



Retirement Plan Services Communicator

April, 2022

From the Desk of the Director

Thank you for taking the time to read this month’s edition of the Communicator, and Happy Spring! I am pleased to announce that the Annual Pension Board Meeting content will be available on the Retirement Plan Services website during the month of May. Information on the state of the pension system will be provided including content from the Pension Board Chair, County Executive, and pension system actuary. We’ve also included an insert with this newsletter from the pension system’s investment consultant.

To access online content, please navigate to the Retirement Plan Services website by searching for “Milwaukee County Retirement Plan Services” in a search engine, or navigating directly to the Retirement Plan Services home page at County.Milwaukee.Gov/Retirement

We hope you will be able to join the virtual Annual Meeting by accessing the website content and if you experience any technical difficulties, please do not hesitate to contact Retirement Plan Services at ERS@MilwaukeeCountyWI.GOV or 414-278-4207.

Sincerely,
Erika Bronikowski

Market Value of Pension Fund: Period Ending February 28, 2022

Total Fund Composite	\$1,857,850,002
Fixed Income Composite	\$307,504,248
US Equity Composite	\$488,877,063
International Equity Composite	\$230,106,649
Hedged Equity Composite	\$155,284,513
Real Estate Composite	\$145,444,418
Infrastructure Composite	\$198,775,074
Private Equity Composite	\$306,508,441
Total Cash Equivalents	\$25,349,596

Upcoming Check Disbursement Schedule

April 30
May 31
June 30
July 29

Save The Date: 2022 Pension Board Election

Milwaukee County’s pension depends on motivated, passionate Pension Board members to prudently make decisions about pension fund investments and provide strategic input on overall administration. An election for a retiree member to serve a three-year term will be held in August 2022 . More information to come!

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Milwaukee County Aging & Disability Resource

Did you know that we have an organization in Milwaukee County that exists solely to serve and support older adults and adults with disabilities? The Aging and Disability Resource Center (ADRC) exists to meet the mission of Empowering Safe, Healthy, Meaningful Lives. It provides a single point of access to information and services for Milwaukee County older adults and adults with disabilities. The ADRC offers a wide range of services to meet the diverse needs of our community. Highlights include: - Balanced and nutritious lunches at no charge (contributions accepted) from a variety of convenient locations. - Free transportation for older adults and also for any adults who are affected by COVID-19. - Ongoing assistance for older adults and adults with disabilities to stay in their homes.

- Help with understanding, applying for, and using insurance and other benefits.
- Advocacy for older adults and adults with disabilities.
- Wellness and prevention workshops to promote healthy living.
- Answers to all of your questions about resources and information for older adults and adults with disabilities.

If you think that the ADRC can help you or someone you know, please call them anytime at (414) 289-6874 or visit county.milwaukee.gov/aging.

In Memoriam

Please keep the families of these recently deceased retirees in your thoughts:

Dora Banks	Verna Duhart	Kristina Kellar	Norman Mathis	Theresa Robinson	Gary Weida
Donald Barwick	Leola Dunn	Beatrice Lagosh	Luis Osorio	Michael Rose	Ralph Weitzer
Dolores Bauman	Robert Ehlert	David Le Blanc	Jeanette Pearson	Harold Stage	Edgar C Wesling
Patricia Brown	Shirley Henderson	Alice Loberg	Yvonne Petersen	Ralph Templeman	Nancy Williams
Ocie Buckner	Christine Hooten	Thelma Martinez	Violet Pollock	Louis Versteegh	
Minnie Delaney	Erwin Just, Jr	Maria Martinez	John Rath	Barbara Voelker	

Congratulations to Our Newest Retirees!

Carol Beck	Anne DeAngelis	Dinara Foster	Chris Luttrell	Daniel Roddy
Karen Brimley-Massey	Gayle Doukas	Alicia Harwell	John O'Shea	Lynn Shaw
Pamela Currey	Martin Ewart	David Kirkpatrick	John Peplinski	David Sweet

New Changes to Wisconsin State Income Tax

The Wisconsin Department of Revenue revised withholding tax tables for 2022, which means you will likely see a deduction change in State withholding if you currently have state taxes withheld.

It's important to note that you may complete a new Wisconsin Tax Withholding form anytime you wish to change the amount withheld. Please contact us by phone at **414.278.4207** or email **ERS@milwaukeecountywi.gov** if you wish to have this form mailed to you.

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