

Alameda County Employees' Retirement Association BOARD OF RETIREMENT

RETIREES COMMITTEE/BOARD MEETING NOTICE and AGENDA

ACERA MISSION:

<u>To provide ACERA members and employers with flexible, cost-effective, participant-oriented</u> benefits through prudent investment management and superior member services.

Wednesday, November 4, 2015 10:30 a.m.

| LOCATION | COMMITTEE MEMBERS | |
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| ACERA C.G. "BUD" QUIST BOARD ROOM 475 14 TH STREET, 10 TH FLOOR OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA 94612-1900 MAIN LINE: 510.628.3000 FAX: 510.268.9574 | LIZ KOPPENHAVER, CHAIR | ELECTED RETIRED |
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| | DALE AMARAL, VICE CHAIR | ELECTED SAFETY |
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| | KEITH CARSON | APPOINTED |
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| | GEORGE DEWEY | APPOINTED |
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| | ELIZABETH ROGERS | ELECTED GENERAL |
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Should a quorum of the Board attend this meeting, this meeting shall be deemed a joint meeting of the Board and Committee.

The order of agenda items is subject to change without notice. Board and Committee agendas and minutes are available online at www.acera.org.

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Call to Order: 10:30 a.m.

Action Items: Matters for Discussion and Possible Motion by the Committee

1. Adoption of Medicare Part B Reimbursement Plan Benefit for 2016

Recommendation and possible motion to continue to provide Medicare Part B Reimbursement Plan (MBRP) benefits to current eligible retirees at the lowest standard monthly premium rate.

Kathy Foster

Recommendation

Staff recommends that the Retirees Committee recommend to the Board of Retirement to continue to provide the Medicare Part B Reimbursement Plan (MBRP) benefits to eligible retirees in 2016, and approve the reimbursement based on the lowest standard monthly Medicare Part B premium. The MBRP benefit is a non-vested benefit funded by contributions from ACERA Employers to the 401(h) account. After contributions are made, in accordance with the County Employee Retirement Law (CERL), ACERA treats an equal amount of Supplemental Retiree Benefit Reserve (SRBR) assets as employer contributions for pensions.

<u>Information Items: These items are not presented for Committee action but consist of status updates and cyclical reports</u>

1. Retiree Health Fair Results and Open Enrollment Activity

Staff will provide results of the Retiree Health Fair and Wellness Center, as well as Open Enrollment activity for Plan Year 2016.

Ismael Piña

2. Miscellaneous Updates

Staff will update the Committee on any recent benefit issues affecting ACERA retirees.

Ismael Piña

Keenan & Associates

Trustee/Public Input

Future Discussion Items

Adoption of Updates to Appendix A of 401(h) Account Resolutions

Establishment of Next Meeting Date

December 2, 2015 at 10:30 a.m.