,400	\$0	\$1,400	0.0%	\$91	\$25	\$0	\$25	27.1%
2018	3.75%	\$1,474	\$0	\$1,474	0.0%	\$95	\$27	\$0	\$27	28.4%
2019	3.75%	\$1,549	\$0	\$1,549	0.0%	\$100	\$29	\$0	\$29	29.5%
2020	3.75%	\$1,627	\$0	\$1,627	0.0%	\$104	\$32	\$0	\$32	30.7%
2021	3.75%	\$1,706	\$0	\$1,706	0.0%	\$108	\$34	\$0	\$34	31.9%
2022	3.75%	\$1,788	\$0	\$1,788	0.0%	\$112	\$37	\$0	\$37	33.2%
2023	3.75%	\$1,871	\$0	\$1,871	0.0%	\$117	\$40	\$0	\$40	34.5%
2024	3.75%	\$1,956	\$0	\$1,956	0.0%	\$122	\$44	\$0	\$44	36.1%
2025	3.75%	\$2,043	\$0	\$2,043	0.0%	\$126	\$48	\$0	\$48	37.7%
2026	3.75%	\$2,130	\$0	\$2,130	0.0%	\$131	\$51	\$0	\$51	39.3%
2027	3.75%	\$2,219	\$0	\$2,219	0.0%	\$136	\$56	\$0	\$56	41.1%
2030	3.75%	\$2,491	\$0	\$2,491	0.0%	\$151	\$70	\$0	\$70	46.2%
2035	3.75%	\$2,952	\$0	\$2,952	0.0%	\$177	\$97	\$0	\$97	54.5%
2040	3.75%	\$3,416	\$0	\$3,416	0.0%	\$204	\$125	\$0	\$125	61.0%
2045	3.75%	\$3,887	\$0	\$3,887	0.0%	\$232	\$151	\$0	\$151	65.0%
2050	3.75%	\$4,382	\$0	\$4,382	0.0%	\$262	\$175	\$0	\$175	66.8%
2054	3.75%	\$4,842	\$0	\$4,842	0.0%	\$300	\$190	\$0	\$190	63.4%

Dollar amounts are in millions.



#### LOS ANGELES COUNTY

#### OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS PROGRAM

### **ACTUARIAL VALUATION**

July 1, 2014

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June 22, 2015

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Re: July 1, 2014 Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB) Actuarial Valuation

Dear Gregg:

As requested, we have prepared an actuarial valuation of the retiree medical, dental/vision, and death benefits covering the retired Los Angeles County (County) workers who also participate in the Los Angeles County Employees Retirement Association (LACERA) retirement benefit plan. These health-related benefits are collectively referred to in this report as the Los Angeles County (County) Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB) Program, or the "OPEB program". The major findings of the valuation are contained in this report. This report reflects the benefit provisions in effect as of July 1, 2014, and the retiree health plan premium rates in effect as of July 1, 2014, and July 1, 2015, premium rates received from Aon Hewitt (LACERA's Health Care Benefits Consultant).

In preparing this report, we relied, without audit, on information (some oral and some in writing) supplied by the County, LACERA and Aon Hewitt. This information includes, but is not limited to: benefit descriptions, membership data, and financial information. We found this information to be reasonably consistent and comparable with data used for other purposes. In some cases, where the data was incomplete, we made assumptions as noted in Table C-11 of Appendix C. The valuation results depend on the integrity of this information. If any of this information is inaccurate or incomplete, our results may be different and our calculations may need to be revised.

In developing these recommendations, we have reflected an estimate of fees including the Transitional Reinsurance Fee, the Patient Centered Outcomes Research Institute Fee, and the Insurer Fee associated with the Affordable Care Act (ACA), which was signed into law in March 2010. The OPEB assumptions will reflect changes in future valuations as regulations are released. The Excise Tax is addressed separately in Section 3.



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All costs, liabilities, rates of interest, health cost trend rates, and other factors under the OPEB program have been determined on the basis of actuarial assumptions and methods which are individually reasonable (taking into account the experience of the OPEB program and reasonable expectations); and which, in combination, offer our a reasonable estimate of anticipated experience affecting the OPEB program. Further, in our opinion, the actuarial assumptions in the aggregate are reasonable and are related to the experience of the OPEB program and to reasonable expectations and represent a reasonable estimate of anticipated experience under the OPEB program.

We further certify that the assumptions developed in this report satisfy Actuarial Standards Board (ASB) Standards of Practice, in particular, No. 6 (Measuring Retiree Group Benefit Obligations). The retirement benefit related demographic and economic assumptions used in this report are based on those developed for the June 30, 2014 valuation of the LACERA retirement benefit program. The OPEB demographic and economic assumptions are based on the results of our 2013 OPEB Investigation of Experience, dated March 25, 2014. assumptions used in the OPEB Investigation of Experience were derived from a combination of assumptions identified during the 2013 LACERA Investigation of Experience for Retirement Benefit Related Assumptions and collaboration among a group of stakeholder representatives. Economic and demographic assumptions from the Retirement Benefit Investigation of Experience, conducted by Milliman and approved by LACERA's Board of Investments, are integrated into the OPEB Investigation of Experience. Assumptions unique to OPEB, were identified, evaluated, and agreed upon collaboratively by the actuaries and consultants representing the OPEB program stakeholders at the time including: Milliman, LACERA's actuary; Segal, LACERA's auditing actuary; Aon Hewitt, LACERA's Health Care Benefits Consultant: Buck Consultants, Los Angeles County's now former actuary; and Rael & Letson, actuary for SEIU Local 721. Types of OPEB specific assumptions include: initial enrollment, plan and tier selection, spouse age difference, and re-enrollment assumptions. The OPEB Investigation of Experience was reviewed by LACERA's Board of Retirement. OPEB specific assumptions that have been updated since the 2013 OPEB Investigation of Experience study include health cost trend rates, claim costs, and economic assumptions. These updated assumptions have been identified, evaluated, and agreed upon collaboratively by the actuaries and consultants currently representing the OPEB program stakeholders including: Milliman, LACERA's actuary; Aon Hewitt, LACERA's Health Care Benefits Consultant; Cheiron, Los Angeles County's actuary; and Rael & Letson, actuary for SEIU Local 721. LACERA's Board of Retirement has the final decision regarding the appropriateness of the assumptions. The assumptions are summarized in Appendix A.

Future actuarial measurements may differ significantly from the current measurements presented in this report due to such factors as the following: OPEB program experience differing from that anticipated by the economic or demographic assumptions; changes in economic or demographic assumptions; increases or decreases expected as part of the natural operation of the methodology used for these measurements (such as the end of an amortization period); and changes in OPEB program provisions or applicable law. Due to the limited scope of our assignment, we did not perform an analysis of the potential range of future measurements.



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Actuarial computations under Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement Numbers 43 and 45 are for purposes of fulfilling financial accounting requirements for LACERA and Los Angeles County (the employer) respectively. LACERA must report under GASB 43 since the benefit payments flow through LACERA's financial accounts. The calculations in the enclosed exhibits have been made on a basis consistent with our understanding of GASB No. 43 and No. 45, the OPEB program provisions as described in Appendix B of this report, as well as the County's funding goals. A discussion of the new GASB OPEB statements 74 and 75 applicable to OPEB reporting is in Section 2, Subsection E, Accounting and CAFR Information. Determinations for purposes other than meeting these financial accounting requirements may be significantly different from the results contained in this report. Accordingly, additional determinations may be needed for other purposes.

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The consultants who worked on this assignment are employee benefit actuaries. Milliman's advice is not intended to be a substitute for qualified legal or accounting counsel.

On the basis of the foregoing, we hereby certify that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, this report is complete and accurate and has been prepared in accordance with generally recognized and accepted actuarial principles and practices. We are members of the American Academy of Actuaries and meet the Qualification Standards to render the actuarial opinion contained herein.



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We would like to express our appreciation to LACERA staff members, Los Angeles County, SEIU Local 721, Aon Hewitt, Segal, Rael & Letson, and Cheiron who gave substantial assistance in supplying the data on which this report is based.

We respectfully submit the following report and we look forward to discussing it with you.

Sincerely,

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cc: Mr. Robert Hill, LACERA

#### Los Angeles County Other Post Employment Benefits Program

#### July 1, 2014 Actuarial Valuation

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July 1, 2014 Actuarial Valuation

#### Los Angeles County Other Post Employment Benefits Program

#### July 1, 2014 Actuarial Valuation

#### **Section 1: Executive Summary**



#### 2014 Valuation Results

	Jul	y 1, 2014	Jul	y 1, 2012
Actuarial Accrued Liability (\$ billions)	\$	28.55	\$	26.95
County Normal Cost Rate		17.50%		17.55%
County ARC as a Percentage of Payroll		31.82%		32.07%

#### Overview

We are pleased to present the results of the July 1, 2014 biennial actuarial valuation. Several key points are summarized as follows:

- The Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) increased due to a combination of several factors, some of which were offsetting. These included the discount rate change, increases due to the passage of time since our July 1, 2012 valuation, and demographic, trend, and claim cost related experience gains measured as of July 1, 2014.
- The County Normal Cost Rate (NCR) and Annual Required Contribution (ARC) decreased as a percentage of payroll due to the factors mentioned above.

#### **Analysis of Change**

The following table illustrates the sources of change between the July 1, 2012 and July 1, 2014 valuations. The AAL figures are expressed in billions of dollars.

Sources of Change	A	ctuarial ccrued iability	County Normal Cost Rate	County ARC Percentage
A. July 1, 2012 Valuation	\$	26.95	17.55%	32.07%
2013 Experience Study Changes Expected Two-year Change		(0.19) 3.87	(0.43%) 0.40%	(0.54%) 1.29%
B. July 1, 2014 Valuation Expected	\$	30.63	17.52%	32.82%
Claim Cost Experience Trend Assumption (Gain)/Loss * General Wage Increase Assumption Change (Gain)/Loss Discount Rate Change (Gain)/Loss Other Experience (Gain)/Loss Inclusion of Assets on 7/1/2014 (Gain)/Loss		(4.50) (0.97) - 3.44 (0.05)	(3.18%) (1.06%) 0.00% 2.97% 1.25% 0.00%	(5.55%) (1.57%) 0.64% 3.64% 2.09% (0.25%)
C. July 1, 2014 Valuation	\$	28.55	17.50%	31.82%

<sup>\*</sup> Includes impact of July 1, 2015 renewal for all plans except Firefighters Local 1014

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## Analysis of Change (continued)

**Section A:** The expected two-year change represents expected increases in the AAL and NCR due to interest and benefit accruals, net of benefits paid. The cost percentages are based on the assumed July 1, 2012 valuation payroll of \$6,630.0 million, increased by 3.85% (the payroll increase known at the time of the July 1, 2012 valuation) for two years to \$7,150.3 million (projected as of July 1, 2014).

**Section B:** The claim cost experience gain includes the impact of lower-than-expected increases in health insurance premiums as of July 1, 2014. The trend assumption gain includes the impact of the July 1, 2015 premiums and the trend assumption changes. The July 1, 2015 premiums are based on premiums received from Aon Hewitt as of March 20, 2015. The discount rate changed from 4.35% in the July 1, 2012 OPEB valuation to 3.75% in the July 1, 2014 OPEB valuation resulting in an AAL loss. The fees associated with ACA are reflected in the medical and dental trend rates. These fees include the Transitional Reinsurance Fee, the Patient Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI) Fee, and the Insurer Fee. The "Other Experience" gain includes the impact of all other demographic and economic experience along with a decrease in the expected payroll. The inclusion of OPEB Trust assets on July 1, 2014 lowers the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL). The amortization of this change is included in the ARC resulting in a 0.25% gain in the County ARC percentage. percentages in this section are based on the updated July 1, 2014 valuation payroll of \$6,764.0 million.

## Summary Valuation Results

The table on the next page provides a summary of the valuation results by member group. The following key results are included in the table:

- The total Present Value of Future Benefits (PVB). The PVB is based on a projection of all benefits that are expected to be received in the future for all current members (active, vested, and retired) discounted to the valuation date.
- The Present Value of Future Normal Costs. It is the difference between the PVB and the Actuarial Accrued Liability.
- The Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL). This amount represents the value of the liability that is accrued for periods prior to the valuation date, according to the actuarial cost method used.
- Assets. Since the OPEB program is currently partially funded, this is the asset balance as of July 1, 2014.
- The Annual Required Contribution (ARC). The ARC is based on the County Normal Cost Rate plus a 30-year level percentage of payroll amortization of the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL). This is the minimum amortization amount allowed for accounting purposes under current GASB rules. It should be noted that the amortization does not cover interest on the UAAL; in other words, the UAAL will be expected to increase in the following year if all assumptions are met. We assume that the contributions made by the County equal the benefit payments (a pay-as-you-go-funding approach), and thus a Net OPEB Obligation will continue to accumulate in the future.

## County Costs for OPEB Benefits<sup>1</sup> Summary of July 1, 2014 Valuation Results (all dollar amounts in billions)

		LA County					Sι	perior	
	C	Seneral	,	Safety	S	ubtotal		Court	Total
Present Value of Future Benefits     Present Value of Future Normal Costs	\$	32.07 13.36	\$	13.05 4.47	\$	45.12 17.83	\$	1.83 0.57	\$ 46.95 18.40
3. Actuarial Accrued Liability (1-2)	\$	18.71	\$	8.58	\$	27.29	\$	1.26	\$ 28.55
4. Assets <sup>2</sup>		0.33		0.15		0.48			 0.48
5. Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (3-4)	\$	18.38	\$	8.43	\$	26.81	\$	1.26	\$ 28.07
6. ARC <sup>3</sup>	\$	1.45	\$	0.62	\$	2.07	\$	0.08	\$ 2.15
ARC expressed as a percentage of payroll     Normal Cost     UAAL payment		15.80% 12.32%		25.41% 22.37%		17.74% 14.35%		12.74% 13.65%	17.50% 14.32%
Total		28.12%		47.78%		32.09%	2	26.39%	31.82%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Net of Retiree Paid Premiums. May not match other Tables due to rounding.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Assets distributed by AAL.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Normal cost and 30 year level percentage of payroll amortization of the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL).

## Comparison of Results to Prior Valuation

Table 1 provides a summary of key valuation results as of July 1, 2014, compared with July 1, 2012, under the Projected Unit Credit Cost Method. The July 1, 2014 results are based on an assumed 3.75% investment rate of return and the July 1, 2012 results are based on an assumed 4.35% investment rate of return. The following key results are included in this table:

- A summary of total membership by type of member as of the valuation date.
- Total payroll as of the valuation date. The two-year increase of 2.0% is lower than the anticipated two-year increase of 7.85% (based on 3.85% compounded annually).
- The expected County paid benefits for the first year following the valuation date. The two-year increase of 9.7% is much less than the expected two-year increase of 19.4% due largely to lower than anticipated health care premiums. This is based on Table 6 of the July 1, 2012 valuation, which expected the 2012-2013 payment level of \$459.3 million to increase to \$548.5 million in 2014-2015 (as compared to the new expected amount \$503.9 million).
- The total Present Value of Future Benefits (PVB).
- The Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL). The increases in AAL varied by member status and benefit type. The 10.9% increase for retired members is a result of updated trend assumptions, a reduced discount rate, and an increase in the number of retirees and their spouses and dependents. The increases in medical, dental and Part B benefits are also a result of new retirees, updated claim cost, trend, and discount rate assumptions, some of which are offsetting. Medical benefits have not increased as much partially due to a change in Post 65 migration patterns towards lower cost plans. The 16.2% increase for retiree death benefits is a result of a reduced discount rate.
- The Annual Required Contribution (ARC). The ARC increased by 1.2% in dollar terms, and decreased by 0.8% as a percentage of payroll. As seen in the Analysis of Change section on page 1, there were several reasons for these changes, including the passage of time; lower-than-expected health care premiums as of July 1, 2014 and July 1, 2015; the discount rate change; and lower-than-expected payroll increases.

Table 1: July 1, 2014 Summary of County Paid Liabilities and Cost (All Dollar Amounts in Millions)

	July 1, 2014	July 1, 2012	Percentage Change
A. Total Membership	<u> </u>	, , <u></u>	<u> </u>
<ol> <li>Active Members</li> <li>Vested Terminated Members</li> <li>Retirees and Survivors (Medical Coverage)</li> <li>Total</li> </ol>	92,3 8,0 <u>45,8</u> 146,2	69 7,835 25 43.897	0.5% 3.0% 4.4% 1.8%
B. Valuation Payroll	\$ 6,764	4.0 \$ 6,630.0	2.0%
C. Projected County Paid First-Year Benefits	\$ 500	3.9 \$ 459.3	9.7%
D. Present Value of Future Benefits (PVB)	\$ 46,949	9.1 \$ 44,760.5	4.9%
E. Actuarial Accrued Liability by Member Group			
<ol> <li>LA County Members</li> <li>Superior Court Members</li> <li>Total</li> </ol>	\$ 27,28 1,258 \$ 28,540	3.7 1,219.4	6.0% 3.2% 5.9%
F. Actuarial Accrued Liability by Member Status			
<ol> <li>Active Members</li> <li>Vested Terminated Members</li> <li>Retired Members</li> <li>Total</li> </ol>	\$ 16,756 1,033 10.75 \$ 28,546	3.4 983.2 7.0 9.697.3	3.0% 5.1% 10.9% 5.9%
G. Actuarial Accrued Liability by Benefit Type			
<ol> <li>Retiree Medical</li> <li>Retiree Dental/Vision</li> <li>Medicare Part B</li> <li>Retiree Death Benefit</li> <li>Total</li> </ol>	\$ 23,714 1,138 3,464 229 \$ 28,546	3.7     1,019.9       4.6     2,943.6       9.3     197.3	4.0% 11.6% 17.7% 16.2% 5.9%
H. Assets	\$ 483	3.8 \$ -	
I. Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$ 28,062	2.8 \$ 26,952.7	4.1%
J. Annual Required Contribution (ARC) <sup>2</sup>	\$ 2,152	2.3 \$ 2,126.1	1.2%
<ul><li>K. ARC expressed as a percentage of payroll</li><li>1. Normal Cost</li><li>2. UAAL payment</li><li>3. Total</li></ul>	17.5 <u>14.3</u> 31.8	<u>2%</u> <u>14.52%</u>	(0.3%) (1.4%) (0.8%)

Net of Retiree Paid Premiums

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Normal cost and 30 year level percentage of payroll amortization of the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL)

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## Section 2: Actuarial Valuation as of July 1, 2014

### A. Valuation Methodology



This is a valuation of the retiree medical, dental/vision, and death benefits covering the retired Los Angeles County workers who also participate in the Los Angeles County Employees Retirement Association (LACERA) retirement benefit program. This valuation is performed every two years.

In analyzing the GASB liabilities and ARC, we were asked to divide the results into the following member groups:

- LA County General Members. This is the largest group, covering essentially all LACERA members who are not Safety Members or Superior Court members.
- LA County Safety Members. This group includes members of law enforcement, firefighters, and lifeguards.
- Superior Court Members. This group includes members of the Superior Court, as identified by LACERA staff.

The tables in this report present the unfunded liabilities, ARC, and projected County benefit payments under the Projected Unit Credit (PUC) cost method separately for each of the three groups identified above. This method is described further in Appendix A.

The actuarial assumptions and methods used in the valuation are summarized in Appendix A. The retirement benefit related demographic and economic assumptions used in this report are based on those developed for the June 30, 2014 valuation of the LACERA retirement benefit plan. The OPEB demographic and economic assumptions are based on the results of our 2013 OPEB Investigation of Experience, dated March 25, 2014. These assumptions were identified, evaluated, and agreed upon collaboratively by the actuaries and consultants at the time representing the OPEB program stakeholders including: Milliman, LACERA's actuary; Segal, LACERA's auditing actuary; Aon Hewitt, LACERA's Health Care Benefits Consultant; Buck Consultants, Los Angeles County's former actuary; and Rael & Letson, actuary for SEIU Local 721.

## **Valuation** Methodology (continued)

The health related assumptions and updates to the economic assumptions used in the report were also agreed upon collaboratively by the following actuaries and consultants: Aon Hewitt, Cheiron, Rael & Letson, and Segal and approved by the Board of Retirement. Thus, the assumptions were the result of a collaborative effort by these various stakeholder groups.

Comprehensive medical benefits, dental/vision benefits, and death benefits are provided to all County employees, including the Superior Court members, who retire and satisfy the eligibility requirements outlined in Appendix B. Retired Local 1014 members are eligible for the Local 1014 Firefighters' retiree medical plan as outlined in Appendix F. Eligibility for the County OPEB program is tied to benefit eligibility under the LACERA retirement benefit program. Thus, all former County employees receiving OPEB program benefits are also members in the retirement benefit plan.

The active and vested terminated member census data for each of the OPEB program member groups is summarized by the LACERA retirement benefit program levels in Appendix C. The retiree and dependent data for each health plan and benefit group is also summarized.

A glossary of terms is provided in Appendix D. Summaries of health benefits are provided in Appendices E, F, G, and H. Additional subtotaling of the liabilities and costs for the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) members are provided in Appendix I.

#### **B. GASB Liabilities and Costs**

## **Key Liability Descriptions**

GASB Statements No. 43 and No. 45 cover non-pension postretirement benefits. In summary, the statements hold that benefits should be recognized over the working lifetime of the employee, from the date of hire to the last date of employment. A discussion of the new GASB Statements No. 74 and 75 is in Section 2, Subsection E, Accounting and CAFR Information.

The statements define two measures of OPEB program liabilities, the Actuarial Present Value of Projected Total Benefits (PVB) and the Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL).

The PVB is the present value of the future postemployment benefits payable by the County to current active members and retirees. This value is net of future retiree contributions. The PVB is shown in Table 1. D. above.

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# Key Liability Descriptions (continued)

The AAL is the most important measure of liability because it is used to derive the Annual Required Contribution (ARC) and disclosure values. The AAL is the portion of the PVB attributed to periods up to the measurement date. For this report, the AAL is determined under the Projected Unit Credit (PUC) actuarial cost method. The AAL is shown in Table 2 subtotaled by benefit type and member status.

Under GASB requirements, post-employment benefits are accrued during employment. This is why the costs are spread over the period from the date of hire to the date of termination or retirement. For current retirees and terminated vested members, the AAL is equal to the PVB, since there is no future service to be rendered. For active members, the AAL is based on the portion of the PVB that is allocated to prior years based on the actuarial cost method. For the PUC method, the allocation basis is pro-rata on years of service between entry age and assumed exit.

The portion of the PVB that is anticipated to be earned in the year following the valuation date is the Normal Cost (NC). The NC is shown in Table 3.

## Annual Required Contribution

The ARC is made up of two components: Normal Cost (NC) and amortization of the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL). The UAAL is the AAL net of assets. For purposes of this valuation, the UAAL is amortized over 30 years as a level percentage of payroll. Although this method complies with the GASB minimum amortization payment requirements, it is not sufficient to cover interest on the UAAL. The amortization period is assumed to begin on the valuation date. Note this term, the ARC, is an accounting allocation amount, and may or may not reflect the actual employer contributions towards funding the OPEB program benefits.

Table 4 details the ARC results as of July 1, 2014, the beginning of the 2014/2015 fiscal year.

## Background on **Accounting** Requirements

GASB issued Statement No. 43 in April of 2004. This statement covers Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefit Plans Other than Pension Plans. GASB issued Statement No. 45 in June of 2004. This statement covers Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Postemployment Benefits Other LACERA was required to adopt Statement than Pensions. No. 43 for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. For the County, Statement No. 45 was required to be adopted for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008.

This report was prepared for the purposes of meeting these financial accounting and reporting disclosure requirements. The actual funding of the OPEB program benefits may differ from the amounts used for accounting disclosure purposes. Under the GASB rules, if the employer is not prefunding the benefit obligations, then the assumed discount rate or investment return rate cannot exceed the expected return on the employer's general ledger accounts. Since Los Angeles County is now prefunding a portion of the OPEB program benefits, the discount rate was developed based on a blend of the projected return on general ledger assets and the projected return on the assets used for prefunding. Based on this, a 3.75% interest assumption was selected.

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Table 2: July 1, 2014 Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) at 3.75% **Retiree Medical Benefits** (All Dollar Amounts in Millions)

	LA County <u>General</u>		LA County Safety		LA County Subtotal		Superior Court		Total
1. AAL - Total Medical Benefits									
Retirees	\$	6,030.8	\$	3,427.9	\$	9,458.7	\$	388.3	\$ 9,847.0
Vested Terminateds		927.4		71.5		998.9		113.4	1,112.3
Actives		9,769.9		4,560.1		14,330.0		639.6	 14,969.6
Total	\$	16,728.1	\$	8,059.5	\$	24,787.6	\$	1,141.3	\$ 25,928.9
2. AAL - Retiree Paid Medical Premiums									
Retirees	\$	519.4	\$	302.9	\$	822.3	\$	41.7	\$ 864.0
Vested Terminateds		381.6		41.8		423.4		44.1	467.5
Actives		627.5		226.1		853.6		29.8	 883.4
Total	\$	1,528.5	\$	570.8	\$	2,099.3	\$	115.6	\$ 2,214.9
3. AAL - County Paid Medical Benefits (1) - (2)									
Retirees	\$	5,511.4	\$	3,125.0	\$	8,636.4	\$	346.6	\$ 8,983.0
Vested Terminateds		545.8		29.7		575.5		69.3	644.8
Actives		9,142.4		4,334.0		13,476.4		609.8	 14,086.2
Total	\$	15,199.6	\$	7,488.7	\$	22,688.3	\$	1,025.7	\$ 23,714.0



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Table 2 (Cont): July 1, 2014 Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) at 3.75% Retiree Dental and Vision Benefits (All Dollar Amounts in Millions)

		County Seneral	County Safety	A County Subtotal	uperior Court	 Total
4. AAL - Total Dental & Vision Benefits						
Retirees	\$	395.0	\$ 165.5	\$ 560.5	\$ 23.1	\$ 583.6
Vested Terminateds		44.6	2.6	47.2	5.1	52.3
Actives		444.6	 144.7	 589.3	 29.3	 618.6
Total	\$	884.2	\$ 312.8	\$ 1,197.0	\$ 57.5	\$ 1,254.5
5. AAL - Retiree Paid Dental & Vision Premiums						
Retirees	\$	37.2	\$ 15.2	\$ 52.4	\$ 2.7	\$ 55.1
Vested Terminateds		18.3	1.5	19.8	2.0	21.8
Actives		30.3	 7.0	37.3	 1.6	38.9
Total	\$	85.8	\$ 23.7	\$ 109.5	\$ 6.3	\$ 115.8
6. AAL - County Paid Dental & Vision Benefits (4	·) - (5)					
Retirees	\$	357.8	\$ 150.3	\$ 508.1	\$ 20.4	\$ 528.5
Vested Terminateds		26.3	1.1	27.4	3.1	30.5
Actives		414.3	 137.7	 552.0	27.7	 579.7
Total	\$	798.4	\$ 289.1	\$ 1,087.5	\$ 51.2	\$ 1,138.7



Table 2 (Cont): July 1, 2014 Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) at 3.75% Medicare Part B and Retiree Death Benefit (All Dollar Amounts in Millions)

	A County General	L/	A County Safety	A County Subtotal	Sup	erior Court	Total
7. AAL - County Paid Medicare Part B Premiums							
Retirees	\$ 763.3	\$	288.0	\$ 1,051.3	\$	44.2	\$ 1,095.5
Vested Terminateds	283.3		34.0	317.3		29.3	346.6
Actives	1,474.7		451.1	1,925.8		96.7	 2,022.5
Total	\$ 2,521.3	\$	773.1	\$ 3,294.4	\$	170.2	\$ 3,464.6
8. AAL - County Paid Retiree Death Benefit							
Retirees	\$ 116.9	\$	26.0	\$ 142.9	\$	7.1	\$ 150.0
Vested Terminateds	10.0		0.6	10.6		0.9	11.5
Actives	 55.1		9.1	64.2		3.6	67.8
Total	\$ 182.0	\$	35.7	\$ 217.7	\$	11.6	\$ 229.3
9. AAL - County Paid Benefits (3) + (6) + (7) + (8)							
Retirees	\$ 6,749.4	\$	3,589.3	\$ 10,338.7	\$	418.3	\$ 10,757.0
Vested Terminateds	865.4		65.4	930.8		102.6	1,033.4
Actives	 11,086.5		4,931.9	 16,018.4		737.8	 16,756.2
Total	\$ 18,701.3	\$	8,586.6	\$ 27,287.9	\$	1,258.7	\$ 28,546.6



Table 3: July 1, 2014 Normal Cost at 3.75% (All Dollar Amounts in Millions)

	LA County General		A County Safety	LA County Subtotal		Superior Court		Total	
Total Medical Benefits     Retiree Paid Medical Premiums	\$	745.3 81.5	\$ 319.3 29.6	\$	1,064.6 111.1	\$	35.9 2.7	\$	1,100.5 113.8
3. Net County Paid Medical Benefits (1) - (2)	\$	663.8	\$ 289.7	\$	953.5	\$	33.2	\$	986.7
<ul><li>4. Total Dental/Vision Benefits</li><li>5. Retiree Paid DentalVision Premiums</li></ul>	\$	29.9 3.5	\$ 9.1 0.9	\$	39.0 4.4	\$	1.6 0.1	\$	40.6 4.5
6. Net County Paid Dental/Vision Benefits (4) - (5)	\$	26.4	\$ 8.2	\$	34.6	\$	1.5	\$	36.1
7. County Paid Medicare Part B Premiums	\$	118.9	\$ 32.2	\$	151.1	\$	5.6	\$	156.7
8. County Paid Retiree Death Benefit	\$	3.6	\$ 0.5	\$	4.1	\$	0.2	\$	4.3
9. Total County Normal Cost (3) + (6) + (7) + (8)	\$	812.7	\$ 330.6	\$	1,143.3	\$	40.5	\$	1,183.8
10. Valuation Payroll	\$	5,144.8	\$ 1,301.2	\$	6,446.0	\$	318.0	\$	6,764.0
11. County Normal Cost as a Percentage of Payroll		15.80%	25.41%		17.74%		12.74%		17.50%



Table 4: 2014-2015 Annual Required Contribution (ARC) at 3.75% (All Dollar Amounts in Millions)

	LA County General		LA County Safety		LA County Subtotal		Superior Court		 Total
Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL)									
Present Value of Benefits (PVB) Present Value of Future Normal Cost (PVFNC)	\$	32,064.3 13,363.0	\$	13,053.7 4,467.1	\$	45,118.0 17,830.1	\$	1,831.1 572.4	\$ 46,949.1 18,402.5
Actuarial Accrued Liability as of July 1, 2014 Fund Balance at July 1, 2014	\$	18,701.3 331.6	\$	8,586.6 152.2	\$	27,287.9 483.8	\$	1,258.7 -	\$ 28,546.6 483.8
Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$	18,369.7	\$	8,434.4	\$	26,804.1	\$	1,258.7	\$ 28,062.8
2. Amortization of UAAL (Level % of Pay)									
Amortization Period (years)		30		30		30		30	30
Amortization Factor		28.975		28.975		28.975		28.975	28.975
UAAL Amortization Payment	\$	634.0	\$	291.1	\$	925.1	\$	43.4	\$ 968.5
3. 2014 - 2015 Annual Required Contribution (ARC) on	July	1, 2014							
Amortization of UAAL	\$	634.0	\$	291.1	\$	925.1	\$	43.4	\$ 968.5
Normal Cost		812.7		330.6		1,143.3		40.5	 1,183.8
Annual Required Contribution (ARC) (As of July 1, 2014)	\$	1,446.7	\$	621.7	\$	2,068.4	\$	83.9	\$ 2,152.3
4. July 1, 2014 Valuation Payroll	\$	5,144.8	\$	1,301.2	\$	6,446.0	\$	318.0	\$ 6,764.0
5. Estimated ARC as a Percentage of Valuation Payroll		28.12%		47.78%		32.09%		26.38%	31.82%
Fund balance distributed by AAL									

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## C. Estimated Pay-As-You-Go Costs

### **Estimated Pay-As-You-Go Costs**

Tables 5 and 6 project the estimated annual County OPEB benefit pay-as-you-go costs, net of expected retiree paid premiums for the next ten years.

Table 5 shows the total projected pay-as-you-go costs separately for medical, dental/vision, Medicare Part B, and retiree death benefits. The medical and dental/vision retiree contributions are also summarized. Finally, the net County paid benefits are shown, which are the total projected pay-as-you-go costs minus the retiree contributions.

Table 6 summarizes the projected net County paid benefit costs for each of the three valuation member groups. The total amounts are the same as those in Table 5.

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Table 5: Projected County Paid Benefits by Type (All Dollar Amounts in Millions)

Fiscal Year Ending	Med	ical Total	 tal/Vision Total	 edicare Part B	Death	n Benefit	R	edical etiree tribution	Re	al/Vision etiree <u>ribution</u>	al County Benefits
6/30/2015	\$	451.2	\$ 39.7	\$ 49.3	\$	7.6	\$	(40.0)	\$	(3.9)	\$ 503.9
6/30/2016		509.1	41.6	53.0		7.9		(46.7)		(4.2)	560.7
6/30/2017		561.9	43.9	57.3		8.2		(52.7)		(4.5)	614.1
6/30/2018		617.2	46.3	62.0		8.5		(58.9)		(4.7)	670.4
6/30/2019		675.5	48.8	67.1		8.8		(65.2)		(5.0)	730.0
6/30/2020		731.7	51.4	72.9		9.1		(71.3)		(5.3)	788.5
6/30/2021		790.8	54.1	80.0		9.4		(77.7)		(5.7)	850.9
6/30/2022		853.4	56.9	87.9		9.7		(84.2)		(6.0)	917.7
6/30/2023		913.2	59.8	96.2		10.0		(90.2)		(6.3)	982.7
6/30/2024		984.5	62.8	105.3		10.3		(97.1)		(6.6)	1,059.2

Projection Basis:

All assumptions are met

No future members are reflected

Table 6: Projected County Paid Benefits by Group (All Dollar Amounts in Millions)

Fiscal Year Ending	_	LA County General		LA County Safety		County ubtotal	Superior Court		Total
6/30/2015 6/30/2016 6/30/2017 6/30/2018 6/30/2019 6/30/2020 6/30/2021	\$	346.1 381.2 415.2 450.9 488.2 525.2 564.7	\$	137.5 156.9 174.1 192.4 212.4 231.5 251.8	\$	483.6 538.1 589.3 643.3 700.6 756.7 816.5	\$	20.3 22.6 24.8 27.1 29.4 31.8 34.4	\$ 503.9 560.7 614.1 670.4 730.0 788.5 850.9
6/30/2022 6/30/2023 6/30/2024		607.8 650.9 700.4		272.7 291.5 314.9		880.5 942.4 1,015.3		37.2 40.3 43.9	917.7 982.7 1,059.2

**Projection Basis:** 

All assumptions are met

No future members are reflected

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## D. Impact of Alternative Trend Rates on AAL and ARC

To analyze the sensitivity of the health cost trend rates, the chart below shows the impact of a 1% increase or decrease in the assumed health cost trend rates on the GASB values. The retiree death benefits are included, but they are unaffected by the health cost trend rates.

	Valuation Trend Rates			ation Trend es Plus 1%	Valuation Trend Rates Minus 1%			
			(i	n millions)				
July 1, 2014 AAL Percentage Increase/(Decrease)	\$	28,546.6	\$	35,423.3 24%	\$	23,373.6 (18%)		
2014 – 2015 ARC Percentage Increase/(Decrease)	\$	2,152.3	\$	2,820.4 31%	\$	1,671.3 (22%)		

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## **E. Accounting and CAFR Information**

#### Los Angeles County Other Post Employment Benefits Program **Schedule of Funding Progress**

(Dollars in Thousands)

Valuation Date	Actuarial Value of Assets	Actuarial Accrued Liabilities	Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liabilities (UAAL)	Funded Ratio	Covered Payroll <sup>1</sup>	UAAL As A Percentage of Covered Payroll
July 1, 2010	-	\$24,031,000	\$24,031,000	0.0%	\$6,695,439	358.9%
July 1, 2012	-	\$26,952,700	\$26,952,700	0.0%	\$6,619,816	407.2%
July 1, 2014	\$483,800	\$28,546,600	\$28,062,800	1.7%	\$6,672,228	420.6%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Covered Payroll is consistent with the retirement program's covered payroll.

#### Los Angeles County Other Post Employment Benefits Program **Schedule of Employer Contributions**

(Dollars in Thousands)

Fiscal Year	Annual Reguired	Act	Percentage		
Ended June 30	Contribution (ARC)	Cash Payment	Transfer from Reserve Account	Total	of ARC Contributed
2012	\$1,938,400	\$442,099	-	\$442,099	23%
2013	\$2,126,100	\$460,331	-	\$460,331	22%
2014	\$2,126,100	\$466,788	-	\$466,788	22%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Values from Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2012, 2013, and 2014 are from the LACERA 2014 CAFR. Actual Employer Contributions are not yet available for Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015.

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#### Los Angeles County Other Post Employment Benefits Program Demographic Activity of Retired Members and Beneficiaries (OPEB Plan)

		added to Rolls	Removed from Rolls		Rolls	s at End of Year	% Increase in Retiree	Average Annual	
Plan Year Ended	Count	Annual Allowance*	Count	Annual Allowance	Count	Annual Allowance	Allowance	Allowance	
June 30, 2010					43,936	\$391,979,000		\$8,922	
June 30, 2012	5,336	\$56,982,000	(3,070)	(\$25,497,000)	46,202	\$423,464,000	8.03%	\$9,165	
June 30, 2014	5,335	\$89,205,000	(3,369)	(\$29,925,000)	48,168	\$482,744,000	14.00%	\$10,022	

<sup>\*</sup>Includes changes for continuing retirees and beneficiaries

#### Los Angeles County Other Post Employment Benefits Program Actuarial Analysis of Financial Experience - OPEB Program

(Dollars in Billions)

		 √aluation a	is of a	July 1		
	2008	2010		2012		2014
Prior Valuation Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$ 21.22	\$ 21.86	\$	24.03	\$	26.95
Expected Increase (Decrease) from Prior Valuation	3.34	3.48		3.77		3.87
Claim Costs Greater (Less) than Expected	(3.13)	(1.27)		(4.60) '	•	(5.47) *
Change in Assumptions	0.53	0.29		4.15		3.25
All Other Experience	 (0.10)	(0.33)		(0.40)		(0.05)
Ending Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$ 21.86	\$ 24.03	\$	26.95	\$	28.55

<sup>\*</sup> This amount Includes the trend assumption change.

#### Discussion of GASB Statements No. 74 and 75

On June 2, 2015, GASB approved Statement Numbers 74 and 75.

GASB Statement Number 74, Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefit Plans Other Than Pension Plans, addresses reporting by OPEB plans that administer benefits on behalf of governments and replaces GASB Statement Number 43.

The effective date for this statement is applicable to LACERA's fiscal year reporting period ending June 30, 2017. LACERA plans to implement the new standard at that time with the July 1, 2016 OPEB valuation.

GASB Statement No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions, addresses reporting by governments that provide OPEB to their employees and for governments that finance OPEB for employees of other governments and replaces GASB Statement Number 45. Though the effective date is one year later than GASB Statement Number 74, it will be addressed with the July 1, 2016 OPEB valuation.

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#### Section 3: GASB Liabilities and Costs as of July 1, 2014 with Excise Tax

An excise tax for high cost health coverage, or "Cadillac" health plans was included as part of ACA. The provision levies a 40% tax on the value of health plan costs that exceed certain thresholds for single coverage or family coverage. The 2018 annual thresholds are \$10,200 for single coverage and \$27,500 for a family plan. For qualified retirees aged 55 to 64 or workers in "high risk" professions such as firefighters and police officers, the thresholds are \$11,850 for single coverage and \$30,950 for a family plan. If, between 2010 and 2018, the cost of health care insurance rises more than 55%, the threshold for the excise tax will be adjusted.

As requested, Milliman has calculated the GASB 43/45 Liabilities and Costs as of July 1, 2014 with the impact of the Excise Tax under ACA. A summary of results and the trend reflecting Excise Tax follows.

In order to determine the costs and liabilities with excise tax, the benefit plans, assumptions, and methods in the appendices apply. The medical trend in Appendix A has been updated in the following table to reflect Excise Tax. We assume that there will be no changes to the current law and that there will be no changes in plan design to help mitigate the impact of the tax.

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Table 7: July 1, 2014 Summary of County Paid Liabilities and Cost with Excise Tax (All Dollar Amounts in Millions)

	July 1, 2014 with		July 1, 2014 without		Percentage
A. Total Membership	E:	xcise Tax	E	xcise Tax	Change
<ol> <li>Active Members</li> <li>Vested Terminated Members</li> <li>Retirees and Survivors (Medical Coverage)</li> <li>Total</li> </ol>		92,393 8,069 45,825 146,287		92,393 8,069 45,825 146,287	0.0% 0.0% 0.0% 0.0%
B. Valuation Payroll	\$	6,764.0	\$	6,764.0	0.0%
C. Projected County Paid First-Year Benefits	\$	503.9	\$	503.9	0.0%
D. Present Value of Future Benefits (PVB)	\$	51,857.9	\$	46,949.1	10.5%
E. Actuarial Accrued Liability by Member Group					
<ol> <li>LA County Members</li> <li>Superior Court Members</li> <li>Total</li> </ol>	\$ 	29,359.5 1,350.8 30,710.3	\$ 	27,287.9 1,258.7 28,546.6	7.6% 7.3% 7.6%
F. Actuarial Accrued Liability by Member Status	Ψ	30,7 10.3	φ	20,540.0	7.070
Active Members     Vested Terminated Members     Retired Members     Total	\$	18,409.2 1,092.5 11,208.6 30,710.3	\$	16,756.2 1,033.4 10,757.0 28,546.6	9.9% 5.7% 4.2% 7.6%
G. Actuarial Accrued Liability by Benefit Type					
<ol> <li>Retiree Medical</li> <li>Retiree Dental/Vision</li> <li>Medicare Part B</li> <li>Retiree Death Benefit</li> <li>Total</li> </ol>	\$ \$	25,877.7 1,138.7 3,464.6 229.3 30,710.3	\$ 	23,714.0 1,138.7 3,464.6 229.3 28,546.6	9.1% 0.0% 0.0% 0.0% 7.6%
H. Assets	\$	483.8	\$	483.8	0.0%
I. Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$	30,226.5	\$	28,062.8	7.7%
<ul> <li>J. Annual Required Contribution (ARC)<sup>2</sup></li> <li>K. ARC expressed as a percentage of payroll</li> </ul>	\$	2,370.3	\$	2,152.3	10.1%
Normal Cost     UAAL payment     Total		19.62% 15.42% 35.04%		17.50% 14.32% 31.82%	12.1% 7.7% 10.1%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Net of Retiree Paid Premiums

Normal cost and 30 year level percentage of payroll amortization of the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL)

### Health Cost Trend Assumptions with Excise Tax \*

The medical trend in Appendix A has been modified in the following table to reflect Excise Tax.

Fig. a.l. Va	an Fradina	LACERA Medical Trend		
Fiscal Ye	ar Ending	with Excise Tax		
<u>From</u>	<u> </u>	<u> Under 65</u>	<u>Over 65</u>	
6/30/2015	6/30/2016	7.05%	9.60%	
6/30/2016	6/30/2017	6.40%	8.85%	
6/30/2017	6/30/2018	6.55%	9.25%	
6/30/2018	6/30/2019	6.30%	8.35%	
6/30/2019	6/30/2020	5.90%	6.30%	
6/30/2020	6/30/2021	6.00%	5.95%	
6/30/2021	6/30/2022	6.00%	5.95%	
6/30/2022	6/30/2023	6.00%	5.95%	
6/30/2023	6/30/2024	6.10%	5.95%	
6/30/2024	6/30/2025	6.25%	6.00%	
6/30/2025	6/30/2026	6.30%	6.00%	
6/30/2026	6/30/2027	6.30%	6.00%	
6/30/2027	6/30/2028	6.35%	6.00%	
6/30/2037	6/30/2038	6.65%	6.15%	
6/30/2047	6/30/2048	6.05%	6.15%	
6/30/2057	6/30/2058	5.85%	6.15%	
6/30/2067	6/30/2068	5.30%	5.45%	
6/30/2077	6/30/2078	4.90%	5.05%	
6/30/2087	6/30/2088	4.90%	4.95%	
6/30/2097	6/30/2098	4.85%	4.95%	
6/30/2100		4.85%	4.90%	

Note that after fiscal year ending June 30, 2027, selected years are shown in the table. After fiscal year ending June 30, 2098, the trend rates remain at 4.85% for pre 65 trend and 4.90% for post 65 trend.

The first year trend rates for LACERA medical non-firefighter Local 1014 and dental/vision plans have been adjusted to reflect premium increases effective July 1, 2015. ACA Fees including Transitional Reinsurance Fee and Insurer Fee are also included in the medical and dental/vision trends.

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The table below projects the estimated annual County OPEB benefit pay-as-you-go medical costs with and without the Excise Tax, net of expected retiree paid premiums for the next ten years in millions.

Fiscal Year Ending	July 1, 2014 with Excise Tax		•	1, 2014 out Excise Tax
6/30/2015	\$	411.2	\$	411.2
6/30/2016	Ψ	462.4	Ψ	462.4
6/30/2017		509.2		509.2
6/30/2018		563.8		558.3
6/30/2019		623.3		610.3
6/30/2020		676.1		660.4
6/30/2021		732.1		713.1
6/30/2022		791.7		769.2
6/30/2023		849.3		823.0
6/30/2024		918.2		887.4

**Projection Basis:** 

All assumptions are met

No future members are reflected

The table below shows when each plan is projected to reach the Excise Tax threshold.

	First Year Excise
Plan	Tax applies
Blue Cross I	2018
Blue Cross II	2018
Blue Cross III	2037
Blue Cross Prudent Buyer	2018
Cigna Network Model	2018
Cigna Healthcare for Seniors	2045
Firefighters' Local 1014	2018
Kaiser Basic	2019
Kaiser Over 65	2046
UnitedHealthcare	2018
UnitedHealthcare Medicare Advantage	2049
SCAN	2046

## **Appendix A: Actuarial Procedures and Assumptions**



The actuarial procedures and assumptions used in this valuation are described in this section. Where applicable, the same assumptions are used for the LACERA postemployment health and death benefit plans as for the LACERA retirement benefits. The assumptions that overlap with the LACERA retirement benefits plan assumptions were reviewed and changed June 30, 2013, as a result of the 2013 triennial Retirement Benefit Investigation of Experience Study, approved by the Board of Investments in December 2013. The general wage increase, investment earnings, and implied inflation assumptions were evaluated with the June 30, 2014, retirement benefits plan valuation. The OPEB specific assumptions other than premiums, claim costs, aging, and trend, were reviewed and changed as a result of the 2013 OPEB Investigation of Experience Study approved in the April 2014 Board meeting. The premiums, claim costs, aging, and trend used for this valuation are updated as of July 1, 2014.

The actuarial assumptions used in both the retirement benefit and OPEB program actuarial valuations are intended to estimate the future experience of the members eligible for benefit payments and the projected benefit flow and anticipated investment earnings. Any variations in future experience from that expected from these assumptions will result in corresponding changes in the estimated costs of the benefits.

Table A-1 summarizes the assumptions. The mortality rates are taken from the sources listed. The economic assumptions in this table were evaluated with the June 30, 2014 retirement benefits plan valuation.

Tables A-2 and A-3 show how members are expected to leave retired status due to death.

Table A-4 presents the probability of refund of retirement benefit contributions upon termination of employment while vested.

Table A-5 presents the general wage increase of 3.50% per annum.

Tables A-6 to A-13 present the rates of separation of active service. These were developed from the experience as measured by the 2013 Retirement Benefit Investigation of Experience Study. The rates are the probabilities a member will leave active employment for various reasons.



Tables A-14 to A-19 present enrollment assumptions. These were developed from the 2013 OPEB Investigation of Experience Study to estimate health eligibility and enrollment.

Tables A-20 to A-21 present premium and claim cost assumptions developed from the OPEB program's premium and claim information.

Table A-22 presents the health cost trend rates.

Table A-23 presents the assumed retirement rates for vested terminated members developed from the 2013 OPEB Investigation of Experience.

## Actuarial Cost Method

The actuarial valuation is prepared under the Projected Unit Credit (PUC) actuarial cost method. Under the principles of the PUC method, the actuarial present value of the projected benefits of each individual included in the valuation is allocated pro-rata to each year of service between entry age and assumed exit.

For members who transferred between plans, entry age is based on original entry into the LACERA retirement benefits plan.

The portion of this actuarial present value allocated to a valuation year is called the Normal Cost (NC). The portion of this actuarial present value not provided for at a valuation date by the sum of (a) the actuarial value of the assets (if the benefits are funded), and (b) the actuarial present value of future normal costs is called the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL). The UAAL is amortized as a level percentage of the projected salaries of the active members, both present and future, covered by the LACERA retirement benefits plan over a 30-year period from the valuation date; this is commonly referred to as a "rolling 30-year amortization method". This method does not cover interest on the UAAL.

#### **Records and Data**

The data used in this valuation consist of medical and dental/vision premiums, financial information, and the age, service, and salary records for active and inactive members and their survivors. All of the information was supplied by LACERA and Aon Hewitt and was accepted for valuation purposes without audit.

## Growth in Membership

For benefit valuation purposes, no growth in the active membership of LACERA is assumed. For funding purposes, if amortization is required, the total payroll of covered members is assumed to grow due to the combined effects of future wage increases of current active members and the replacement of the current active members by new employees. No growth in the total number of active members is assumed.

## Investment Earnings and Expenses

GASB 45 requires that the discount rate for OPEB benefits be equal to the expected return on assets used to pay ongoing benefits. In the case of an unfunded plan, it would be the expected return on the County's general funds. In our previous valuations, we used the expected return on the County's general funds to develop the discount rate assumption. For the July 1, 2014 valuation, we have included the OPEB Investment Trust in our analysis to develop the discount rate. Based on the expected return on the County's general funds and the expected return on the OPEB Investment Trust, we have selected a discount rate of 3.75% for use in the July 1, 2014 OPEB valuation.

#### **Health Cost Trend**

The rates of the health cost trends for the purposes of the valuation are illustrated in Table A-22. These rates were adopted July 1, 2014.

### **Future Salaries**

The 3.50% per annum rate of increase in the general wage level of membership is in Table A-5. This rate was adopted June 30, 2014.

#### Retirement

Members in General Plans A-D may retire at age 50 with 10 years of service, or any age with 30 years of service, or age 70 regardless of the number of years of service. General Plan G members are eligible to retire at age 52 with 5 years of service, or age 70 regardless of the number of years of service. Noncontributory Plan E members may retire at age 55 with 10 years of service. Members of Safety Plans A and B may retire at age 50 with 10 years of service, or any age with 20 years of service. Safety Plan C members are eligible to retire at age 50 with 5 years of County service. The retirement rates for active members vary by age and are shown by plan in Tables A-6 through A-13.

All general members who attain or who have attained age 75 in active service and all safety members who have attained age 60 in active service are assumed to retire immediately (except for Safety Plan C members who have not yet attained 5 years of service).

#### Retirement (cont.)

All deferred vested members are assumed to retire according to Table A-23.

The assumptions regarding termination of employment, early retirement, and unreduced service retirement are treated as a single set of decrements in regards to a particular member. For example, a general member hired at age 30 has a probability to withdraw from LACERA due to death, disability, or other termination of employment until age 50. After age 50, the member could still withdraw due to death, disability, or retirement. Thus, in no year during the member's projected employment would they be eligible for both a probability of other termination of employment and a probability of retirement.

The active members' retirement probabilities were adopted June 30, 2013. The term vested member's retirement probabilities were adopted July 1, 2013, for purposes of the OPEB program valuation only.

#### Disability

The rates of disability used in the valuation are illustrated in Tables A-6 through A-13. These rates were adopted June 30, 2013.

Postretirement Mortality – Other Than Disabled Members The same postretirement mortality rates are used in the valuation for active members, members retired for service, and beneficiaries. These rates are illustrated in Table A-2. Current beneficiary mortality is assumed to be the same assumption as healthy members of the same gender. Future beneficiaries are assumed to be of the opposite gender and have the same mortality as General members. Note that these assumptions include a margin for expected future mortality improvement. These rates were adopted June 30, 2013.

#### Males

General members: RP-2000 Combined Mortality Table for Males, projected to 2025 using Projection Scale AA, with ages set back one year.

Safety members: RP-2000 Combined Mortality Table for Males, projected to 2025 using Projection Scale AA, with ages set back two years.

#### Females

General members: RP-2000 Combined Mortality Table for Females, projected to 2025 using Projection Scale AA, with ages set back one year.

Safety members: RP-2000 Combined Mortality Table for Females, projected to 2025 using Projection Scale AA, with ages set back one

year.

## Mortality – Disabled Members

For disabled members, the mortality rates used in the valuation rates are illustrated in Table A-3. Note that these assumptions include a margin for expected future mortality improvement. These rates were adopted June 30, 2013.

Males General members: Average of RP-2000

Combined and Disabled Mortality Tables for Males, projected to 2025 using Projection Scale

AA, with ages set back one year.

Safety members: RP-2000 Combined Mortality Table for Males, projected to 2025 using Projection Scale AA, with no age adjustment.

Females General members: Average of RP-2000

Combined and Disabled Mortality Tables for Females, projected to 2025 using Projection

Scale AA, with ages set back one year.

Safety members: RP-2000 Combined Mortality Table for Females, projected to 2025 using Projection Scale AA, with no age adjustment.

## Mortality While in Active Status

For active members, the mortality rates used in the valuation are illustrated in Tables A-6 through A-13. These rates were adopted June 30, 2013.

Class	Gender	Proposed Table	
General	Male	RP 2000 Employee Male, Proj. 2025*	+1
General	Female	RP 2000 Employee Female, Proj. 2025*	-2
Safety	Male	RP 2000 Employee Male, Proj. 2025*	-5
Safety	Female	RP 2000 Employee Female, Proj. 2025*	-2

<sup>\*</sup> Static Projection of the RP 2000 tables using Projection Scale AA to 2025.

Note that Safety members have an additional service-connected mortality rate of 0.01% per year.



## Other Employment Terminations

Tables A-6 to A-13 show, for all ages, the rates assumed in this valuation for future termination from active service other than for death, disability, or retirement. These rates do not apply to members eligible for service retirement. These rates were adopted June 30, 2013.

Terminating employees may withdraw their contributions immediately upon termination of employment and forfeit the right to further retirement, medical, and dental/vision benefits, or they may leave their contributions with LACERA. Former contributing members whose contributions are on deposit may later elect to receive a refund, may return to work or may remain inactive until becoming eligible to receive a retirement benefit under either LACERA or a reciprocal retirement plan. All terminating members who are not eligible for vested benefits are assumed to withdraw their contributions immediately.

All terminating members are assumed to not be rehired. Table A-4 gives the assumed probabilities that vested members will withdraw their contributions and elect a refund immediately upon termination and the probability that remaining members will elect a deferred retirement allowance. All non-vested members are assumed to elect a refund and withdraw their contributions. These rates in Table A-4 were adopted June 30, 2013.

### **Future Transfers**

Though a few active members may change pension plans, this valuation assumes the active members remain in the plan they are enrolled in at the time of the valuation. Specifically, we assume there will be no future transfers between retirement benefit plans.

Retiree Medical and Dental/Vision Eligibility and Enrollment Assumptions Any retired or vested terminated members who have not yet elected a refund of their member contributions and will receive a pension benefit other than a refund are eligible for retiree medical and dental/vision enrollment.

Retiree Medical and Dental/Vision Eligibility and Enrollment Assumptions (cont.) The 2013 OPEB Investigation of Experience report was used to set the following assumptions:

Age difference for future retirees and spouses	Table A-1
Probability of initial medical enrollment upon retirement	Table A-14
Probability of medical plan and tier selection upon retirement	Table A-15
Probability of medical plan and tier selection for Pre 65 retirees who become eligible for a Post 65 Plan	Table A-16
Probability of survivor and new dependent enrollment	Table A-17
Probability of dental/vision enrollment upon retirement	Table A-18
Probability of dental/vision plan and tier selection upon retirement	Table A-19
Retirement of vested terminated members	Table A-23
Probability of retirees in group plans who elect Medicare Part D	0%

## Table A-1: Summary of Valuation Assumptions as of July 1, 2014

I. Economic Assumptions

A. General wage increases
B. Investment earnings
C Implied Inflation
D. Growth in membership
E. Medical cost trend
3.50%, Table A-5
3.75%
3.00%
0.00%
Table A-22

F. Dental and vision cost trend

Table A-22

Table A-22

II. Demographic Assumptions

A. Retirement Tables A-6 to A-13
B. Disablement Tables A-6 to A-13

C. Mortality for active members after termination and service retired members.

Table A-2

Basis – RP-2000 Combined Mortality Table for respective genders, projected to 2025 using Projection Scale AA, and adjusted as follows:

<u>Class of Members</u> <u>Age Adjustment</u>

General – males -1 year General – females -1 year

Safety – males -2 years Safety – females -1 year

D. Mortality Among Disabled Members

Members Table A-3

Basis – Average of RP-2000 Combined and Disabled Mortality Tables projected to 2025 using Projection Scale AA, and adjusted as follows:

General – males -1 year General – females -1 year

Basis – RP-2000 Combined Mortality Table, for respective genders projected to 2025 using Projection Scale AA, and adjusted as follows:

Safety – males 0 years Safety – females 0 years

	E.	Mortality for Beneficiaries	Table A-2				
		Basis – Beneficiaries are assumed to have the same mortality as a general member of the opposite gender who has taken a service retirement.					
	F.	Other Terminations of Employment	Tables A-6 to A-13				
	G.	Refund of Contributions on Vested Termination	Table A-4				
	H.	Future male retirees are assumed to be four years older than their female spouses. Future female retirees are assumed to be two years younger than their male spouses. Assumption adopted July 1, 2008.					
III.	Re	tiree Medical and Dental/Vision Enrollment Assumptions					
	A.	Probability of Initial Medical Enrollment upon Retirement	Table A-14				
	B.	Probability of Medical Plan and Tier Selection Upon Retirement (Pre 65 Male, Pre 65 Female, Post 65 Male, Post 65 Female)	Table A-15				
	C.	Probability of Medical Plan and Tier Selection for Pre 65 Retirees Who become Eligible for a <i>Post</i> 65 Plan	Table A-16				
	D.	Probability of Medical Survivor and New Dependent Enrollment	Table A-17				
	E.	Probability of Retirees in Group Plans Who Elect Medicare Part D. We have assumed there is no cost impact due to retirees and dependents enrolling in Part D.	0%				
	F.	Probability of Dental/Vision Enrollment Upon Retirement	Table A-18				
	G.	Probability of Dental/Vision Plan and Tier Selection Upon Retirement	Table A-19				
IV.	Pre	emium and Claim Cost Analysis	Tables A-20 to A-21				
V.	Me	dical and Dental/Vision Trend	Table A-22				
VI.	Re	Retirement of Vested Terminated Members Table A-23					

**Mortality for Members Retired for Service** Table A-2:

	Safety	Safety	General	General
Age	<u>Male</u>	Female	<u>Male</u>	Female
20	0.020%	0.013%	0.020%	0.013%
25	0.026%	0.014%	0.027%	0.014%
30	0.035%	0.018%	0.036%	0.018%
35	0.056%	0.034%	0.062%	0.034%
40	0.083%	0.044%	0.086%	0.044%
45	0.099%	0.071%	0.103%	0.071%
50	0.124%	0.098%	0.130%	0.098%
55	0.176%	0.189%	0.193%	0.189%
60	0.352%	0.392%	0.397%	0.392%
65	0.704%	0.760%	0.793%	0.760%
70	1.256%	1.311%	1.392%	1.311%
75	2.083%	2.136%	2.323%	2.136%
80	3.854%	3.482%	4.393%	3.482%
85	7.340%	5.832%	8.371%	5.832%
90	13.285%	11.053%	14.682%	11.053%

Table A-3: **Mortality for Members Retired for Disability** 

Age	Safety Male	Safety Female	General Male	General Female
20	0.021%	0.013%	0.709%	0.262%
25	0.029%	0.015%	0.827%	0.262%
30	0.039%	0.021%	1.014%	0.285%
35	0.068%	0.036%	1.027%	0.307%
40	0.088%	0.048%	0.990%	0.277%
45	0.109%	0.075%	0.886%	0.291%
50	0.136%	0.109%	0.967%	0.387%
55	0.224%	0.222%	1.127%	0.697%
60	0.451%	0.446%	1.557%	1.112%
65	0.895%	0.856%	2.094%	1.554%
70	1.522%	1.477%	2.791%	2.214%
75	2.660%	2.299%	3.818%	3.119%
80	5.007%	3.849%	6.117%	4.585%
85	9.292%	6.663%	9.845%	6.850%
90	16.592%	12.215%	14.806%	11.601%

**Immediate Refund of Contributions Upon Termination of Employment** Table A-4: (Excludes Plan E)

Years of		
Service	Safety	General
0	100%	100%
1	100%	100%
2	100%	100%
3	100%	100%
4	100%	100%
5	35%	35%
6	35%	35%
7	35%	35%
8	33%	34%
9	31%	34%
10	29%	33%
11	27%	33%
12	25%	32%
13	22%	31%
14	19%	30%
15	16%	30%
16	13%	29%
17	10%	28%
18	6%	25%
19	2%	23%
20	0%	20%
21	0%	18%
22	0%	15%
23	0%	12%
24	0%	9%
25	0%	6%
26	0%	3%
27	0%	0%
28	0%	0%
29	0%	0%
30 & Up	0%	0%

Appendix A

#### Table A-5: **Annual Increase in Salary**

The general wage increase assumption is 3.50% per annum which is used for projecting the total future payroll. The amortization of the UAAL is determined as a level percentage of payroll. General wage increases and individual salary increases due to promotion and longevity do not affect the amount of the OPEB program's benefits.

#### Appendix A: Rates of Separation From Active Service Tables A-6 to A-13

A schedule of the probabilities of termination of employment due to the following causes can be found on the following pages:

Service Retirement: Member retires after meeting age and service

requirements for reasons other than disability.

Other Terminations: Member terminates and elects a refund of member

contributions or a deferred vested retirement

benefit.

Service-Connected Disability: Member receives disability retirement; disability is

service-connected.

Nonservice-Connected Member receives disability retirement; disability is

Disability: not service-connected.

Member dies before retirement; death is service-Service-Connected Pre-

Retirement Death: connected.

Member dies before retirement; death is not Nonservice-Connected Pre-

Retirement Death: service-connected.

Each rate represents the probability that a member will separate from service at each age due to the particular cause. For example, a rate of 0.0300 for a member's service retirement at age 50 means we assume that 30 out of 1,000 members who are age 50 will retire at that age.

Each table represents the detailed rates needed for each LACERA plan by gender:

Table A-6: General Plans A, B, & C Males A-10: General Plan E Males A-7: General Plans A. B. & C Females A-11: General Plan E Females A-8: General Plans D & G Males A-12: Safety Plans A, B, & C Males A-9: General Plans D & G Females A-13: Safety Plans A, B, & C Females



Rate of Separation From Active Service For General Members Plans A, B, & C - Male

Age	Service Retirement	Other Terminations	Service- Connected Disability	Nonservice- Connected Disability	Service- Connected Pre- Retirement Death	Nonservice- Connected Pre- Retirement Death
18	0.0000	0.0050	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0002
19	0.0000	0.0050	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0002
20	0.0000	0.0050	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0002
21	0.0000	0.0050	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0002
22	0.0000	0.0050	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0003
23	0.0000	0.0050	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0003
24	0.0000	0.0050	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0003
25	0.0000	0.0050	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0003
26	0.0000	0.0050	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0003
27	0.0000	0.0050	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0003
28	0.0000	0.0050	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0004
29	0.0000	0.0050	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0004
30	0.0000	0.0050	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0004
31	0.0000	0.0050	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0005
32	0.0000	0.0050	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0006
33	0.0000	0.0050	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0006
34	0.0000	0.0050	0.0003	0.0001	N/A	0.0007
35	0.0000	0.0050	0.0003	0.0001	N/A	0.0007
36	0.0000	0.0050	0.0004	0.0001	N/A	0.0008
37	0.0000	0.0050	0.0004	0.0001	N/A	0.0008
38	0.0000	0.0050	0.0005	0.0001	N/A	0.0009
39	0.0000	0.0050	0.0005	0.0001	N/A	0.0009
40	0.0300	0.0050	0.0006	0.0002	N/A	0.0009
41	0.0300	0.0050	0.0006	0.0002	N/A	0.0009
42	0.0300	0.0050	0.0007	0.0002	N/A	0.0010
43	0.0300	0.0050	0.0007	0.0003	N/A	0.0010
44	0.0300	0.0050	0.0008	0.0003	N/A	0.0011
45	0.0300	0.0050	0.0009	0.0003	N/A	0.0011
46	0.0300	0.0050	0.0010	0.0004	N/A	0.0012
47	0.0300	0.0050	0.0011	0.0004	N/A	0.0012
48	0.0300	0.0050	0.0012	0.0004	N/A	0.0013
49	0.0300	0.0050	0.0013	0.0004	N/A	0.0014
50	0.0300	0.0050	0.0014	0.0004	N/A	0.0014
51	0.0300	0.0050	0.0015	0.0004	N/A	0.0015
52	0.0300	0.0050	0.0016	0.0004	N/A	0.0016
53	0.0300	0.0050	0.0018	0.0005	N/A	0.0017
54	0.0600	0.0050	0.0020	0.0006	N/A	0.0019
55	0.1000	0.0050	0.0022	0.0006	N/A	0.0021
56	0.1200	0.0050	0.0024	0.0007	N/A	0.0024
57	0.1700	0.0050	0.0026	0.0008	N/A	0.0027
58	0.2200	0.0050	0.0029	0.0009	N/A	0.0029
59	0.2400	0.0050	0.0032	0.0010	N/A	0.0033
60	0.2600	0.0050	0.0036	0.0010	N/A	0.0037
61	0.3100	0.0050	0.0039	0.0011	N/A	0.0041
62	0.3500	0.0050	0.0042	0.0012	N/A	0.0045
63	0.2800	0.0050	0.0042	0.0014	N/A	0.0049
64	0.2800	0.0050	0.0042	0.0015	N/A	0.0053
65	0.2800	0.0050	0.0042	0.0017	N/A	0.0058
66	0.2800	0.0050	0.0042	0.0018	N/A	0.0062
67 69	0.2800	0.0050	0.0042	0.0020	N/A	0.0064
68	0.2800	0.0050	0.0042	0.0022	N/A	0.0067
69 70	0.2800	0.0050	0.0042	0.0023	N/A	0.0068
70 71	0.2800	0.0050	0.0042	0.0025	N/A	0.0071
71 72	0.2800 0.2800	0.0050	0.0042	0.0026	N/A	0.0077
72 73	0.2800	0.0050	0.0042 0.0042	0.0028	N/A	0.0085 0.0094
73 74	0.2800	0.0050 0.0050	0.0042	0.0030 0.0031	N/A	
74 75	1.0000	0.0000	0.0042	0.0000	N/A N/A	0.0106 0.0000
75	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	IN/A	0.0000

Rate of Separation From Active Service For General Members Table A-7: Plans A, B, & C – Female

Age	Service Retirement	Other Terminations	Service- Connected Disability	Nonservice- Connected Disability	Service- Connected Pre- Retirement Death	Nonservice- Connected Pre- Retirement Death
18	0.0000	0.0050	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001
19	0.0000	0.0050	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001
20	0.0000	0.0050	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001
21	0.0000	0.0050	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001
22	0.0000	0.0050	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001
23	0.0000	0.0050	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001
24	0.0000	0.0050	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001
25	0.0000	0.0050	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001
26	0.0000	0.0050	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001
27	0.0000	0.0050	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001
28	0.0000	0.0050	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0002
29	0.0000	0.0050	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0002
30	0.0000	0.0050	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0002
31	0.0000	0.0050	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0002
32	0.0000	0.0050	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0002
33	0.0000	0.0050	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0003
34	0.0000	0.0050	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0003
35	0.0000	0.0050	0.0003	0.0001	N/A	0.0003
36	0.0000	0.0050	0.0003	0.0001	N/A	0.0003
37	0.0000	0.0050	0.0004	0.0001	N/A	0.0004
38	0.0000	0.0050	0.0004	0.0001	N/A	0.0004
39	0.0000	0.0050	0.0005	0.0001	N/A	0.0004
40	0.0300	0.0050	0.0005	0.0002	N/A	0.0004
41	0.0300	0.0050	0.0005	0.0002	N/A	0.0004
42	0.0300	0.0050	0.0006	0.0002	N/A	0.0005
43	0.0300	0.0050	0.0007	0.0003	N/A	0.0005
44	0.0300	0.0050	0.0007	0.0003	N/A	0.0006
45	0.0300	0.0050	0.0008	0.0003	N/A	0.0006
46	0.0300	0.0050	0.0009	0.0004	N/A	0.0007
47	0.0300	0.0050	0.0009	0.0004	N/A	0.0008
48	0.0300	0.0050	0.0010	0.0004	N/A	0.0008
49	0.0300	0.0050	0.0011	0.0004	N/A	0.0008
50	0.0300	0.0050	0.0012	0.0004	N/A	0.0009
51	0.0300	0.0050	0.0012	0.0004	N/A	0.0010
52	0.0300	0.0050	0.0013	0.0004	N/A	0.0011
53	0.0300	0.0050	0.0014	0.0005	N/A	0.0012
54	0.0600	0.0050	0.0015	0.0006	N/A	0.0014
55	0.1000	0.0050	0.0016	0.0006	N/A	0.0016
56	0.1200	0.0050	0.0016	0.0007	N/A	0.0018
57	0.1700	0.0050	0.0017	0.0008	N/A	0.0021
58	0.2200	0.0050	0.0020	0.0009	N/A	0.0024
59	0.2400	0.0050	0.0022	0.0010	N/A	0.0027
60	0.2600	0.0050	0.0024	0.0010	N/A	0.0029
61	0.3100	0.0050	0.0027	0.0011	N/A	0.0032
62	0.3500	0.0050	0.0029	0.0012	N/A	0.0035
63	0.2800	0.0050	0.0031	0.0014	N/A	0.0038
64	0.2800	0.0050	0.0034	0.0015	N/A	0.0041
65	0.2800	0.0050	0.0037	0.0017	N/A	0.0044
66	0.2800	0.0050	0.0040	0.0018	N/A	0.0048
67	0.2800	0.0050	0.0044	0.0020	N/A	0.0051
68	0.2800	0.0050	0.0048	0.0022	N/A	0.0055
69	0.2800	0.0050	0.0052	0.0023	N/A	0.0058
70	0.2800	0.0050	0.0052	0.0025	N/A	0.0061
71	0.2800	0.0050	0.0052	0.0026	N/A	0.0064
72	0.2800	0.0050	0.0052	0.0028	N/A	0.0067
73	0.2800	0.0050	0.0052	0.0030	N/A	0.0068
74	0.2800	0.0050	0.0052	0.0031	N/A	0.0073
75	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	N/A	0.0078

**Rate of Separation From Active Service For General Members** Table A-8: Plan D and G - Male

Age	Service Retirement	Service- Connected Disability	Nonservice- Connected Disability	Service- Connected Pre- Retirement Death	Nonservice- Connected Pre- Retirement Death	Years of Service	Other Terminations
18	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0002	0	0.0800
19	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0002	1	0.0550
20	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0002	2	0.0375
21	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0002	3	0.0300
22	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0003	4	0.0250
23	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0003	5	0.0233
24	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0003	6	0.0217
25	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0003	7	0.0200
26	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0003	8	0.0190
27	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0003	9	0.0180
28	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0004	10	0.0170
29	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0004	11	0.0160
30	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0004	12	0.0150
31	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0005	13	0.0140
32	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0006	14	0.0130
33	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0006	15	0.0120
34	0.0000	0.0003	0.0001	N/A	0.0007	16	0.0110
35	0.0000	0.0003	0.0001	N/A	0.0007	17	0.0100
36	0.0000	0.0004	0.0001	N/A	0.0008	18	0.0092
37	0.0000	0.0004	0.0001	N/A	0.0008	19	0.0084
38	0.0000	0.0005	0.0001	N/A	0.0009	20	0.0076
39	0.0000	0.0005	0.0001	N/A	0.0009	21	0.0068
40	0.0200	0.0006	0.0002	N/A	0.0009	22	0.0060
41	0.0200	0.0006	0.0002	N/A	0.0009	23	0.0056
42	0.0200	0.0007	0.0002	N/A	0.0010	24	0.0052
43	0.0200	0.0007	0.0003	N/A	0.0010	25	0.0048
44	0.0200	0.0008	0.0003	N/A	0.0011	26	0.0044
45	0.0200	0.0009	0.0003	N/A	0.0011	27	0.0040
46	0.0200	0.0010	0.0004	N/A	0.0012	28	0.0040
47	0.0200	0.0011	0.0004	N/A	0.0012	29	0.0040
48	0.0200	0.0012	0.0004	N/A	0.0013	30 & Above	0.0000
49	0.0200	0.0013	0.0004	N/A	0.0014		
50	0.0200	0.0014	0.0004	N/A	0.0014		
51	0.0200	0.0015	0.0004	N/A	0.0015		
52	0.0200	0.0016	0.0004	N/A	0.0016		
53	0.0200	0.0018	0.0005	N/A	0.0017		
54	0.0200	0.0020	0.0006	N/A	0.0019		
55	0.0250	0.0022	0.0006	N/A	0.0021		
56 57	0.0250	0.0024	0.0007	N/A	0.0024		
57 50	0.0300	0.0026	0.0008	N/A	0.0027		
58	0.0350 0.0500	0.0029	0.0009	N/A N/A	0.0029		
59 60	0.0600	0.0032 0.0036	0.0010	N/A N/A	0.0033 0.0037		
61	0.0700	0.0039	0.0010 0.0011	N/A	0.0037		
62	0.1000	0.0039	0.0011	N/A	0.0041		
63	0.0900	0.0042	0.0012	N/A	0.0049		
64	0.1200	0.0042	0.0015	N/A	0.0053		
65	0.2000	0.0042	0.0017	N/A	0.0058		
66	0.2000	0.0042	0.0018	N/A	0.0062		
67	0.1800	0.0042	0.0020	N/A	0.0064		
68	0.1600	0.0042	0.0022	N/A	0.0067		
69	0.1600	0.0042	0.0022	N/A	0.0068		
70	0.2000	0.0042	0.0025	N/A	0.0071		
71	0.2000	0.0042	0.0026	N/A	0.0077		
72	0.2000	0.0042	0.0028	N/A	0.0085		
73	0.2000	0.0042	0.0030	N/A	0.0094		
74	0.2000	0.0042	0.0031	N/A	0.0106		
75	1.0000	0.0042	0.0000	N/A	0.0119		

Rate of Separation From Active Service For General Members Table A-9: Plan D and G - Female

Age	Service Retirement	Service- Connected Disability	Nonservice- Connected Disability	Service- Connected Pre- Retirement Death	Nonservice- Connected Pre- Retirement Death	Years of Service	Other Terminations
18	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001	0	0.0800
19	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001	1	0.0550
20	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001	2	0.0375
21	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001	3	0.0300
22	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001	4	0.0250
23	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001	5	0.0233
24	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001	6	0.0217
25	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001	7	0.0200
26	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001	8	0.0190
27	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0001	9	0.0180
28	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0002	10	0.0170
29	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0002	11	0.0160
30	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0002	12	0.0150
31	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0002	13	0.0140
32	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	N/A	0.0002	14	0.0130
33	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0003	15	0.0120
34	0.0000	0.0002	0.0001	N/A	0.0003	16	0.0110
35	0.0000	0.0003	0.0001	N/A	0.0003	17	0.0100
36	0.0000	0.0003	0.0001	N/A	0.0003	18	0.0092
37	0.0000	0.0004	0.0001	N/A	0.0004	19	0.0084
38	0.0000	0.0004	0.0001	N/A	0.0004	20	0.0076
39	0.0000	0.0005	0.0001	N/A	0.0004	21	0.0068
40	0.0200	0.0005	0.0002	N/A	0.0004	22	0.0060
41	0.0200	0.0005	0.0002	N/A	0.0004	23	0.0056
42	0.0200	0.0006	0.0002	N/A	0.0005	24	0.0052
43	0.0200	0.0007	0.0003	N/A	0.0005	25	0.0048
44	0.0200	0.0007	0.0003	N/A	0.0006	26	0.0044
45	0.0200	0.0008	0.0003	N/A	0.0006	27	0.0040
46	0.0200	0.0009	0.0004	N/A	0.0007	28	0.0040
47	0.0200	0.0009	0.0004	N/A	0.0008	29	0.0040
48	0.0200	0.0010	0.0004	N/A	0.0008	30 & Above	0.0000
49	0.0200	0.0011	0.0004	N/A	0.0008		
50	0.0200	0.0012	0.0004	N/A	0.0009		
51	0.0200	0.0012	0.0004	N/A	0.0010		
52	0.0200	0.0013	0.0004	N/A	0.0011		
53	0.0200	0.0014	0.0005	N/A	0.0012		
54	0.0200	0.0015	0.0006	N/A	0.0014		
55	0.0250	0.0016	0.0006	N/A	0.0016		
56	0.0250	0.0016	0.0007	N/A	0.0018		
57	0.0300	0.0017	0.0008	N/A	0.0021		
58	0.0350	0.0020	0.0009	N/A	0.0024		
59	0.0500	0.0022	0.0010	N/A	0.0027		
60	0.0600	0.0024	0.0010	N/A	0.0029		
61	0.0700	0.0027	0.0011	N/A	0.0032		
62	0.1000	0.0029	0.0012	N/A	0.0035		
63	0.0900	0.0031	0.0014	N/A	0.0038		
64	0.1200	0.0034	0.0015	N/A	0.0041		
65	0.2000	0.0037	0.0017	N/A	0.0044		
66	0.2000	0.0040	0.0018	N/A	0.0048		
67	0.1800	0.0044	0.0020	N/A	0.0051		
68	0.1600	0.0048	0.0022	N/A	0.0055		
69	0.1600	0.0052	0.0023	N/A	0.0058		
70	0.2000	0.0052	0.0025	N/A	0.0061		
71	0.2000	0.0052	0.0026	N/A	0.0064		
72	0.2000	0.0052	0.0028	N/A	0.0067		
73	0.2000	0.0052	0.0030	N/A	0.0068		
74 75	0.2000	0.0052	0.0031	N/A	0.0073		
75	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000	N/A	0.0078		

**Rate of Separation From Active Service For General Members** Plan E - Male

Age	Service Retirement	Service- Connected Disability	Nonservice- Connected Disability	Service- Connected Pre- Retirement Death	Nonservice- Connected Pre- Retirement Death	Years of Service	Other Terminations
18	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0002	0	0.1400
19	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0002	1	0.0750
20	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0002	2	0.0550
21	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0002	3	0.0400
22	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0003	4	0.0300
23	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0003	5	0.0277
24	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0003	6	0.0253
25	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0003	7	0.0230
26	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0003	8	0.0220
27	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0003	9	0.0210
28	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0004	10	0.0200
29	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0004	11	0.0190
30	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0004	12	0.0180
31	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0005	13	0.0174
32	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0006	14	0.0168
33	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0006	15	0.0162
34	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0007	16	0.0156
35	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0007	17	0.0150
36	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0008	18	0.0144
37	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0008	19	0.0138
38	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0009	20	0.0132
39	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0009	21	0.0126
40	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0009	22	0.0120
41	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0009	23	0.0116
42	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0010	24	0.0112
43	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0010	25	0.0108
44	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0011	26	0.0104
45	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0011	27	0.0100
46	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0012	28	0.0100
47 48	0.0000 0.0000	N/A N/A	N/A N/A	N/A	0.0012 0.0013	29 30 & Above	0.0100
49	0.0000	N/A N/A	N/A N/A	N/A		30 & Above	0.0100
50	0.0000	N/A N/A	N/A N/A	N/A N/A	0.0014 0.0014		
51	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0014		
52	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0016		
53	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0017		
54	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0019		
55	0.0300	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0021		
56	0.0250	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0024		
57	0.0250	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0027		
58	0.0250	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0029		
59	0.0300	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0033		
60	0.0450	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0037		
61	0.0600	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0041		
62	0.0900	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0045		
63	0.0900	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0049		
64	0.1600	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0053		
65	0.2500	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0058		
66	0.1800	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0062		
67	0.1700	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0064		
68	0.1600	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0067		
69	0.1600	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0068		
70	0.2000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0071		
71	0.2000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0077		
72	0.2000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0085		
73	0.2000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0094		
74	0.2000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0106		
75	1.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0119		

**Table A-11: Rate of Separation From Active Service For General Members** Plan E – Female

Age	Service Retirement	Service- Connected Disability	Nonservice- Connected Disability	Service- Connected Pre- Retirement Death	Nonservice- Connected Pre- Retirement Death	Years of Service	Other Terminations
18	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0001	0	0.1400
19	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0001	1	0.0750
20	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0001	2	0.0550
21	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0001	3	0.0400
22	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0001	4	0.0300
23	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0001	5	0.0277
24	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0001	6	0.0253
25	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0001	7	0.0230
26	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0001	8	0.0220
27	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0001	9	0.0210
28	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0002	10	0.0200
29	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0002	11	0.0190
30	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0002	12	0.0180
31	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0002	13	0.0174
32	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0002	14	0.0168
33	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0002	15	0.0162
34	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0003	16	0.0156
35	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0003	17	0.0150
36	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0003	18	0.0130
37	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0003	19	0.0138
38	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0004	20	0.0138
39	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0004	21	0.0132
40	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0004	22	0.0120
41	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0004	23	0.0120
42	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0005	24	0.0110
43	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0005	25	0.0112
44	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0006	26	0.0104
45	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0006	27	0.0100
46	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0007	28	0.0100
47	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0008	29	0.0100
48	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0008	30 & Above	0.0100
49	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0008	00 Q / 100VC	0.0100
50	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0009		
51	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0010		
52	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0011		
53	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0017		
54	0.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0014		
55	0.0300	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0014		
56	0.0250	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0018		
57	0.0250	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0021		
58	0.0250	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0024		
59	0.0300	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0027		
60	0.0450	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0029		
61	0.0600	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0032		
62	0.0900	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0035		
63	0.0900	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0038		
64	0.1600	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0041		
65	0.2500	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0044		
66	0.1800	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0048		
67	0.1700	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0051		
68	0.1600	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0055		
69	0.1600	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0058		
70	0.2000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0061		
70 71	0.2000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0064		
72	0.2000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0067		
73	0.2000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0068		
74	0.2000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0073		
75	1.0000	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0078		
					0.00.0		

Table A-12: Rate of Separation From Active Service For Safety Members Plans A, B, & C - Male

Age	Service Retirement	Service- Connected Disability	Nonservice- Connected Disability	Service- Connected Pre- Retirement Death	Nonservice- Connected Pre- Retirement Death	Years of Service	Other Terminations
18	0.0000	0.0027	0.0000	0.0001	0.0000	0	0.0300
19	0.0000	0.0027	0.0000	0.0001	0.0000	1	0.0250
20	0.0000	0.0027	0.0000	0.0001	0.0002	2	0.0200
21	0.0000	0.0027	0.0000	0.0001	0.0002	3	0.0150
22	0.0000	0.0027	0.0000	0.0001	0.0002	4	0.0120
23	0.0000	0.0027	0.0000	0.0001	0.0002	5	0.0113
24	0.0000	0.0027	0.0000	0.0001	0.0002	6	0.0107
25	0.0000	0.0027	0.0000	0.0001	0.0002	7	0.0100
26	0.0000	0.0027	0.0000	0.0001	0.0002	8	0.0092
27	0.0000	0.0027	0.0000	0.0001	0.0002	9	0.0084
28	0.0000	0.0027	0.0000	0.0001	0.0003	10	0.0076
29	0.0000	0.0027	0.0000	0.0001	0.0003	11	0.0068
30	0.0000	0.0027	0.0000	0.0001	0.0003	12	0.0060
31	0.0000	0.0027	0.0000	0.0001	0.0003	13	0.0054
32	0.0000	0.0027	0.0000	0.0001	0.0003	14	0.0048
33	0.0000	0.0029	0.0000	0.0001	0.0003	15	0.0042
34	0.0000	0.0031	0.0000	0.0001	0.0004	16	0.0036
35	0.0000	0.0032	0.0000	0.0001	0.0004	17	0.0030
36	0.0000	0.0034	0.0000	0.0001	0.0004	18	0.0024
37	0.0000	0.0036	0.0000	0.0001	0.0005	19	0.0018
38	0.0000	0.0038	0.0000	0.0001	0.0006	20 & Above	0.0000
39	0.0000	0.0040	0.0000	0.0001	0.0006		
40	0.0100	0.0041	0.0000	0.0001	0.0007		
41	0.0100	0.0043	0.0000	0.0001	0.0007		
42	0.0100	0.0045	0.0000	0.0001	0.0008		
43	0.0100	0.0049	0.0000	0.0001	0.0008		
44 45	0.0100 0.0100	0.0052 0.0056	0.0000 0.0000	0.0001 0.0001	0.0009 0.0009		
46	0.0100	0.0059	0.0000	0.0001	0.0009		
47	0.0100	0.0063	0.0000	0.0001	0.0009		
48	0.0100	0.0003	0.0000	0.0001	0.0009		
49	0.0100	0.0072	0.0000	0.0001	0.0010		
50	0.0100	0.0090	0.0000	0.0001	0.0010		
51	0.0200	0.0108	0.0000	0.0001	0.0011		
52	0.0250	0.0126	0.0000	0.0001	0.0012		
53	0.0300	0.0180	0.0000	0.0001	0.0012		
54	0.1000	0.0270	0.0000	0.0001	0.0013		
55	0.2400	0.0900	0.0000	0.0001	0.0014		
56	0.1800	0.0720	0.0000	0.0001	0.0014		
57	0.2000	0.1080	0.0000	0.0001	0.0015		
58	0.2400	0.1260	0.0000	0.0001	0.0016		
59	0.4000	0.1800	0.0000	0.0001	0.0017		
60	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0019		

Table A-13: Rate of Separation From Active Service For Safety Members Plans A, B, & C - Female

Age	Service Retirement	Service- Connected Disability	Nonservice- Connected Disability	Service- Connected Pre- Retirement Death	Nonservice- Connected Pre- Retirement Death	Years of Service	Other Terminations
18	0.0000	0.0033	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	0	0.0300
19	0.0000	0.0033	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	1	0.0250
20	0.0000	0.0033	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	2	0.0200
21	0.0000	0.0033	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	3	0.0150
22	0.0000	0.0033	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	4	0.0120
23	0.0000	0.0033	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	5	0.0113
24	0.0000	0.0033	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	6	0.0107
25	0.0000	0.0033	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	7	0.0100
26	0.0000	0.0033	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	8	0.0092
27	0.0000	0.0033	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	9	0.0084
28	0.0000	0.0038	0.0000	0.0001	0.0002	10	0.0076
29	0.0000	0.0041	0.0000	0.0001	0.0002	11	0.0068
30	0.0000	0.0046	0.0000	0.0001	0.0002	12	0.0060
31	0.0000	0.0050	0.0000	0.0001	0.0002	13	0.0054
32	0.0000	0.0054	0.0000	0.0001	0.0002	14	0.0048
33	0.0000	0.0060	0.0000	0.0001	0.0003	15	0.0042
34	0.0000	0.0067	0.0000	0.0001	0.0003	16	0.0036
35	0.0000	0.0072	0.0000	0.0001	0.0003	17	0.0030
36	0.0000	0.0078	0.0000	0.0001	0.0003	18	0.0024
37	0.0000	0.0085	0.0000	0.0001	0.0004	19	0.0018
38	0.0000	0.0088	0.0000	0.0001	0.0004	20 & Above	0.0000
39	0.0000	0.0091	0.0000	0.0001	0.0004		
40	0.0100	0.0095	0.0000	0.0001	0.0004		
41	0.0100	0.0097	0.0000	0.0001	0.0004		
42	0.0100	0.0101	0.0000	0.0001	0.0005		
43	0.0100	0.0104	0.0000	0.0001	0.0005		
44	0.0100	0.0108	0.0000	0.0001	0.0006		
45	0.0100	0.0111	0.0000	0.0001	0.0006		
46	0.0100	0.0114	0.0000	0.0001	0.0007		
47	0.0100	0.0118	0.0000	0.0001	0.0008		
48	0.0100	0.0122	0.0000	0.0001	0.0008		
49	0.0100	0.0135	0.0000	0.0001	0.0008		
50	0.0100	0.0203	0.0000	0.0001	0.0009		
51	0.0200	0.0237	0.0000	0.0001	0.0010		
52	0.0250	0.0270	0.0000	0.0001	0.0011		
53	0.0300	0.0338	0.0000	0.0001	0.0012		
54	0.1000	0.0405	0.0000	0.0001	0.0014		
55	0.2400	0.0473	0.0000	0.0001	0.0016		
56	0.1800	0.0810	0.0000	0.0001	0.0018		
57	0.2000	0.0810	0.0000	0.0001	0.0021		
58	0.2400	0.0810	0.0000	0.0001	0.0024		
59	0.4000	0.0810	0.0000	0.0001	0.0027		
60	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0029		

### **Table A-14: Probability of Initial Medical Enrollment**

Males and Females:

	Assumed
Years of Service	Enrollment %
< 10	9%
10-14	47%
15-19	66%
20-24	82%
25+, Disabled	95%

# Table A-15: Probability of Medical Plan and Tier Selection Upon Initial Enrollment Non-Local 1014 Firefighters Retirees

Deduction			Pr	e 65	Post 65		
Code	Plan	Tier	Male	Female	Male	Female	
201	Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer Plan	Retiree Only	1.0%	1.0%			
202	Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer Plan	Retiree and Spouse	2.0%	1.0%			
203	Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer Plan	Retiree and Family	1.0%				
204 205	Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer Plan Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer Plan	Retiree and Children Minor Survivor					
211	Anthem Blue Cross I	Retiree Only		1.0%		1.0%	
212	Anthem Blue Cross I	Retiree and Spouse	1.0%	1.0%		1.070	
213	Anthem Blue Cross I	Retiree, Spouse and Children					
214	Anthem Blue Cross I	Retiree and Children					
215	Anthem Blue Cross I	Minor Survivor					
221	Anthem Blue Cross II	Retiree Only	6.0%	9.0%	2.0%	3.0%	
222 223	Anthem Blue Cross II Anthem Blue Cross II	Retiree and Spouse Retiree, Spouse and Children	15.0% 10.0%	7.0% 1.0%	5.0%	1.0%	
224	Anthem Blue Cross II	Retiree and Children	10.0%	1.070			
225	Anthem Blue Cross II	Minor Survivor					
240	Anthem Blue Cross III	One Medicare		1.0%	7.0%	11.0%	
241	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Spouse 1 Medicare					
242	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Spouse 1 Medicare			6.0%	1.0%	
243	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Spouse 2 Medicare			7.0%	4.0%	
244	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Children 1 Medicare					
245 246	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Children 1 Medicare					
246 247	Anthem Blue Cross III Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Family 1 Medicare Retiree and Family 1 Medicare					
248	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Family 1 Medicare					
249	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Family 2 Medicare					
250	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Family 3 Medicare					
301	Cigna Network Model Plan	Retiree Only					
302	Cigna Network Model Plan	Retiree and Spouse					
303	Cigna Network Model Plan	Retiree and Family					
304	Cigna Network Model Plan	Retiree and Children					
305	Cigna Network Model Plan	Minor Survivor					
321 322	Cigna Medicare Select Plus Rx (AZ) Cigna Medicare Select Plus Rx (AZ)	Risk-Retiree Only Risk-Retiree & Spouse					
324	Cigna Medicare Select Plus Rx (AZ)	Risk-Retiree & Spouse (Both Risk)					
325	Cigna Medicare Select Plus Rx (AZ)	Risk-Retiree & Children					
327	Cigna Medicare Select Plus Rx (AZ)	Risk-Retiree & Family (1 Medicare)					
329	Cigna Medicare Select Plus Rx (AZ)	Risk-Retiree & Family (2 Medicare)					
401	Kaiser (CA)	Retiree Basic (Under 65)	13.0%	33.0%			
402	Kaiser (CA)	Retiree Cost ("M" Coverage)					
403 404	Kaiser (CA)	Retiree Risk (Senior Advantage)			20.0%	36.0%	
404 405	Kaiser (CA) Kaiser (CA)	Retiree Excess I Retiree Excess II - Part B			1.0% 2.0%	3.0% 4.0%	
406	Kaiser (CA)	Excess III - Medicare Not Provided (MNP)			2.076	1.0%	
411	Kaiser (CA)	Family Basic	37.0%	27.0%		1.070	
412	Kaiser (CA)	One Cost ("M" Coverage), Others Basic					
413	Kaiser (CA)	One Advantage, Others Basic			18.0%	4.0%	
414	Kaiser (CA)	One Excess I, Others Basic	1		2.0%		
415	Kaiser (CA)	Two+ Cost ("M" Coverage)	1				
416	Kaiser (CA)	One Advantage, One Cost ("M" Coverage)	1				
417 418	Kaiser (CA) Kaiser (CA)	One Excess I, One Cost ("M" Coverage) Two+ Advantage			13.0%	15.0%	
419	Kaiser (CA) Kaiser (CA)	One Excess I, One Advantage			1.0%	1.0%	
420	Kaiser (CA)	Two+ Excess I			1.0%	1.070	
421	Kaiser (CA)	Survivor			*****		
422	Kaiser (CA)	One Excess II - Part B, One Basic			2.0%	1.0%	
423	Kaiser (CA)	One Excess III (MNP), One Basic			1.0%		
424	Kaiser (CA)	One Cost ("M" Coverage), One Excess II - Part B					
425	Kaiser (CA)	One Cost ("M" Coverage), One Excess III (MNP)					
426 427	Kaiser (CA) Kaiser (CA)	One Risk, One Excess II - Part B One Risk, One Excess III (MNP)					
427 428	Kaiser (CA) Kaiser (CA)	One Excess I, One Excess II - Part B					
428 429	Kaiser (CA) Kaiser (CA)	One Excess I, One Excess II - Part B One Excess I, One Excess III (MNP)					
430	Kaiser (CA)	Two Excess II - Part B					
431	Kaiser (CA)	One Excess II - Part B, One Excess III (MNP)	1				
432	Kaiser (CA)	Two Excess III - Both (MNP)					

Plan   Tier   Male   Female   Male   Female   Male   Female   Store   Colorado   Color	Deduction			l Pre	65	Pos	st 65
Section   Coloration Disable   Retire Basic   Retire Basic   Retire Basic   Retire Coloration   Retire Basic   Retire Part A coloration   Retire Basic   Retire	Code	Plan	Tier				
Mater - Colorado   Retiree Risk   Retiree Chief   Time Party   Retiree Chief   Time Risk   Retiree Chief   Retiree Risk   Retire							
Research	451						
Refere Pasis Family	452						
September   Colorado   Come Plask, Ome Basic   Refere Plask   Refere and Spouse   Refere Plask							
Section   Retires and Spouse   Retires Park   Retires P							
1457   Kaiser - Colorado							
Maiser - Colorado							
Refire and Spouse   Refi							
Maiser - Georgia	459	Kaiser - Colorado	Two Risk, Two or More Dependents				
Mail	460						
Mail							
Maiser - Georgia   One Medicare Member (Pennal Fallure)							
Marker - Georgia   One Medicare Member + One Medicare with Part B only							
Maiser - Georgia   One Medicare Member + One Medicare with Part A only							
Medicare   Member + One Medicare without Part A&B	445						
Retiree Risk   Retiree Risk   Retiree Risk   Retiree Risk   Retiree (Two Party)   Retiree (Two Party)   Retiree (Paser)   Retiree (Basic Family   Retiree Risk Family   Retiree Basic (Two Party)   Retiree Risk Family   Retiree Basic (Two Party)   Retiree Risk Family   Retiree Basic (Two Party)   Retiree Risk Family   Re	446						
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Probability of enrolling at least one dependent

76.5%

45.0%

64.5%

32.5%



## Firefighters Local 1014 Retirees

Deduction			Pr	e 65	Pos	st 65
Code	Plan	Tier	Male	Female	Male	Female
801	Firefighters Local 1014	Med-Member under 65	7.0%	7.0%		
802	Firefighters Local 1014	Med-Member +1 under 65	57.0%	57.0%		
803	Firefighters Local 1014	Med-Member +2 under 65	36.0%	36.0%		
804	Firefighters Local 1014	Med-Member with Medicare			7.0%	7.0%
805	Firefighters Local 1014	Med-Member +1; 1 MDC				
806	Firefighters Local 1014	Med-Member +1; 2 MDC			57.0%	57.0%
807	Firefighters Local 1014	Med-Member +2; 1 MDC				
808	Firefighters Local 1014	Med-Member +2; 2 MDC			36.0%	36.0%
809	Firefighters Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. Under 65				
810	Firefighters Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. +1 Under 65				
811	Firefighters Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. +2 Under 65				
812	Firefighters Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. With MDC				
813	Firefighters Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. +1 1 MDC				
814	Firefighters Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. +2; 1 MDC				
815	Firefighters Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. +1; 2 MDC				
Total			100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Probability of enrolling at least one dependent

93.0%

93.0%

93.0%

93.0%

#### Table A-16: Probability of Medical Plan and Tier Selection for Pre 65 Retirees Who Become Eligible for a Post 65 Plan

We assume that Pre 65 retirees and dependents will choose Post 65 plans at age 65 according to the following table:

From Pre Age 65 Eligible Plan	To Post Age 65 Eligible Plan
Anthem Blue Cross I	40% Anthem Blue Cross I
Anthem Blue Closs I	60% Anthem Blue Cross III
Anthem Blue Cross II	40% Anthem Blue Cross II
Anthem Blue Closs II	60% Anthem Blue Cross III
Anthem Blue Cross	55% Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer
Prudent Buyer	45% Anthem Blue Cross III
Cigna Network Model	53% Cigna Network Model
Cigila Network Model	2% Cigna Medicare Select Plus Rx (AZ)
	1% Anthem Blue Cross II
	12% Anthem Blue Cross III
	22% UnitedHealthcare – Medicare Advantage
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	6% Senior Advantage 4% SCAN Health Plan
UnitedHealthcare	
OfficedHealthcare	85% UnitedHealthcare – Medicare Advantage
	4% Cigna Network Model 6% Anthem Blue Cross III
	2% SCAN Health Plan
	2% Senior Advantage
Kaisan Damasananta	1% Excess II
Kaiser Permanente	81% Senior Advantage
Retiree Basic	4% Retiree Excess I
	7% Retiree Excess II- Part B
	6% Excess III (MNP)
I/ D	2% Anthem Blue Cross III
Kaiser Permanente	78% Two + Advantage
Family Basic	2% One Excess I, One Advantage
	8% One Advantage, One Excess II – Part B
	10% One Advantage, One Excess III (MNP)
	0.5% Two Excess II - Part B
	1% Anthem Blue Cross III
	0.5% UnitedHealthcare – Medicare Advantage
Firefighters Local 1014 Pre Age 65 Plan	100% Firefighters Local Post Age 65 Plan

We assume the following Post Medicare Only Plans are for enrollees who are entitled for Medicare Parts A & B:

- Anthem Blue Cross III
- Cigna Medicare Select Plus Rx (AZ)
- SCAN
- Kaiser Senior Advantage
- UnitedHealthcare Medicare Advantage

We assume that 100% of the retirees are eligible for Medicare with Part B Premium Reimbursement for the following plans:

- UnitedHealthcare Medicare Advantage
- Firefighters Local 1014 Post Medicare Plan
- Anthem Blue Cross III
- Cigna Medicare Select Plus Rx (AZ)
- SCAN
- Kaiser Senior Advantage

We assume all other plans' retirees do not elect Part B Premium Reimbursement.

Effective January 1, 2007, Medicare Part B premiums vary depending on income status. For the non-Local 1014 members, the County does not pay the higher premiums, and we assume that there will be no shift in enrollment.



### **Table A-17: Survivor and New Dependent Enrollment**

The valuation methods and assumptions are adjusted with the following considerations from LACERA discussions:

#### Scenario I

If a dependent or spouse dies, the retiree may enroll a new spouse/domestic partner and/or a new dependent.

- We assume 3% will enroll a new spouse / domestic partner.
- We assume 3% of the retirees will enroll a new dependent.

#### Scenario II

If a retiree who has a retirement plan option which qualifies as eligible for continuing retirement benefits to the survivor dies and the spouse has retiree medical. Part B, or dental/vision coverage, the existing spouse or dependent may continue to be enrolled and may also enroll a new spouse/domestic partner and/or a new dependent.

- We assume 50% of the retirees with spouses have a spouse continuance option.
- We assume 10% of the surviving spouse/domestic partners with a continuance option will enroll a new spouse.
- Therefore, we assume 5% (or 50% of the 10%) of the surviving spouses' new spouses will enroll and receive the County subsidy.
- We assume 2% of the surviving spouse/domestic partners will enroll a new dependent.

#### Scenario III

If a retiree who has a retirement plan option which qualifies as eligible for continuing retirement benefits to the survivor dies and the spouse does NOT have retiree medical coverage, we assume no additional spouse/domestic partner or dependent will be enrolled.



Table A-18: Probability of Initial Dental/Vision Enrollment

Males and Females

Years of Service	Assumed Enrollment %
< 10	11%
10-14	51%
15-19	68%
20-24	83%
25+	95%
Disabled	100%

Table A-19: Probability of Dental/Vision Plan and Tier Selection Upon Dental/Vision Retirement Enrollment

	<u>Cigr</u>	na Indemnity Dent	al/Vision	Cigna HMO Dental/Vision				
Tier	Retiree Only			Retiree Only	Retiree and Dependents	Survivor		
Deduction Code	501	502	503	901	902	903		
Percentage Male Female	21% 46%	65% 37%	0% 0%	5% 11%	9% 6%	0% 0%		

#### Table A-20: Premium Information

The following premium information is for retirees living in California who have less than 10 years of service and have to pay the full amount. Members who have more than 10 years of service receive a subsidy from the County. Details can be found in Appendix B. The premium rates in Table A-20 include the carriers' administration fees and LACERA's per retiree monthly administration fee. The per retiree monthly administration fee was \$5.00 effective July 1, 2014 and July 1, 2015.

### Pre and Post Age 65 Monthly Rates Effective July 1, 2014 UnitedHealthcare is Pre Age 65 Only

<u>Tier</u>	Anthem Blue Cross - Plan I	Anthem Blue Cross - Plan II	Anthem Blue Cross - Prudent Buyer	Cigna	United Healthcare
Retiree Only	\$ 918.46	\$ 918.46	\$ 666.96	\$ 1,236.73	
Retiree & Spouse	\$ 1,655.99	\$ 1,655.99	\$ 1,312.37	\$ 2,233.40	
Retiree & Family	\$ 1,953.41	\$ 1,953.41	\$ 1,481.10	\$ 2,637.64	
Retiree & Children	\$ 1,215.26	\$ 1,215.26	\$ 857.26	\$ 1,641.45	
Minor Survivor	\$ 304.23	\$ 304.23	\$ 181.87	\$ 409.49	\$ 261.24
UnitedHealthcare Single UnitedHealthcare Two-					\$915.18
Party					\$ 1,671.68
UnitedHealthcare Family					\$ 1,982.16

### Pre and Post Age 65 Monthly Rates Effective July 1, 2015 UnitedHealthcare is Pre Age 65 Only

	Anthem Blue Cross	Anthem Blue Cross	Anthem Blue Cross - Prudent		United
<u>Tier</u>	- Plan I	- Plan II	Buyer	Cigna	Healthcare
Retiree Only	\$ 1,062.79	\$ 1,062.79	\$ 840.86	\$ 1,278.59	
Retiree & Spouse	\$ 1,916.85	\$ 1,916.85	\$ 1,655.82	\$ 2,309.12	
Retiree & Family	\$ 2,261.26	\$ 2,261.26	\$ 1,868.87	\$ 2,726.15	
Retiree & Children	\$ 1,406.48	\$ 1,406.48	\$ 1,081.15	\$ 1,697.94	
Minor Survivor	\$ 351.51	\$ 351.51	\$ 228.33	\$ 423.95	\$ 268.86
UnitedHealthcare Single UnitedHealthcare Two-					\$942.25
Party					\$ 1,721.25
UnitedHealthcare Family					\$ 2,040.96

## Post Age 65 Monthly Rates Effective July 1, 2014

Tier	Anthem Blue Cross - Plan III	SCAN	United Healthcare Medicare Advantage
One Medicare	\$ 370.89		
Retiree & Spouse- 1 Medicare	\$ 1,185.98		
Retiree & Spouse- 2 Medicare	\$ 738.28		
Retiree & Children- 1 Medicare	\$ 664.18		
Retiree & Family- 1 Medicare	\$ 1,479.18		
Retiree & Family- 2 Medicare	\$ 1,031.42		
Retiree & Family- 3 Medicare	\$ 1,155.92		
Retiree Only		\$ 293.00	\$ 299.40
Retiree & 1 Dependent (1 Medicare)			\$ 1,209.58
Retiree & 1 Dependent (2 Medicare)		\$ 581.00	\$ 593.80
Retiree & 2 + Deps. (1 Medicare)			\$ 1,366.38
Retiree & 2 + Deps. (2 Medicare)			\$ 750.60

# Post Age 65 Monthly Rates Effective July 1, 2015

Tier	Anthem Blue Cross - Plan III	SCAN	United Healthcare Medicare Advantage
One Medicare	\$ 428.70		
Retiree & Spouse- 1 Medicare	\$ 1,372.57		
Retiree & Spouse- 2 Medicare	\$ 854.14		
Retiree & Children- 1 Medicare	\$ 768.33		
Retiree & Family- 1 Medicare	\$ 1,712.10		
Retiree & Family- 2 Medicare	\$ 1,193.59		
Retiree & Family- 3 Medicare	\$ 1,337.77		
Retiree Only		\$ 341.00	\$ 314.12
Retiree & 1 Dependent (1 Medicare)			\$ 1,251.37
Retiree & 1 Dependent (2 Medicare)		\$ 677.00	\$ 623.24
Retiree & 2 + Deps. (1 Medicare)			\$ 1,412.83
Retiree & 2 + Deps. (2 Medicare)			\$ 784.70

## **Kaiser California Monthly Rates**

Effective Date	July 1, 2014	July 1, 2015
Retiree Basic (Under 65)	\$848.36	\$868.90
Retiree Risk (Senior Advantage)	\$237.06	\$239.60
Retiree Excess I	\$978.24	\$978.24
Retiree Excess II - Part B	\$869.06	\$890.15
Excess III- Medicare Not Provided (MNP)	\$1,534.70	\$1,611.19
Family Basic	\$1,691.72	\$1,732.80
One Advantage, One Basic	\$1,080.42	\$1,103.50
One Excess I, One Basic	\$1,821.60	\$1,842.14
One Excess II - Part B, One Basic	\$1,712.42	\$1,754.05
One Excess III (MNP), One Basic	\$2,378.06	\$2,475.09
Two+ Advantage	\$469.12	\$474.20
One Excess I, One Advantage	\$1,210.30	\$1,212.84
One Advantage, One Excess II - Part B	\$1,101.12	\$1,124.75
One Advantage, One Excess III (MNP)	\$1,766.76	\$1,845.79
Two+ Excess I	\$1,951.48	\$1,951.48
One Excess I, One Excess II - Part B	\$1,842.30	\$1,863.39
One Excess I, One Excess (MNP) III	\$2,507.94	\$2,584.43
Two Excess II - Part B	\$1,733.12	\$1,775.30
One Excess II - Part B, One Excess III (MNP)	\$2,398.76	\$2,496.34
Two Excess III - Both (MNP)	\$3,064.40	\$3,217.38
Survivor	\$848.36	\$868.90

### Firefighters Local 1014 Monthly Rates

Effective Date	July 1, 2014 – July 31, 2014	August 1, 2014 – June 30, 2015
Medical Member Under 65	\$922.78	\$897.30
Medical Member + 1 Under 65	\$1,663.85	\$1,617.90
Medical Member + 2 Under 65	\$1,962.66	\$1,908.46
Medical Member with Medicare	\$922.78	\$897.30
Medical Member + 1: 1 MDC	\$1,663.85	\$1,617.90
Medical Member + 1; 2 MDC	\$1,663.85	\$1,617.90
Medical Member + 2; 1 MDC	\$1,962.66	\$1,908.46
Medical Member + 2; 2 MDC	\$1,962.66	\$1,908.46
Medical Surviving Spouse Under 65	\$922.78	\$897.30
Medical Surviving Spouse + 1 Under 65	\$1,663.85	\$1,617.90
Medical Surviving Spouse + 2 Under 65	\$1,962.66	\$1,908.46
Medical Surviving Spouse with MDC	\$922.78	\$897.30
Medical Surviving Spouse + 1; 1 MDC	\$1,663.85	\$1,617.90
Medical Surviving Spouse + 2; 1 MDC	\$1,962.66	\$1,908.46
Medical Surviving Spouse + 1; 2 MDC	\$1,663.85	\$1,617.90

July 1, 2015 Firefighters Local 1014 premium rates are not available for this valuation.

### **Dental/Vision Monthly Rates**

Effective Date	July <sup>•</sup>	1, 2014	July 1, 2015				
<u>Tier</u>	Cigna Dental <u>HMO/Vision</u>	Cigna Indemnity <u>Dental/Vision</u>	Cigna Dental HMO/Vision	Cigna Indemnity <u>Dental/Vision</u>			
Retiree Only	\$40.80	\$46.55	\$42.23	\$46.61			
Retiree & Dependents	\$86.11	\$99.61	\$89.36	\$99.76			
Minor Survivor	\$41.34	\$57.81	\$42.80	\$57.90			

#### COUNTY CONTRIBUTIONS TOWARDS RETIREE HEALTH BENEFITS

#### Medical

If a retiree has 10 years of retirement service credit, the County contributes 40% of the health care plan premium or 40% of the benchmark plan rate (Anthem Blue Cross Plans I and II), whichever is less. For each year of retirement service credit beyond 10 years, the County contributes an additional 4% per year, up to a maximum of 100% for a member with 25 years of service credit. The County contribution can never exceed the premium of the benchmark plan; this means that if the premium for the chosen plan and coverage option exceeds the benchmark premium, the retiree is required to pay the difference, even if the retiree has 25 years of service. Likewise, if the retiree has 25 years of service and the plan premium is less than the benchmark rate, the County contributes 100% of the plan premium only, not the benchmark plan rate.

#### **Dental/Vision**

The contribution percentages follow the same contribution proportions based on years of service as the medical plans where the benchmark plan is the indemnity plan.

#### **Service-Connected Disability**

Any retiree with a service-connected disability retirement with less than 13 years of service will receive a different County contribution for both medical and dental/vision plans. The County contributes 50% of the lesser of the benchmark plan rate or the premium of the plan the retiree is enrolled in. If a retiree with service-connected disability retirement has 13 or more years of service, the County subsidy is the same as a retiree with service retirement.

#### FIREFIGHTERS LOCAL 1014 CONTRIBUTIONS TOWARDS RETIREE HEALTH BENEFITS

Medical, Dental/Vision, and Service-Connected Disability

Contributions are the same as for the County.



### Table A-21: Claim Cost Analysis

All of the plans' premium rates have been determined based on retiree only information. Active premium rates are established independently. Therefore, no implicit subsidy exists between active and retiree rates. However, some plans pooled the Medicare enrolled and non-Medicare enrolled retirees to determine the rates. The following plans did not pool Medicare and non-Medicare retirees (or have an insignificant Medicare enrollment), so we can assume the premium rates are representative of the average claim costs used to develop the age and gender adjusted claim costs:

- Anthem Blue Cross I and II (Combined)
- Anthem Blue Cross III
- Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer
- Cigna Medicare Select Plus Rx (AZ)
- UnitedHealthcare
- UnitedHealthcare Medicare Advantage
- SCAN Health Plan
- Kaiser and Kaiser Interregional
  - o Basic
  - Senior Advantage
  - Medicare Cost Supplement
  - o Excess I
  - Excess II
  - o Excess III
- Cigna Indemnity Dental/Vision
- Cigna HMO Dental/Vision

The following plans pooled Medicare and non-Medicare retirees to determine premium rates. Therefore, we adjusted the premium rates to compensate for the coordination with Medicare in making our claim cost assumption.

- Cigna Network Model Plan
- Firefighters Local 1014 Plan

For current active members projected to retire in the future, we used the enrollment assumptions in Table A-15 to develop weighted average claim costs as of July 1, 2014. The weighted average claim costs used for future retirees and dependents are shown in the following tables.

Note that the medical claim costs for pre 65 retirees are different than for post 65 retirees due to different plan selection assumptions.



### A. Future Retirees Retiring Before Age 65

Age	Retiree					Spouse/Surv Spouse + Dependents				ndents		
	<u>Male</u>		<u>Female</u>		Total			Male		<u>Female</u>		Total
25	\$ 270.91	\$	567.85	\$	421.27		\$	283.16	\$	399.82	\$	374.43
30	\$ 430.74	\$	747.16	\$	590.96		\$	310.00	\$	454.53	\$	423.08
35	\$ 632.03	\$	827.31	\$	730.91		\$	325.02	\$	454.64	\$	426.43
40	\$ 811.38	\$	950.34	\$	881.74		\$	386.14	\$	488.57	\$	466.28
45	\$ 754.63	\$	881.39	\$	818.82		\$	441.59	\$	540.78	\$	519.19
50	\$ 663.18	\$	771.44	\$	718.00		\$	517.58	\$	600.16	\$	582.19
55	\$ 706.66	\$	760.50	\$	733.92		\$	616.82	\$	669.89	\$	658.34
60	\$ 866.35	\$	864.99	\$	865.66		\$	758.33	\$	775.11	\$	771.46
65 (Pre 65)	\$ 1,093.71	\$	1,069.82	\$	1,081.61		\$	954.65	\$	954.73	\$	954.71
65 (Post 65)	\$ 346.90	\$	307.43	\$	326.39		\$	303.43	\$	332.04	\$	323.36
70	\$ 436.26	\$	388.92	\$	411.66		\$	381.59	\$	420.06	\$	408.39
75	\$ 506.10	\$	450.76	\$	477.35		\$	442.68	\$	486.85	\$	473.45
80	\$ 547.51	\$	486.52	\$	515.82		\$	478.90	\$	525.47	\$	511.34
85	\$ 575.69	\$	512.59	\$	542.91		\$	503.55	\$	553.62	\$	538.43
90	\$ 593.63	\$	530.02	\$	560.58		\$	519.24	\$	572.44	\$	556.30
95	\$ 593.63	\$	530.02	\$	560.58		\$	519.24	\$	572.44	\$	556.30

#### B. Future Retirees Retiring After Age 65

Age _	Retiree					 Spouse/Dependents				
	Male		<u>Female</u>		<u>Total</u>	Male		<u>Female</u>		<u>Total</u>
25	N/A		N/A		N/A	\$ 289.82	\$	416.22	\$	388.71
30	N/A		N/A		N/A	\$ 317.29	\$	473.17	\$	439.25
35	N/A		N/A		N/A	\$ 332.66	\$	473.29	\$	442.69
40	N/A		N/A		N/A	\$ 395.22	\$	508.61	\$	483.93
45	N/A		N/A		N/A	\$ 451.97	\$	562.96	\$	538.81
50	N/A		N/A		N/A	\$ 529.74	\$	624.78	\$	604.10
55	N/A		N/A		N/A	\$ 631.32	\$	697.37	\$	683.00
60	N/A		N/A		N/A	\$ 776.15	\$	806.91	\$	800.22
65 (Pre 65)	N/A		N/A		N/A	\$ 977.08	\$	993.89	\$	990.23
65 (Post 65)	\$ 302.99	\$	272.10	\$	286.94	\$ 241.14	\$	303.36	\$	284.49
70	\$ 381.05	\$	344.22	\$	361.91	\$ 303.26	\$	383.77	\$	359.35
75	\$ 442.06	\$	398.95	\$	419.66	\$ 351.81	\$	444.79	\$	416.58
80	\$ 478.23	\$	430.60	\$	453.48	\$ 380.59	\$	480.07	\$	449.89
85	\$ 502.84	\$	453.67	\$	477.29	\$ 400.18	\$	505.79	\$	473.75
90	\$ 518.51	\$	469.09	\$	492.83	\$ 412.65	\$	522.99	\$	489.52
95	\$ 518.51	\$	469.09	\$	492.83	\$ 412.65	\$	522.99	\$	489.52

The Firefighters Local 1014 and dental/vision claim costs are shown in the tables on the following page.



### Firefighters Local 1014 Plan Monthly Medical Claim Costs

Age		Retiree		:	Spouse/Su	rv S	Spouse + D	ере	endents
	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	Total		Male		<u>Female</u>		Total
25	\$ 417.24	\$ 853.43	\$ 419.00	\$	429.29	\$	618.36	\$	615.55
30	\$ 663.39	\$ 1,122.91	\$ 665.24	\$	469.98	\$	702.97	\$	699.51
35	\$ 973.41	\$ 1,243.38	\$ 974.50	\$	492.75	\$	703.14	\$	700.02
40	\$ 1,249.63	\$ 1,428.28	\$ 1,250.35	\$	585.41	\$	755.61	\$	753.08
45	\$ 1,162.22	\$ 1,324.65	\$ 1,162.87	\$	669.47	\$	836.36	\$	833.88
50	\$ 1,021.37	\$ 1,159.40	\$ 1,021.93	\$	784.67	\$	928.20	\$	926.07
55	\$ 1,088.33	\$ 1,142.96	\$ 1,088.55	\$	935.13	\$	1,036.04	\$	1,034.54
60	\$ 1,334.27	\$ 1,300.01	\$ 1,334.13	\$	1,149.67	\$	1,198.77	\$	1,198.04
65 (Pre 65)	\$ 1,684.44	\$ 1,607.84	\$ 1,684.13	\$	1,447.30	\$	1,476.56	\$	1,476.12
65 (Post 65)	\$ 468.00	\$ 453.00	\$ 467.95	\$	468.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.05
70	\$ 588.56	\$ 573.07	\$ 588.51	\$	588.56	\$	573.07	\$	573.13
75	\$ 682.79	\$ 664.18	\$ 682.73	\$	682.79	\$	664.18	\$	664.25
80	\$ 738.65	\$ 716.87	\$ 738.58	\$	738.65	\$	716.87	\$	716.96
85	\$ 776.67	\$ 755.28	\$ 776.60	\$	776.67	\$	755.28	\$	755.36
90	\$ 800.87	\$ 780.96	\$ 800.80	\$	800.87	\$	780.96	\$	781.04
95	\$ 800.87	\$ 780.96	\$ 800.80	\$	800.87	\$	780.96	\$	781.04

### **Future Retirees Monthly Dental/Vision Claim Costs**

Age		F	Retiree		Sr	ouse/Su	rv S	pouse + [	<u>Depe</u>	endents
	<u>Male</u>	Ε	emale	Total	]	<u>Male</u>	Ε	emale		<u>Total</u>
25	\$ 25.37	\$	31.23	\$ 28.31	\$	27.77	\$	34.27	\$	32.29
30	\$ 27.65	\$	32.19	\$ 29.92	\$	30.26	\$	35.32	\$	33.78
35	\$ 28.36	\$	33.06	\$ 30.72	\$	31.04	\$	36.27	\$	34.68
40	\$ 29.51	\$	34.51	\$ 32.02	\$	32.30	\$	37.87	\$	36.17
45	\$ 32.24	\$	36.73	\$ 34.49	\$	35.29	\$	40.30	\$	38.77
50	\$ 36.36	\$	40.07	\$ 38.22	\$	39.79	\$	43.97	\$	42.70
55	\$ 40.57	\$	42.88	\$ 41.73	\$	44.40	\$	47.05	\$	46.25
60	\$ 44.85	\$	45.44	\$ 45.15	\$	49.09	\$	49.86	\$	49.62
65	\$ 47.61	\$	46.45	\$ 47.03	\$	52.10	\$	50.97	\$	51.31
70	\$ 48.83	\$	46.21	\$ 47.52	\$	53.44	\$	50.71	\$	51.54
75	\$ 48.83	\$	46.21	\$ 47.52	\$	53.44	\$	50.71	\$	51.54
80	\$ 48.83	\$	46.21	\$ 47.52	\$	53.44	\$	50.71	\$	51.54
85	\$ 48.83	\$	46.21	\$ 47.52	\$	53.44	\$	50.71	\$	51.54
90	\$ 48.83	\$	46.21	\$ 47.52	\$	53.44	\$	50.71	\$	51.54
95	\$ 48.83	\$	46.21	\$ 47.52	\$	53.44	\$	50.71	\$	51.54

For current retired members, spouses, and dependents, the claim costs are based on the actual premiums by deduction code, adjusted for age and gender. The tables that follow show the age 65 adjusted claim costs. Adjustments by age and gender are based on the same methodology used in the tables above.

#### Non Local 1014 Fire Fighters Male Retirees

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Deduct Code	Plan	Tier	Retiree	Spouse	ann	Child	Surv		etiree	Spo		1	Surv	_	Retiree		pouse		Surv
201	Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer	Retiree Only	\$ 636.02				-	\$	556.27					\$	428.47				
202	Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer	Retiree and Spouse	\$ 636.02	\$ 507.00	\$	733.37		\$	556.27	\$ 5	56.27			\$	428.47	\$	428.47		
203	Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer	Retiree and Family	\$ 636.02	\$ 507.00	\$	733.37		\$	556.27	\$ 5	56.27			\$	428.47	\$	428.47		
204	Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer	Retiree and Children	\$ 636.02	\$ 507.00	\$	733.37		\$	556.27					\$	428.47				
205	Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer	Minor Survivor					\$ 733.37					\$	733.37						
211	Anthem Blue Cross I	Retiree Only	\$ 502.04					\$	439.09					\$	339.01				
212	Anthem Blue Cross I	Retiree and Spouse	\$ 502.04	\$ 400.20	\$	578.89		\$	439.09	\$ 4	39.09			\$	339.01	\$	339.01		
213	Anthem Blue Cross I	Retiree, Spouse and Children	\$ 502.04	\$ 400.20	\$	578.89		\$	439.09	\$ 4	39.09			\$	339.01	\$	339.01		
214	Anthem Blue Cross I	Retiree and Children	\$ 502.04	\$ 400.20	\$	578.89		\$	439.09					\$	339.01				
215	Anthem Blue Cross I	Minor Survivor					\$ 578.89					\$	578.89					\$	578.89
221	Anthem Blue Cross II	Retiree Only	\$ 998.32					\$	873.14					\$	512.63				
222	Anthem Blue Cross II	Retiree and Spouse	\$ 998.32	\$ 795.81	\$	1,151.14		\$	873.14	\$ 8	73.14			\$	512.63	\$	512.63		
223	Anthem Blue Cross II	Retiree, Spouse and Children	\$ 998.32	\$ 795.81	\$	1,151.14		\$	873.14	\$ 8	73.14			\$	512.63	\$	512.63		
224	Anthem Blue Cross II	Retiree and Children	\$ 998.32	\$ 795.81	\$	1,151.14		\$	873.14					\$	512.63				
225	Anthem Blue Cross II	Minor Survivor					\$ 1,151.14					\$	1,151.14					\$	1,151.14
240	Anthem Blue Cross III	One Medicare						\$	272.28					\$	272.28				
241	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Spouse 1 Medicare	\$ 1,111.97	\$ 886.41	\$	1,282.18		\$	272.28	\$ 2	72.28			\$	272.28	\$	272.28		
242	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Spouse 1 Medicare	\$ 1,111.97	\$ 886.41	\$	1,282.18		\$	272.28	\$ 2	72.28			\$	272.28	\$	272.28		
243	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Spouse 2 Medicare						\$	272.28	\$ 2	72.28			\$	272.28	\$	272.28		
244	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Children 1 Medicare		\$ 886.41	\$	1,282.18		\$	272.28					\$	272.28	\$	272.28		
245	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Children 1 Medicare		\$ 886.41	\$	1,282.18		\$	272.28					\$	272.28	\$	272.28		
246	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Family 1 Medicare	\$ 1,111.97	\$ 886.41	\$	1,282.18		\$	272.28	\$ 2	72.28			\$	272.28	\$	272.28		
247	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Family 1 Medicare	\$ 1,111.97	\$ 886.41	\$	1,282.18		\$	272.28	\$ 2	72.28			\$	272.28	\$	272.28		
248	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Family 2 Medicare		\$ 886.41	\$	1,282.18		\$	272.28	\$ 2	72.28			\$	272.28	\$	272.28		
249	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Family 2 Medicare		\$ 886.41	\$	1,282.18		\$	272.28	\$ 2	72.28			\$	272.28	\$	272.28		
250	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Family 3 Medicare		\$ 886.41	\$	1,282.18		\$	272.28	\$ 2	72.28			\$	272.28	\$	272.28		
301	Cigna Network Model Plan	Retiree Only	\$ 1,446.89					\$	897.30					\$	591.30				
302	Cigna Network Model Plan	Retiree and Spouse	\$ 1,446.89	\$ 1,153.39	\$	1,668.38		\$	897.30	\$ 8	97.30			\$	591.30	\$	591.09		
303	Cigna Network Model Plan	Retiree and Family	\$ 1,446.89	\$ 1,153.39	\$	1,668.38		\$	897.30	\$ 8	97.30			\$	591.30	\$	591.09		
304	Cigna Network Model Plan	Retiree and Children	\$ 1,446.89	\$ 1,153.39	\$	1,668.38		\$	897.30					\$	591.30				
305	Cigna Network Model Plan	Minor Survivor					\$ 1,668.38					\$	1,668.38						
321	Cigna Medicare Select Plus Rx (AZ)	Risk-Retiree Only						\$	261.15										
322	Cigna Medicare Select Plus Rx (AZ)	Risk-Retiree & Spouse						\$	261.15	\$ 2	61.15			\$	261.15	\$	261.15		
324	Cigna Medicare Select Plus Rx (AZ)	Risk-Retiree & Spouse ( Both Risk)						\$	261.15	\$ 2	61.15								
401	Kaiser (CA)	Retiree Basic (Under 65)	\$ 1,163.05											\$	290.44				
403	Kaiser (CA)	Retiree Risk (Senior Advantage)						\$	175.91										
404	Kaiser (CA)	Retiree Excess I						\$	725.91										
405	Kaiser (CA)	Retiree Excess II - Part B						\$	644.89										
406	Kaiser (CA)	Excess III - Medicare Not Provided (MNP)						\$ 1	1,138.83										
411	Kaiser (CA)	Family Basic	\$ 1,163.05	\$ 927.13	\$	1,341.09								\$	251.74	\$	244.92		

Non Local 1014 Fire Fighters Male Retirees

Non L	ocal 1014 Fire Fight	ers Male Retirees											_							
Deduct					Pre 65 C	laim	Costs		Po	ost 65 Clair	m Co	osts for Post	t 65	Retirees	P	ost 65 Clai	m Co	sts for	Pre 65	Retirees
Code	Plan	Tier	Retiree		Spouse		Child	Surv		Retiree		Spouse		Surv		Retiree	- 5	Spouse	Т	Surv
413	Kaiser (CA)	One Advantage, One Basic	\$ 1,163.05	\$	927.13	\$	1,341.09		\$	175.91	\$	172.49			\$	175.91	\$	244.9	92	
414	Kaiser (CA)	One Excess I, One Basic	\$ 1,163.05	\$	927.13	\$	1,341.09		\$	725.91	\$	723.40			\$	725.91	\$	244.9	92	
418	Kaiser (CA)	Two+ Advantage							\$	175.91	\$	172.49								
419	Kaiser (CA)	One Excess I, One Advantage							\$	450.17	\$	448.69								
420	Kaiser (CA)	Two+ Excess I							\$	725.91	\$	723.40								
421	Kaiser (CA)	Survivor						\$ 1,341.09					\$	1,341.09					\$	1,341.09
422	Kaiser (CA)	One Excess II - Part B, One Basic	\$ 1,163.05	\$	927.13	\$	1,341.09		\$	644.89	\$	642.25			\$	644.89	\$	244.9	92	
423	Kaiser (CA)	One Excess III (MNP), One Basic	\$ 1,163.05	\$	927.13	\$	1,341.09		\$	1,138.83	\$	1,137.01			\$	1,138.83	\$	244.9	92	
426	Kaiser (CA)	One Advantage, One Excess II - Part B							\$	409.66	\$	408.11								
427	Kaiser (CA)	One Advantage, One Excess III (MNP)							\$	656.63	\$	655.49								
428	Kaiser (CA)	One Excess, One Excess II - Part B							\$	684.66	\$	683.57								
429	Kaiser (CA)	One Excess, One Excess III (MNP)							\$	931.63	\$	930.95								
430	Kaiser (CA)	Two Excess II - Part B							\$	644.89	\$	642.25								
431	Kaiser (CA)	One Excess II - Part B, One Excess III (MNP)							\$	891.12	\$	890.37								
432	Kaiser (CA)	Two Excess III - Both (MNP)							\$	1,138.83	\$	1,137.01								
450	Kaiser - Colorado Basic	Retiree Basic	\$ 1,182.05												\$	240.11				
451	Kaiser - Colorado	Retiree Risk							\$	240.11										
453	Kaiser - Colorado	Retiree Basic (Two Party)	\$ 1,182.05	\$	1,350.20										\$	240.11	\$	238.6	31	
454	Kaiser - Colorado	Retiree Basic Family	\$ 1,182.05	\$	1,350.20	\$	4,620.05								\$	240.11	\$	238.6	31	
455	Kaiser - Colorado	One Risk, One Basic	\$ 1,182.05	\$	1,106.64				\$	240.11	\$	238.61			\$	240.11	\$	238.6	31	
457	Kaiser - Colorado	Two Retiree Risk							\$	240.11	\$	238.61								
458	Kaiser - Colorado	One Risk, Two or More Dependents	\$ 1,182.05	\$	1,106.64	\$	5,578.55		\$	240.11	\$	238.61			\$	240.11	\$	238.6	31	
459	Kaiser - Colorado	Two Risk, Two or More Dependents				\$	5,923.13		\$	240.11	\$	238.61			\$	240.11	\$	238.6	31	
441	Kaiser - Georgia	One Medicare Member with Part A only							\$	641.02										
442	Kaiser - Georgia	One Member without Medicare Part A&B							\$	641.02										
445	Kaiser - Georgia	One Medicare Member + One Medicare with Part A only							\$	641.02	\$	261.92								
461	Kaiser - Georgia Basic	Basic	\$ 1,127.38												\$	263.22				
462	Kaiser - Georgia	Retiree Risk							\$	263.22										
463	Kaiser - Georgia	Retiree (Two Party)	\$ 1,127.38	\$	1,055.19	\$	5,647.72		\$	263.22	\$	261.92			\$	263.22	\$	261.9	92	
464	Kaiser - Georgia	Retiree Basic Family	\$ 1,127.38	\$	1,055.19	\$	5,647.79								\$	263.22	\$	261.9	92	
465	Kaiser - Georgia	One Retiree Risk, One Basic	\$ 462.93	\$	1,055.19	\$	5,647.72		\$	263.22	\$	261.92			\$	263.22	\$	261.9	92	
466	Kaiser - Georgia	Two Retiree Risk							\$	263.22	\$	261.92								
471	Kaiser - Hawaii	Retiree Basic (Under 65)	\$ 1,133.95												\$	247.63				
472	Kaiser - Hawaii	Retiree Risk							\$	247.63										
473	Kaiser - Hawaii	Retiree Over 65 without Medicare A&B							\$	987.76										
474	Kaiser - Hawaii Basic	Retiree Basic (Two Party)	\$ 1,133.95	\$	1,061.35										\$	247.63	\$	246.1	19	
475	Kaiser - Hawaii	Retiree Basic Family (Under 65)	\$ 1,133.95		1,061.35	\$	5,680.79								\$	247.63		246.1		
476	Kaiser - Hawaii	One Retiree Risk, One Basic	\$		1,061.36		5,680.79		\$	247.63	\$	246.19			\$	247.63	\$	246.1	19	
477	Kaiser - Hawaii	Over 65 without Medicare A&B, One Basic	\$				5,680.79		\$	987.76		993.01			\$	987.76		993.0		
478	Kaiser - Hawaii	Two Retiree Risk	,	•	,	•	-,		\$	247.63		246.19								



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Non Local 1014 Fire Fighters Male Retirees

Deduct				Pre 65 Cla	aim (	Costs		Pos	st 65 Clain	ı Cos	ts for Post	t 65 Retirees	Po	ost 65 Cla	im C	osts for Pre	65 Retirees
	Plan	Tier	Retiree	Spouse		Child	Surv	R	etiree	S	oouse	Surv	F	Retiree		Spouse	Surv
481	Kaiser - Oregon	Retiree Basic (Under 65)	\$ 1,208.83				•						\$	329.72		•	
482	Kaiser - Oregon	Retiree Risk						\$	329.72								
483	Kaiser - Oregon	Retiree Over 65 unassigned Medicare A&B						\$	829.36								
484	Kaiser - Oregon	Retiree Basic (Two Party)	\$ 1,208.83	\$ 1,131.85									\$	329.72	\$	329.02	
485	Kaiser - Oregon Basic	Retiree Basic Family (Under 65)	\$ 1,208.83	\$ 2,263.70	\$	6,058.06							\$	329.72	\$	329.02	
486	Kaiser - Oregon	One Retiree Risk, One Basic	\$ 1,208.83	\$ 1,131.85	\$	6,058.06		\$	329.72	\$	329.02		\$	329.72	\$	329.02	
488	Kaiser - Oregon	Two Retiree Risk						\$	329.72	\$	329.02						
489	Kaiser - Oregon	Retiree w/ Part A only						\$	709.08								
491	Kaiser - Oregon	One Risk, One Medicare Part A only						\$	709.08	\$	329.02						
493	Kaiser - Oregon	One Risk, Two Basic	\$ 1,208.83	\$ 1,131.85				\$	329.72	\$	329.02		\$	329.72	\$	329.02	
494	Kaiser - Oregon	Two Risk, One Basic	\$ 1,208.83	\$ 1,131.85	\$	6,058.06		\$	329.72	\$	330.50		\$	329.72	\$	330.50	
495	Kaiser - Oregon	Two Over 65 unassigned Medicare						\$	829.36	\$	833.18						
496	Kaiser - Oregon	Two Medicare Part A only						\$	709.08	\$	711.81						
497	Kaiser - Oregon	One Basic, One Medicare Part A only	\$ 1,208.83	\$ 1,131.85				\$	709.08	\$	711.81		\$	709.08	\$	711.81	
498	Kaiser - Oregon	One Basic, One over 65 unassigned Medicare A&B	\$ 1,208.83	\$ 1,131.85				\$	829.36	\$	833.18		\$	829.36	\$	833.18	
611	SCAN Health Plan	Retiree Only						\$	202.90								
613	SCAN Health Plan	Retiree & 1 Dependent (2 Medicare)						\$	202.90	\$	202.90						
701	United Healthcare	Retiree Only	\$ 1,230.34					\$	229.23								
702	United Healthcare	Retiree & 1 Dependent (1 Medicare)	\$ 1,230.34	\$ 980.77	\$	1,418.68		\$	229.23	\$	229.23						
703	United Healthcare	Retiree & 1 Dependent (2 Medicare)						\$	229.23	\$	229.23						
704	United Healthcare	Retiree & 2 + Deps. (1 Medicare)	\$ 1,230.34	\$ 980.77	\$	1,418.68		\$	229.23	\$	229.23						
705	United Healthcare	Retiree & 2 + Deps. (2 Medicare)	\$ 1,230.34	\$ 980.77	\$	1,418.68		\$	229.23	\$	229.23						
706	United Healthcare	Minor Survivor					\$ 1,418.68					\$ 1,418.68	3				
707	United Healthcare	Single	\$ 1,230.34										\$	261.10			
708	United Healthcare	Two-Party	\$ 1,230.34	\$ 980.77	\$	1,418.68							\$	261.10	\$	261.00	
709	United Healthcare	Family	\$ 1,230.34	\$ 980.77	\$	1,418.68							\$	261.10	\$	261.00	

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Fire Fighters Local 1014 Male Retirees

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Deduct						Pre 65 Cl	aim (	Costs		Pos	st 65 Clair	n Cos	ts for Pos	st 65 F	Retirees	Po	st 65 Clai	m Co	osts for Pr	e 65 F	Retirees
Code	Plan	Tier	Ret	tiree	,	Spouse		Child	Surv	R	etiree	S	oouse		Surv	F	etiree	8	Spouse		Surv
801	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Member under 65	\$ 1	1,684.44						\$	468.00					\$	468.00				
802	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Member +1 under 65	\$ 1	1,684.44	\$	1,342.76	\$	1,942.29		\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00
803	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Member +2 under 65	\$ 1	1,684.44	\$	1,342.76	\$	1,942.29		\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00
804	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Member or Surviving Sp with Medicare								\$	468.00			\$	468.00	\$	468.00			\$	468.00
805	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Member +1; 1 MDC			\$	1,342.76	\$	1,942.29		\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00
806	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Member +1; 2 MDC								\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00
807	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Member +2; 1 MDC			\$	1,342.76	\$	1,942.29		\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00
808	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Member +2; 2 MDC								\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00	\$	468.00
809	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. Under 65							\$ 1,342.76			\$	468.00	\$	468.00			\$	468.00	\$	468.00
810	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. +1 Under 65			\$	1,342.76	\$	1,942.29	\$ 1,342.76			\$	468.00	\$	468.00			\$	468.00	\$	468.00
811	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. +2 Under 65			\$	1,342.76	\$	1,942.29	\$ 1,342.76			\$	468.00	\$	468.00			\$	468.00	\$	468.00
812	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. With MDC										\$	468.00	\$	468.00			\$	468.00	\$	468.00
813	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. +1; 1 MDC			\$	1,342.76	\$	1,942.29	\$ 1,342.76			\$	468.00	\$	468.00			\$	468.00	\$	468.00
814	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. +2; 1 MDC			\$	1,342.76	\$	1,942.29	\$ 1,342.76			\$	468.00	\$	468.00			\$	468.00	\$	468.00
815	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. +1; 2 MDC										\$	468.00	\$	468.00			\$	468.00	\$	468.00

### **Dental/Vision Male Retirees**

Deduction				Age 65 A	Adju	sted Claim	Со	sts
Code	Plan	Tier	F	Retiree		Sp/Dep		Surv
501	Cigna Indemnity Dental/Vision	Retiree Only	\$	48.48				
502	Cigna Indemnity Dental/Vision	Family	\$	48.48	\$	52.62		
503	Cigna Indemnity Dental/Vision	Minor Survivor					\$	48.48
901	Cigna Dental HMO/Vision	Retiree Only	\$	42.25				
902	Cigna Dental HMO/Vision	Family	\$	42.25	\$	48.40		
903	Cigna Dental HMO/Vision	Minor Survivor					\$	42.25



#### Los Angeles County Employees Retirement Association

Appendix A

Non Local 1014 Fire Fighters Female Retirees

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Deduct				Pre 65 Cla	aim (	Costs			Post	65 Clain	n Costs for P	ost 65	5 Retirees	Po	st 65 Clai	m Co	sts for Pr	e 65 F	Retirees
Code	Plan	Tier	Retiree	Spouse		Child	1	Surv		tiree	Spouse		Surv	_	Retiree		pouse		Surv
201	Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer	Retiree Only	\$ 607.09						\$	538.43				\$	414.73				
202	Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer	Retiree and Spouse	\$ 607.09	\$ 517.25	\$	486.47			\$	538.43	\$ 538.43	3		\$	414.73	\$	414.73		
203	Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer	Retiree and Family	\$ 607.09	\$ 517.25	\$	486.47			\$	538.43	\$ 538.43	3		\$	414.73	\$	414.73		
204	Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer	Retiree and Children	\$ 607.09	\$ 517.25	\$	486.47			\$	538.43				\$	414.73				
205	Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer	Minor Survivor					\$	486.47				\$	486.47						
211	Anthem Blue Cross I	Retiree Only	\$ 479.21						\$	425.01				\$	328.13				
212	Anthem Blue Cross I	Retiree and Spouse	\$ 479.21	\$ 408.29	\$	384.00			\$	425.01	\$ 425.0	1		\$	328.13	\$	328.13		
213	Anthem Blue Cross I	Retiree, Spouse and Children	\$ 479.21	\$ 408.29	\$	384.00			\$	425.01	\$ 425.0	1		\$	328.13	\$	328.13		
214	Anthem Blue Cross I	Retiree and Children	\$ 479.21	\$ 408.29	\$	384.00			\$	425.01				\$	328.13				
215	Anthem Blue Cross I	Minor Survivor					\$	384.00				\$	384.00					\$	384.00
221	Anthem Blue Cross II	Retiree Only	\$ 952.92						\$	845.14				\$	496.19				
222	Anthem Blue Cross II	Retiree and Spouse	\$ 952.92	\$ 811.90	\$	763.59			\$	845.14	\$ 845.14	1		\$	496.19	\$	496.19		
223	Anthem Blue Cross II	Retiree, Spouse and Children	\$ 952.92	\$ 811.90	\$	763.59			\$	845.14	\$ 845.14	1		\$	496.19	\$	496.19		
224	Anthem Blue Cross II	Retiree and Children	\$ 952.92	\$ 811.90	\$	763.59			\$	845.14				\$	496.19				
225	Anthem Blue Cross II	Minor Survivor					\$	763.59				\$	763.59					\$	763.59
240	Anthem Blue Cross III	One Medicare							\$	263.55				\$	263.55				
241	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Spouse 1 Medicare	\$ 1,061.40	\$ 904.32	\$	850.51			\$	263.55	\$ 263.55	5		\$	263.55	\$	263.55		
242	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Spouse 1 Medicare	\$ 1,061.40	\$ 904.32	\$	850.51			\$	263.55	\$ 263.55	5		\$	263.55	\$	263.55		
243	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Spouse 2 Medicare							\$	263.55	\$ 263.55	5		\$	263.55	\$	263.55		
244	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Children 1 Medicare		\$ 904.32	\$	850.51			\$	263.55				\$	263.55	\$	263.55		
245	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Children 1 Medicare		\$ 904.32	\$	850.51			\$	263.55				\$	263.55	\$	263.55		
246	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Family 1 Medicare	\$ 1,061.40	\$ 904.32	\$	850.51			\$	263.55	\$ 263.5	5		\$	263.55	\$	263.55		
247	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Family 1 Medicare	\$ 1,061.40	\$ 904.32	\$	850.51			\$	263.55	\$ 263.5	5		\$	263.55	\$	263.55		
248	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Family 2 Medicare		\$ 904.32	\$	850.51			\$	263.55	\$ 263.55	5		\$	263.55	\$	263.55		
249	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Family 2 Medicare		\$ 904.32	\$	850.51			\$	263.55	\$ 263.55	5		\$	263.55	\$	263.55		
250	Anthem Blue Cross III	Retiree and Family 3 Medicare		\$ 904.32	\$	850.51			\$	263.55	\$ 263.5	5		\$	263.55	\$	263.55		
301	Cigna Network Model Plan	Retiree Only	\$ 1,381.10						\$	868.52				\$	572.33				
302	Cigna Network Model Plan	Retiree and Spouse	\$ 1,381.10	\$ 1,176.71	\$	1,106.69			\$	868.52	\$ 868.52	2		\$	572.33	\$	572.13		
303	Cigna Network Model Plan	Retiree and Family	\$ 1,381.10	\$ 1,176.71	\$	1,106.69			\$	868.52	\$ 868.52	2		\$	572.33	\$	572.13		
304	Cigna Network Model Plan	Retiree and Children	\$ 1,381.10	\$ 1,176.71	\$	1,106.69			\$	868.52				\$	572.33				
305	Cigna Network Model Plan	Minor Survivor					\$	1,106.69				\$	1,106.69						
321	Cigna Medicare Select Plus Rx (AZ)	Risk-Retiree Only							\$	252.77									
322	Cigna Medicare Select Plus Rx (AZ)	Risk-Retiree & Spouse							\$	252.77	\$ 252.7	7		\$	252.77	\$	252.77		
324	Cigna Medicare Select Plus Rx (AZ)	Risk-Retiree & Spouse ( Both Risk)							\$	252.77	\$ 252.7	7							
401	Kaiser (CA)	Retiree Basic (Under 65)	\$ 1,110.16											\$	281.13				
403	Kaiser (CA)	Retiree Risk (Senior Advantage)							\$	170.27									
404	Kaiser (CA)	Retiree Excess I							\$	702.63									
405	Kaiser (CA)	Retiree Excess II - Part B							\$	624.21									
406	Kaiser (CA)	Excess III - Medicare Not Provided (MNP)							\$ 1,	,102.31									
411	Kaiser (CA)	Family Basic	\$ 1,110.16	\$ 945.87	\$	889.59								\$	243.67	\$	237.07		



Non Local 1014 Fire Fighters Female Retirees

Non L	ocal 1014 Fire Fight	ers Female Retirees	_												_							
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Deduct Code	Plan	Tier	-	Retiree	Г	Spouse	laiiii	Child	1	Surv		Retiree		Spouse		Surv		Retiree	_	pouse	1	Surv
413	Kaiser (CA)	One Advantage, One Basic	\$	1,110.16		945.87	\$	889.59			\$	170.27		166.96			\$	170.27		237.07		
414	Kaiser (CA)	One Excess I, One Basic		1,110.16		945.87		889.59			\$	702.63		700.20			\$	702.63		237.07		
418	Kaiser (CA)	Two+ Advantage									\$	170.27		166.96								
419	Kaiser (CA)	One Excess I, One Advantage									\$	435.73	\$	434.30								
420	Kaiser (CA)	Two+ Excess I									\$	702.63	\$	700.20								
421	Kaiser (CA)	Survivor							\$	889.59				(	\$	889.59					\$	889.59
422	Kaiser (CA)	One Excess II - Part B, One Basic	\$	1,110.16	\$	945.87	\$	889.59			\$	624.21	\$	621.65			\$	624.21	\$	237.07		
423	Kaiser (CA)	One Excess III (MNP), One Basic	\$	1,110.16	\$	945.87	\$	889.59			\$	1,102.31	\$	1,100.55			\$	1,102.31	\$	237.07		
426	Kaiser (CA)	One Advantage, One Excess II - Part B									\$	396.52	\$	395.02								
427	Kaiser (CA)	One Advantage, One Excess III (MNP)									\$	635.57	\$	634.47								
428	Kaiser (CA)	One Excess, One Excess II - Part B									\$	662.70	\$	661.65								
429	Kaiser (CA)	One Excess, One Excess III (MNP)									\$	901.75	\$	901.10								
430	Kaiser (CA)	Two Excess II - Part B									\$	624.21	\$	621.65								
431	Kaiser (CA)	One Excess II - Part B, One Excess III (MNP)									\$	862.54	\$	861.82								
432	Kaiser (CA)	Two Excess III - Both (MNP)									\$	1,102.31	\$	1,100.55								
450	Kaiser - Colorado Basic	Retiree Basic	\$	1,128.29													\$	232.41				
451	Kaiser - Colorado	Retiree Risk									\$	232.41										
453	Kaiser - Colorado	Retiree Basic (Two Party)	\$	1,128.29	\$	1,377.49											\$	232.41	\$	230.95		
454	Kaiser - Colorado	Retiree Basic Family	\$	1,128.29	\$	1,377.49	\$	3,064.63									\$	232.41	\$	230.95		
455	Kaiser - Colorado	One Risk, One Basic	\$	1,128.29	\$	1,129.01					\$	232.41	\$	230.95			\$	232.41	\$	230.96		
457	Kaiser - Colorado	Two Retiree Risk									\$	232.41	\$	230.96								
458	Kaiser - Colorado	One Risk, Two or More Dependents	\$	1,128.29	\$	1,129.01	\$	3,700.44			\$	232.41	\$	230.96			\$	232.41	\$	230.96		
459	Kaiser - Colorado	Two Risk, Two or More Dependents					\$	3,929.01			\$	232.41	\$	230.96			\$	232.41	\$	230.96		
441	Kaiser - Georgia	One Medicare Member with Part A only									\$	620.46										
442	Kaiser - Georgia	One Member without Medicare Part A&B									\$	620.46										
445	Kaiser - Georgia	One Medicare Member + One Medicare with Part A only									\$	620.46	\$	253.52								
461	Kaiser - Georgia Basic	Basic	\$	1,076.11													\$	254.78				
462	Kaiser - Georgia	Retiree Risk									\$	254.78										
463	Kaiser - Georgia	Retiree (Two Party)	\$	1,076.11	\$	1,076.51	\$	3,746.32			\$	254.78	\$	253.52			\$	254.78	\$	253.52		
464	Kaiser - Georgia	Retiree Basic Family	\$	1,076.11	\$	1,076.51	\$	3,746.37									\$	254.78	\$	253.52		
465	Kaiser - Georgia	One Retiree Risk, One Basic	\$	441.88	\$	1,076.51	\$	3,746.32			\$	254.78	\$	253.52			\$	254.78	\$	253.52		
466	Kaiser - Georgia	Two Retiree Risk									\$	254.78	\$	253.52								
471	Kaiser - Hawaii	Retiree Basic (Under 65)	\$	1,082.38													\$	239.69				
472	Kaiser - Hawaii	Retiree Risk									\$	239.69										
473	Kaiser - Hawaii	Retiree Over 65 without Medicare A&B									\$	956.08										
474	Kaiser - Hawaii Basic	Retiree Basic (Two Party)	\$	1,082.38	\$	1,082.81											\$	239.69	\$	238.29		
475	Kaiser - Hawaii	Retiree Basic Family (Under 65)	\$	1,082.38	\$	1,082.81	\$	3,768.26									\$	239.69	\$	238.29		
476	Kaiser - Hawaii	One Retiree Risk, One Basic	\$	1,082.38	\$	1,082.82	\$	3,768.26			\$	239.69	\$	238.29			\$	239.69	\$	238.29		
477	Kaiser - Hawaii	Over 65 without Medicare A&B, One Basic	\$	1,082.38	\$	1,082.81	\$	3,768.26			\$	956.08	\$	961.16			\$	956.08	\$	961.16		
478	Kaiser - Hawaii	Two Retiree Risk									\$	239.69	\$	238.29								



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Appendix A

Non Local 1014 Fire Fighters Female Retirees

Deduct				Pre 65 Cla	_						ts for Post 6							65 Retirees
Code	Plan	Tier	Retiree	Spouse		Child	Surv	R	etiree	S	pouse	Surv		Retire		S	pouse	Surv
481	Kaiser - Oregon	Retiree Basic (Under 65)	\$ 1,153.85										\$	319	1.15			
482	Kaiser - Oregon	Retiree Risk						\$	319.15									
483	Kaiser - Oregon	Retiree Over 65 unassigned Medicare A&B						\$	802.76									
484	Kaiser - Oregon	Retiree Basic (Two Party)	\$ 1,153.85	\$ 1,154.73									\$	319	.15	\$	318.47	
485	Kaiser - Oregon Basic	Retiree Basic Family (Under 65)	\$ 1,153.85	\$ 2,309.46	\$	4,018.51							\$	319	.15	\$	318.47	
486	Kaiser - Oregon	One Retiree Risk, One Basic	\$ 1,153.85	\$ 1,154.73	\$	4,018.51		\$	319.15	\$	318.47		\$	319	.15	\$	318.47	
488	Kaiser - Oregon	Two Retiree Risk						\$	319.15	\$	318.47							
489	Kaiser - Oregon	Retiree w/ Part A only						\$	686.34									
491	Kaiser - Oregon	One Risk, One Medicare Part A only						\$	686.34	\$	318.47							
493	Kaiser - Oregon	One Risk, Two Basic	\$ 1,153.85	\$ 1,154.73				\$	319.15	\$	318.47		\$	319	.15	\$	318.47	
494	Kaiser - Oregon	Two Risk, One Basic	\$ 1,153.85	\$ 1,154.73	\$	4,018.51		\$	319.15	\$	319.90		\$	319	.15	\$	319.90	
495	Kaiser - Oregon	Two Over 65 unassigned Medicare						\$	802.76	\$	806.46							
496	Kaiser - Oregon	Two Medicare Part A only						\$	686.34	\$	688.98							
497	Kaiser - Oregon	One Basic, One Medicare Part A only	\$ 1,153.85	\$ 1,154.73				\$	686.34	\$	688.98		\$	686	.34	\$	688.98	
498	Kaiser - Oregon	One Basic, One over 65 unassigned Medicare A&B	\$ 1,153.85	\$ 1,154.73				\$	802.76	\$	806.46		\$	802	2.76	\$	806.46	
611	SCAN Health Plan	Retiree Only						\$	196.40									
613	SCAN Health Plan	Retiree & 1 Dependent (2 Medicare)						\$	196.40	\$	196.40							
701	United Healthcare	Retiree Only	\$ 1,174.39					\$	221.87									
702	United Healthcare	Retiree & 1 Dependent (1 Medicare)	\$ 1,174.39	\$ 1,000.60	\$	941.06		\$	221.87	\$	221.87							
703	United Healthcare	Retiree & 1 Dependent (2 Medicare)						\$	221.87	\$	221.87							
704	United Healthcare	Retiree & 2 + Deps. (1 Medicare)	\$ 1,174.39	\$ 1,000.60	\$	941.06		\$	221.87	\$	221.87							
705	United Healthcare	Retiree & 2 + Deps. (2 Medicare)	\$ 1,174.39	\$ 1,000.60	\$	941.06		\$	221.87	\$	221.87							
706	United Healthcare	Minor Survivor					\$ 941.06				\$	941	1.06					
707	United Healthcare	Single	\$ 1,174.39										\$	252	.72			
708	United Healthcare	Two-Party	\$ 1,174.39	\$ 1,000.60	\$	941.06							\$	252	.72	\$	252.63	
709	United Healthcare	Family	\$ 1,174.39	\$ 1,000.60	\$	941.06							\$	252	2.72	\$	252.63	

Appendix A

Fire Fighters Local 1014 Female Retirees

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Deduct Code	Plan	Tier	Retire	,		ouse		Child	Surv	_	etiree	_	pouse		Surv		Retiree		Spouse	_	Surv
801	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Member under 65	\$ 1,60	.84						\$	453.00					\$	453.00				
802	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Member +1 under 65	\$ 1,60	.84	\$ 1,	,369.90	\$	1,288.38		\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00
803	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Member +2 under 65	\$ 1,60	.84	\$ 1,	,369.90	\$	1,288.38		\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00
804	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Member or Surviving Sp with Medicare								\$	453.00			\$	453.00	\$	453.00			\$	453.00
805	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Member +1; 1 MDC			\$ 1,	,369.90	\$	1,288.38		\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00
806	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Member +1; 2 MDC								\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00
807	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Member +2; 1 MDC			\$ 1,	,369.90	\$	1,288.38		\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00
808	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Member +2; 2 MDC								\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00	\$	453.00
809	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. Under 65							\$ 1,369.90			\$	453.00	\$	453.00			\$	453.00	\$	453.00
810	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. +1 Under 65			\$ 1,	,369.90	\$	1,288.38	\$ 1,369.90			\$	453.00	\$	453.00			\$	453.00	\$	453.00
811	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. +2 Under 65			\$ 1,	,369.90	\$	1,288.38	\$ 1,369.90			\$	453.00	\$	453.00			\$	453.00	\$	453.00
812	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. With MDC										\$	453.00	\$	453.00			\$	453.00	\$	453.00
813	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. +1; 1 MDC			\$ 1,	,369.90	\$	1,288.38	\$ 1,369.90			\$	453.00	\$	453.00			\$	453.00	\$	453.00
814	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. +2; 1 MDC			\$ 1,	,369.90	\$	1,288.38	\$ 1,369.90			\$	453.00	\$	453.00			\$	453.00	\$	453.00
815	Firefighters' Local 1014	Med-Surv. Sp. +1; 2 MDC										\$	453.00	\$	453.00			\$	453.00	\$	453.00

#### **Dental/Vision Female Retirees**

Deduction				Age 65 A	Adju	sted Claim	Со	sts
Code	Plan	Tier	R	etiree	•	Sp/Dep		Surv
501	Cigna Indemnity Dental/Vision	Retiree Only	\$	47.49				
502	Cigna Indemnity Dental/Vision	Family	\$	47.49	\$	51.54		
503	Cigna Indemnity Dental/Vision	Minor Survivor					\$	47.49
901	Cigna Dental HMO/Vision	Retiree Only	\$	41.38				
902	Cigna Dental HMO/Vision	Family	\$	41.38	\$	47.41		
903	Cigna Dental HMO/Vision	Minor Survivor					\$	41.38



Table A-22: Health Cost Trend Assumptions \*

The following table presents the trend assumptions without the impact of the Excise Tax.

Fiscal Year Ending		LACERA Medical		Part B	Dental Under	Weighted
From	То	Under 65	Over 65	Premiums	and Over 65	Average
0/00/0045	0/00/0040	7.050/	0.000/	0.000/	0.500/	7 440/
6/30/2015	6/30/2016	7.05%	9.60%	2.20%	0.50%	7.41%
6/30/2016	6/30/2017	6.40%	8.85%	4.60%	3.00%	7.31%
6/30/2017	6/30/2018	6.00%	7.90%	4.60%	3.00%	6.71%
6/30/2018	6/30/2019	5.60%	6.90%	4.60%	3.00%	6.06%
6/30/2019	6/30/2020	5.70%	6.05%	4.60%	2.95%	5.63%
6/30/2020	6/30/2021	5.70%	5.65%	5.95%	2.95%	5.53%
6/30/2021	6/30/2022	5.70%	5.70%	5.95%	2.95%	5.57%
6/30/2022	6/30/2023	5.70%	5.70%	5.95%	2.90%	5.57%
6/30/2023	6/30/2024	5.70%	5.70%	5.95%	2.90%	5.57%
6/30/2024	6/30/2025	5.70%	5.70%	5.95%	2.85%	5.57%
6/30/2025	6/30/2026	5.70%	5.70%	5.95%	2.85%	5.58%
6/30/2026	6/30/2027	5.70%	5.70%	5.95%	2.85%	5.58%
6/30/2027	6/30/2028	5.70%	5.70%	5.95%	2.80%	5.58%
6/30/2037	6/30/2038	5.80%	5.80%	5.65%	2.65%	5.66%
6/30/2047	6/30/2048	5.50%	5.50%	5.30%	2.45%	5.38%
6/30/2057	6/30/2058	5.40%	5.40%	5.05%	2.45%	5.28%
6/30/2067	6/30/2068	5.00%	5.00%	5.00%	2.70%	4.96%
6/30/2077	6/30/2078	4.70%	4.70%	4.85%	2.90%	4.70%
6/30/2087	6/30/2088	4.70%	4.70%	4.85%	3.15%	4.70%
6/30/2097	6/30/2098	4.70%	4.70%	4.85%	3.35%	4.71%
6/30/2100		4.70%	4.70%	4.85%	3.35%	4.71%

Note that after fiscal year ending June 30, 2028, selected years are shown in the table. The trend for the years not shown grade ratably into the next value shown in the table. After fiscal year ending June 30, 2078, the medical trend rates remain at 4.70%.

<sup>\*</sup> The first year trend rates for LACERA medical and dental/vision plans reflect premium increases effective July 1, 2015. Projected changes in Health Care Reform Fees including Transitional Reinsurance Fee and Insurer Fee are also included in the medical and dental/vision trends.

**Table A-23: Retirement of Vested Terminated Members** 

#### **Annual Rates**

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	General	General	Safety	
Age	Plans A, B, C & D	Plan E	Plans A&B	
<40	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	
40	0.0%	0.0%	6.0%	
41	0.0%	0.0%	6.0%	
42	0.0%	0.0%	23.0%	
43	0.0%	0.0%	23.0%	
44	0.0%	0.0%	23.0%	
45	0.0%	0.0%	24.0%	
46	0.0%	0.0%	24.0%	
47	0.0%	0.0%	24.0%	
48	0.0%	0.0%	24.0%	
49	0.0%	0.0%	24.0%	
50	27.0%	0.0%	23.0%	
51	9.0%	0.0%	16.0%	
52	9.0%	0.0%	17.0%	
53	9.0%	0.0%	18.0%	
54	9.0%	0.0%	22.0%	
55	10.0%	25.0%	22.0%	
56	10.0%	7.0%	22.0%	
57	10.0%	7.0%	26.0%	
58	10.0%	7.0%	29.0%	
59	12.0%	7.0%	29.0%	
60	14.0%	8.0%	35.0%	
61	16.0%	10.0%	35.0%	
62	19.0%	12.5%	35.0%	
63	20.0%	15.0%	35.0%	
64	27.0%	24.0%	35.0%	
65	33.0%	35.0%	100.0%	
66	29.0%	21.0%	100.0%	
67	30.0%	18.0%	100.0%	
68	28.0%	15.0%	100.0%	
69	28.0%	16.0%	100.0%	
70	28.0%	20.0%	100.0%	
71	29.0%	25.0%	100.0%	
72	30.0%	28.0%	100.0%	
73	31.0%	30.0%	100.0%	
74	31.0%	33.0%	100.0%	
75 or older	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	

#### **Appendix B: Summary of Program Provisions**



The following description of retiree health and death benefits is intended to be only a brief summary. For details, reference should be made to the County and LACERA agreements, and employee booklets.

All actuarial calculations are based on our understanding of the statutes governing LACERA as contained in the County Employees Retirement Law (CERL) of 1937 and the California Public Employees' Pension Reform Act of 2013 (PEPRA), with provisions adopted by the LACERA Board of Retirement, effective through July 1, 2013. The benefit and contribution provisions of this law are summarized briefly below. This summary does not attempt to cover all the detailed provisions of the law.

#### **ELIGIBILITY FOR RETIREE HEALTH AND DEATH BENEFITS**

Employees are eligible for the LACERA administered Healthcare Benefits Program if they are a member of LACERA and retire from the County of Los Angeles or Participating agencies of the County of Los Angeles. Health care benefits are also offered to qualifying survivors of deceased active employees who are eligible to retire at the time of death and to qualifying survivors of retired members. Since eligibility for retiree qualifying health and death benefits is dependent on receipt of a retirement benefit, the eligibility and other aspects of the retirement benefits are applicable for retirement health and death benefits. Participation in the Healthcare Benefits Program is for life in most instances.

New retirees have 60 days from the date of retirement, to sign up for medical and dental/vision coverage. If a retiree applies for coverage after the 60 day window, there is a waiting period of 6 months for medical enrollment and 1 year for dental/vision enrollment.

If a retiree's spouse or domestic partner is also a LACERA retiree there cannot be dual coverage. If the spouse or domestic partner is covering the retiree under medical or dental/vision, the retiree may not also enroll as a retiree in medical or dental/vision.

#### **LACERA MEMBERSHIP**

Permanent employees of Los Angeles County (County) and participating districts who work 3/4 time or more are eligible for membership in LACERA.

Employees eligible for safety membership (law enforcement, fire fighters and specific lifeguards) become safety members on the first day of the month after date of hire. Employees who become members on or after January 1, 2013, will enter into Safety Plan C.



All other employees become general members on the first day of the month after date of hire, or the first day of the month after they make an election of either Plan D or Plan E, depending on the law in effect at that time. Employees who become members on or after January 1, 2013 will enter into General Plan G.

Elective officers become members on the first day of the month after filing a declaration with the Board of Retirement.

#### **RETIREMENT PLANS**

The County has established nine defined benefit plans. The following outlines the dates these plans were available, based on a member's date of entry into LACERA:

#### Safety Member Plans:

Plan A: Inception to August 1977

Plan B: September 1977 through December 2012

Plan C: January 2013 to present

#### General Member Plans:

Plan A: Inception through August 1977

Plan B: September 1977 through September 1978

Plan C: October 1978 through May 1979

Plan D: June 1979 through December 2012 Plan E: January 1982 through December 2012

Plan G: January 2013 to present

NOTE: After review of a new member's account, a member with prior membership or reciprocity may be enrolled into one of the pre-PEPRA plans, if they meet eligibility requirements.

#### SERVICE RETIREMENT ELIGIBILITY

Plans A-D: General Members:

Age 50 with 10 years of County service;

Any age with 30 years of service; or

Age 70 regardless of service.

**Non-Contributory Plan E:** Age 55 with 10 years of service.

**Plan G:** Age 52 with 5 years of service, or age 70 regardless of service.

Plans A-B: Safety Members:

Age 50 with 10 years of County service;

Any age with 20 years of service.

Plan C: Safety Members:

Age 50 with 5 years of service.

#### **VESTING REQUIREMENT**

Plans A-D, G:

5 years of County and reciprocal service. Member contributions

must be left on deposit.

**Plan E:** 10 years of County and reciprocal service.

#### SERVICE-CONNECTED DISABILITY RETIREMENT ELIGIBILITY

**Plans A-D, G:** Any age or years of service; disability must result from

occupational injury or disease, and member must be permanently incapacitated for the performance of duty.

**Plan E:** Not available under Plan E.



#### NONSERVICE-CONNECTED DISABILITY RETIREMENT ELIGIBILITY

**Plans A-D, G:** Any age with 5 years of service and permanently

incapacitated for the performance of duty.

**Plan E:** Not available under Plan E.

#### SERVICE-CONNECTED PRE-RETIREMENT DEATH ELIGIBILITY

**Plans A-D, G:** Active members who die in service as a result of injury or

disease arising out of and in the course of employment.

Plan E: Not available under Plan E.

#### NONSERVICE-CONNECTED PRE-RETIREMENT DEATH ELIGIBILITY

Plans A-D, G: Active members who die while in service or while physically or

mentally incapacitated for the performance of duty.

Plan E: Not available under Plan E.

#### **ELIGIBLE SURVIVING DEPENDENTS**

In order for a survivor of a LACERA active member to receive health benefits, the LACERA active member has to be eligible for retirement at date of death. In order for a survivor of a retired LACERA member to be eligible to receive health benefits, the retired member needed to have had a retirement plan option which qualified as eligible for continuing retirement benefits to the survivor. If one of these requirements is met, the following survivors are eligible for health benefits:

- A surviving spouse or domestic partner
- Surviving children who are unmarried and natural or legally adopted or stepchildren. Must be under age 19 or up to age 22, if enrolled as full-time students
- A new spouse or domestic partner
- A newborn child, or legally adopted children



#### **COUNTY CONTRIBUTIONS TOWARDS RETIREE HEALTH BENEFITS**

#### Medical

If a retiree has 10 years of retirement service credit, the County contributes 40% of the health care plan premium or 40% of the benchmark plan rate (Anthem Blue Cross Plans I and II), whichever is less. For each year of retirement service credit beyond 10 years, the County contributes an additional 4% per year, up to a maximum of 100% for a member with 25 years of service credit.

The County contribution can never exceed the premium of the benchmark plan; this means that if the premium for the chosen plan and coverage option exceeds the benchmark premium, the retiree is required to pay the difference, even if the retiree has 25 years of service. Likewise, if the retiree has 25 years of service and the plan premium is less than the benchmark rate, the County contributes 100% of the plan premium only, not the benchmark plan rate.

#### **Dental / Vision**

The contribution percentages follow the same contribution proportions based on years of service as the medical plans where the benchmark plan is the indemnity plan.

#### **Disability**

Any retiree with a service connected disability retirement with less than 13 years of service will receive a different County contribution for both medical and dental / vision plans. The County contributes 50% of the lesser of the benchmark plan rate or the premium of the plan the retiree is enrolled in. If a retiree with service connected disability retirement has 13 or more years of service, the County subsidy is the same as a non-disabled retiree.

#### Firefighters Local 1014 Contributions Towards Retiree Health Benefits

#### Medical, Dental / Vision, and Disability

Contributions are the same as for the County employees.

#### **DEATH/BURIAL BENEFIT**

There is a one-time lump sum \$5,000 death benefit payable to the designated beneficiary upon the death of retirees. Actives and Vested Terminated Inactives are eligible for this benefit once they retire. Spouses and Dependents are not eligible for this death benefit upon their death. This benefit does not go through the 401(h) or any other funding vehicle; rather, is paid by LACERA and billed directly to the County on a monthly basis.



#### HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN DESCRIPTIONS ARE IN APPENDIX E, F, G and H

Appendix E

Medical Plan Descriptions:

http://www.lacera.com/healthcare/pdf/healthcare\_rates/plan\_comparison.pdf http://www.lacera.com/healthcare/pdf/healthcare\_rates/plan\_comparison\_ooa.pdf http://www.lacera.com/healthcare/pdf/healthcare\_rates/plan\_comparison\_medicare.pdf

Appendix F

Fire Fighters Local 1014 Medical Description: Selected pages from:

http://www.local1014medical.org/docs/2012spd\_v5%20%283%29.pdf

Appendix G

Dental and Vision Plan Description:

http://www.lacera.com/healthcare/pdf/healthcare rates/dental vision charts.pdf

Appendix H

Medicare Part B Reimbursement Plan Description:

http://www.lacera.com/healthcare/Medicare/medicare\_a\_b.html



Appendix B

#### **DISCUSSION OF SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

#### Coverage of Children to age 26

An extension of the dependent children age limit to 26, as a result of CA SB 1088, has been approved by the Plan Sponsor, the County of Los Angeles, retroactive to July 1, 2014. A one-time open enrollment period from April 15, 2015 to June 15, 2015 was conducted. Since this one-time open enrollment period is subsequent to this valuation cycle, this report does not include the change. We believe the addition of this provision will not have a material impact on the valuation results. For more details regarding member coverage, refer to www.lacera.com.

#### **New Benchmark Tier**

In June 2014, the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors (County) authorized a new retiree health insurance program for new County employees who are hired after June 30, 2014 and are eligible for LACERA membership. The program, titled Tier 2, offers benefits covering hospital services, medical services, and dental/vision services to County retirees and their eligible dependents. We will include the new Tier 2 benefit structure as part of the July 1, 2016 valuation. For more details regarding plan benefits, refer to www.lacera.com.

#### Appendix C: Valuation Data and Schedules



Data on LACERA's retirement benefit program membership as of June 30, 2014 was supplied to us by LACERA's Systems Division staff. Active and vested terminated data is used from the 2014 retirement benefit program valuation. Data for retired members, survivors, and dependents was provided separately for this OPEB valuation. On the following tables, we present a summary of LACERA membership at June 30, 2014 for active, vested terminated, and retired members.

Exhibit C-1: Summary of Active Members

Exhibit C-2: Summary of Vested Terminated Members

Exhibit C-3: Summary of Retired Members, Spouses, and

Dependents

Exhibit C-4: Age and Service Distribution of Active Members

Exhibit C-5: Age and Service Distribution of Vested

**Terminated Members** 

Exhibit C-6: Age and Service Distributions of Retired

Members in Medical Plans

Exhibit C-7: Age and Service Distributions of Spouses and

Dependents of Retired Members in Medical Plans

Exhibit C-8: Age and Service Distributions of Retired

Members in Dental/Vision Plans

Exhibit C-9: Age and Service Distributions of Spouses and

Dependents of Retired Members in

**Dental/Vision Plans** 

Exhibit C-10: Medical and Dental/Vision Plan Distributions of

Retired Members, Survivors, Spouses, and

Dependents Pre and Post Age 65

Exhibit C-11: Treatment of Incomplete Data

Note that Exhibits C-1 through C-9 were prepared using an "age nearest birthday" basis for calculating ages as used by our valuation system. Exhibit C-10 was prepared using an "attained age" basis to reflect when someone becomes 65.



**Exhibit C-1: Summary of Active Members** 

	Sex	Members	Annual Salary	Average Age	Average Credited Service
General	Members	s- LA County*			
Plan A	М	125	\$ 12,901,788	65.9	36.8
	F	280	21,888,396	64.0	35.8
Plan B	M	34	3,136,368	63.6	36.4
	F	90	7,491,936	60.4	33.9
Plan C	M	37	3,374,964	61.8	36.0
	F	85	6,883,284	60.6	34.5
Plan D	M	16,025	1,213,013,748	47.3	14.0
	F	31,422	2,152,383,048	46.6	14.1
Plan E	M	7,226	527,148,000	51.9	18.2
	F	14,684	893,346,060	51.5	19.3
Plan G	М	1,985	98,725,740	35.8	0.7
	F	3,770	172,568,832	35.0	0.7
Total		75,763	\$ 5,112,862,164	47.5	14.7
Safety M	lembers-	LA County*			
Plan A	M	9	\$ 1,668,036	62.0	39.9
	F	1	103,464	64.0	43.7
Plan B	М	7,551	755,506,944	42.8	16.6
	F	1,647	158,563,632	40.3	13.8
Plan C	М	212	13,979,400	30.0	0.5
	F	63	4,113,252	28.8	0.3
Total		9,483	\$ 933,934,728	42.0	15.7
Safety M	lembers-	Local 1014			
Plan A	M F	13	\$ 1,567,044	59.5	33.3
Dian D		-	-	-	- 17 1
Plan B	M	2,847	304,662,996	44.9	17.1
DI- O	F	51	5,145,192	41.8	14.2
Plan C	M	117	6,092,904	29.9	0.6
<b>-</b>	F	4	 179,880	29.0	0.3
Total		3,032	\$ 317,648,016	44.3	16.4

<sup>\*</sup> LA County does not include Safety Local 1014, Superior Court, and SCAQMD members. LA County includes General Local 1014 members because on retirement they enroll in LA County coverage.



#### Exhibit C-1 (continued): Summary of Active Members

	Sex	Members		Annual Salary	Average Age	Average Credited Service	
General l	Members	s- Superior Co	urt				
Plan A	М	11	\$	1,525,980	70.6	32.1	
	F	14		1,665,384	62.1	32.6	
Plan B	M	2		238,416	63.0	13.3	
	F	11		1,334,532	58.9	37.4	
Plan C	M			-		-	
DI D	F	8		800,580	58.3	34.2	
Plan D	М	577		53,672,268	49.3	17.7	
Plan E	F M	2,084 372		190,820,964	49.5 50.6	18.3 19.2	
FIAII L	F	976		34,504,992 81,680,100	51.5	21.4	
Plan G	M	18		1,149,996	41.5	0.3	
	F	41		2,478,540	39.5	0.3	
Total		4,114	\$	369,871,752	50.0	18.9	
General l	Members	s- SCAQMD					
Plan A	М	-	\$	-	_	-	
	F	-		-	-	-	
Plan B	M	-		-	-	-	
	F	1		58,836	57.0	36.7	
Plan C	M	-		-	-	-	
DI D	F	-		-	-	-	
Plan D	M F	-		-	-	-	
Plan E	M	-		-	-	-	
FIAII L	F	-		-	-	-	
Plan G	M	_		_	_	_	
	F	-		-	-	-	
Total		1	\$	58,836	57.0	36.7	
All Gene	ral Memb	pers					
Plan A	М	136	\$	14,427,768	66.3	36.4	
	F	294		23,553,780	63.9	35.6	
Plan B	M	36		3,374,784	63.5	35.1	
DI 0	F	102		8,885,304	60.2	34.3	
Plan C	M	37		3,374,964	61.8	36.0	
Plan D	F M	93 16 602		7,683,864	60.4 47.4	34.5 14.2	
FIAII D	F	16,602 33,506		1,266,686,016 2,343,204,012	46.8	14.4	
Plan E	M	7,598		561,652,992	51.8	18.3	
	F	15,660		975,026,160	51.5	19.4	
Plan G	M	2,003		99,875,736	35.9	0.7	
Total	F	3,811	•	175,047,372	35.0	0.7	
Total		79,878	\$	5,482,792,752	47.6	14.9	
All Safet	y Membe	ers					
Plan A	М	22	\$	3,235,080	60.5	36.0	
Plan B	F M	10 308		103,464	64.0	43.7 16.7	
ı lalı D	M F	10,398 1,698		1,060,169,940 163,708,824	43.4 40.4	16.7 13.8	
Plan C	M	329		20,072,304	30.0	0.5	
	F	67		4,293,132	28.9	0.3	
Total	-	12,515	\$	1,251,582,744	42.6	15.8	
Grand To	otal	92,393	\$	6,734,375,496	47.0	15.0	

This excludes 73 active pension members who are receiving retiree healthcare benefits.



**Exhibit C-2: Summary of Vested Terminated Members** 

	Sex	Members	Average Age
General	Members- L	.A County*	
Plan A	M	27	67.5
Plan B	F M	61 5	64.0 62.6
Plan C	F M	16 4	63.6 62.3
Plan D	F M	12 1,141	60.4 48.2
	F	2,167	46.6
Plan E	M F	1,055 2,370	55.5 55.1
Plan G	M F	1 5	28.0 40.6
Total		6,864	51.5
Safety M	embers- LA	County*	
Plan A	M	4	63.3
Plan B	F M	372	42.7
Plan C	F M	113 -	42.0 -
Total	F	489	42.7
Safety M	embers- Lo	cal 1014	
Plan A	M F	-	-
Plan B	M	36	40.3
Plan C	F M	10 -	35.3 -
Total	F	46	39.2

<sup>\*</sup> LA County Group does not include Safety Local 1014, Superior Court, and SCAQMD Members. LA County Group does include General Local 1014 members because on retirement they enroll in LA County coverage.

#### Exhibit C-2 (continued): Summary of Vested Terminated Members

General Members- Superior Court						
Plan A	М	2	62.0			
	F	9	61.9			
Plan B	M	-	-			
	F	2	59.5			
Plan C	M	-	-			
	F	1	60.0			
Plan D	M	72	47.6			
	F	243	48.6			
Plan E	M	101	52.2			
	F	240	52.8			
Plan G	M	-	-			
	F		-			
Total		670	50.8			

#### **General Members- SCAQMD**

Plan A	M	-	-
	F	-	-
Plan B	M	-	-
	F	-	-
Plan C	M	-	-
	F	-	-
Plan D	M	-	-
	F	-	-
Plan E	M	-	-
	F	-	-
Plan G	M	-	-
	F	-	-
Total			_

#### **All General Members**

Plan A	М	29	67.1
	F	70	63.8
Plan B	M	5	62.6
	F	18	63.1
Plan C	M	4	62.3
	F	13	60.4
Plan D	M	1,213	48.2
	F	2,410	46.8
Plan E	M	1,156	55.2
	F	2,610	54.9
Plan G	M	1	28.0
	F	5_	40.6
Total		7,534	51.4

#### All Safety Members

Plan A	M F	4	63.3
Plan B	M	408	42.5
Plan C	F M	123	41.5
Fiair C	F	-	-
Total		535	42.4
Grand T	otal	8,069	50.8

Retirement data includes 4,576 non-vested terminated members.

This excludes 22 vested terminated retirement members who are receiving retiree healthcare benefits.

This excludes 4 vested terminated retirement members who died before 7/1/2014.



#### Exhibit C-3: Summary of Retired Members, Spouses, and Dependents

Medical			Count			Average Age	
		Retirees and	Spouses and		Retirees and	Spouses and	
	Gender	Survivors	Dependents	Total	Survivors	Dependents	Total
LA County	М	18,899	6,580	25,479	72.1	63.2	69.8
,	F	23,221	13,536	36,757	73.4		69.8
	Total	42,120	20,116	62,236	72.8	63.4	69.8
Local 1014	M	1,401	102	1,503	69.5	22.8	66.3
	_F	234	1,284	1,518	76.7		63.8
	Total	1,635	1,386	3,021	70.5	58.7	65.1
Superior Court	M	540	439	979	73.9	66.1	70.4
	F Total	1,470 2,010	329 768	1,799 2,778	72.4 72.8	64.7	70.7 70.6
SCAOMD	M	36	_	44	01.4	62.4	70.1
SCAQMD	M F	36 24	5 23	41 47	81.4 81.2	Dependents   63.2   63.5   63.4   22.8   61.5   58.7   66.1   62.9   64.7   62.4   74.5   72.3   62.8   63.3   63.2   63.3   63.2   60.9   64.7   60.2   61.2   60.9   67.8   67.7   67.8   67.7   67.9   61.1   60.7   6	79.1 77.9
	Total	60	28	88	81.3		78.5
Total Medical	М	20,876	7,126	28,002	72.0	62.8	69.6
	F	24,949	15,172	40,121	73.4		69.6
	Total	45,825	22,298	68,123	72.7		69.6
Dental/Vision							
		Define	Count		Detiar		
	Gender	Retirees and Survivors	Spouses and Dependents	Total	Retirees and Survivors		Total
LA County	M	19,271	8,042	27,313	72.0		68.5
	F Total	23,671 42,942	14,960 23,002	38,631 65,944	73.3		68.6 68.6
	Total	42,942	23,002	03,944	12.1	00.9	00.0
Local 1014	M F	1,372	117	1,489	69.4		65.7 63.1
	Total	215 1,587	1,332 1,449	1,547 3,036	76.6 70.4		64.4
Superior Court	М	531	543	1,074	74.0	63.3	68.6
	F	1,496	378	1,874	72.3		69.5
	Total	2,027	921	2,948	72.7	61.3	69.2
SCAQMD	М	34	8	42	82.0	46.8	75.3
	F	22	24	46	81.1		77.7
	Total	56	32	88	81.6	67.7	76.6
Total Dental/Vision	М	21,208	8,710	29,918	71.9		68.4
	F Total	25,404 46,612	16,694 25,404	42,098 72,016	73.3		68.5 68.4
	Total	40,012	20,404	72,010	72.0	00.7	00.4
Death Benefit *			Count			Λυοτασο Λαο	
		-	Spouses and	<del></del>	-		
	Gender	Retirees	Dependents	Total	Retirees		Total
LA County	М	22,526	NA	22,526	71.3	NA	71.3
	F	24,033	NA	24,033	71.9	NA	71.9
	Total	46,559		46,559	71.6		71.6
Local 1014	M	1,399	NA	1,399	69.5		69.5
	F Total	1,404	NA	5 1,404	70.4 69.5	NA	70.4 69.5
0							
Superior Court	M F	703 1,725	NA NA	703 1,725	72.6 70.8		72.6 70.8
	Total	2,428	INA	2,428	71.3	INA	71.3
SCAQMD	М	37	NA	37	81.7	NA	81.7
CO IQIVID	F	6	NA NA	6	78.2		78.2
	Total	43		43	81.2		81.2
Total Death Benefit	М	24,665	NA	24,665	71.3	NA	71.3
	F	25,769	NA	25,769	71.8	NA	71.8
	Total	50 424	<del></del>	EO 424	71 -	_	74.5

<sup>\*</sup> Totals do not include 353 people that are both a Retiree and a Survivor, but have elected their Retiree Medical benefits as a Survivor.

Total



**Exhibit C-4: Age and Service Distribution of Active Members** 

	Members' Years of Service								
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35 & Above	Count
Under 18	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
18-19	1	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	1
20-24	640	7	-	-	-	_	_	-	647
25-29	3,377	1,332	11	_	-	-	-	_	4,720
30-34	3,238	5,232	757	42	-	-	_	-	9,269
35-39	2,041	4,885	3,340	963	64	-	_	-	11,293
40-44	1,375	3,442	3,611	3,123	1,091	82	_	-	12,724
45-49	982	2,494	2,689	2,847	3,390	1,756	152	-	14,310
50-54	842	1,951	2,072	1,991	2,725	3,159	1,306	122	14,168
55-59	566	1,548	1,693	1,543	1,900	2,156	1,667	1,000	12,073
60-64	290	968	1,114	1,087	1,362	1,286	946	1,471	8,524
65-69	77	444	566	506	591	468	263	451	3,366
70-74	18	85	157	163	209	125	53	104	914
75-79	1	18	39	59	58	42	20	49	286
80-84	1	10	8	13	19	10	10	27	98
85 & Over									
Total Count	13,449	22,416	16,057	12,337	11,409	9,084	4,417	3,224	92,393

This excludes 73 active retirement program members who are receiving retiree healthcare benefits.

**Exhibit C-5: Age and Service Distribution of Vested Terminated Members** 

	Members' Years of Service								
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35 & Above	Count
Under 18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
18-19	-	-	-	-	-	-	_	-	-
20-24	2	-	-	-	-	-	_	-	2
25-29	31	47	1	-	-	-	_	-	79
30-34	96	205	36	-	-	-	-	-	337
35-39	213	383	125	19	-	-	-	-	740
40-44	197	518	303	75	19	-	-	-	1,112
45-49	159	448	594	223	91	19	1	-	1,535
50-54	131	297	579	259	145	65	17	1	1,494
55-59	79	233	478	180	101	65	17	6	1,159
60-64	76	183	471	182	84	61	53	60	1,170
65-69	21	77	153	66	23	5	2	3	350
70-74	8	8	31	17	4	2	-	-	70
75-79	5	4	4	2	-	2	1	-	18
80-84	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
85 & Over		2							2
Total Count	1,019	2,405	2,775	1,023	467	219	91	70	8,069

Retirement program data includes 4,576 non vested terminated members.

This table excludes 22 vested terminated retirement members who are receiving retiree healthcare benefits.

This table excludes 4 vested terminated retirement members who died before 7/1/2014.

#### Exhibit C-6: Age and Service Distributions of Retired Members in Medical Plans

LA County
Retirees and Survivors with Medical Coverage

	Retirees' Years of Service									
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count	
Under 35	-	-	-	3	2	1	2	8	16	
35-39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	15	
40-44	-	-	2	-	1	-	1	51	55	
45-49	-	-	2	5	13	4	3	174	201	
50-54	-	-	17	16	40	83	50	336	542	
55-59	-	-	55	73	153	487	596	561	1,925	
60-64	2	4	145	174	340	898	2,314	856	4,733	
65-69	3	14	332	495	697	1,599	4,504	1,449	9,093	
70-74	2	23	457	601	795	1,801	3,647	1,383	8,709	
75-79	6	15	354	522	696	1,615	2,310	1,031	6,549	
80-84	6	23	309	489	705	1,215	1,425	740	4,912	
85-89	2	24	264	412	501	735	912	450	3,300	
90-94	1	6	203	242	207	301	493	163	1,616	
95-99	2	1	62	63	72	74	95	37	406	
100 & Over		<u> </u>	6	8	13	7	10	4	48	
Total Count	24	110	2,208	3,103	4,235	8,820	16,362	7,258	42,120	

Local 1014
Retirees and Survivors with Medical Coverage

Retirees' Years of Service								Total	
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count
Under 35	-	-	-	-	-	-	_	1	1
35-39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
40-44	-	-	-	-	-	-	_	1	1
45-49	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	5	6
50-54	-	-	-	1	1	4	2	9	17
55-59	-	-	1	1	2	32	70	120	226
60-64	-	-	-	-	2	29	52	176	259
65-69	-	-	1	_	2	13	44	225	285
70-74	-	-	-	-	-	8	34	246	288
75-79	-	-	-	_	3	10	16	152	181
80-84	-	-	-	-	2	18	30	159	209
85-89	-	-	-	1	3	19	27	70	120
90-94	-	-	1	-	-	4	14	16	35
95-99	-	-	-	_	-	3	1	2	6
100 & Over									
Total Count	-	-	3	3	15	141	290	1,183	1,635

#### Exhibit C-6 (continued): Age and Service Distributions of Retired Members in Medical Plans

Superior Court Retirees and Survivors with Medical Coverage

	Retirees' Years of Service										
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count		
Under 35	-	-	_	-	2	-	_	_	2		
35-39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1		
40-44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1		
45-49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2		
50-54	-	-	3	3	7	5	2	7	27		
55-59	-	3	6	8	13	25	31	22	108		
60-64	-	1	10	12	25	45	123	33	249		
65-69	1	1	18	35	53	90	206	41	445		
70-74	3	3	28	33	46	89	150	35	387		
75-79	-	4	15	28	43	68	93	28	279		
80-84	-	2	22	27	39	52	59	18	219		
85-89	-	-	11	23	20	33	62	12	161		
90-94	-	2	12	14	14	20	31	6	99		
95-99	-	1	3	4	3	5	9	1	26		
100 & Over	<u> </u>	<u>-</u>	<u> </u>	2	1_		1		4		
Total Count	4	17	128	189	266	432	767	207	2,010		

#### SCAQMD Retirees and Survivors with Medical Coverage

	Retirees' Years of Service										
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count		
Under 35	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	-		
35-39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
40-44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
45-49	-	-	-	-	_	-	_	-	_		
50-54	-	-	-	-	-	-	_	-	-		
55-59	-	-	-	-	_	-	_	-	-		
60-64	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1		
65-69	2	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	6		
70-74	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	4		
75-79	-	-	-	-	1	2	7	1	11		
80-84	-	-	2	2	3	1	6	1	15		
85-89	-	-	3	2	3	4	2	-	14		
90-94	-	-	3	2	2	1	-	-	8		
95-99	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1		
100 & Over	<u> </u>	_									
Total Count	2	1	8	6	9	9	21	4	60		

#### Exhibit C-6 (continued): Age and Service Distributions of Retired Members in Medical Plans

All Members
Retirees and Survivors with Medical Coverage

	Retirees' Years of Service										
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count		
Under 35	-	-	-	3	4	1	2	9	19		
35-39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	17		
40-44	-	-	2	-	1	-	1	53	57		
45-49	-	-	2	5	13	5	3	181	209		
50-54	-	-	20	20	48	92	54	352	586		
55-59	-	3	62	82	168	544	697	703	2,259		
60-64	2	5	155	186	367	972	2,490	1,065	5,242		
65-69	6	16	351	530	752	1,703	4,755	1,716	9,829		
70-74	5	26	485	634	841	1,898	3,834	1,665	9,388		
75-79	6	19	369	550	743	1,695	2,426	1,212	7,020		
80-84	6	25	333	518	749	1,286	1,520	918	5,355		
85-89	2	24	278	438	527	791	1,003	532	3,595		
90-94	1	8	219	258	223	326	538	185	1,758		
95-99	2	2	65	67	75	82	106	40	439		
100 & Over	<del>-</del> -		6_	10_	14	7	11_	4	52		
Total Count	30	128	2,347	3,301	4,525	9,402	17,440	8,652	45,825		

Exhibit C-7: Age and Service Distributions of Spouses and Dependents of Retired Members in Medical Plans

LA County Spouses and Dependents with Medical Coverage

	Retirees' Years of Service											
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count			
Under 35	1	1	39	58	114	353	667	585	1,818			
35-39	-	-	-	1	5	15	22	27	70			
40-44	-	-	7	3	12	22	47	66	157			
45-49	-	-	9	13	26	73	112	142	375			
50-54	-	-	14	18	42	198	332	280	884			
55-59	1	3	27	45	109	441	729	427	1,782			
60-64	-	5	69	86	190	619	1,529	588	3,086			
65-69	2	6	132	207	328	718	1,962	745	4,100			
70-74	2	9	139	231	322	710	1,472	556	3,441			
75-79	1	8	116	174	258	579	800	319	2,255			
80-84	1	7	57	108	158	348	449	162	1,290			
85-89	-	2	36	78	89	155	208	59	627			
90-94	1	1	20	32	27	39	63	13	196			
95-99	-	-	6	7	3	8	3	2	29			
100 & Over	<u> </u>				2	2	2		6			
Total Count	9	42	671	1,061	1,685	4,280	8,397	3,971	20,116			

Local 1014 Spouses and Dependents with Medical Coverage

	Retirees' Years of Service										
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count		
Under 35	-	-	-	-	1	23	46	108	178		
35-39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
40-44	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	5		
45-49	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	7	9		
50-54	-	-	-	1	3	27	62	78	171		
55-59	-	-	1	-	-	23	41	158	223		
60-64	-	-	1	-	2	8	33	166	210		
65-69	-	-	-	-	-	9	34	200	243		
70-74	-	-	-	-	3	11	9	117	140		
75-79	-	-	-	-	1	8	13	104	126		
80-84	-	-	-	1	2	15	9	39	66		
85-89	-	-	-	-	-	2	8	3	13		
90-94	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2		
95-99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
100 & Over											
Total Count	-	-	2	2	12	128	257	985	1,386		

## Exhibit C-7 (continued): Age and Service Distributions of Spouses and Dependents of Retired Members in Medical Plans

Superior Court Spouses and Dependents with Medical Coverage

	Retirees' Years of Service										
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count		
Under 35	-	2	3	5	8	12	25	16	71		
35-39	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	1	4		
40-44	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	1	4		
45-49	-	-	-	1	1	1	2	1	6		
50-54	-	-	2	2	2	4	8	1	19		
55-59	-	1	2	2	9	13	17	7	51		
60-64	-	-	3	6	11	42	52	11	125		
65-69	1	2	8	9	19	42	73	16	170		
70-74	-	3	9	7	22	32	47	9	129		
75-79	-	-	6	4	12	21	33	4	80		
80-84	-	-	6	8	6	14	20	5	59		
85-89	-	-	5	4	8	5	13	-	35		
90-94	-	-	2	3	4	2	2	-	13		
95-99	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2		
100 & Over	<u> </u>										
Total Count	1	8	47	53	103	190	294	72	768		

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Spouses and Dependents with Medical Coverage

	Retirees' Years of Service										
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count		
Under 35	-	-	-	-	-	-	_	1	1		
35-39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
40-44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
45-49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1		
50-54	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
55-59	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1		
60-64	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1		
65-69	1	-	-	1	-	-	2	1	5		
70-74	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	1	5		
75-79	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	1	5		
80-84	-	-	2	1	-	1	2	-	6		
85-89	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	2		
90-94	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1		
95-99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
100 & Over	<u> </u>	<u>-</u>									
Total Count	1	1	4	2	1	4	10	5	28		

## Exhibit C-7 (continued): Age and Service Distributions of Spouses and Dependents of Retired Members in Medical Plans

All Members
Spouses and Dependents with Medical Coverage

	Retirees' Years of Service										
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count		
Under 35	1	3	42	63	123	388	738	710	2,068		
35-39	-	-	1	1	5	15	24	28	74		
40-44	-	-	7	4	12	25	47	71	166		
45-49	-	-	9	14	27	75	115	151	391		
50-54	-	-	16	21	47	229	402	359	1,074		
55-59	1	4	30	47	118	477	788	592	2,057		
60-64	-	6	73	92	203	669	1,614	765	3,422		
65-69	4	8	140	217	347	769	2,071	962	4,518		
70-74	2	12	149	238	347	753	1,531	683	3,715		
75-79	1	8	122	178	272	611	846	428	2,466		
80-84	1	7	65	118	166	378	480	206	1,421		
85-89	-	2	42	82	97	162	230	62	677		
90-94	1	1	22	35	31	41	67	14	212		
95-99	-	-	6	8	4	8	3	2	31		
100 & Over	-				2	2	2		6		
Total Count	11	51	724	1,118	1,801	4,602	8,958	5,033	22,298		

#### Exhibit C-8: Age and Service Distributions of Retired Members in Dental/Vision Plans

LA County
Retirees and Survivors with Dental/Vision Coverage

	Retirees' Years of Service										
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count		
Under 35	-	-	-	3	2	1	2	10	18		
35-39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	22		
40-44	-	-	2	-	1	-	1	66	70		
45-49	-	-	2	5	15	4	2	205	233		
50-54	-	1	26	23	42	81	50	379	602		
55-59	-	1	71	89	165	487	594	620	2,027		
60-64	4	14	168	203	348	899	2,301	901	4,838		
65-69	5	23	374	526	735	1,606	4,512	1,533	9,314		
70-74	6	31	469	624	823	1,805	3,661	1,431	8,850		
75-79	6	26	337	542	714	1,619	2,319	1,047	6,610		
80-84	7	25	325	500	707	1,224	1,434	748	4,970		
85-89	5	21	277	413	518	741	921	437	3,333		
90-94	2	10	212	236	212	303	492	162	1,629		
95-99	-	-	58	52	74	71	96	36	387		
100 & Over	<u> </u>		3	7	10_	6	10	3	39		
Total Count	35	152	2,324	3,223	4,366	8,847	16,395	7,600	42,942		

Local 1014
Retirees and Survivors with Dental/Vision Coverage

	Retirees' Years of Service										
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count		
Under 35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
35-39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1		
40-44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1		
45-49	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	5		
50-54	-	-	-	1	1	4	2	8	16		
55-59	-	-	1	1	2	31	68	119	222		
60-64	-	-	-	-	2	29	50	172	253		
65-69	-	-	1	-	3	12	44	224	284		
70-74	-	-	-	-	-	8	33	243	284		
75-79	-	-	-	-	3	9	16	147	175		
80-84	-	-	-	-	2	18	29	152	201		
85-89	-	-	-	-	1	19	25	64	109		
90-94	-	-	-	-	-	3	14	13	30		
95-99	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	2	6		
100 & Over			<u>-</u> _		<u> </u>						
Total Count	-	-	2	2	14	137	282	1,150	1,587		

#### Exhibit C-8 (continued): Age and Service Distributions of Retired Members in Dental/Vision Plans

Superior Court Retirees and Survivors with Dental/Vision Coverage

	Retirees' Years of Service										
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count		
Under 35	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2		
35-39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1		
40-44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1		
45-49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2		
50-54	-	-	3	2	7	5	2	11	30		
55-59	-	4	7	8	12	26	28	22	107		
60-64	-	-	12	12	25	47	120	36	252		
65-69	1	-	27	40	52	91	204	43	458		
70-74	2	2	26	34	47	90	151	34	386		
75-79	-	4	18	26	38	70	93	29	278		
80-84	-	4	24	24	36	52	58	19	217		
85-89	-	2	15	25	20	33	63	10	168		
90-94	-	1	13	14	13	20	31	6	98		
95-99	-	-	2	4	3	5	9	1	24		
100 & Over	<del></del>			1	1		1		3		
Total Count	3	17	147	190	256	439	760	215	2,027		

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Retirees and Survivors with Dental/Vision Coverage

Retirees' Years of Service									
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count
Under 35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35-39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
40-44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45-49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50-54	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
55-59	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
60-64	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
65-69	1	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	5
70-74	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	4
75-79	-	-	-	-	1	2	7	1	11
80-84	-	-	1	1	2	1	6	1	12
85-89	-	-	2	2	3	4	2	-	13
90-94	-	-	3	3	2	1	-	-	9
95-99	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
100 & Over	<u> </u>								
Total Count	1	1	6	6	8	9	21	4	56

#### Exhibit C-8 (continued): Age and Service Distributions of Retired Members in Dental/Vision Plans

All Members
Retirees and Survivors with Dental/Vision Coverage

Retirees' Years of Service							Total		
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count
Under 35	-	-	-	3	4	1	2	10	20
35-39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	24
40-44	-	-	2	-	1	-	1	68	72
45-49	-	-	2	5	15	5	2	211	240
50-54	-	1	29	26	50	90	54	398	648
55-59	-	5	79	98	179	544	690	761	2,356
60-64	4	14	180	215	375	975	2,472	1,109	5,344
65-69	7	24	402	566	790	1,710	4,761	1,801	10,061
70-74	8	33	495	658	870	1,903	3,848	1,709	9,524
75-79	6	30	355	568	756	1,700	2,435	1,224	7,074
80-84	7	29	350	525	747	1,295	1,527	920	5,400
85-89	5	23	294	440	542	797	1,011	511	3,623
90-94	2	11	228	253	227	327	537	181	1,766
95-99	-	-	60	56	77	79	107	39	418
100 & Over	<u> </u>		3	8	11_	6	11	3	42
Total Count	39	170	2,479	3,421	4,644	9,432	17,458	8,969	46,612

#### Exhibit C-9: Age and Service Distributions of Spouses and Dependents of Retired Members in Dental/Vision Plans

LA County

Spouses and Dependents with Dental/Vision Coverage

Retirees' Years of Service								Total	
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count
Under 35	4	6	126	148	244	619	1,208	949	3,304
35-39	-	2	2	4	6	25	33	44	116
40-44	-	-	8	5	16	26	57	83	195
45-49	-	-	11	13	31	80	119	175	429
50-54	-	1	18	28	47	200	335	319	948
55-59	2	4	31	54	123	442	738	452	1,846
60-64	1	4	79	108	210	633	1,536	657	3,228
65-69	3	11	164	232	352	767	2,047	807	4,383
70-74	-	4	151	249	361	756	1,573	583	3,677
75-79	1	7	123	199	294	635	850	347	2,456
80-84	3	7	70	135	180	376	491	184	1,446
85-89	1	3	41	88	106	170	230	64	703
90-94	-	2	23	36	36	42	75	14	228
95-99	-	1	6	7	6	11	5	1	37
100 & Over	<u> </u>			_	2	2	2		6
Total Count	15	52	853	1,306	2,014	4,784	9,299	4,679	23,002

Local 1014
Spouses and Dependents with Dental/Vision Coverage

Retirees' Years of Service							Total		
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count
Under 35	-	-	-	-	2	31	50	155	238
35-39	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	5
40-44	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	11	13
45-49	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	12	18
50-54	-	-	1	-	1	14	37	53	106
55-59	-	-	1	-	1	25	46	131	204
60-64	-	-	-	-	2	14	38	184	238
65-69	-	-	-	-	-	7	29	192	228
70-74	-	-	-	-	3	14	13	135	165
75-79	-	-	-	-	1	6	18	106	131
80-84	-	-	-	-	1	16	13	48	78
85-89	-	-	-	-	-	3	7	10	20
90-94	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	4
95-99	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
100 & Over									
Total Count	-	-	2	1	11	135	259	1,041	1,449

## Exhibit C-9 (continued): Age and Service Distributions of Spouses and Dependents of Retired Members in Dental/Vision Plans

Superior Court Spouses and Dependents with Dental/Vision Coverage

Retirees' Years of Service							Total		
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count
Under 35	1	2	6	8	16	28	55	32	148
35-39	-	-	1	-	1	-	2	2	6
40-44	-	-	-	1	1	4	1	1	8
45-49	-	-	-	1	1	2	2	2	8
50-54	1	-	2	-	2	4	8	3	20
55-59	-	1	2	2	13	14	17	8	57
60-64	-	-	4	7	12	43	51	11	128
65-69	-	2	14	13	21	45	76	19	190
70-74	-	-	9	10	23	33	54	12	141
75-79	-	1	10	7	12	22	34	6	92
80-84	-	-	8	9	7	14	23	7	68
85-89	-	-	5	4	8	4	12	-	33
90-94	-	-	3	5	5	4	2	-	19
95-99	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	3
100 & Over	<u> </u>								
Total Count	2	6	64	68	124	217	337	103	921

#### SCAQMD Spouses and Dependents with Dental/Vision Coverage

Retirees' Years of Service							Total		
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count
Under 35	-	_	1	-	-	-	1	1	3
35-39	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
40-44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45-49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
50-54	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
55-59	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
60-64	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
65-69	1	-	-	1	-	-	2	1	5
70-74	-	-	_	_	_	-	4	1	5
75-79	-	-	-	-	2	3	-	1	6
80-84	-	-	2	1	_	1	2	-	6
85-89	-	-	1	_	_	_	1	_	2
90-94	-	-	_	_	_	_	1	_	1
95-99	-	-	_	_	_	_	-	_	-
100 & Over			_						
Total Count	1	2	4	2	2	4	12	5	32

## Exhibit C-9 (continued): Age and Service Distributions of Spouses and Dependents of Retired Members in Dental/Vision Plans

All Members
Spouses and Dependents with Dental/Vision Coverage

Retirees' Years of Service								Total	
Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30 & Above	Disableds	Count
Under 35	5	8	133	156	262	678	1,314	1,137	3,693
35-39	-	3	3	4	7	25	37	49	128
40-44	-	-	8	7	17	31	58	95	216
45-49	-	-	11	14	32	85	124	190	456
50-54	1	1	21	28	50	218	380	375	1,074
55-59	2	5	34	56	137	481	802	591	2,108
60-64	1	5	83	115	224	690	1,625	852	3,595
65-69	4	13	178	246	373	819	2,154	1,019	4,806
70-74	-	4	160	259	387	803	1,644	731	3,988
75-79	1	8	133	206	309	666	902	460	2,685
80-84	3	7	80	145	188	407	529	239	1,598
85-89	1	3	47	92	114	177	250	74	758
90-94	-	2	26	41	41	47	80	15	252
95-99	-	1	6	8	8	11	6	1	41
100 & Over	<del></del> .				2	2	2		6
Total Count	18	60	923	1,377	2,151	5,140	9,907	5,828	25,404

Exhibit C-10: Medical and Dental/Vision Plan Distributions of Retired Members, Survivors, Spouses, and Dependents Pre and Post Age 65

		Retirees and Survivors Spouses and Dependents		ndents	Total					
		Pre 65	Post 65	Total	Pre 65	Post 65	Total	Pre 65	Post 65	Total
Medical Plan	1 <u>S</u>	11000	1 031 03	<u> Total</u>	11000	1 031 03	Total	11000	1 031 03	Total
Anthem	Blue Cross I	231	1,390	1,621	220	325	545	451	1,715	2,166
	Blue Cross II	1,995	2,674	4,669	1,944	965	2,909	3,939	3,639	7,578
	Blue Cross III	256	10,250	10,506	937	3,796	4,733	1,193	14,046	15,239
	Blue Cross Prudent Buyer Plan	490	1,054	1,544	477	300	777	967	1,354	2,321
	Medicare Select Plus Rx (AZ) Network Model Plan	2 181	42 566	44 747	11 176	16 154	27 330	13 357	58 720	71 1,077
Kaiser (		62	302	364	51	94	145	113	396	509
Kaiser (		4,361	16,725	21,086	4,125	5,514	9,639	8,486	22,239	30,725
	Healthcare	1,046	2,186	3,232	943	771	1,714	1,989	2,957	4,946
	Health Plan	1	376	377	2	91	93	3	467	470
Firefigh	ters' Local 1014	528	1,107	1,635	822	564	1,386	1,350	1,671	3,021
Total Medica	ıl	9,153	36,672	45,825	9,708	12,590	22,298	18,861	49,262	68,123
Medicare Pa	rt B Coverage									
LA Cou										
	Receiving Reimbursement	294	26,374	26,668	114	8,502	8,616	408	34,876	35,284
	Not Receiving Reimbursement	7,894	7,558	15,452	8,471	3,029	11,500	16,365	10,587	26,952
<u>Total</u>		8,188	33,932	42,120	8,585	11,531	20,116	16,773	45,463	62,236
<u>Firefigh</u>	ters' Local 1014									
	Receiving Reimbursement	24	1,082	1,106	83	479	562	107	1,561	1,668
	Not Receiving Reimbursement	504	25	529	739	85	824	1,243	110	1,353
Total		528	1,107	1,635	822	564	1,386	1,350	1,671	3,021
Superio	or Court									
	Receiving Reimbursement	17	1,216	1,233	3	354	357	20	1,570	1,590
	Not Receiving Reimbursement	419	358	777	292	119	411	711	477	1,188
Total		436	1,574	2,010	295	473	768	731	2,047	2,778
SCAQN	4D									
SCAQII	Receiving Reimbursement	_	44	44	1	15	16	1	59	60
	Not Receiving Reimbursement	1	15	16	5	7	12	6	22	28
Total		1	59	60	6	22	28	7	81	88
All Men	ah ara									
All Mell	Receiving Reimbursement	335	28,716	29,051	201	9,350	9,551	536	38,066	38,602
	Not Receiving Reimbursement	8,818	7,956	16,774	9,507	3,240	12,747	18,325	11,196	29,521
Grand 7	Total Medicare Part B	9,153	36,672	45,825	9,708	12,590	22,298	18,861	49,262	68,123
Dental/Vision	n Plans									
LA Cou										
	Cigna Indemnity Dental/Vision	6,493	31,506	37,999	8,671	11,862	20,533	15,164	43,368	58,532
	Cigna Dental HMO/Vision	1,317	3,626	4,943	1,395	1,074	2,469	2,712	4,700	7,412
Total		7,810	35,132	42,942	10,066	12,936	23,002	17,876	48,068	65,944
Firefigh	ters' Local 1014									
	Cigna Indemnity Dental/Vision	482	1,063	1,545	793	611	1,404	1,275	1,674	2,949
	Cigna Dental HMO/Vision	16	26	42	29	16	45	45	42	87
Total		498	1,089	1,587	822	627	1,449	1,320	1,716	3,036
Superio	or Court									
очроно	Cigna Indemnity Dental/Vision	325	1.478	1,803	332	492	824	657	1,970	2,627
	Cigna Dental HMO/Vision	70	154	224	43	54	97	113	208	321
Total	· ·	395	1,632	2,027	375	546	921	770	2,178	2,948
00404	AD.									
SCAQN	Cigna Indemnity Dental/Vision	1	53	54	6	25	31	7	78	85
	Cigna Dental HMO/Vision	- '	2	2	1	-	1	1	2	3
Total	2.ga 20.1ta. 1.110/ VIOIOII	1	55	56	7	25	32	8	80	88
All Men	nhore									
All Well	Cigna Indemnity Dental/Vision	7,301	34,100	41,401	9,802	12,990	22,792	17,103	47,090	64,193
	Cigna Dental HMO/Vision	1,403	3,808	5,211	1,468	1,144	2,612	2,871	4,952	7,823
Grand 7	Total Dental/Vision	8,704	37,908	46,612	11,270	14,134	25,404	19,974	52,042	72,016

# Exhibit C-10 (continued): Medical and Dental/Vision Plan Distributions of Retired Members, Survivors, Spouses, and Dependents Pre and Post Age 65

	Retirees			Spouses			Total		
Death Benefit *	<u>Pre 65</u>	Post 65	Total	Pre 65	Post 65	Total	Pre 65	Post 65	Total
LA County	10,647	35,912	46,559	NA	NA	NA	10,647	35,912	46,559
Firefighters' Local 1014	497	907	1,404	NA	NA	NA	497	907	1,404
Superior Court	636	1,792	2,428	NA	NA	NA	636	1,792	2,428
SCAQMD	1	42	43	NA	NA	NA	1	42	43
Grand Total Death Benefit	11,781	38,653	50,434	NA	NA	NA	11,781	38,653	50,434

<sup>\*</sup> Totals do not include 353 people that are both a Retiree and a Survivor, but have elected their Retiree Medical benefits as a Survivor.

#### **Exhibit C-11: Treatment of Incomplete Data**

ID	Size	Situation	Assumption and Resolution
1	6 medical 0 dental	Retirees had a spouse or child on the record with a Date of Birth (DOB), but dependent type was not "S" (spouse) or "C" (child).	If dependent DOB was more than 20 years after the retiree's Date of Birth, assigned the dependent as a child. Otherwise, the dependent was designated as a spouse.
2	0 medical 2 dental	Dependent with Dependent Type "S" had DOB as blank or later than 7/1/1992.	These spouses were given a DOB according to the marriage age difference assumption used in this valuation.
3	0 medical 14 dental	Dependents did not have a valid Gender.	All spouses were assigned gender opposite that of the original member. Half of the children were designated as males and half as females.
4	75 medical 74 dental 21 life-only	Retirees have Group IND of "O" (Outside District).	Changed indicator to "N" (General). These are members from outside districts who will have postemployment benefits from LA County.
5	261 medical N/A dental	There were no children listed in Retiree and Family or Retiree and Children deduction codes.	To be consistent with the tier, children were added. Children were designated as 18 years old since the average age of LACERA children under 24 is 18; half were listed as male and half as female. Children were not added for Kaiser plans, based on previous discussions with LACERA.
6	1,522 medical 887 dental	There was no spouse listed in Retiree and Spouse, Retiree & Family, or Retiree +1 deduction codes.	To be consistent with the tier, spouses were added. Even in the Retiree+1 case, a spouse was added rather than a child as this is a more conservative addition. Spouses were given a gender opposite of the retiree and DOB was determined according to the marriage age difference assumption used in this valuation.
7	256 medical 175 dental	Tier is Retiree Only, but a dependent was listed.	Dependents were deleted from the data.
8	162 medical 161 dental	Members were deceased before 7/1/2014.	Removed records from the data.

#### **Appendix D: Glossary**



The following definitions are excerpts from other actuarial organizations in the United States. In some cases, the definitions have been modified for specific applicability to LACERA. Defined terms are capitalized throughout this Appendix.

## Actuarial Accrued Liability

That portion, as determined by a particular Actuarial Cost Method, of the Actuarial Present Value of postemployment plan benefits and expenses which is not provided for by future Normal Costs.

## Actuarial Assumptions

Assumptions as to the occurrence of future events affecting OPEB costs, such as: mortality, withdrawal, disablement, retirement; changes in medical costs; and other relevant items.

#### Actuarial Cost Method

A procedure for determining the Actuarial Present Value of OPEB program benefits and expenses and for developing an actuarially equivalent allocation of such value to time periods, usually in the form of a Normal Cost and an Actuarial Accrued Liability.

#### **Actuarial Gain (Loss)**

A measure of the difference between actual experience and that expected based on a set of Actuarial Assumptions during the period between two Actuarial Valuation dates, as determined in accordance with a particular Actuarial Cost Method.

## Actuarial Present Value

The value of an amount or series of amounts payable or receivable at various times, determined as of a given date by the application of a particular set of Actuarial Assumptions.

#### **Actuarial Valuation**

The determination, as of a valuation date, of the Normal Cost, Actuarial Accrued Liability, Actuarial Value of Assets, and related Actuarial Present Values for an OPEB plan.

## Actuarial Value of Assets

The value of cash, investments and other property belonging to an OPEB plan, as used by the actuary for the purpose of an Actuarial Valuation.

## Amortization Payment

That portion of the ARC that is designed to recognize interest on and to amortize the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability.



## Annual Required Contributions ("ARC")

This is the employer's periodic required contribution to a defined benefit OPEB plan, calculated in accordance with the set of requirements for calculating actuarially determined OPEB information included in financial reports.

#### **Attribution Period**

The period of an employee's service to which the expected postretirement benefit obligation for that employee is assigned. The beginning of the attribution period is the employee's date of hire. The end of the attribution period is the time of assumed exit from OPEB active member status.

#### **Benefit Payments**

The monetary or in-kind benefits or benefit coverage to which participants may be entitled under a post employment benefit plan, including health care benefits and life insurance not provided through a retirement program.

#### **GASB 43**

The statement that establishes financial reporting standards for postemployment benefit <u>plans</u> other than retirement programs.

#### **GASB 45**

The statement that establishes financial reporting standards for <u>employers</u> that sponsor postemployment benefits other than retirement programs.

#### **Net OPEB Obligation**

This is the cumulative difference since the effective date of this statement between annual OPEB cost and the employer's contributions to the plan, including the OPEB liability (asset) at transition, if any, and excluding (a) short-term differences and (b) unpaid contributions that have been converted to OPEB related debt.

#### **Normal Cost**

That portion of the Actuarial Present Value of OPEB plan benefits and expenses which is allocated to a valuation year by the Actuarial Cost Method.

#### Other Postemployment Benefits ("OPEB")

This refers to postemployment benefits other than retirement program benefits, including healthcare benefits regardless of the type of plan that provides them, and all other postemployment benefits provided separately from a retirement program, excluding benefits defined as termination benefits or offers.



#### Present Value of Future Benefits

This is the value, as of the applicable date, of future payments for benefits and expenses under the Plan, where each payment is:

- (a) Multiplied by the probability of the event occurring on which the payment is conditioned, such as the probability of survival, death, disability, termination of employment, etc.; and
- (b) Discounted at the assumed discount rate.

#### **Projected Benefits**

Those OPEB plan benefit amounts which are expected to be paid at various future times under a particular set of Actuarial Assumptions, taking into account such items as the effect of advancement in age and past and anticipated future compensation and service credits.

#### **Substantive Plan**

The terms of the OPEB plan as understood by an employer that provides postretirement benefits and the employees who render services in exchange for those benefits. The substantive plan is the basis for the accounting for the plan.

#### **Trend Rate**

The rate of increase in per person health costs paid by a plan as a result of factors such as price increases, utilization of healthcare services, plan design, and technological developments.

## Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability

The excess of the Actuarial Accrued Liability over the Actuarial Value of Assets.



#### **Appendix E: Medical Plan Comparisons**

Comparisons are from the following areas of the LACERA website:

http://www.lacera.com/healthcare/pdf/healthcare\_rates/plan\_comparison.pdf

http://www.lacera.com/healthcare/pdf/healthcare\_rates/plan\_comparison\_ooa.pdf

http://www.lacera.com/healthcare/pdf/healthcare rates/plan comparison medicare.pdf

# COMPARISON OF MEDICAL PLANS

2014

Effective July 1, 2014

### **Indemnity Medical Plans**

- Anthem Blue Cross I
- Anthem Blue Cross II
- Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer Plan

## **Health Maintenance Organizations (HMOs)**

- Cigna Network Model Plan (Arizona and California only)
- Kaiser Permanente (California only)
- UnitedHealthcare

This chart represents a summary of benefits only. Additional benefit information is provided by each insurance carrier. This chart does not replace or modify the official documents that legally govern each plan's operation.

The benefits offered by all LACERA-administered health plans change when an enrolled member permanently moves outside the provider network area. Moving to a location outside the coverage area can impact your plan's rates and coverage levels.

ATTACHMENT

		ATTACHMENT I
	Indemnity Insurance Plans	
	Anthem Blue Cross I	Anthony Blue Cross II
Calandar Vacu Badratibles/Canaumants		Anthem Blue Cross II \$500 – individual; \$1,500 – family
Calendar Year Deductibles/Copayments	\$100 – individual; \$100 – family  N/A	\$2,500, including deductible (Does not include
Annual Maximum Out-of-Pocket Expenses (for most services)		amounts over allowable charges)
Lifetime Maximum Benefits	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000
Hospital Benefits	. 1 taro	000/ (
Room and Board	\$75 per day maximum <sup>1</sup> ; \$150 per day maximum special care unit <sup>1</sup>	90% for PPO hospital <sup>2</sup> ; 80% non-PPO for semi-private room; special care unit up to 2.5 times semi-private room rate
Surgical Services	80%1	80%
Hospital Services and Supplies	100%1	90% PPO hospital <sup>2</sup> ; 80% non-PPO hospital
Hospital Admission Authorization Requirements	Preadmission authorization required in advance (on first business day following emergency admission) unless covered by Medicare Part A. \$200 deductible for unauthorized hospital admission or late notice	Preadmission authorization required in advance (on first business day following emergency admission) unless covered by Medicare Part A. \$200 deductible for unauthorized hospital admission or late notice
Nursing Benefits		
Skilled Nursing Facility Care	70% (in-network) or 50% (out-of-network) up to \$150 per day for up to 100 days per calendar year <sup>1</sup>	70% (in-network) or 50% (out-of-network) up to 100 days per calendar year <sup>1</sup>
Private Duty Nurses	80% in accordance with requirements	80% in accordance with requirements
Home Healthcare	100% in accordance with requirements <sup>1</sup>	100% in accordance with requirements <sup>1</sup>
Hospice Care	100% up to plan limitations, in accordance with requirements <sup>1</sup>	100% in accordance with requirements <sup>1</sup>
Emergency Benefits		
Inpatient	\$75 per day <sup>1</sup> maximum; \$150 per day maximum special care unit <sup>1</sup>	90% PPO hospital <sup>2</sup> ; 80% non-PPO hospital
Outpatient	100% at a hospital only <sup>1</sup>	80%
Ambulance	80% for transportation to first hospital where care is given	80% for transportation to first hospital where care is given
Outpatient Benefits		
Doctor's Office Visits	80%	80%
Preadmission X-Ray and Lab Tests	100%1	100%1
Routine Checkups, CA only  —Adult  —Children Under 17	\$25 copay; covered in-network only; maximum of \$250 \$25 copay in-network; 80% out-of-network	\$25 copay; covered in-network only; maximum of \$250 \$25 copay in-network; 80% out-of-network
Immunizations	Not covered except for children under age 17	Not covered except for children under age 17
Outpatient Surgical Services	100%1	100% <sup>1</sup> (80% hospital facility fees)
Physical Therapy	80% in accordance with requirements	80% in accordance with requirements
Speech Therapy	80% in accordance with requirements	80% in accordance with requirements
Maternity	80% in accordance with requirements	80% in accordance with requirements
Prescription Drug Benefits	Retail: 80% in-network; 60% out-of-network	Datail 200/ in maturaly C00/ and of maturals
Prescription Drugs	Mail order: \$10 generic/\$30 brand/\$50 non-preferred brand/ \$150 specialty copay for 90-day supply (Copay prorated for less than 90-day supply)	Retail: 80% in-network; 60% out-of-network Mail order: \$10 generic/\$30 brand/\$50 non-preferred brand/ \$150 specialty copay for 90-day supply (Copay prorated for less than 90-day supply)
Mental Health and Substance Abuse Benefi		
Inpatient	\$75 per day <sup>1</sup> maximum; \$150 per day maximum intensive care <sup>1</sup>	90% PPO; 80% non-PPO
Outpatient	80% of covered expenses	80% of covered expenses
Vision Benefits		
Eye Exams	Covered after accident only <sup>3</sup>	Covered after accident only <sup>3</sup>
Lenses	Covered after accident <sup>3</sup> and after eye surgery	Covered after accident <sup>3</sup> and after eye surgery
Frames	Covered after accident <sup>3</sup> or eye surgery only	Covered after accident <sup>3</sup> or eye surgery only
Hearing Care Benefits		
Hearing Exams	Covered after accident only <sup>3</sup>	Covered after accident only <sup>3</sup>
Hearing Aids	Covered after accident only <sup>3</sup>	Covered after accident only <sup>3</sup>

#### **HMOs**

	HMOs
Anthem Blue Cross Prudent Buyer Plan	Cigna Network Model Plan
\$100 – individual; \$200 – family	None
N/A	\$1,500 – individual; \$3,000 – family
\$1,000,000	Unlimited
80% Prudent Buyer; 70% non–Prudent Buyer with \$75 per day maximum; \$150 per day intensive care (for non–Prudent Buyer)	No charge
80% Prudent Buyer; 70% non–Prudent Buyer	No charge for inpatient or outpatient
80% Prudent Buyer; 70% non–Prudent Buyer (up to \$250 per day for non–Prudent Buyer)	No charge
Authorization by a Prudent Buyer physician required. Non–Prudent Buyer physicians must contact Anthem Blue Cross	Authorization by a Cigna HealthCare physician required within 48 hours in case of emergency outside service area
80% of semi-private room rate for up to 100 days per confinement period	No charge; limit 60 days per contract year (limit 100 days per contract year
	for CA only)
80% in accordance with requirements	No charge if authorized by a Cigna HealthCare physician (100 visits per contract year together with Home Healthcare)
100% in accordance with requirements	No charge; limited 60 visits per contract year (100 visits per contract year for CA only) together with Private Duty Nursing
100% up to plan limitations, in accordance with requirements <sup>1</sup>	No charge
80% Prudent Buyer; 70% non–Prudent Buyer	No charge
80% Prudent Buyer; 70% non–Prudent Buyer	\$50 copay; waived if admitted; \$25 copay for urgent care center
80%	No charge when true emergency authorized by a Cigna HealthCare physician
80% Prudent Buyer; 70% non–Prudent Buyer	\$5 copay
100% Prudent Buyer; 70% non–Prudent Buyer	No charge
\$25 copay; covered in-network only; maximum of \$250 \$25 copay in-network; out-of-network covered up to \$20	\$5 copay
Not covered except for children under age 17	No charge (after \$5 office visit copay, if applicable)
100% <sup>1</sup> Prudent Buyer (Hospital facility fees: 80% Prudent Buyer; 70% non–Prudent Buyer)	No charge
80% Prudent Buyer; 70% non–Prudent Buyer	\$20 copay; limited 20 days for all therapies combined (unlimited days based on medical necessity for CA only)
80% in accordance with requirements	\$20 copay; limited 20 days for all therapies combined (unlimited days based on medical necessity for CA only)
80% Prudent Buyer; 70% Non-Prudent Buyer; in accordance with requirements	\$5 copay for initial visit to confirm pregnancy; no charge for subsequent maternity visits
Williagarements	materinty visits
Retail: 80% in-network; out-of network coverage may vary. Contact Anthem Blue Cross for more information. Mail order: \$10 generic/\$30 brand/\$50 non-preferred brand/ \$150 specialty for a 90-day supply /specialty copay prorated for less than 90-day supply	Retail: \$7 copay for 30-day supply; Mail order: \$14 copay for 90-day supply
80% Prudent Buyer; 70% non–Prudent Buyer	No charge for an unlimited number of days
80% Prudent Buyer; 70% non-Prudent Buyer	No charge for an unlimited number of visits
60% Frudent Buyer, 70% Hon-Frudent Buyer	NO Charge for an unimitted number of visits
Not covered	\$10 copay; limit one exam every 12 months through Cigna Vision
One pair, after eye surgery	Covered after cataract surgery
Not covered	Not covered
Not covered	Not covered
Not covered	Not covered

Kaiser Permanente	UnitedHealthcare <sup>4</sup>
None	None
Maximum copays of \$1,500 per individual, \$3,000 per family	Maximum copays of \$2,000 per individual, \$6,000 per family
Unlimited	Unlimited
No charge	No charge
No charge for inpatient; \$5 copay for outpatient	No charge for inpatient or outpatient
No charge	No charge
Authorization by a Kaiser physician required within 24 hours or as soon as reasonably possible in case of emergency outside service area	Authorization by a participating UnitedHealthcare medical group or physician required. Within 24 hours in case of emergency
No charge; limit 100 days per benefit period	No charge; up to 100 days per benefit period
No charge if authorized by Kaiser physician	No charge (if medically necessary)
No charge if authorized by Kaiser physician	No charge; 100 visits maximum per calendar year
No charge if authorized by Kaiser physician (up to 100 2-hour visits per calendar year)	No charge when authorized by a UnitedHealthcare participating physician or medical group. Prognosis of life expectancy of one year or less.
No charge	No charge
\$5 at Kaiser facility; waived if admitted directly to the hospital	\$50; waived on admission
No charge if emergency	No charge when medically necessary
\$E compar	#F same
\$5 copay No charge	\$5 copay  No charge with an office visit
\$5 copay	\$5 copay; no charge for age 2 and under
No charge if generally available	\$5 copay; no charge for age 2 and under
\$5 copay	No charge
\$5 copay	Inpatient: no charge; outpatient: \$5 copay
\$5 copay	Inpatient: no charge; outpatient: \$5 copay
\$5 copay	No charge; office visit copays are waived after initial office visit copay
\$7 copay for up to 100-day supply; can be in person, through mail order, by telephone, or online at www.kp.org/myhealthmanager	Retail: \$7 copay for 30-day supply; Mail order: \$7 copay for 90-day supply
No charge; for an unlimited number of days	No charge; for an unlimited number of days (both Mental
\$5 copay per visit; for an unlimited number of visits	Health and Substance Abuse)  Mental Health: \$5 copay; for an unlimited number of visits, must
	be authorized through UnitedHealthcare Behavioral Health <sup>5</sup> Substance Abuse: No charge; for an unlimited number of visits
\$5 copay	\$5 copay through PCP <sup>5</sup>
Not covered	Not covered
Not covered	Not covered
An and a second	A.
\$5 copay	\$5 copay \$5,000 maximum benefit every 3 years. Limited to a single
Not covered	hearing aid (including repair/replacement every 3 years).

#### **Carrier Notes:**

### **Anthem Blue Cross Plans** I, II, and Prudent Buyer

Coinsurance payment is the percentage of eligible charges after you meet the plan deductible, unless otherwise noted. All plan reimbursements are based on negotiated rates or usual and customary charges. Usual and Customary charges are the maximum amounts the plan will pay for a service based on what providers in that geographic area charge for similar services or supplies.

<sup>1</sup> Indicates deductible waived.

#### **Anthem Blue Cross II**

<sup>2</sup> For non–Medicare members only.

### Anthem Blue Cross I and II

<sup>3</sup> Treatment must be due to an accidental injury while insured and treatment must be received within two years of accident.

#### **HMOs**

Medical care must be received from HMO or contracted provider, physician or facility.

Mental Health Benefits for California Base Contracts: refer to evidence of coverage.

#### UnitedHealthcare

- Solutions for Caregivers no charge for advice, information and referrals. See the Caregiver flyer in the packet sent to retirees from the carrier for additional services.
- <sup>5</sup> Your PCP is your Preferred Care Provider in the UnitedHealthcare HMO.

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# Health Maintenance Organizations (HMOs) and

Medicare Advantage Prescription Drug (MA-PD) HMOs

- Kaiser Colorado
- Kaiser Georgia
- Kaiser Hawaii
- Kaiser Oregon

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The health plans and benefit designs available from the LACERA-administered options change when an enrolled member permanently moves outside the provider network area. Moving to a location outside the coverage area will impact your eligibility to be enrolled in the health plan, the benefit designs available and the rates you pay.

**Note:** The benefit levels contained in this booklet are subject to approval by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) and may be adjusted during the plan year.

### BASIC (UNDER 65 OR OVER 65 WITHOUT MEDICARE COVERAGE) HAMOENTI

	Kaiser – Colorado	Kaiser – Georgia
Calendar Year Deductible/Copayment		
	None	None
Annual Maximum Out-of-Pocket Expenses (for most services)	Individual – \$2,000 Family – \$4,500	Individual – \$2,000 Family – \$4,000
Lifetime Maximum Benefits	None	None
Hospital Benefits		
Room and Board	\$250 copay per admission	\$250 copay per admission
Surgical Services	Inpatient – no charge	Inpatient – no charge
	Outpatient – \$50 copay	Outpatient – \$100 copay
Hospital Services and Supplies	Durable medical equipment covered at 80%	Durable medical equipment covered at 80%
Hospital Admission Authorization Requirements	No authorization needed when referred by a Kaiser Permanente physician	Authorization required for hospital admissions
Nursing Benefits		
Skilled Nursing Facility Care	No charge; 100 days per period	\$250 copay per admission; 100 days per year
Private Duty Nurses	No charge if in service area only and referred by a network provider	No charge if authorized
Home Health Care	No charge if authorized	No charge if authorized
Hospice Care	No charge	No charge if authorized
Emergency Benefits		
Inpatient	\$100 copay (waived if admitted)	\$100 (waived if admitted)
Outpatient	\$100 copay	\$100 (waived if admitted)
Ambulance	20% copay; max. of \$500 per trip	\$100 copay
Outpatient Benefits		
Doctor's Office Visits	\$5 copay (\$25 copay for after-hours care; \$15 copay for specialist visit)	\$15 copay
Preadmission Diagnostic X-ray and Lab Tests	Included in office visit copay	No charge
Routine Checkups		
– Adults	No charge	No charge
– Children Under 17	No charge	No charge
Immunizations	\$5 copay; no charge if preventive	\$15 copay; no charge if preventive
Outpatient Surgical Services	\$50 copay	\$100 copay
Physical Therapy	\$250 copay inpatient; \$5 copay outpatient; limited to 20 visits per year	\$15 copay
Speech Therapy	\$250 copay inpatient; \$5 copay outpatient; limited to 20 visits per year	\$15 copay
Maternity	\$5 copay	\$15 copay for 1st visit; no charge thereafter
Prescription Drug Benefits		
Prescription Drugs	\$10 copay for up to 60-day supply	\$15 generic/\$30 brand copay for up to 30-day supply at Kaiser; \$25 generic/\$40 brand copay for up to 30-day supply at Rite Aid or Walgreens
Mental Health Benefits		
Inpatient	\$250 per admission	\$250 copay
Outpatient	\$5 copay	\$15 copay
Substance Abuse Benefits		
Inpatient	\$250 per admission	\$250 copay per admission (detox only)
Outpatient	\$5 copay	\$15 copay
Residential Day	\$250/admission	Not covered
Vision/Hearing Care Benefits		
Eye Exams	\$5 copay	\$15 copay
Lenses	_ \$150 credit toward lenses, contact	\$100 credit toward lenses, contact lenses
Frames	lenses or frames combined every 2 years	or frames combined every 2 years
Hearing Exam	\$5 copay	\$15 copay (if exam copay applies)
Hearing Aids	Not covered	Not covered

U & C = Usual and customary: The maximum amount the plan will pay for a service based on what providers in that geographic area charge for similar services or supplies.

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k	Kaiser – Hawaii	Kaiser – Oregon
N	None	None
Ir	ndividual – \$2,500	Individual – \$600
F	Family (3 or more) – \$7,500	Family – \$1,200
L	Jnlimited	None
	550/day	No charge
N	No charge	Inpatient – no charge Outpatient – \$5 copay
N	No charge	No charge
A K	Authorization required by a Kaiser Permanente Medical Group physician	Authorization required by a Kaiser Permanente physician
N	No charge; 100 days per year	No charge; 100 days per year
Ν	Not covered	Not covered
N	No charge if authorized	No charge if authorized; limited to 130 days
	No charge if authorized	No charge
\$	550/visit within service area; 20% copay outside of service area	\$75 copay (waived if admitted)
\$	550/visit within service area; 20% copay outside of service area	\$75 copay (waived if admitted)
N	No charge	\$75 copay
\$	515 copay	\$5 copay
Ν	No charge	No charge
	No charge	No charge
	No charge	No charge
	No charge	No charge for routine
	\$15 copay	\$5 copay
	\$15 copay	\$5 copay; up to 20 visits per therapy, per calendar year
\$	15 copay	\$5 copay; up to 20 visits per therapy, per calendar year
	No charge (after confirmation of pregnancy)	Hospitalization – no charge; doctor's office visit – no charge
\$	510 copay for up to 30-day supply	\$5 copay for up to 30-day supply
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	550/day*	No charge
\$	515 copay*	\$5 copay
		No shares
	550/day	No charge
	515 copay 20% of applicable charges up to 60 days per calendar year	\$5 copay  No charge
		The dialige
\$	\$15 copay	\$5 copay
	Not covered	Not covered
	Not covered	Not covered
	\$15 copay	\$5 copay
	5500 allowance	Covered for children only

<sup>\*</sup>When prescribed by a physician, services for serious mental illness will be provided in accordance with state law.

#### ATTACHMENT I

	Kaiser – Colorado	Kaiser – Georgia
Calendar Year Deductible/Copayment	None	None
Annual Maximum Out-of-Pocket Expenses (for most services)	Individual – \$2,500	Individual – \$2,000
Lifetime Maximum Benefits	None	None
Hospital Benefits		
Room and Board	\$250 copay per admission	\$250 copay per admission
Surgical Services	Inpatient – no charge; outpatient – \$50 copay	Inpatient – no charge; outpatient – \$100 copay
Hospital Services and Supplies	Durable medical equipment covered at 80%	No charge
Hospital Admission Authorization Requirements	No authorization needed when referred by a Kaiser Permanente physician	Authorization required for hospital admissions
Nursing Benefits		
Skilled Nursing Facility Care	No charge; 100 days per period	\$250 copay per admission; 100 days per period
Private Duty Nurses	No charge in service area	No charge if authorized
Home Health Care	No charge in service area	No charge if authorized
Hospice Care	No charge (only home-based hospice care)	No charge
Emergency Benefits		
Inpatient	\$50 copay (waived if admitted)	\$50 copay (waived if admitted)
Outpatient	\$50 copay	\$50 copay (waived if admitted)
Ambulance	20% copay; max. of \$500 per trip	\$100 copay
Outpatient Benefits		
Doctor's Office Visits	\$5 copay (\$15 copay for specialist visit)*	\$15 copay
Preadmission Diagnostic X-ray and Lab Tests	Included in office visit copay	Copay varies
Routine Checkups		
– Adults	No charge	No charge
– Children Under 17	No charge	No charge
Immunizations	\$5 copay; no charge if preventive	\$15 copay; no charge if preventive
Outpatient Surgical Services	\$50 copay	\$100 copay
Physical Therapy	\$250 copay inpatient; \$5 copay outpatient	\$15 copay outpatient
Speech Therapy	\$250 copay inpatient; \$5 copay outpatient	\$15 copay outpatient
Maternity	No charge	No charge
Prescription Drug Benefits	No charge	No charge
Prescription Drugs	\$10 copay for up to 60-day supply	\$15 generic/\$30 brand copay for up to 30-day supply at Kaiser; \$25 generic/\$40 brand copay for 30-day supply at Rite Aid or Walgreens
Mental Health Benefits		
Inpatient	\$250 per admission	\$250 per admission
Outpatient	\$5 copay	\$15 copay
Substance Abuse Benefits		
Inpatient	\$250 per admission	\$250 per admission; detox and rehab
Outpatient	\$5 copay	\$15 copay
Vision/Hearing Care Benefits		
Eye Exams	\$5 copay	\$15 copay
Lenses	\$150 credit toward lenses, contact lenses or	\$100 credit toward lenses and/or frames
Frames	frames combined every 2 years	combined every 2 years
Hearing Exam	\$5 copay	\$15 copay
Hearing Aids	Not covered	Not covered

U & C = Usual and customary: The maximum amount the plan will pay for a service based on what providers in that geographic area charge for similar services or supplies. \*All office-administered prescription drugs covered by Medicare Part B (except preventive immunizations and diagnostic drugs) will be subject to 20% coinsurance. This coinsurance will apply to the annual maximum out-of-pocket expenses.

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Kaiser – Hawaii	Kaiser – Oregon
None	None
Individual – \$2,500 Family – \$7,500	Individual – \$600
Unlimited	None
Offillitted	Notic
\$50/day	No charge
No charge	No charge
No charge	No charge
Authorization required by a Kaiser Permanente Medical Group physician	Authorization required by a Kaiser Permanente physician
No charge; 100 days per year	No charge; 100 days for Medicare benefits period
Not covered	Not covered
No charge if authorized	No charge
 No charge if authorized	No charge
\$50 per vicit	\$50 copay (waived if admitted)
\$50 per visit	
\$50 per visit	\$50 copay (waived if admitted)
No charge	\$50 copay
\$15 copay	\$5 copay
No charge	No charge
No charge	No charge
No charge	Not covered
No charge	No charge
\$15 copay	\$5 copay
\$15 copay	\$5 copay; no limit on number of visits or treatment period Significant improvement required within a reasonable and generally predictable period
\$15 copay	\$5 copay; no limit on number of visits or treatment period Significant improvement required within a reasonable and generally predictable period
No charge (after confirmation of pregnancy)	No charge
\$10 copay for up to 30-day supply	\$5 copay for a 30-day supply
\$50/day**	No charge
 \$50/day**	No charge
\$15 copay**	\$5 copay
\$50/day	No charge
\$15 copay	\$5 copay
\$15 copay	\$5 copay
Not covered	\$150 credit toward the purchase of lenses, frames,
Not covered	and/or contact lenses every 24 months
\$15 copay	\$5 copay
 \$500 allowance to purchase hearing aids; provided every 3 years	Not covered

<sup>\*\*</sup>When prescribed by a physician, services for serious mental illness will be provided in accordance with state law.

# COMPARISON OF MEDICAL PLANS

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For those enrolled in Medicare Parts A and B

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### **Medicare Supplement Plan**

Anthem Blue Cross III

### Medicare Advantage Prescription Drug (MA-PD) HMOs

- Kaiser Permanente Senior Advantage
- UnitedHealthcare Group Medicare Advantage HMO
- SCAN Health Plan

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The benefits offered by all LACERA-administered health plans change when an enrolled member permanently moves outside the provider network area. Moving to a location outside the coverage area can impact your plan's rates and coverage levels.

# Comparison of Medical Plans ATTACHMENT I (For Medicare-Eligible Members Enrolled in Medicare Parts A and B)

	Medicare Supplement	Medicare Adva	ntage Prescription Drug	(MA-PD) HMOs
	Anthem Blue Cross III	Kaiser Permanente Senior Advantage	SCAN¹	UnitedHealthcare Group Medicare Advantage HMO
<b>Outpatient Benefits</b>	s			
Doctor's Office Visit	20% of Medicare-approved charges	\$5 copay	\$5 copay	\$5 copay
Preadmission X-ray and Lab Tests	20% of Medicare-approved charges	No charge	No charge	No charge with an office visit copay
Routine Checkups	Not covered	No charge	\$5 copay	No charge
Immunizations	Not covered	No charge	No charge	No charge with an office visit copay
Outpatient Surgical Services	20% of Medicare-approved charges	\$5 copay per procedure	No charge	No charge
Physical Therapy	20% of Medicare-approved charges	\$5 copay	\$5 copay	No charge with an office visit copay
Speech Therapy	20% of Medicare-approved charges	\$5 copay	\$5 copay	No charge with an office visit copay
Maternity	Covered the same as an illness for services covered by Medicare	\$5 copay	Covered as any illness	\$5 copay
Chiropractic Care	20% of Medicare-approved charges	\$5 copay for Medicare- covered services³	\$5 copay for Medicare-covered services <sup>3</sup>	\$5 copay for Medicare- covered services³
Transportation	Not covered	Not covered	No charge for unlimited number of rides to medical or dental appointments	Not covered
Prescription Drug B	enefits			
Prescription Drugs	Retail: 80% in-network, 60% out-of-network Mail order: \$10 generic/ \$30 brand/\$50 non-preferred brand/\$150 specialty copay for mail order for 90-day supply <sup>4</sup>	\$7 copay for up to 100- day supply; covers dental prescriptions	Retail: \$7 generic/\$15 brand Mail order: \$7 generic/ \$15 brand for 90-day supply	\$7 copay for 31-day supply (or for 90-day mail order supply for maintenance medications only)
Mental Health and	Substance Abuse Benefits			
Inpatient	Plan pays all Medicare inpatient deductibles for approved Medicare days; 190-day lifetime maximum	No charge; for unlimited number of days	No charge; 190-day lifetime maximum in Medicare facility <sup>2</sup>	No charge; 190-day lifetime maximum if admitted to Medicare-approved psychiatric hospital
Outpatient	20% of Medicare-approved charges; up to 50 professional visits per year	\$5 copay for each visit per calendar year for an unlimited number of visits	\$5 copay for each visit per calendar year. No charge for severe mental illness	\$5 copay; unlimited visits
Substance Abuse	20% of Medicare-approved charges	Inpatient: No charge as per plan limitations; Outpatient: \$5 per individual visit; \$2 per group visit	\$5 copay; unlimited visits	Same as Mental Health Inpatient and Outpatient
Vision Benefits				
Eye Exams	Not covered	\$5 copay	\$5 copay for Medicare-covered, medically-necessary eye exam	\$5 copay
Lenses	Not covered unless 1st lens after eye surgery	Eyewear (frames/lenses/ contacts) purchased from	Not covered	Not covered
Frames	Not covered unless after eye surgery	plan optical sales every 24 months; \$150 allowance	Not covered	Not covered
<b>Hearing Care Benef</b>	its			
Hearing Exams	One per calendar year; 80%	\$5 copay	\$5 copay	\$5 copay <sup>6</sup>
Hearing Aids	50% up to \$300 lifetime maximum	Not covered	\$300 allowance per aid, every 24 months (\$600 total)	Not covered

# Comparison of Medical Plans ATTACHMENT I (For Medicare-Eligible Members Enrolled in Medicare Parts A and B)

	Medicare Supplement	Medicare Advan	tage Prescription Drug	(MA-PD) HMOs
	Anthem Blue Cross III	Kaiser Permanente Senior Advantage	SCAN¹	UnitedHealthcare Group Medicare Advantage HMO
Calendar Year Deductibles	None	None	None	None
Annual Maximum Out-Of-Pocket Expenses (for most services)	None	Maximum copayments of \$1,500 – individual \$3,000 – family	\$3,400	\$6,700
Lifetime Maximum Benefits	Unlimited	Unlimited	Unlimited	Unlimited
Hospital Benefits		*		
Room and Board	Plan pays all Medicare inpatient deductibles for approved Medicare days	No charge	No charge	No charge
Surgical Services	Plan pays all Medicare inpatient deductibles for approved Medicare days	No charge	No charge	No charge
Hospital Services and Supplies	Plan pays all Medicare inpatient deductibles for approved Medicare days	No charge	No charge	No charge
Nursing Benefits				
Skilled Nursing Facility Care	Plan pays Medicare daily deductible for days 21–100; no coverage beyond 100 days	No charge; 100 days per benefit period in a Medicare- certified facility	No charge; 100 days per benefit period in a Medicare- certified facility	No charge; 100 days per benefit period in a Medicare-certified facility
Private Duty Nurses	Not covered	No charge if authorized by a Kaiser physician	No charge when medically necessary only, per Medicare guidelines	No charge when medically necessary only, per Medicare guidelines
Home Healthcare	100% of all remaining costs not covered by Medicare	No charge for Medicare- covered Home Health and no charge for part-time intermittent care if authorized by a Kaiser physician	No charge for Medicare- covered Home Health. See (¹) below for expanded coverage info	No charge when medically necessary only, per Medicare guidelines
Hospice Care	100% of all remaining costs not covered by Medicare	No charge if authorized by a Kaiser physician	No charge	No charge, provided care is in accordance with Medicare guidelines
<b>Emergency Benefits</b>				
Inpatient	Plan pays all Medicare inpatient deductibles for approved Medicare days	\$5 copay; waived if admitted	No charge	No charge
Outpatient	20% of Medicare-approved charges	\$5 copay; waived if admitted	\$25 copay; waived if admitted	\$50 copay; waived if admitted
Ambulance	20% of Medicare-approved charges	No charge for emergency	No charge	No charge (if medically necessary)

- <sup>1</sup> SCAN includes expanded coverage for Independent Living Power™ services. Qualifying members are eligible for up to \$500 per month of these additional services.
  - No charge for personal care coordination via phone
  - \$15 copay per month for emergency response system
  - \$15 copay per visit for alternative caregiver visit to a member's home when his or her regular caregiver is not available
  - \$15 copay per visit for adult day care to provide relief for regular caregiver
  - No copay for up to five days in a facility when regular caregiver is unavailable
  - \$15 copay per visit for transportation escort to medical, dental, optometric or other necessary appointments
  - \$15 copay per visit for personal care such as assistance with bathing, dressing, eating, getting in and out of bed, moving about/walking and grooming
  - \$15 copay per visit for homemaker services such as light cleaning, grocery shopping, laundry and meal preparation
  - No copay for home-delivered meals
  - No copay for inpatient custodial care up to 5 days in a facility. Medicare will not pay for a stay in a facility if the services received are primarily for those purposes.
  - Healthways SilverSneakers<sup>®</sup> Fitness Program available at no extra cost.
- <sup>2</sup> Note: Visit or day limits do not apply to certain mental healthcare described in the evidence of coverage.
- <sup>3</sup> Manual manipulation of the spine to correct subluxation that can be demonstrated by X-ray, when the manipulation is prescribed by plan physician and performed by plan provider.
- <sup>4</sup> Copayment for specialty drugs will be prorated if you receive less than a 90-day supply
- <sup>5</sup> UnitedHealthcare Group Medicare Advantage HMO includes coverage for Solutions for Caregiver's services No charge for advice, information and referrals. See the Caregiver flyer included in the materials received after enrollment in the plan for additional services.
- <sup>6</sup> UnitedHealthcare Group Medicare Advantage HMO Audiology screenings are offered through contracted audiologists in the Epic network. The Epic network includes all locations in the Newport Audiology network.

#### Appendix F: Firefighters Local 1014 Medical Plan

The description of the Firefighters Local 1014 Medical Plan is from selected pages of the following website:

http://www.local1014medical.org/docs/2012spd\_v5%20%283%29.pdf



(For Details, Please Turn to What the Plan Covers and What the Plan Does Not Cover)

Annual Deductible	First \$200 of allowable expenses per person; \$600 Maximum per family		
	In-Network	Out-of-Network	
Annual Out-of-Pocket Limit (Amounts for In-Network and Out-of- Network are combined for the Annual Out-of-Pocket Limit)	10% of allowable expenses after satisfaction of the deductible, maximum \$1,000 per person or family per year (after you pay the deductible)	30% of allowable expenses after satisfaction of the deductible, maximum \$1,500 per person or family per year <sup>1</sup> (after you pay the deductible)	
Preventive Care	In-Network	Out-of-Network	
Well- baby care	100%, no deductible, for the baby's first 2 years	100%, no deductible, for the baby's first 2 years <sup>1</sup>	
Immunizations	100%, no deductible, paid through the wellness benefit for ages 2 and over.	100%, no deductible, paid through the wellness benefit for ages 2 and over.1	
Wellness Benefit	100%, no deductible; annual preventive exam and screenings, including "fit for life" exam, and immunizations.	100%, no deductible; annual preventive exam and screenings, including "fit for life" exam, and immunizations.1	
Cancer Screenings	100%, no deductible for PAP, mammogram, PSA and colonoscopy covered according to American Cancer Society guidelines	100%, no deductible for PAP, mammogram, PSA and colonoscopy covered according to American Cancer Society guidelines <sup>1</sup>	
Medically Necessary Care	In-Network	Out-of-Network	
Ambulance	90% after deductible, up to annual	out-of-pocket limit, 100% thereafter¹	
Doctor's office visits	90% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit, 100% thereafter	70% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit, 100% thereafter <sup>1</sup>	
Emergency room	90% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit, 100% thereafter; \$50 additional copay per visit (waived if referred by a physician or admitted as an inpatient)	70% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit, 100% thereafter; \$50 additional copay per visit (waived if referred by a physician or admitted as an inpatient) <sup>1</sup>	
Hospital care (Providers must request Pre-authorization from Anthem Blue Cross)	90% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit, 100% thereafter	70% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit, 100% thereafter <sup>1</sup>	
<b>Maternity</b> (No preauthorization required for uncomplicated obstetrical care)	90% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit, 100% thereafter	70% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit, 100% thereafter <sup>1</sup>	
Surgery (Providers must request Preauthorization from Anthem Blue Cross for all inpatient surgery and any outpatient procedure that might be considered experimental, investigational or cosmetic. Organ and tissue transplants and any weight loss surgery is covered under Anthem Blue Cross Center of Expertise (COE) only.)	90% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit, 100% thereafter	70% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit, 100% thereafter <sup>1</sup>	



(For Details, Please Turn to What the Plan Covers and What the Plan Does Not Cover)

Medically Necessary Care	In-Network	Out-of-Network
X-Rays and lab tests	90% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit, 100% thereafter; (excludes periodic health exams)	70% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit, 100% thereafter; (excludes periodic health exams) <sup>1</sup>
Prescription Drugs (outpatient) <sup>2</sup>	Short-Term (30-Day Supply) From a Reta	ail Pharmacy or Mail order
	In-Network	Out-of-Network <sup>1</sup>
Generic  Brand name (when generic is unavailable)	\$10 copay \$20 copay	You pay the entire cost of your prescription up front and submit a claim for reimbursement. You may be reimbursed for 100% of the cost minus the copay. Out-of-network copays are
<b>Brand name</b> (when generic is available)	\$30 copay PLUS the cost difference between the brand name drug and the generic drug	the same as the in-network copays. <sup>1</sup>
	Maintenance (Up t	o a 90-Day Supply)
	From a Retail Pharmacy	From Medco Home Delivery
Generic	\$25 copay	
<b>Brand name</b> (when generic is unavailable)	\$50 copay	
<b>Brand name</b> (when generic is available)	\$75 copay PLUS the cost difference between the brand name drug and the generic drug.	
VSP Vision Care	In-Network	Out-of-Network
Copayment	\$25 when servi	ces are rendered
Exams	Once every 12 months	Up to \$45 once every 12 months
Prescription lenses	Covered once every 12 months. Includes lined bifocal, trifocal, or progressive lenses; polycarbonate lenses, anti-reflective coating and tints, including photochromic.	Covered once every 12 months. Up to \$45 single vision lenses, \$65 lined bifocal, \$85 lined trifocal lenses, or \$85 progressive lenses. \$5 for tints.
Frames	Covered once every 12 months, up to \$175, plus 20% off additional costs.	Up to \$47 once every 12 months
Contacts	When you choose contacts instead of glasses, a \$200 allowance applies once every 12 months to the cost of contacts. In addition there is a separate benefit to cover the contact lens fitting and evaluation exam.	Up to \$105 once every 12 months



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Mental Health/Substance Abuse Care	In-Network	Out-of-Network
Outpatient care	90% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit, 100% thereafter.	70% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket maximum, 100% thereafter.1
<b>Inpatient care</b> (Both in-network and out-of-network requires preauthorization from Anthem Blue Cross)	90% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit, 100% thereafter.	70% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit, 100% thereafter.1
Additional Benefits	In-Network	Out-of-Network
Acupuncture	90% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit; 100% thereafter; maximum 30 visits combined total of chiropractic and acupuncture visits per calendar year.	70% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit; 100% thereafter; maximum 30 visits combined total of chiropractic and acupuncture visits per calendar year. <sup>1</sup>
Chiropractic care	90% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit; 100% thereafter; maximum 30 visits combined total of chiropractic and acupuncture visits per calendar year.	70% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit; 100% thereafter; maximum 30 visits combined total of chiropractic and acupuncture visits per calendar year. <sup>1</sup>
Physical therapy	90% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit; 100% thereafter; maximum 30 visits per calendar year.	70% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit; 100% thereafter; maximum 30 visits per calendar year.1
Occupational therapy	90% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit; 100% thereafter; maximum 6 visits per calendar year.	70% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit; 100% thereafter; maximum 6 visits per calendar year.1
<b>Home health care</b> (Requires preauthorization by Local 1014's Patient Care Coordinator)	90% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit; 100% thereafter; maximum 100 visits per calendar year <sup>1</sup>	
Hospice care (Requires preauthorization by Local 1014's Patient Care Coordinator) (per diem rates)	90% after deductible, up to annual out of pocket limit; 100% thereafter.  Hospice care limited to 180 days and a \$20,000 lifetime maximum <sup>1</sup>	
<b>Skilled Nursing Facility</b> (Providers must request Preauthorization from Anthem Blue Cross)	90% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit; 100% thereafter; 70 day limit per occurrence	
<b>Transitional Nursing Benefit</b> (Requires preauthorization by Local 1014's Patient Care Coordinator)	90% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit; 100% thereafter; 400 hour lifetime limit.	70% after deductible, up to annual out-of-pocket limit; 100% thereafter; maximum \$100 per hour and 400 hour lifetime limit.1

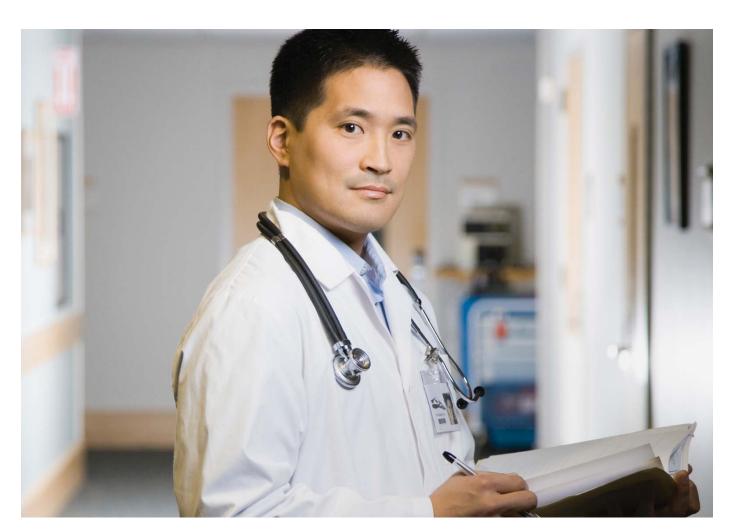


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Dental Benefits	
Adult and Child Orthodontia	100% no deductible, limited to \$2,000 lifetime per individual.
Excess Dental Coverage	100% no deductible, limited to \$1,000 per individual per year for allowable dental expenses after the annual maximum benefit of the underlying indemnity or PPO dental coverage is exceeded. HMO dental plans have no stated annual maximum.
Dental Accident Coverage	100% no deductible, limited to \$10,000 as the result of any one accident for allowable dental expenses within 180 days of the accident.

- <sup>1</sup> Allowable expenses for Out-of-Network services are limited to Reasonable and Customary charges, which are defined as the fees and charges customarily accepted as payment for medically necessary health care services and supplies in a specific geographical area.
- <sup>2</sup> The Plan covers prescription drugs only for the treatment of a condition as approved by the Food and Drug Administration. Many infused and injectable drugs as well as some oral medications require preauthorization by Local 1014's Patient Care Coordinator. Your pharmacist will know which drugs need preauthorization.

#### <sup>3</sup> See glossary for definition



#### Appendix G: Dental and Vision Plan Description

The dental and vision plan description is from the following area of the LACERA website:

http://www.lacera.com/healthcare/pdf/healthcare\_rates/dental\_vision\_charts.pdf



DE	NTAL PLAN	
	Cigna Indemnity Dental	Cigna Dental HMO
Individual annual deductible Family annual deductible	\$25 \$50	None None
Individual annual maximum benefit	\$1,500	Unlimited
Exams & cleanings  Amalgam – 1 surface, permanent  Amalgam – 2 surface, permanent  Amalgam – 3 surface, permanent  Amalgam – 4 surface, permanent  Resin or composite – anterior  Anterior root canal – permanent  Scaling/root planing – per quad  Simple extraction  Surgical extraction  Crown – porcelain to high noble metal  Crown – stainless steel  Post – prefab or crown buildup	20%* 20%* 20%* 20%* 20%* 20%* 20%* 20%*	\$0** \$0** \$0** \$0** \$0** \$10** \$15 - \$50** \$10** \$10** \$10** \$40/\$55/\$65** \$2,240**
Orthodontic therapy – child Orthodontic therapy – adult	Not covered Not covered	\$2,240^^ \$2,840**

<sup>\*</sup> Member pays 20% of usual and customary charges (the maximum amount the plan will pay for a service, based on what providers in that geographic area charge for similar services or supplies). The plan pays 80% after deductible. Procedures with **high** noble gold are covered at 50%, after deductible.

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\*\* Member pays this amount, plus additional charges specified in the plan brochure. For post/crown buildup work, the copay amounts apply to different steps in the procedure.

VISION PLAN								
Benefit	In-Network Benefits	<b>Out-of-Network Benefits</b>						
Spectacle exam*** (Once every 12 months)	\$25 reimbursement maximum							
Lenses (Once every 12 months)								
<ul><li>Single vision</li><li>Bifocal</li><li>Trifocal</li><li>Lenticular</li><li>Progressive</li></ul>	\$40 copay; then covered in full \$40 copay; then up to \$70 allowance	\$35 reimbursement maximum \$45 reimbursement maximum \$70 reimbursement maximum \$130 reimbursement maximum \$70 reimbursement maximum						
Frames \$50 allowance \$35 reimbursement maximum								
Contact lenses (lifetime maximum benefit)								
<ul><li>■ Hard lenses</li><li>■ Soft lenses</li></ul>	\$180 allowance \$230 allowance	\$150 reimbursement maximum \$225 reimbursement maximum						
*** Spectacle exam includes	*** Spectacle exam includes routine exam, including dilation and refraction.							

#### Appendix H: Medicare Part B Reimbursement Plan Description

The Medicare Part B reimbursement plan description is from the following area of the LACERA website:

http://www.lacera.com/healthcare/Medicare/medicare a b.html



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#### **MEDICARE PARTS A & B ELIGIBILITY**

(Hospital Insurance Coverage)

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#### **ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR MEDICARE PART A**

HEALTHCARE

Medicare Part A is free to any person age 65 or older who is either:

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**Medicare Part B** 

Eligible to receive a monthly Social Security benefit, or

Eligible based on wages on which sufficient Medicare payroll taxes were paid.

You **automatically apply** for Medicare Part A when you apply for Social Security benefits. Your spouse may also qualify for Part A coverage at age 65, based on your eligibility for Social Security. To be eligible for Part A, you **do not** have to enroll in Part B. If you are not eligible for free Part A coverage, you may purchase this coverage.

Medicare Part A is  ${\it free}$  to any person  ${\it under age 65}$  who is  ${\it disabled}$  and has either:

- Received Social Security disability benefits for 24 months as a worker, surviving spouse, or adult child of a retired, disabled, or deceased worker; or
- Accumulated a sufficient number of Social Security credits to be insured for Medicare and meets the requirements of the Social Security disability program.

Effective January 2015, the Medicare Part A premium amount decreased to \$407.00 per month (\$426.00 in 2014) for people who are not eligible for premium-free hospital insurance and have fewer than 40 quarters of Medicare-covered employment. Visit Medicare for more information.

#### **ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR MEDICARE PART B**

(Supplementary medical insurance coverage for physicians, labs, testing)

Call Center: 800-786-6464 (M-F 7 AM - 5:30 PM) • Fax: 626-564-6155 • Email: welcome@lacera.com
Member Service Center: (M-F 7 AM - 5 PM) • Appointment and Workshop Reservation System

Location: 300 N. Lake Ave. Pasadena, CA 91101 • Mailing Address: PO Box 7060 Pasadena, CA 91109-7060

When you enroll in Medicare Part A, you are **automatically enrolled** in Medicare Part B unless you decline it. This rule applies to persons age 65 or older and also to those who are disabled under age 65.

If you pay a premium for Plan A, you must enroll in Part B if you also desire that coverage. The Part B coverage is ordinarily deducted from your Social Security benefit.

If you select a LACERA-administered Medicare plan, you **may be reimbursed** by LACERA for the Part B premium amount. This reimbursement program is subject to annual review by the Board of Supervisors.

If you or your spouse has fewer than 40 quarters of Medicare-covered employment, you must pay a monthly premium for  ${\sf Part}$  A.

On December 9, 2014, the Board of Supervisors approved the Medicare Part B Premium Reimbursement Program for 2015 for LACERA-administered Medicare Plan enrollees.

Read more about Part B.

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#### Appendix I: Results for South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD)



We were asked by LACERA to provide subtotal results for the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD). The plan provisions, assumptions, methods, and census are consistent with Appendix A through Appendix H. The census detail in Appendix C is subdivided for SCAQMD. The tables in this appendix are in the same sequence as the main report.

We utilized the SCAQMD percentage provided by LACERA which is determined based on County and SCAQMD years of service. We assume that the SCAQMD obligation is equal to this percentage multiplied by the employer portion of the obligation.



Table 1: July 1, 2014 Summary of SCAQMD Paid Liabilities and Cost

SCAQMD	July 1, 2014		July 1, 2012	Percentage Change
A. Total Membership				
<ol> <li>Active Members</li> <li>Vested Terminated Members</li> </ol>	- -		1	0.0%
<ol> <li>Retirees and Survivors (Medical Coverage)</li> <li>Total</li> </ol>	 60 61		63 64	-4.8% -4.7%
B. Total Payroll	\$ 59,921	\$	60,063	-0.2%
C. Expected SCAQMD Paid First-Year Benefits	\$ 267,685	\$	248,393	7.8%
D. Present Value of Future Benefits (PVB) 1	\$ 4,681,086	\$	4,450,747	5.2%
E. Actuarial Accrued Liability by Member Status <sup>1</sup>				
Active Members     Vested Terminated Members	\$ 341,896 -	\$	346,560 -	-1.3%
3. Retired Members	 4,310,575		4,059,695	6.2%
4. Total	\$ 4,652,471	\$	4,406,255	5.6%
F. Actuarial Accrued Liability by Benefit Type <sup>1</sup>				
Retiree Medical	\$ 3,717,799	\$	3,572,782	4.1%
Retiree Dental/Vision	209,913		219,985	-4.6%
Medicare Part B	622,394		529,408	17.6%
4. Retiree Life Insurance	 102,365	_	84,080	21.7%
5. Total	\$ 4,652,471	\$	4,406,255	5.6%
G. Assets	\$ -	\$	-	
H. Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$ 4,652,471	\$	4,406,255	5.6%
I. Annual Required Contribution (ARC) <sup>2</sup>	\$ 168,919	\$	166,766	1.3%
J. ARC expressed as a percentage of payroll				
Normal Cost	13.94%		15.71%	-11.3%
2. UAAL Payment	 267.96%		261.94%	2.3%
3. Total	281.90%		277.65%	1.5%

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Net of Retiree Paid Premiums. Decrease is a result of deaths, aging, and data changes.
 Normal cost and 30 year level percent of payroll amortization of the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL). Assumes an unfunded plan.

# Table 2: July 1, 2014 Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) at 3.75% Retiree Medical Benefits

	 SCAQMD
1. AAL - Total Medical Benefits	
Retirees	\$ 8,194,749
Vested Terminateds	-
Actives	 286,428
Total	\$ 8,481,177
2. AAL - County and Retiree Paid Medical Premiums	
Retirees	\$ 4,763,378
Vested Terminateds	-
Actives	 _
Total	\$ 4,763,378
3. AAL - SCAQMD Paid Medical Benefits (1) - (2)	
Retirees	\$ 3,431,371
Vested Terminateds	-
Actives	 286,428
Total	\$ 3,717,799



# Table 2 (Cont): July 1, 2014 Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) at 3.75% Retiree Dental and Vision Benefits

	 CAQMD
4. AAL - Total Dental & Vision Benefits	
Retirees	\$ 480,203
Vested Terminateds	-
Actives	 14,866
Total	\$ 495,069
5. AAL - County and Retiree Paid Dental & Vision Premiums	
Retirees	\$ 285,156
Vested Terminateds	-
Actives	 
Total	\$ 285,156
6. AAL - SCAQMD Paid Dental & Vision Benefits (4) - (5)	
Retirees	\$ 195,047
Vested Terminateds	-
Actives	 14,866
Total	\$ 209,913



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## Table 2 (Cont): July 1, 2014 Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) at 3.75% Medicare Part B and Retiree Life Insurance

	;	SCAQMD
<ol> <li>AAL - SCAQMD Paid Medicare Part B Premiums Retirees</li> </ol>	\$	583,433
Vested Terminateds Actives		- 20.061
		38,961
Total	\$	622,394
8. AAL - SCAQMD Paid Retiree Death Benefit		
Retirees	\$	100,724
Vested Terminateds		-
Actives		1,641
Total	\$	102,365
9. AAL - SCAQMD Paid Benefits (3) + (6) + (7) + (8)		
Retirees	\$	4,310,575
Vested Terminateds		-
Actives		341,896
Total	\$	4,652,471

# Appendix I (continued)

#### Los Angeles County Other Post Employment Benefits Program

#### **Table 3: July 1, 2014 Normal Cost at 3.75%**

	S0	CAQMD
Total Medical Benefits     County and Retiree Paid Medical Premiums	\$	6,987
3. Net SCAQMD Paid Medical Benefits (1) - (2)	\$	6,987
Total Dental/Vision Benefits     County and Retiree Paid Dental/Vision Premiums	\$	362 -
6. Net SCAQMD Paid Dental/Vision Benefits (4) - (5)	\$	362
7. SCAQMD Paid Medicare Part B Premiums	\$	962
8. SCAQMD Paid Retiree Death Benefit	\$	40
9. Total SCAQMD Normal Cost (3) + (6) + (7) + (8)	\$	8,351
10. Valuation Payroll	\$	59,921
11. SCAQMD Normal Cost as a Percentage of Payroll		13.94%



#### Table 4: 2014-2015 Annual Required Contribution (ARC) at 3.75%

		SCAQMD
Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL)		
Present Value of Benefits (PVB) Present Value of Future Normal Cost (PVFNC)	\$	4,681,086 28,615
Actuarial Accrued Liability as of July 1, 2014 Fund Balance at July 1, 2010	\$	4,652,471
Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$	4,652,471
2. Amortization of UAAL (Level % of Pay)		
Amortization Period (years) <sup>2</sup>		30
Amortization Factor	•	28.975
UAAL Amortization Payment	\$	160,568
3. 2014 - 2015 Annual Required Contribution (ARC) on July 1, 20	)14	
Amortization of UAAL	\$	160,568
Normal Cost		8,351
Annual Required Contribution (ARC) (As of July 1, 2014)	\$	168,919
4. July 1, 2014 Valuation Payroll	\$	59,921
5. Estimated ARC as a Percentage of Valuation Payroll		281.90%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This assumes an unfunded plan.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> As a cost sharing multiple employer OPEB plan, the ARC is calculated using the same methods and assumptions for all participating employer groups. Therefore, the amounts shown above represent a pro-rata allocation of the Program liabilities and costs attributable to SCAQMD member service and their demographic characteristics.

Table 5: Projected SCAQMD Paid Benefits by Type

#### **SCAQMD**

											Medical	Der	ntal/Vision		
										С	ounty and	Co	unty and		Total
	Fiscal Year			Der	ntal/Vision	M	ledicare				Retiree	F	Retiree	S	CAQMD
_	Ending	Me	dical Total		Total		Part B	Dea	th Benefit	C	ontribution	Co	ntribution	Pai	d Benefits
	6/30/2015	\$	539,959	\$	46,719	\$	43,862	\$	10,660	\$	(344,833)	\$	(28,682)	\$	267,685
	6/30/2016		580,740		45,247		43,256		10,375		(365,845)		(27,590)		286,183
	6/30/2017		582,402		43,513		43,282		10,033		(366,744)		(26,379)		286,107
	6/30/2018		596,841		41,777		41,954		9,537		(371,428)		(25,168)		293,513
	6/30/2019		604,051		39,983		40,506		8,967		(370,888)		(23,919)		298,700
	6/30/2020		603,375		38,127		38,955		8,363		(364,978)		(22,637)		301,205
	6/30/2021		594,260		36,222		38,339		7,705		(355,813)		(21,345)		299,368
	6/30/2022		585,440		34,281		37,172		7,069		(344,602)		(20,051)		299,309
	6/30/2023		562,020		32,331		37,312		6,460		(331,297)		(18,757)		288,069
	6/30/2024		534,614		30,413		38,019		5,875		(316,650)		(17,495)		274,776
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Projection Basis:

All assumptions are met

No future members are reflected

July 1, 2014 Actuarial Valuation

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#### Table 6: Impact of Alternative Trend Rates on AAL and ARC

#### **SCAQMD**

		Valuation rend Rates	Valuation rend Rates Plus 1%	Valuation Trend Rates Minus 1%		
July 1, 2014 AAL Percentage Increase/(Decrease)	\$	4,652,471	\$ 5,168,801 11%	\$	4,213,873 (9%)	
2014 – 2015 ARC Percentage Increase/(Decrease)	\$	168,919	\$ 188,401 12%	\$	152,461 (10%)	

reviewing the Milliman work product.



#### **OPEB ASSUMPTION MODEL**

For Actuarial Valuations and Alternative Measurement Method Analyses
Based on Data Measured After August 15, 2012

In order to participate in the California Employers' Retiree Benefit Trust (CERBT) program, employers must provide periodic other post-employment benefit (OPEB) cost reports to the CalPERS Board of Administration.

The CalPERS Board requires that OPEB cost reports must be prepared using actuarial assumptions and methods that comply with Actuarial Standards of Practice and with Governmental Accounting Standards.

If an agency that participates in a defined benefit pension plan lacks reliable or specific information on which to base a choice of an assumption or method, the Board recommends that the agency rely on assumptions and methods used by its pension plan.

The assumptions and methods used by the CalPERS pension plan can be found on the CalPERS website in the OPEB Assumptions Model section of the CERBT program web pages.

Information and suggestions relevant to developing assumptions for an OPEB valuation (e.g., health care cost trend rate) unique to the CERBT program (e.g., expected return and volatility of CERBT investment strategies) as well as select pension plan assumptions are provided below.

# Information Relevant to the CalPERS CERBT Program as of 10/15/2014

Nathaday Assumentian	Comments
Method or Assumption	Comments
Actuarial Cost Method	In pension valuations, CalPERS staff uses Entry Age Normal Cost Method.
Asset Valuation Method	If additional plan assets exist outside of the CalPERS trust fund, then the actuary should devise a method of dividing the liabilities between those to be covered by the CalPERS trust and those covered by the outside assets. The actuary should report to CalPERS only the liabilities of the plan to be covered by the CalPERS trust assets.
Amortization Period	In pension valuations, CalPERS staff assumes payroll increases of 3.00% per annum when calculating the amortization of unfunded accrued liability.
Health Cost Trend Assumptions	CalPERS staff suggests the following Health Cost Trend Assumptions:
	<u>Vision, Dental</u> , etc., other than medical benefits should use a flat trend rate between 2% and 5%.
	Medical benefits should utilize a select and ultimate period, with the select period of no more than 10 years and the ultimate trend rate should be between 4% and 6%.
	If there is the need for a separate pharmacy trend rate, CalPERS staff suggests that it be the same as the medical trend rate assumption or no more than 0.5% higher.
Demographic Assumptions	If the members are covered by a defined benefit pension plan, then CalPERS staff suggests the actuary use the same preretirement decrements, salary growth (due to Seniority, Merit and Promotion if OPEB benefits are based upon salary), percent married, etc. and post-retirement mortality as the assumptions used for the pension plan valuation.

Method or Assumption	Comments
Economic Assumptions	For employers whose contribution policy is to contribute less than the ARC, but more than pay-as-you-go, the long term expected rate of return should be a blended rate that interpolates as prescribed by GASB Statements 43 and 45.
	The assumptions about expected real return, standard deviation, and correlation coefficient of each asset class were developed through a joint effort of the senior CalPERS investment and actuarial staff and outside consultants as part of the CalPERS Board Asset-Liability Workshop.
	The expected long term investment return assumptions were developed for each of the three asset allocation strategies using a building block approach based as well as taking into account the expected inflation rate, short and long term real return expectations, and the expected cash flows of a hypothetical large plan.
	CalPERS staff developed the following economic assumptions.
	General Inflation: 2.75% compounded annually
	Fees: Long term expected returns were reduced by 13 basis points (bps) which reflects CERBT fees in effect at the time this document was created. The proportion of administrative to investment fees is 70% administrative and 30% investment.
	Long Term Expected Return:
	Real return rate assumptions
	Strategy 1
	4.53% long term expected return – 60yr (net of fees)
	11.74% std. dev. of expected returns
	Strategy 2
	3.98% long term expected return – 60yr (net of fees)
	9.32% std. dev. of expected returns
	Strategy 3
	3.37% long term expected return – 60yr (net of fees)
	7.14% std. dev. of expected returns
Implicit Rate Subsidy	Refer to ASOP No. 6 regarding valuing the Implicit Subsidy for health premiums for OPEB. Details regarding the age adjusted health premium rates for the CalPERS PEMHCA program can be found online on the CalPERS website in the CERBT OPEB assumptions model section.

# Judicial Council of California Analysis of PARS expected investment returns

	PARS Portfolio					
	Moderately			Capital		
Asset Class	Conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Balanced	Appreciation	CERBT Strategy 1
Equity	15%	30%	50%	60%	75%	65%
Fixed Income	80%	65%	45%	35%	20%	27%
Cash	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	8%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
PARS expected nominal return	4.95%	5.68%	6.48%	6.85%	7.39%	7.28%
PARS inflation assumption	2.10%	2.10%	2.10%	2.10%	2.10%	2.75%
PARS expected real return	2.85%	3.58%	4.38%	4.75%	5.29%	4.53%
VIA expected nominal return	5.00%	5.50%	6.00%	6.50%	6.75%	6.50%
VIA inflation assumption	2.75%	2.75%	2.75%	2.75%	<b>2.75%</b>	2.75%
VIA expected real return	2.25%	2.75%	3.25%	3.75%	4.00%	3.75%
Difference: PARS - VIA						
Nominal return difference	-0.05%	0.18%	0.48%	0.35%	0.64%	0.78%
Real return difference	0.60%	0.83%	1.13%	1.00%	1.29%	0.78%

Note: VIA capital market assumptions and expected portfolio returns are based on an annual review of data from several capital market publications, including long-term historical market returns. Final results are based on an average of the published amounts for general asset classes applied to each portfolio's composition. Final results are rounded to the nearest 25 bps.