



Employees' Retirement System Of The City Of Milwaukee

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July 2022 Retiree Newsletter

Beneficiary Form Updates

Please remember to update your beneficiary designation forms for Life Insurance, Pension, and Deferred Compensation. A good rule to use is “if you do not remember when you last did this, if ever, it is probably a good idea to update your information.” Some members have not updated their forms in decades, and it is up to you to inform our office of life changes.

***** **Please find the correct contact information below for the agency from which you retired.** *****

GENERAL CITY, HACM, RACM, POLICE and FIRE, AND WISCONSIN CENTER DISTRICT retirees should call 414-286-3557 to request **Life Insurance** and **Pension** beneficiary designation forms be mailed to you. To print the forms at home, you may visit cmers.com, click on “FORMS” at the top right of the home page where you can then find Life Insurance and Pension Beneficiary forms. **MPS** retirees may update **Pension** forms this way, as well. See below for **MPS** Life Insurance and Deferred Compensation contact information. To have **Deferred Compensation** forms mailed, retirees should call 414-286-5541. To print these forms yourself, you may visit city.milwaukee.gov and at “Directory” go to Deferred Compensation, scroll down to “Beneficiary Form” and print from there.

MPS retirees can access the beneficiary form online at mps.milwaukee.k12.wi.us/MPS-English/OHC/Benefits/LifeInsurance-StandardBeneficiaryDesignation.pdf, or call 414-475-8699 for information on **Life Insurance** and 877-457-9327 (Wisconsin Deferred Compensation) for information on **Deferred Compensation**.

MMSD, VEOLIA and UWS retirees should call 414-225-2049 for information on **Life Insurance**.

ERS Office Open To Public

The ERS Offices are now open to the public, including conducting in-person retirement appointments and providing other services. You can also continue to reach us via phone 414-286-3557 or 800-815-8418, email norm@cmers.com, or by using the self-service function on our website www.cmers.com.

In Memoriam

ERS Retirees who have recently died:

Donald Abbott-MPD
Bruce Ackeret-MFD
Barbara Bensman-MPS
William Breyfogle-Common Council
Melanie Brooks-MPS
Robert Cabot-MPS
Thomas Casper-MPD
Willie Daniels-DPW - Operations
Martha Davis-MPS
David Downing-MFD
Wellington Frelow-DPW - Forestry
Barbara Gorski-MPS
Debra Graff-MMSD
Lawrence Griffin-DPW - Infrastructure
Clayton Guthrie-MPD
James Hartig-MPS
Franklin Hartman-MMSD
James Ito-DPW - Infrastructure
Amparo Jimenez-MPS
Alvin Klafke-Harbor Commission
Barbara Klapka-MPS
James Koepke-MPD
Robert Kout-DCD
Janice Larsen-MPD
Neal Maronn-Engineering
Eva Martinez-MPS
Richard Meagher-MMSD
David Novak-DPW - Infrastructure
Thomas Peterson-MPD
Armaretha Powell-MPS
Steven Roufus-MPD
Susan Scherbarth-ERS
Carol Simenc-Purchasing
Rosemarie Sowinski-MPS
Jerome Swendrowski-MFD
Susan Tarnowski-MPD
Lorrie Warkoczewski-DPW - Water
Richard Warnke-MPS
George Wickboldt-MFD
Gerald Wiersma-MPD

Important August Dates

- **Those who do not have direct deposit:**
Your August 2022 benefit payment will be mailed on Tuesday, August 30th and payable on August 31st.
- **Those who have direct deposit:**
Your August 2022 benefit payment will be in your account on Wednesday, August 31st.
- **Affidavits for July checks** will begin Wednesday, August 10th.

Investment Update

As of May 31, the Fund value was \$5.95 Billion, and the YTD return was -2.6%, net of fees.

Recently Retired ERS Members:

Joanna Agnello- MPS	Daniel Pryor- DPW - Water
Larry Bond- MPS	Richard Quigley- MFD
William Bono- MPD	Barbara Redd- MPS*
David Brown- MPD*	Herman Redd- MPS
Martha Cargile- DER	Kenny Richmond- DPW - Operations
Diedra Cole- MPD*	Acasio Roche- MFD
Roger Davidson- DPW - Administration	Patricia Schmidt- City Attorney
Robin Dedynski- MPS	Michael Sharp- MFD
David Deiringer- MMSD	Arnold Slawny- DPW - Infrastructure
Cheryl Egan- MPS	Kim Stocke- MPS*
Rochelle Friedrich- MPD	Kathleen Swoboda- MPS
Mary Gilfillan- Wisconsin Center	Renee Taylor- MPS
Clarence Glenn- Housing Authority	Elizabeth Totsky- MPS
Sandra Godbolt- DPW - Infrastructure	Karen Verfurth- MMSD
June Gransberry- MPS	Linda Villa- MPS
Mirna Guevara- MPS	Randal Vrzal- Housing Authority
Jose Gutierrez- DPW - Infrastructure	Robert Waldoch- MPD
Thomas Hage- Library	Denice Walker- MPS
Dawn Harris- DPW - Operations	Linda Williams- MPS
James Henner- MPD	Reginald Williams- MPS
Sharon Henning- MMSD	Louis Winters- MPS
Kim Hogan- MPS	Nila Wooten- MPS
Matthew Holtz- MPD*	
Marie Jauregui- Library	
Eric Kentowski- MFD	
Eugene Lacey- MPS	*Deferred retirement
Jill Le Starge- Health	
Lillie Lewis- MPS	
Alma Lopez- MPS	
David Martinez- MPD	
Anita Mathis- MPS	
Nancy Mcgillis- MPS	
Glenn Meister- MPD	