EMPLOYES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF THE CITY OF MILWAUKEE

AT LARGE MEMBER ELECTION

TO ELECT ONE ACTIVE MEMBER TO THE ANNUITY AND PENSION BOARD OF THE EMPLOYES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF THE CITY OF MILWAUKEE

FOR TERM COMMENCING JANUARY 1, 2023 AND EXPIRING DECEMBER 31, 2026.

TERM OF JAMES CAMPBELL EXPIRES DECEMBER 31, 2022

RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE SPECIAL AT LARGE MEMBER ELECTION November 4, 2022

Nomination papers shall be available on <u>www.cmers.com</u> or at the office of the Election Commission, Room 501 of City Hall, on August 1, 2022 and must be filed before 3:30 p.m. August 26, 2022. Nomination papers shall be required of all candidates. Each candidate must have at least 100 and no more than 150 signatures of Active members of the system. Active members can not have signed the nomination paper of any other candidate for the same office at this election. To be eligible for nomination and election, candidates must be defined members. Positions on the ballot shall be determined by lot, and such drawing shall take place in the office of the Election Commission at 10:00 a.m. August 30, 2022. Attendance of candidates is optional.

The election shall be held on November 4, 2022. In the event there are more than two candidates and one candidate receives one more than half the number of the legal votes cast at the election, that person receiving said vote shall be declared elected to the office. In the event of failure of any one candidate to receive one more than half the number of the legal votes cast, then the two candidates having the highest number of votes shall have their names placed on the ballot for the run-off election to be held December 9, 2022. In the event that only one eligible candidate files, no election shall take place and the candidate shall be declared elected to the office.

The election shall be conducted by mail. Instruction sheet, ballot and return envelope shall be furnished to each eligible Active member of the system at least one week before each election. Members who do not receive a ballot should contact the Employes' Retirement System at 789 N. Water St., Suite 300, Milwaukee, WI 53202 or by telephone at 414-286-3557 or 1-800-815-8418 to obtain a ballot. Members shall be required to mark the ballot and enclose such ballot in the return envelope. For the sole purpose of verifying eligible voters, members are required to PRINT their names, and either their pension numbers, person ID numbers or payroll numbers on the outside of the mailing envelope.

ENVELOPES WITHOUT A MEMBER'S NAME, AND EITHER A PENSION NUMBER, PERSON ID NUMBER OR PAYROLL NUMBER SHALL BE DECLARED ILLEGAL AND DISQUALIFIED, AND SHALL BE EXCLUDED FROM THE ELECTION.

Ballots shall be returned in the official envelope via U.S. mail or interdepartmental mail addressed to the City of Milwaukee Election Commission, Room 501.

PLEASE MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO VOTE.

Ballots must be received by the Election Commission, at the ERS office, or be in the Post Office Box no later than 9:00 a.m. the day of the election and results will be tabulated at 789 N. Water St. Any interested person may observe the entire procedure.

ANNUITY AND PENSION BOARD

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