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Dear Colleague:

The Joint Committee on Public Employee Retirement (JCPER) respectfully submits its 2018 Annual Report for Plan Year 2016 to the General Assembly. This report is designed to comply with the requirements of Section 21.563, RSMo and includes data relating to Missouri's 128 state and local public employee retirement systems. The JCPER hopes this information assists in the transparency of the financial and actuarial condition of Missouri's public employee retirement systems.

This report is the result of the combined efforts of the Joint Committee staff, the Senate's Computer Information Systems staff, and the Senate's Print Shop staff. The JCPER hopes the information contained in this report is helpful to members of the General Assembly in making legislative decisions relating to Missouri's public employee retirement systems.

As policymakers in Missouri and across the country continue to evaluate appropriate retirement benefit levels and work to maintain retirement security for public employees and benefit recipients, the JCPER will continue in its clearinghouse role for comprehensive public pension plan information. This role enables the JCPER to continue in its founding principles of facilitating transparency and providing assistance to the Missouri General Assembly and Missouri taxpayers.

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Sincerely,

Senator Rob Schaaf Chairman

# Foreword

This 2018 Annual Report is a compilation of statistics for the 128 state and local public employee retirement systems in the state of Missouri for plan year 2016.

In measuring the funded status and progress for each individual plan, the assets are stated using a market value, and if adopted by a plan, a "smoothed" or actuarial value of assets. Plan liabilities are stated using actuarial accrued liability. The JCPER staff obtained this information from the annual surveys, actuarial valuations, financial statements, and Comprehensive Annual Financial Reports for plan year 2016. Although the focus of the report is on plan year 2016, to avoid viewing one plan year in isolation, the report includes four years of data in the appendices to better provide for looking at a trend.

In the defined benefit plan section, the term "interest" under actuarial assumptions refers to the assumed rate of return for investments. The term "inactive" for membership includes terminated vested, retired members, surviving beneficiary, disabled members, and if applicable, terminated nonvested members who have not withdrawn employee contributions.

# Note of Appreciation

The JCPER would like to thank the staff of Senate Computer Information Systems and the Senate Print Shop for their assistance in completing this annual report and each individual plan for its reporting and cooperation with JCPER staff.

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**Executive Summary:** In 1983, the Missouri General Assembly established the JCPER as a central reporting entity for Missouri's public pension plans and to provide an analysis function for the General Assembly and Missouri taxpayers. The JCPER is statutorily required to annually compile and submit a report to the General Assembly. In the more than thirty years since collecting its first year of public pension plan data in 1984, the JCPER has served as a resource to the General Assembly. This 2018 annual report reflects pension plan data for plan year 2016.

- The total net assets for Missouri's public pension plans were approximately \$69.2 billion in plan year 2016, increasing from approximately \$69 billion in plan year 2015.
- Total plans reporting to the JCPER equaled 128 plans for plan year 2016. Of these, seventy-seven were
  defined benefit plans, thirty-nine were defined contribution, and twelve were a combination of defined benefit and defined contribution.
- Total membership of Missouri's public pension plans was 613,968, an increase from 596,815 in 2015. Both active membership and inactive membership increased but the gap between the two groups narrowed substantially.
- Net investment income equaled approximately \$1.28 billion, a decrease from plan year 2015's net investment income of approximately \$1.67 billion.
- Of the 128 public pension plans in Missouri, sixteen are "statutory" plans meaning that the General Assembly has established the plan in state statute. Because the plan document is contained in state statute, future changes must be made by an act of the General Assembly unless authority has been granted to the plan's board of trustees. The remaining plans are governed locally by a plan sponsor. It is important to note that the statutory pension provisions in Chapter 105 apply to all public pension plans regardless of the sponsoring entities.

## **BACKGROUND OF THE JCPER**

In 1983, during the First Regular Session of the 82nd General Assembly, Missouri lawmakers established the Joint Committee on Public Employee Retirement (JCPER). The General Assembly took this action in response to the growing concern regarding the fiscal integrity of Missouri's state and local public employee retirement systems. Previously, no centralized reporting agency existed that was charged with maintaining information regarding these public plans. This permanent pension review and oversight body consists of six senators and six representatives. Section 21.553, RSMo, mandates that the committee be bipartisan in nature by stating that "no political party shall be represented on the committee by more than three members from the Senate nor more than three members from the House." The JCPER is governed by provisions in both Chapters 21 and 105 of the Missouri Revised Statutes. Provisions in Chapter 105 apply to all state and local public employee retirement systems.

#### Responsibilities of the JCPER established by Chapter 21:

- Make a continuing study and analysis of all state and local government retirement systems;
- Devise a standard reporting system to obtain data on each public employee retirement system that will provide information on each system's financial and actuarial status at least biennially;
- Determine from its study and analysis the need for changes in statutory law;
- Make any other recommendations to the General Assembly necessary to provide adequate retirement benefits to state and local government employees within the ability of the taxpayers to support their future costs.

#### Provisions in Chapter 105 establish the following requirements for public retirement plans:

- Are to be held in trust and shall not be commingled with any other funds;
- Are considered fiduciaries and may invest according to the prudent person standard;
- Submit to the JCPER an actuarial cost statement prior to taking final action on a substantial proposed change in plan benefits;
- May participate in cooperative agreements providing portability of public employee retirement benefits;
- Perform an actuarial valuation at least biennially in compliance with recommended standards of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB);
- File proposed rules with the JCPER;
- Submit investment performance to the JCPER on a quarterly basis;
- Notify the JCPER within seven calendar days when a plan's governing board takes final action providing a cost-of-living increase or new or additional payments beyond plan provisions of the prior plan year;
- Establish a program of board member education for annual education of board members.

#### Activities of the JCPER:

During plan calendar year 2017, the JCPER engaged in the following activities:

• **PERS Annual Reporting**. The JCPER conducted an annual survey of Missouri's state and local public employee retirement systems and collected information for analysis, including asset values, liabilities,

- benefit levels, membership, asset allocation, advisors, composition of board of trustees, and fees for professional services such as actuary, investment custodian, investment consultants, and administrators. The JCPER reviewed this information, along with actuarial valuations and financial statements, and compiled it into the appendices to this report. It is the policy of the JCPER to examine multiple years of information rather than look at one year in isolation.
- Assistance to the General Assembly. The JCPER staff monitored forty-four retirement-related bills during the 2017 regular legislative session. The General Assembly passed two bills. The Governor signed both into law. (See State Legislation section.)
- Assistance to Local PERS. The JCPER continues to provide assistance to local PERS throughout the state. This assistance may range from individual plan analysis, plan comparisons, and outlining statewide trends. The JCPER continues to advocate this very important function and encourages local PERS to contact it.
- Internet Resource. Information relating to the JCPER is available on the JCPER's website, jcper.org. Maintained by the Senate Computer Information Systems staff, the website provides access to information regarding JCPER committee meetings, statutes governing the JCPER and public employee retirement systems, the JCPER Annual Report and Annual Watch List, a PERS directory, and current and historical state retirement legislation monitored by JCPER staff.

#### Statutory Governance of Missouri's Public Pension Plans

Section 21.563, RSMo requires that the JCPER annual report "...include an analysis and statement of the manner in which statutory provisions relating to public employee retirement programs are being executed." Multiple statutory provisions apply to Missouri's state and local public employee retirement systems. Missouri statutes govern public pension plans in two ways. First, sixteen public pension plans are created by statute. Specific statutory provisions govern these plans' boards of trustees, funding and investment requirements, and benefit structure. Second, statutes in Chapter 105 contain provisions that govern all Missouri public pension plans, including provisions relating to fiduciary responsibility, financial reporting, filing of administrative rules, time frame and public availability of actuarial cost statements for certain benefit changes, requirements for actuarial valuations and cost statements, and education requirements for board member education. Public pension plans are required to submit quarterly investment reporting to the JCPER, which reviews this information at its quarterly meetings, and notify the JCPER of cost-of-living adjustments.

#### Missouri's Public Employee Retirement Systems

At the close of plan year 2016, 128 public pension plans in Missouri reported to the JCPER. Two plans reported to the JCPER for the first time: Franklin County SB40 Board and the defined contribution component of the University of Missouri Retirement, Disability and Death Benefit Plan for employees hired on or after October 1, 2012.

The charts on the next page provide a breakdown of Missouri's public retirement plans in terms of plan sponsors, showing the various public entity categories that sponsor public retirement plans. Plan sponsors include the state, municipalities, public hospitals, and political subdivisions, including public libraries, public safety entities, and public utility districts. Information for individual plans is included in the Appendices to this report. For comparison purposes, information for two plan years is included to show the changes that have occurred from year to year regarding plan membership and asset levels.

PERS	TOTAL # PLANS	ACTIVE MEM- BERS	NON-ACTIVE MEMBERS	ASSETS
Municipalities	50	17,147	18,761	\$ 5,563,337,866
Fire Protection Districts	37	1,666	583	\$ 463,825,565
Hospitals & Health Centers	9	6,776	4,481	\$ 530,159,578
Statewide	7	110,428	111,113	\$ 17,103,863,502
Transit Authorities	5	2,397	2,117	\$ 236,565,312
Public Schools & Universities	6	161,414	161,728	\$ 44,083,423,274*
Counties	3	5,152	6,816	\$ 855,223,566*
Public Libraries	1	359	333	\$ 42,703,967
Drainage & Levee Districts	1	11	5	\$ 1,303,783
Public Water Supply Districts	3	35	5	\$ 4,968,998
Sewer Districts	1	953	914	\$ 255,948,921
Ambulance Districts	2	40	8	\$ 2,294,287
Other	3	639	87	\$ 64,437,401
TOTALS	128	307,017	306,951	\$ 69,208,056,020 *

## Plan Year 2016

The data listed for plan year 2016 shows an increase in both active and inactive members and an increase in overall asset values.

## Plan Year 2015

PERS	TOTAL # PLANS	ACTIVE MEM- BERS	NON-ACTIVE MEMBERS	ASSETS
Municipalities	50	17,315	18,576	\$ 5,554,482,128
Fire Protection Districts	37	1,758	503	\$ 433,449,900
Hospitals & Health Centers	9	6,473	4,748	\$ 505,864,121
Statewide	7	110,081	106,987	\$ 17,580,554,585
Transit Authorities	6	2,357	2,067	\$ 237,254,372
Public Schools & Universities	6	153,988	156,966	\$ 43,498,789,987
Counties	2	5,190	6,505	\$ 839,474,541
Public Libraries	1	353	343	\$ 40,219,753
Drainage & Levee Districts	1	11	5	\$ 1,327,678
Public Water Supply Districts	3	34	3	\$ 4,747,447
Sewer Districts	1	951	886	\$ 247,715,790
Ambulance Districts	2	41	9	\$ 2,051,957
Other	3	584	81	\$ 60,903,702
TOTALS	128	299,136	297,679	\$ 69,006,835,961

\* The asset values for Plan Year 2016 include the defined contribution component of the University of Missouri Retirement, Disability & Death Benefit Plan and the Franklin County SB40 Resource Board DC Plan, both of which reported to the JCPER for the first time in 2016. If these two plans' assets were excluded, the Total for plan year 2016 would be \$68,288,021,721, the Public Schools & Universities sector would be \$43,163,969,524, and the Counties sector would be \$854,643,017.

#### Types of Public Employee Retirement Plans:

Two common types of public sector retirement plans exist: Defined Benefit and Defined Contribution.

**Defined benefit (DB):** The defined benefit plan is the most common type of plan covering Missouri public employees in seventy-seven of the 128 plans. A defined benefit plan is funded by employer contributions, and in some cases, employee contributions. Generally, defined benefit plans specify that a retirement benefit is based on years of creditable service and a final average salary calculation. Most plans calculate the average of a member's salary for three or five years prior to retirement. The most common benefit formula provides that a member will receive a certain percentage of his or her final average salary calculation, known as the benefit multiplier. Typical benefit multipliers range from 1.0% to 2.5%. The selection of a benefit multiplier is often influenced by whether plan members participate in Social Security.



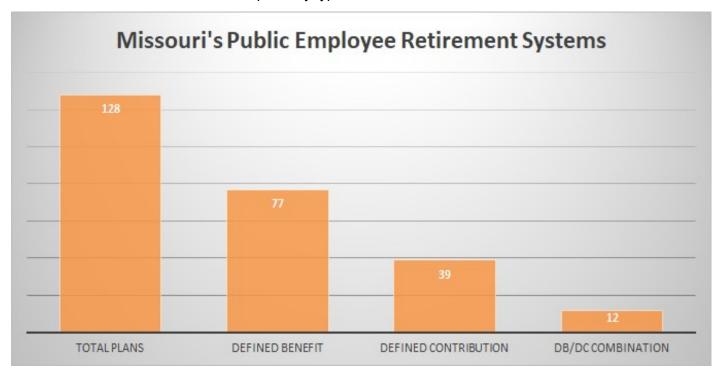
Alternatively, a few Missouri defined benefit plans calculate the retirement benefit using a flat dollar amount for each year of service. In a defined benefit plan, a member's retirement benefit is payable for the member's lifetime. Depending on the option chosen and plan structure, the plan may also provide disability and/or survivor benefits. It is important to note that the employer bears the investment risk. This report focuses primarily on defined benefit plans.

**Defined Contribution (DC):** A defined contribution plan consists of employer and/or employee contributions into an individual account with the accumulated account balance available at retirement age including any investment gains or losses. With a defined contribution plan, no minimum benefit is guaranteed or specified for members.



The employee bears the investment risk and is often responsible for making investment decisions. Investment options may include mutual funds, target date retirement funds, or stable value funds. For plan year 2016, thirty-nine defined contribution plans reported to the JCPER.

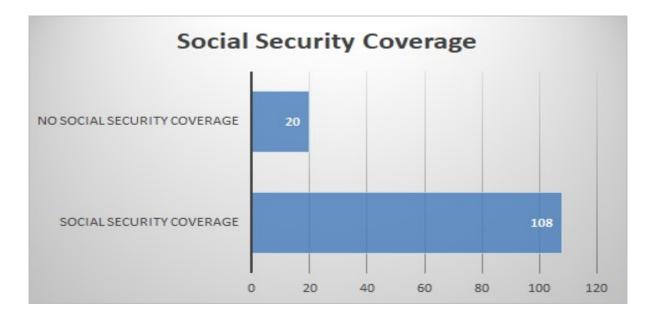
**Hybrid Plan Design**: Some plan sponsors offer a retirement plan that incorporates both a DB and a DC component with a minimal lifetime benefit accompanied by an individual employee DC account. Twelve such plans exist in Missouri.



The chart below shows the number of plans by type in Missouri:

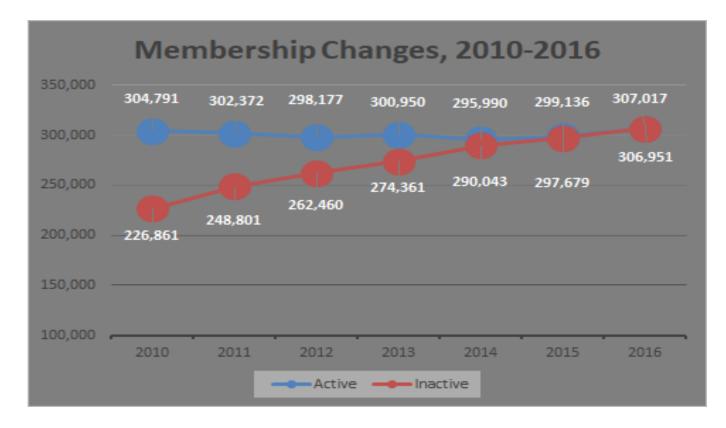
#### **Social Security Coverage**

Social Security coverage is mandatory for the majority of Missouri's public employee plans. Social Security coverage is established and governed by a Section 218 agreement between the employer political subdivision and the Social Security Administration. As described in the State Legislation section of this report, one portion of SB 62 (2017) sought to address the issue of Social Security coverage for the St. Louis Airport Police Officers. Plans whose members are not covered by Social Security generally provide a higher benefit formula and may have lower age and service requirements. Twenty plans are not covered by Social Security, including 83,881 active members and 64,680 inactive members. Eighteen of these plans are defined benefit and two are defined contribution.



## Membership in Missouri's Public Employee Retirement Systems

In plan year 2016, total public plan membership in Missouri increased by 17,153 members from plan year 2015. This number of members is the highest for the past ten years. Both active and inactive membership increased from plan year 2015 and by a greater amount than in previous years. Inactive membership continued to experience substantial growth, a trend beginning in 2010. In plan year 2016, inactive membership increased by 9,272 members. With only sixty-six members of difference between active and inactive, it is possible that in plan year 2017 or 2018 that the number of inactive members may exceed the number of active members for the first time. It is interesting to note that when the JCPER first began reporting plan data, inactive members composed approximately 22% of total plan membership. In contrast, in plan year 2016, inactive members compose approximately 49.9% of total membership.



## Funding of Missouri's Public Employee Retirement Systems

Defined benefit pension plans are composed of two primary sources of income and two primary expenditure categories, commonly referred to as the pension funding equation:



These four categories must be adjusted if the income sources do not equal the expenditure categories long-term.

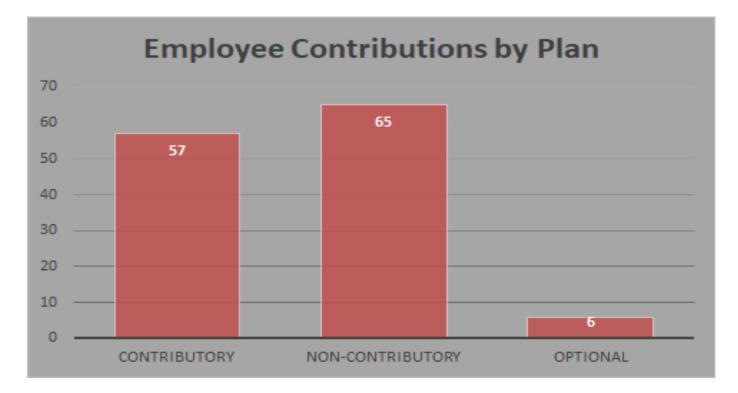
#### **Contributory Plans and Non-Contributory Plans:**

**Contributory Plans**: A contributory plan requires the employee to contribute a portion of earnings to the plan. The contribution rate varies by plan and is in addition to the employer's contribution. For plans whose members do not participate in Social Security, the contribution rate tends to be higher, in part because, as previously noted, the benefit level tends to be higher. The lowest employee contribution rate is 1%. Out of plans whose members do not participate in Social Security, the highest contribution rate is 18.08%. For plans whose members do participate in Social Security, the highest employee contribution rate is 9%. In addition, at least four plans require employee contributions that are calculated as flat dollar amounts per pay period rather than as a percent of compensation.

For purposes of this report, the Judicial Retirement System, Missouri State Employees' Retirement System, and the MoDOT & Highway Patrol Employees' Retirement System have been included as contributory even though some employees are required to contribute and some are not; the General Assembly passed legislation requiring employees hired on or after January 1, 2011 to contribute 4% to these plans.

**Non-Contributory Plans**: In a non-contributory plan, employees do not contribute. The employer is responsible for making the full contribution.

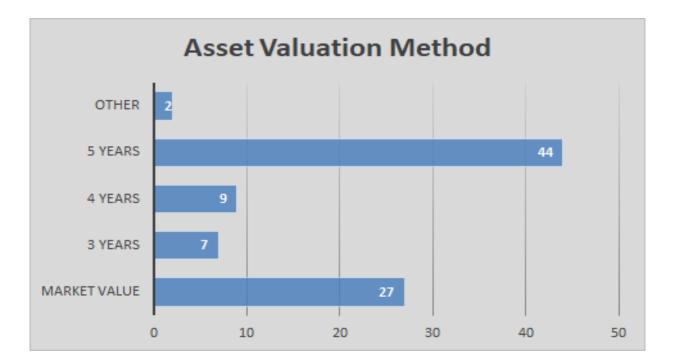
**Optional:** Six plans permit, but do not require, employee contributions: one defined benefit plan and five defined contribution plans. First, the Local Government Employees' Retirement System (LAGERS) permits each member political subdivision, as part of its benefit package election, to choose whether to require employees to contribute 4%. Some employers require employee contributions while others do not. Second, five defined contribution plans provide that employee contributions are optional. As a result, some employees choose to contribute while others do not.



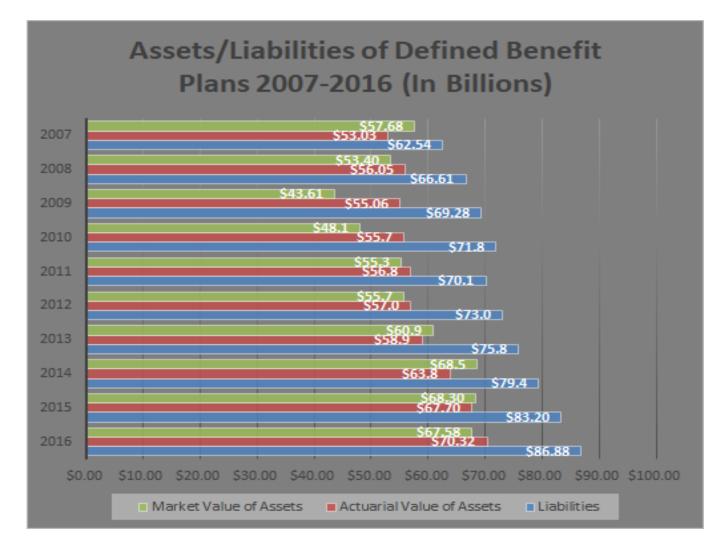
## Assets & Liabilities:

To determine the ongoing nature of Missouri's defined benefit plans, the JCPER must examine each plan's assets and liabilities.

**Valuation of Assets:** Missouri's defined benefit plans value their assets for funding purposes in one of two ways: market or actuarial. First, some plans value their assets at market value, or the true value of assets. Second, some plans use an asset smoothing process where investment gains and losses are recognized over a set period of time to smooth the effect of investment market fluctuations. This smoothing may help to reduce volatility in asset values and the contribution rate. Due to a smoothing method, actuarial values may differ considerably from market values. The chart below lists the number of plans that use a particular asset valuation method.

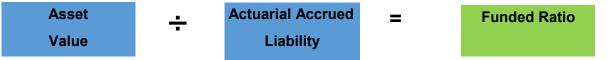


**Ten Year Trend of Assets & Liabilities of Defined Benefit Plans:** Because of the long-term nature of most plans, a one-year snapshot is not particularly useful. As such, the JCPER maintains plan data that enables a trend analysis to be produced over a period of years. The chart on the following page shows a ten year history of the assets and liabilities of the defined benefit plans, beginning with values in 2007, immediately prior to the financial market downturn of 2008-2009. For plan year 2016, actuarial value of assets increased by approximately \$2.62 billion and liabilities increased by approximately \$3.68 billion. However, market value of assets decreased from plan year 2015 by approximately \$0.72 billion. In addition, this chart shows the decline in asset values experienced in 2008 and 2009 and the amount of time that passed before asset levels recovered to prior levels.



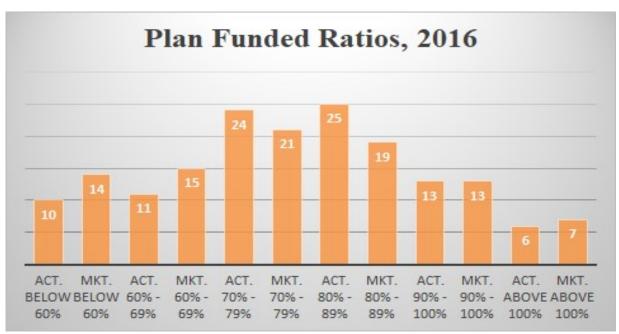
This chart also shows the difference between market value of assets and actuarial value of assets and the effectiveness of smoothing to mitigate volatility. For example, market value of assets decreased by approximately \$9.79 billion between plan years 2008 and 2009 in contrast to a decrease in the actuarial value of assets of approximately \$0.99 billion. Conversely, this chart also shows how the smoothing in of investment gains may result in slower asset growth than using market value; for example, between plan year 2013 and plan year 2014, market value of assets increased by approximately \$7.6 billion whereas actuarial value of assets increased by approximately \$4.9 billion.

**Funded Ratio**: While many factors must be considered when analyzing a pension plan, one measurement tool is the plan's funded ratio. A funded ratio is a measurement of the plan's assets to liabilities. A plan's funded ratio is calculated in the following manner:



A funded ratio may be calculated using either market value of assets or actuarial value of assets. Missouri statutes use a plan's funded ratio as a benchmark in three situations. First, section 105.685, RSMo requires a pension plan to have a funded ratio of 80%, based on actuarial value of assets, before adopting or

implementing an additional benefit increase or cost-of-living adjustment which would increase the plan's actuarial accrued liability.<sup>1</sup> Second, section 105.684 requires any plan with a funded ratio of less than 60% to have the plan's actuary prepare an accelerated contribution schedule.<sup>2</sup> Third, section 105.683 uses a plan's funded ratio to determine whether a plan is deemed delinquent in contribution payments.<sup>3</sup> In addition, the JCPER publishes an annual watch list that uses a funded ratio of less than 70%, based on market value of assets, as the threshold for inclusion. As shown in the chart below, due to many plans using a smoothing method for investment gains and losses, a funded ratio on an actuarial basis may differ considerably from a funded ratio on a market value basis.



The median funded ratio on an actuarial basis is 79%. The median funded ratio on a market value basis is 77%. The average funded ratio on an actuarial basis is 80%. The average funded ratio on a market value basis is 78%. When examining Missouri DB plans as a whole, the funded ratio in the aggregate is 77.8% on a market value basis and 80.9% on an actuarial basis.

**Amortization of Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL):** When a pension plan has an actuarial accrued liability figure that exceeds its asset values, an unfunded actuarial accrued liability exists. Depending on the actuarial cost method used by the plan, the UAAL may be amortized over a time period as part of an overall plan to reduce, and eventually eliminate, the UAAL. In recent years, the JCPER has requested that each plan provide information relating to the type of amortization method. Plans reporting to the JCPER use one of three amortization approaches: an open period, a closed period, or a closed period with layers. For example, a plan may amortize its UAAL over a thirty year period. A plan using an open thirty year period would mean that the thirty year amortization period is reset every year to a new thirty year period. For an open policy, the UAAL is not expected to be fully amortized. In contrast, a closed period reduces the amortization period by one year annually until the UAAL is fully amortized, similar to a home mortgage. A layered approach uses an initial base of a period of years with each additional year's gains or losses amortized separately over a period of years. For example, a plan might set up an initial base to be amortized over

#### Footnotes:

- 1. Mo. Ann. Stat. § 105.685 (West 2015). 3. Mo. Ann. Stat. § 105.683 (West 2015).
- 2. Mo. Ann. Stat. § 105.684 (West 2015).

thirty years with each subsequent year's investment gains or losses set up as a separate layer to be amortized over a period of twenty years.

At least nine plans use the Aggregate cost method, under which an amortization period is not established because the cost method does not provide for an unfunded past service liability. Thirty plans use an open amortization period. Twenty-six plans use a closed amortization period. Seventeen plans use a closed amortization period with additional layers.

**Actuarial Assumptions:** Because predicting the future is a difficult proposition, each plan's actuary must provide recommendations of assumptions to be used and decided on by governing boards. These assumptions are key in determining the value of future liability, possible future behavior of plan participants, and as a result, plan contributions or costs. Generally, actuarial assumptions fall into two broad categories. First, economic assumptions are tied to financial "behavior." Second, demographic assumptions are tied to plan member "behavior." These assumptions assist in projecting future behaviors and benefit obligations.

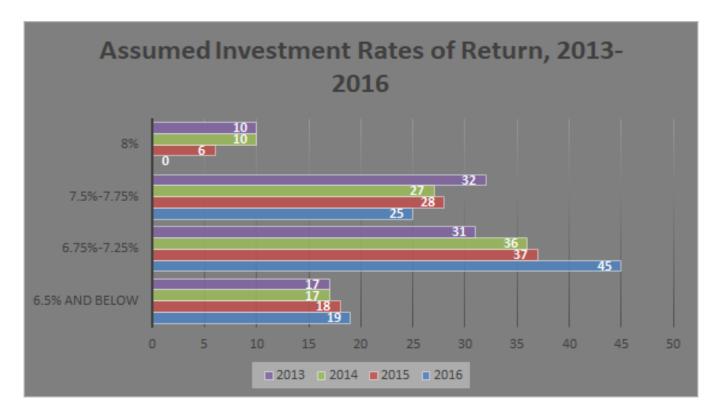
**Primary Economic Assumptions include**: Investment Rate of Return, Price Inflation, Salary Increases, Payroll Growth.

Primary Demographic Assumptions include: Mortality, Retirement Rate, Turnover/Withdrawal Rate

**Investment Rate of Return:** With the investment markets boom in the 1990s, many plan investment strategies were modified, and in some cases, plan investment rate of return assumptions were increased accordingly. However, investment markets have changed since the early 2000s, particularly after the financial downturn of 2008-2009. This change has resulted in many plans reevaluating capital market expectations and the reasonableness of their investment rate of return assumptions. The National Association of State Retirement Administrators has described how low interest rates and inflation since the economic downturn of 2008-2009 has resulted in lower expectations for returns in most asset classes.<sup>4</sup> As a result, many plans have reduced their assumptions for investment rate of return. Of 129 plans surveyed nationwide, NASRA found that three-quarters have reduced the assumption since fiscal year 2010. In addition, the average return assumption has decreased from 7.9 to 7.36. NASRA also notes the difficulty plans face in adjusting assumptions when short-term expectations may differ from long-term expectations.

Missouri's plans continue to adjust the assumed investment rate of return. Since 2009, some pension plan governing boards have decreased the investment rate of return assumption. This trend of decreasing the assumption increased in plan years 2015 and 2016. Furthermore, by the close of plan year 2016, no Missouri plan was using an 8% investment rate of return assumption. The investment rate of return assumption used by Missouri plans ranged from 4.75 to 7.75. The median is 7.0. The average is 6.94. The chart on the next page shows the distribution of investment rate of return assumptions from plan year 2013 through plan year 2016.

4 National Association of State Retirement Administrators, Issue Brief, "NASRA Issue Brief: Public Pension Plan Investment Return Assumption," February 2018, <u>https://www.nasra.org/files/Issue%20Briefs/</u> NASRAInvReturnAssumptBrief.pdf

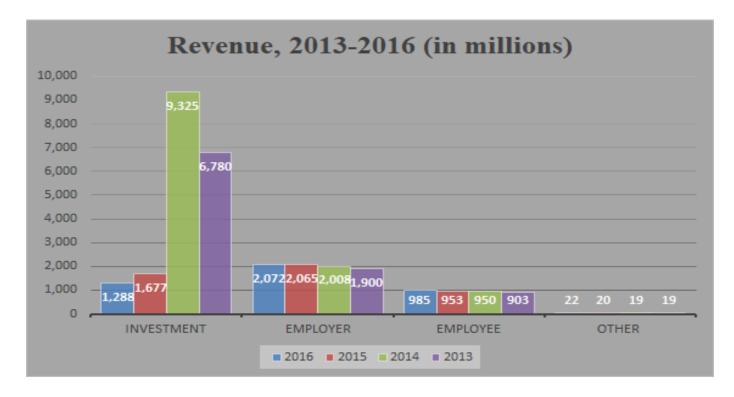


**Looking Ahead**: Between the close of plan year 2016 and the time of this report's publication, the JCPER staff is aware of at least six plans that have decreased their investment rate of return assumption based on evaluating the results of an experience study, an existing schedule, or upon recommendation of the actuary.

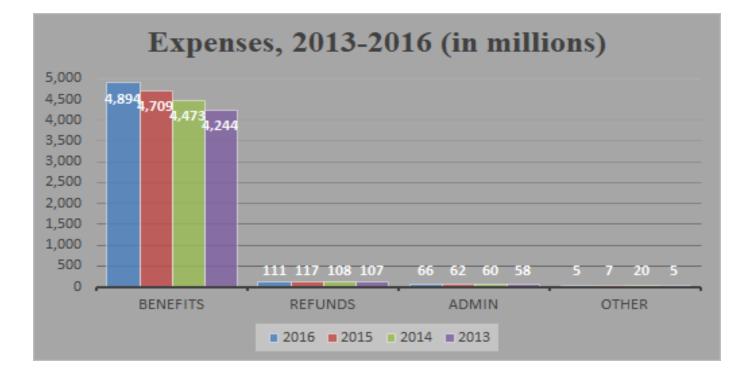
**Contribution Rates:** Public pension plans serve many purposes, which may include recruiting and retaining quality employees, being a part of a comprehensive compensation package, ensuring a dynamic and changing workforce, and facilitating retirement security. Inherently, the payment of benefits earned by membership is the primary obligation and purpose of a public pension plan. A plan's ability to meet this obligation is necessarily correlated to receiving plan revenues and adhering to the previously noted pension funding equation. Plan revenues are comprised of employer/employee contributions and investment returns.

The investment market environment of the last decade has resulted in higher recommended contribution levels. In addition, as plan governing boards have modified plan assumptions in an effort to reflect the changing demographic and financial experience, plan contribution rates have been affected. Although public pension plans are viewed as long-term entities due to the perpetual nature of government, the necessity to meet annual budgetary requirements with increased plan contribution rates may be challenging for plan sponsors. In October 2009, the Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) recommended that government employers contribute the full annual required contribution to assist in pension plan sustainability. In plan year 2016, approximately 66% of Missouri's plans either met or exceeded the full contribution. Approximately 39% of plans exceeded the full contribution.

Plan year 2016 aggregate employer contributions increased to approximately \$2.072 billion, an increase of approximately \$7 million from plan year 2015's aggregate employer contributions of approximately \$2.065 billion. Aggregate employee contributions in plan year 2016 were approximately \$985 million, an increase



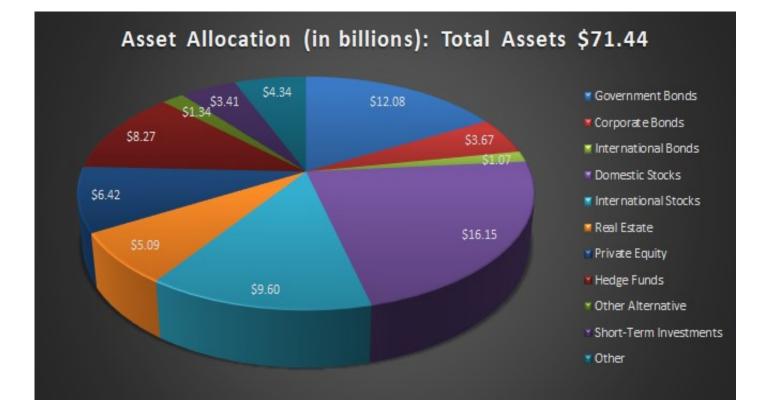
**Expenses:** Expenses in plan year 2016 increased from plan year 2015 with benefit payments constituting the largest increase. Benefit payments increased from approximately \$4.7 billion in 2015 to approximately \$4.89 billion in 2016. Refunds, however, decreased.



## **Investments & Asset Allocation**

**Statutory Investment Requirements:** Chapter 105 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri governs Missouri's public pension plans, including provisions relating to plan investments and pension plan boards of trustees fiduciary responsibilities. Specifically, section 105.688 mandates the use of the Prudent Person Rule, which requires plan investment fiduciaries to "discharge his or her duties in the interest of the participants in the system and their beneficiaries and shall...act with the same care, skill, prudence, and diligence under the circumstances then prevailing that a prudent person acting in a similar capacity and familiar with those matters would use in the conduct of a similar enterprise with similar aims..."<sup>5</sup> In addition, this statute further requires plan investment fiduciaries to make "...investments for the purposes of providing benefits to participants and participants' beneficiaries, and of defraying reasonable expenses of investing the assets of the system..."<sup>6</sup> Given that investment income is one of two sources of income in the pension funding equation, it is critical that fiduciaries develop and review investment policies, strategies, and asset allocation. Each plan board of trustees sets an investment policy based on the fiduciary standards previously mentioned.

**Asset Allocation:** Section 105.688 also requires that plan fiduciaries give appropriate consideration to the diversification of the investments of the system. The chart below shows aggregate plan year 2016 asset allocation used by Missouri's PERS. The level of diversification and variety of asset classes often varies based on the size of the PERS; the larger PERS have opportunities to invest in alternative asset classes such as private equity, hedge funds, and commodities unlike smaller PERS. Smaller PERS are more likely to invest in mutual funds or exchange traded funds. Plan members in DC plans may have options to self-direct their investments with options such as mutual funds, target date funds, or stable value funds.



5 Mo. Ann. Stat. § 105.688 (West 2015). 6 Mo. Ann. Stat. § 105.688 (West 2015). The "Other" category includes some plan investments that do not fit under one of the other categories. Examples include mutual funds that contain exposure to more than one asset class, such as fixed income funds that include government and corporate bonds, and target date retirement funds used in defined contribution plans, which contain a mixture of equities and fixed income holdings. The "Other Alternative" category may include commodities, timber, and infrastructure investments.

The total amount of assets identified in the asset allocation chart does not necessarily equal the aggregate market value of assets at the end of plan year 2016 due to different portfolio structures and investments.

## **Pension Reforms**

Based on data analyzed from a survey of approximately 246 state and local government retirement plans between 2009 and 2014, the Center for State & Local Government Excellence found that 74% of state plans and 57% of large local plans have adopted pension reforms to address rising costs.<sup>7</sup> In addition, a June 2016 report from NASRA found that the events of the economic recession of 2007-2009 resulted in nearly all states pursuing some form of pension reform.<sup>8</sup> The NASRA report indicated that the number of changes was unprecedented and due to different state pension structures, budgets, costs, and legal frameworks, no single change or reform could apply to each situation. On the whole, the majority of pension reforms have included requiring greater employee contributions, reductions in cost of living adjustments, increasing em-ployee age and service requirements, and in some cases, decreasing benefits. Missouri is no exception. Since 2009, at least twenty-four Missouri defined benefit plans have implemented structural changes in an effort to address cost containment concerns. Examples include reducing a benefit multiplier, reducing or eliminating a COLA, increasing employee contributions, increasing age and service requirements, and re-ducing the amount of employee contributions refunded upon retirement. Some plan sponsors have enacted a new benefit tier for employees hired on or after a certain date, often including some of the previously men-tioned changes. Other plan sponsors have closed or frozen a defined benefit plan and either established a new defined contribution plan or joined Missouri LAGERS.

## National Issues

Public pension issues continue to be highlighted cross the country. The role of the federal government relative to pensions has been a source of discussion for many decades since the passage of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA) in 1974. In February 2018, Congress included in its budget act the creation of the bipartisan Joint Select Committee on the Solvency of Multiemployer Pension Plans to improve the solvency of multiemployer plans and the federal Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation. Also at the national level, in June 2015, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) issued two statements relating to reporting for OPEB, or postemployment benefit plans other then pension plans. Statement No. 74, *Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefit Plans Other Than Pension Plans* and Statement No. 75, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other than Pensions*, will

7 Jean-Pierre Aubry and Caroline V. Crawford, Issue Brief, "State and Local Pension Reform Since the Financial Crisis," Center for State & Local Government Excellence, December 2016, <u>http://slge.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/12/State-and-Local-Pension-Reform-Since-the-Financial-Crisis.pdf</u>

8 Keith Brainard and Alex Brown, "Spotlight on Significant Reforms to State Retirement Systems," National Association of State Retirement Administrators, June 2016, <u>https://www.nasra.org//Files/Spotlight/Significant%20Reforms.pdf</u> affect how state and local governments perform accounting and financial reporting of OPEB liabilities. Implementation dates for the statements are for plan fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2016 (74) and June 15, 2017 (75).

## State Issues

As the Second Regular Session of the Missouri 99th General Assembly convenes, legislators will face numerous topics, with budgetary issues likely being the most difficult. While the State appropriations process may not directly affect most of Missouri's public pension plans, a primary source of revenue for all plans is the Missouri taxpayer. This fundamental concept continues to be paramount when the General Assembly sets public policy. To monitor pension related legislation during the 2018 legislative session, weekly updates are posted to the JCPER's website: <u>http://jcper.org/weekly-pension-legislation/</u>

During the 2017 regular session, legislators introduced forty-four pension-related bills. At the end of session, two pension-related bills were truly agreed to and finally passed. Both bills were signed by the Governor.

**Senate Bill 34**: Omnibus crime bill containing multiple provisions of law. One provision revised the felony conviction pension forfeiture law previously enacted in 2014. Applies to all public pension plans.

**Senate Bill 62:** Introduced as a single-provision bill to change the contribution amount for the College and University Retirement Plan. It requires employers to contribute 6% and requires employees to contribute 2%. Later, the bill was amended and became an omnibus pension bill. Included provisions relating to the following retirement systems:

- All public plans: Revised the felony conviction pension forfeiture law previously enacted in 2014;
- County Employees' Retirement Fund: Increased certain fees and penalties used to fund the retirement system;
- MOSERS & MPERS: Decreased the vesting requirement from ten years to five years for employees hired on or after January 1, 2011. Contained three offsets for terminated vested members to make the change cost-neutral;
- MOSERS & MPERS: Permitted the MOSERS and MPERS boards of trustees to implement a buy-out program for terminated vested members;
- PSRS & PEERS: Changed the timeframe for notification of remarriage and nomination of a successor beneficiary from ninety days to one year. Permits a divorced member who meets certain conditions to pop-up from a reduced benefit with survivor annuity to a single-life annuity;
- PSRS & Kansas City PSRS: Modified return-to-work laws for members receiving retirement benefits;
- St. Louis Airport Police Officers: Addressed transfers between retirement systems for St. Louis Airport Police Officers. Testimony in committee indicated this provision was needed to address a Social Security coverage issue;
- St. Louis PSRS: Lowered the rule of 85 to rule of 80. Statutorily established employee and employer contribution rates. Employee contributions will increase to 9% and the employer contribution rate will decrease by 0.5% annually to 9%. Lowers the benefit formula multiplier from 2.0 to 1.75 for employees hired on/after 1/1/18.

#### Implementation of House Bill 1443 (2016)

Calendar year 2017 saw the implementation of House Bill 1443 (2016), which permitted the LAGERS board of trustees to enter into an agreement with the board of trustees of a LAGERS-member political subdivision for LAGERS to assume the duties and responsibilities of operating a prior closed or frozen pension plan. In calendar year 2017, LAGERS assumed the operation of both Jefferson City Firemen's Retirement System and Jennings Police & Firemen's Retirement Fund. Both plans had been closed for a number of years; plan sponsors had previously testified in legislative committee in favor of the legislation.

#### Looking Forward & Conclusion

This annual report contains information from the JCPER's annual survey for plan year 2016. However, since the end of plan year 2016 on December 31, 2016, and through this report's publication in early March 2018, significant changes have occurred in the investment markets. In contrast to much of 2015 and 2016, beginning after the November 2016 presidential election, the investment markets have experienced strong performance with equities, in particular, reaching record high levels. Quarterly investment performance reporting to the JCPER under section 105.661, RSMo during calendar year 2017 has shown the positive impact these investment market gains have had on many, if not most, of Missouri's state and local public employee retirement systems.

Nevertheless, this strong performance in the investment markets has been met with increasing volatility. In mid-February 2018, shortly before publication of this report, domestic stock market indices dropped significantly. Although markets appear to have rebounded somewhat from this drop, there have been concerns raised about increasing volatility in investment markets. Additional uncertainty exists regarding the possibility of rising interest rates and increasing inflation. At the same time, public plans continue to evaluate recent positive investment performance in conjunction with lower long-term capital market expectations.

As these challenges for public pension plans and state and local governments continue to exist, the mission of the JCPER has never been more important. The existence of the JCPER was a direct response to the very public concerns of the stability of public pension plans in the early 1980s. Established in 1983, the JCPER continues to serve as the centralized reporting entity for Missouri's public pension plans. In light of the continued response to public plan experience, it is essential that the General Assembly insist on proper disclosure to ensure transparency of plan information.



# **DEFINED BENEFIT PLANS**

It should be noted that data included in these appendices reflect PERS information from plan year 2016.

#### **AFFTON FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 39 Inactive: 26

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$300,389 Employee: \$229,679

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 1.7333% of compensation x years of creditable service Early retirement reduced 2% per year less 30 Years Temporary Benefit: Supplemental Benefit: \$500 monthly to Medicare eligiblity

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Age 60 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

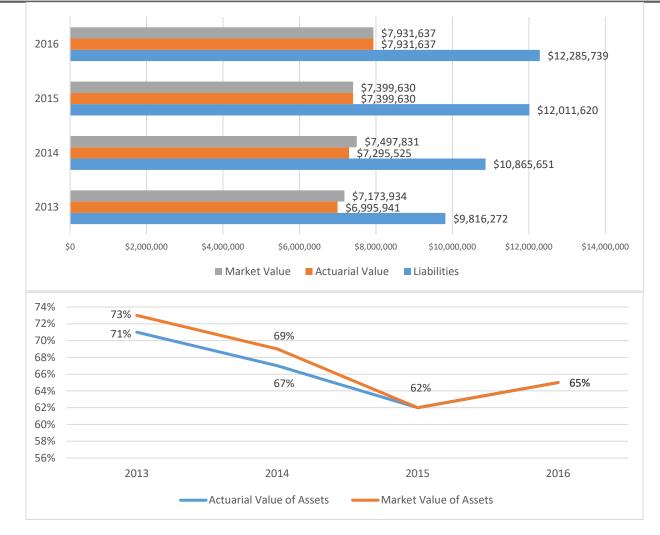
Valuation of Assets: Market Value

Mortality Table: RP 2014 Healthy Male, set back 4 years for females

Vesting: Partial 3 / Full 7

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 6.5% Salary: 3.5%



## ANTONIA FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT PENSION PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 15 Inactive: 6

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$101,925 Employee: Non-Contributory

**BENEFITS**:

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 2.25% of compensation for first 24 years of service + 1% for next 6 years of service

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 55

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: Market Value

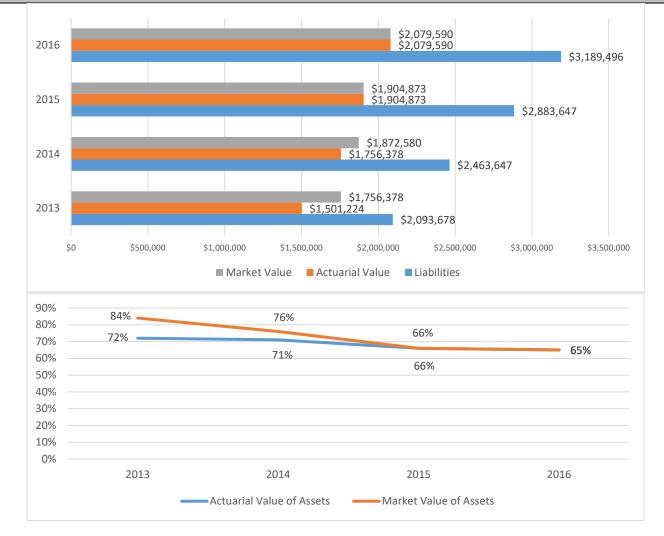
Mortality Table: Blue Collar RP 2014 with SSA 2016 from 2006

Vesting: Partial 4 / Full 10

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTION: Interest: 6.00%

Plan frozen effective January 2009. Joined LAGERS in 2012.



#### **ARNOLD POLICE PENSION PLAN**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 48 Inactive: 13

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$343,409 Employee: \$241,540

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2.5% of compensation x years of creditable service Maximum: 75% of compensation

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 55 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

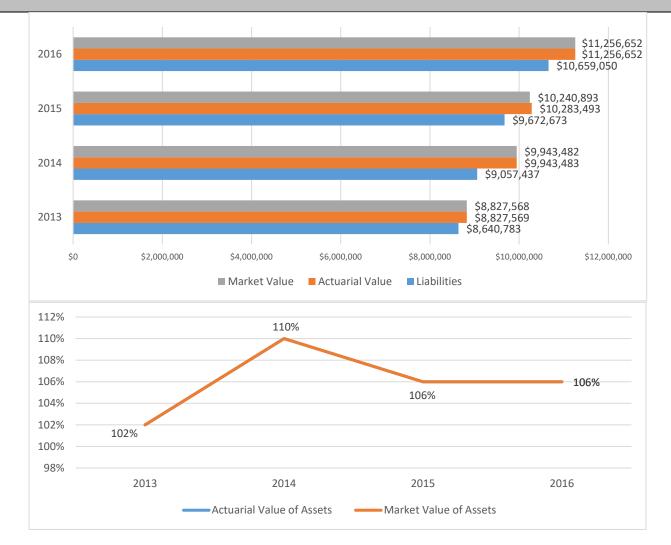
Valuation of Assets: Market Value

Mortality Table: RP-2000

Vesting: 5

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 6.5% Salary: 4.5%



#### **BERKELEY POLICE & FIRE PENSION FUND**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 52 Inactive: 55

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$199,306 Employee: \$135,375

**BENEFITS:** 

Normal Retirement Formula: 2.5% of compensation for first 20 years of service + 1% for next 5 years of service Maximum: 55% of compensation

> **Normal Retirement Eligibility:** Age 55 with 10 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

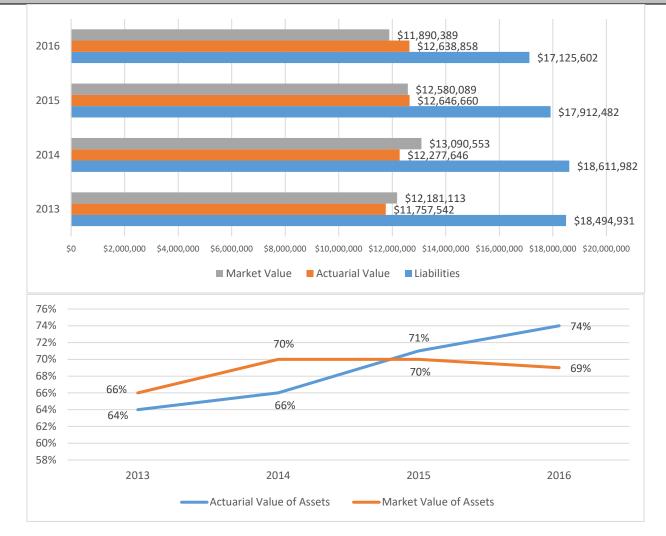
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2000 with generational projection using Scale AA

Vesting: 10

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 3% (COLA eliminated at the April 2016 municipal election)

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: 4%



## **BI-STATE DEVELOPMENT AGENCY DIVISION 788, A.T.U.**

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Active: 1,378 Inactive: 1,309

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$9,342,714 Employee: \$3,684,213

**BENEFITS**:

Normal Retirement Formula:

\$40 times years of Credited Service for those retiring with less than 25 years of Credited Service, \$55 times years of Credited Service for those retiring with 25 or more years of Credited Service

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Age 65 Age 55 with 20 years of service

25 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

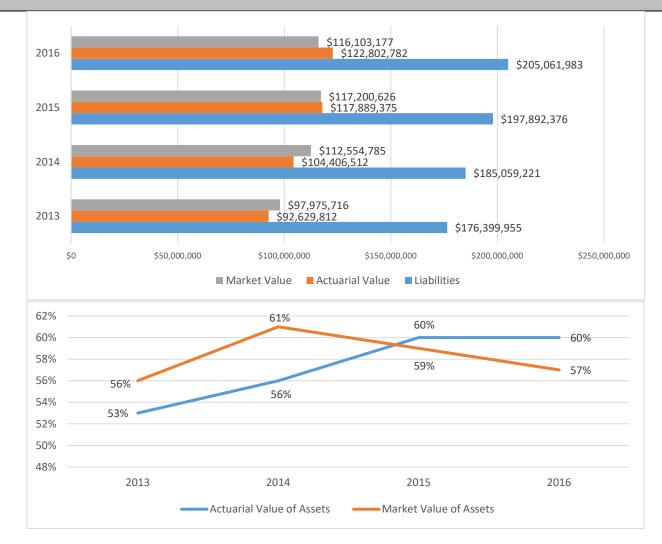
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2014 Blue Collar adjustment Scale BB

Vesting: 10

COLA: Ad Hoc

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.00% Salary: 3.5%



#### **BI-STATE DEVELOPMENT AGENCY LOCAL 2 I.B.E.W.**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 56 Inactive: 15

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$319,220 Employee: \$102,601

BENEFITS: Normal Retirement Formula: \$60 x years of credited service

Normal Retirement Eligibility: 25 years of service Age 60 with 10 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

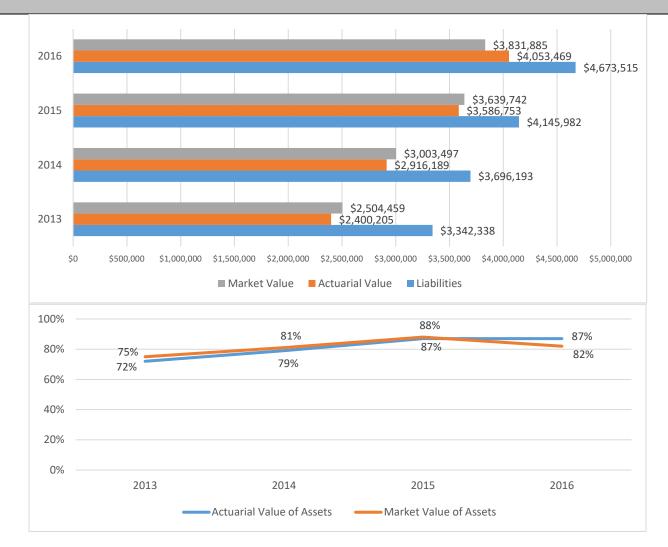
Mortality Table: RP 2014 Blue Collar, Scale BB

Vesting: 10

COLA: Ad Hoc

#### ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: N/A

Plan closed 1/1/2014.



## **BI-STATE DEVELOPMENT AGENCY SALARIED EMPLOYEES**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 329 Inactive: 460

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$2,752,597 Employee: \$555,834

**BENEFITS**:

Normal Retirement Formula: 1.5% of compensation x years of creditable service

> **Normal Retirement Eligibility:** Age 60 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

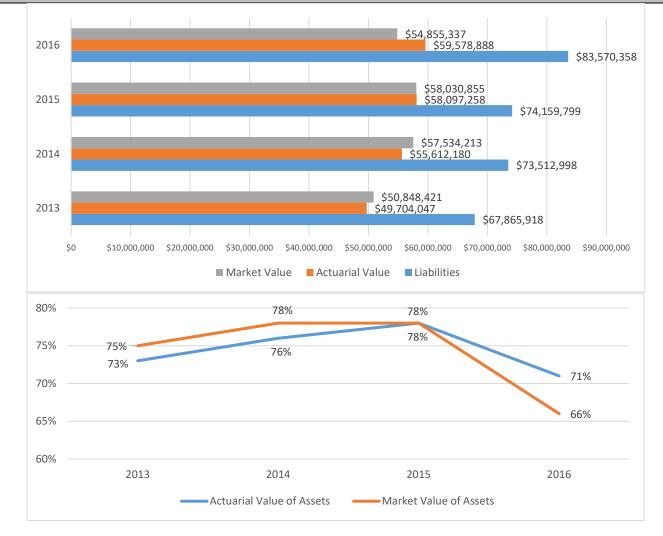
Mortality Table: RP-2014 Healthy Annuitant with White Collar adjustment, projected 5 years using Scale BB

Vesting: 5

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.00% Salary: 4.50%

Plan closed 7/1/13 to new participants



## **BLACK JACK FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 38 Inactive: 14

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$1,198,247 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: Uniformed: \$93 x years of credited service Non-Uniformed: \$45 x years of service Temporary Supplemental Benefit for both groups to age 62: Estimated Social Security Benefit Additional Uniformed Supplemental Benefit to age 65: \$20 x years of service

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: The earlier of age 60 or 30 years of service

> > Social Security Coverage: Yes

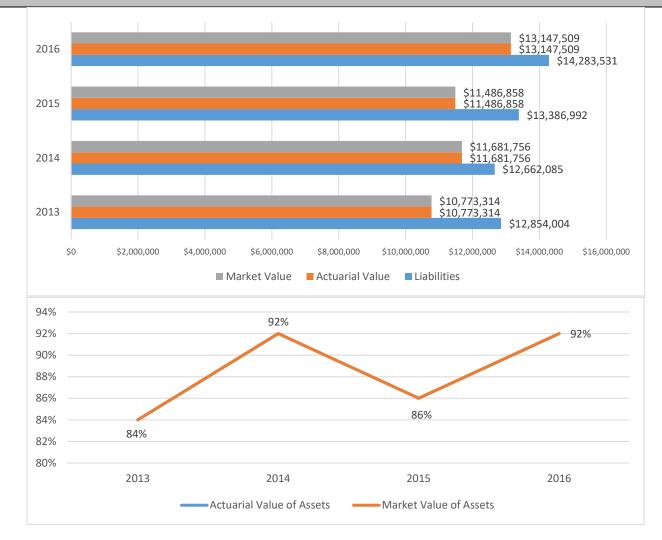
Valuation of Assets: Market Value

Mortality Table: RP 2014 Healthy Employee

Vesting: 5

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: 4.5%



## **BOTHWELL REGIONAL HEALTH CENTER RETIREMENT PLAN**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 264 Inactive: 578

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$1,625,285 Employee: Non-Contributory

**BENEFITS**:

Normal Retirement Formula: 1.2% of compensation x years of creditable service

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 65 with 5 years of service

Rule of 85

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

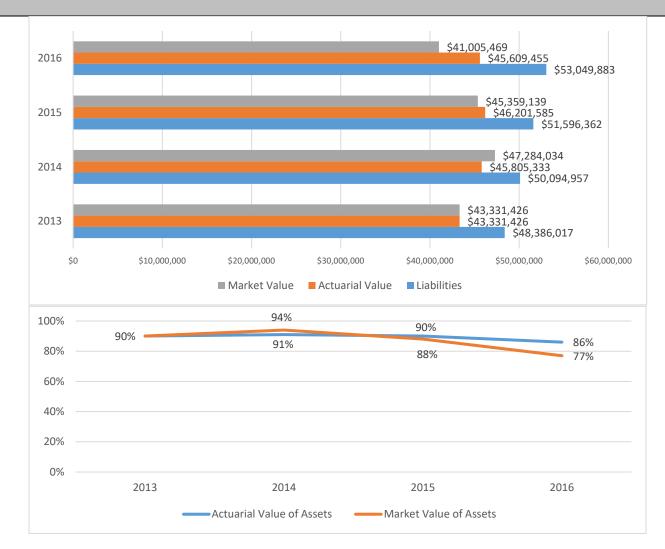
Mortality Table: RP-2014 Generational with Scale MP-2015

Vesting: 5

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.75% Salary: 3%

Plan closed June 2006 - see corresponding information in defined contribution section.



#### **BRENTWOOD POLICE & FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT FUND**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 49 Inactive: 37

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$995,088 Employee: \$250,484

**BENEFITS:** 

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 3.50% of compensation for first 20 years of service + 1% for next 10 years of service

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 55 with 10 years of service

> Social Security Coverage: No

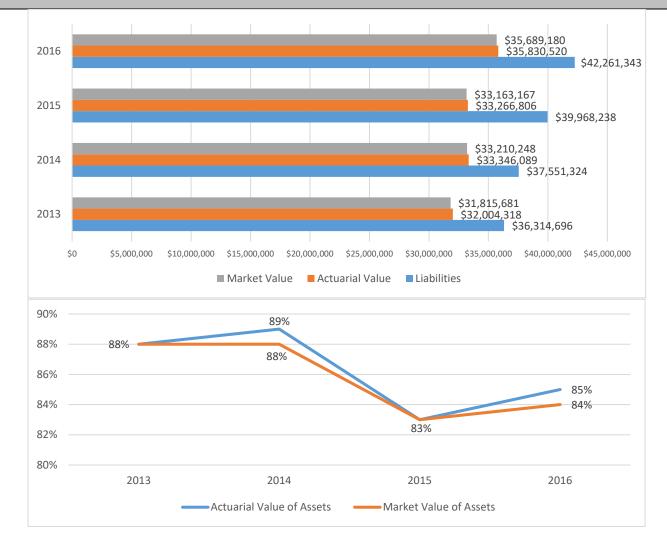
Valuation of Assets: Market Value

Mortality Table: RP-2014 Healthy Annuitant for males, setback 4 yrs for females

Vesting: 10

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 2% Cap Total Max: 20%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: 4.5%



#### **BRIDGETON EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT PLAN**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 94 Inactive: 157

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$1,525,000 Employee: Non-Contributory

**BENEFITS:** 

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 2% of compensation x years of creditable service

Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 60 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: 3 years smoothing

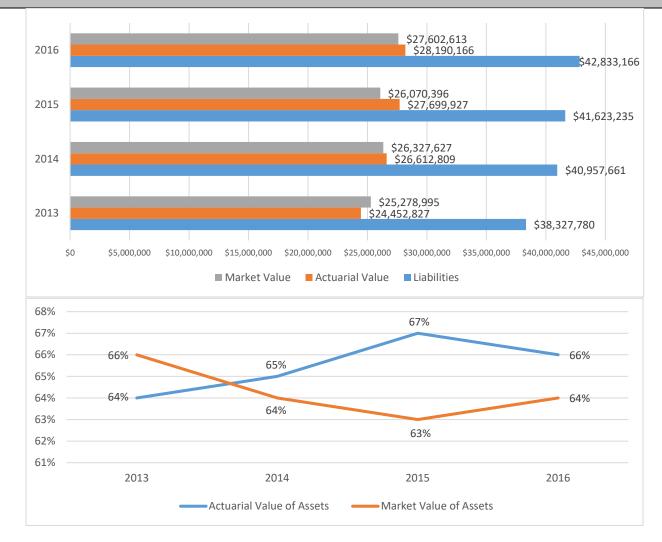
Mortality Table: RP-2000 projected fully generational using scale BB

Vesting: 5

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.5% Salary: 4.0%

Plan Frozen to new entrants effective January 1, 2012



## **CARTHAGE POLICEMEN'S & FIREMEN'S PENSION PLAN**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 50 Inactive: 54

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$416,355 Employee: Non-Contributory

**BENEFITS:** 

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 2.5% of compensation for first 20 years of service + 1% for next 15 years of service

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 55 with 10 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

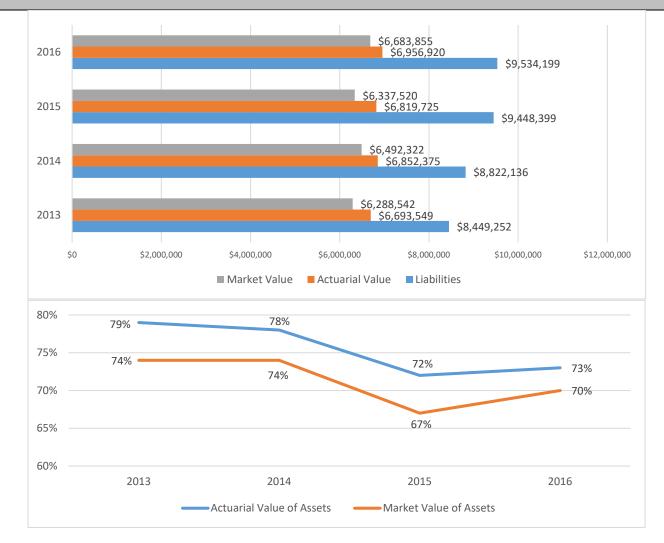
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2014 Generational with MP-2016 Scale

Vesting: Partial 5 / Full 10

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: 3.5%



### CEDAR HILL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARDS PROGRAM

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Active: 12 Inactive: 14

**CONTRIBUTIONS:** 

Employer: \$25,316 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: \$15/month x years of service; \$450/month maximum; life annuity guaranteed for 10 years

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 65 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: Market Value

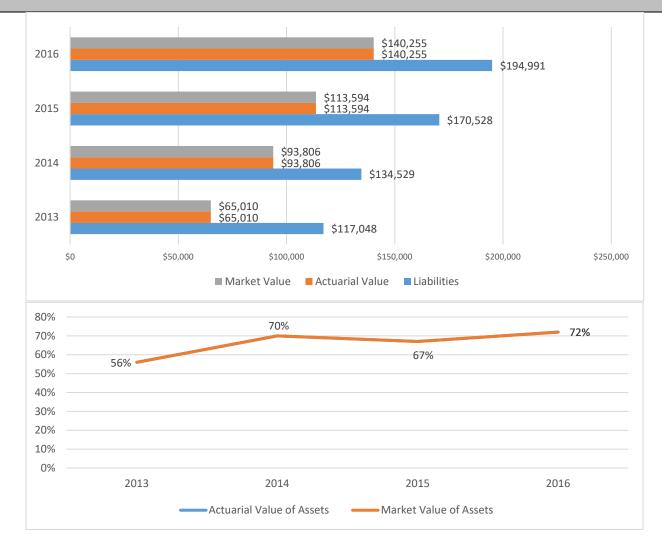
Mortality Table: RP-2000

Vesting: 5

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 4.75% Salary: N/A

Plan closed to new members 12/1/14



### **CLAYTON NON-UNIFORMED EMPLOYEES PENSION PLAN**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 83 Inactive: 97

CONTRIBUTIONS: Employer: \$559,056 Employee: \$151,618

**BENEFITS:** 

Normal Retirement Formula: 1.5% of compensation x years of creditable service

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 60 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

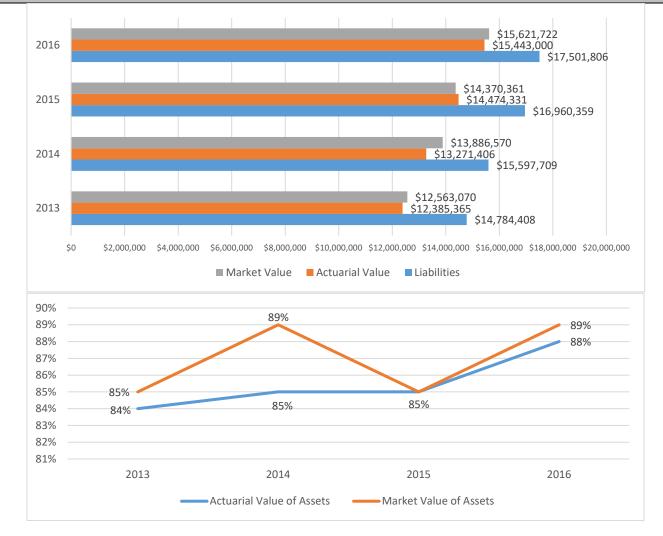
Valuation of Assets: Assumed Yield, 20% adjusted to market

Mortality Table: RP-2000 Combined Healthy Generational Scale BB

Vesting: 5

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 2% Percent of CPI: 100% Cap Total Maximum: 25%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: 4.0%



### **CLAYTON UNIFORMED EMPLOYEES PENSION PLAN**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 84 Inactive: 77

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$945,822 Employee: \$283,997

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2% of compensation x years of creditable service Maximum: 60% of compensation

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Age 55 with 10 years of service Age 50 with 25 years of service Age 65 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

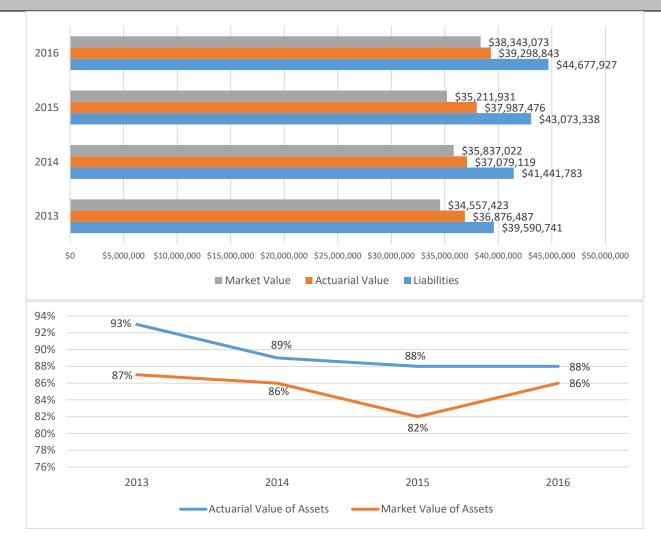
Valuation of Assets: 3 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2000 Blue Collar with generational improvement Scale BB

Vesting: 10

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 2% Percent of CPI: 100% CAP Total Maximum: 25%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: 3.5%



### **COLUMBIA FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT PLAN**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 139 Inactive: 161

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$5,226,250 Employee: \$1,212,139

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: Tier 1: 3.5% of compensation for first 20 years of service + 2% for next 5 years of service Maximum: 80% of compensation

Tier 2 (Hired on/after 10/1/12): 2.5% of compensation x years of service. No maximum benefit.

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Tier 1: Age 65 or 20 years of service Tier 2 (Hired on/after 10/1/12): Age 55 with 1 year of service. Rule of 80.

Social Security Coverage: No

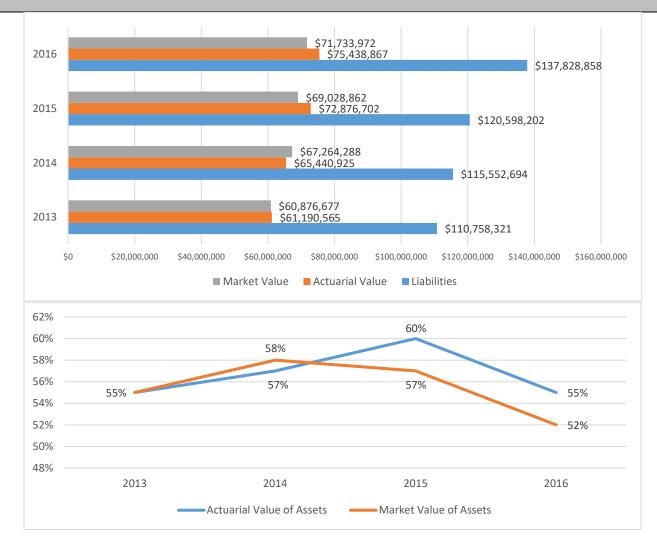
Valuation of Assets: 4 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2014

Vesting: 1

COLA: Annual Amount Minimum: 2%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: 3.25%



### **COLUMBIA POLICE RETIREMENT PLAN**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 151 Inactive: 173

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$3,812,192 Employee: \$341,495

**BENEFITS**:

Normal Retirement Formula:

Tier 1: 3% of compensation for first 20 years of service + 2% for next 5 years of service

Maximum: 70% of compensation

Tier 2 (Hired on/after 10/1/12): 2% of compensation for first 25 years of service + 1.5% for each year over 25. Max of 57.5% of compensation.

**Normal Retirement Eligibility:** 

Tier 1: 20 years of service or age 65 Tier 2 (Hired on/after 10/1/12): 25 years of service or age 65

Social Security Coverage: Yes

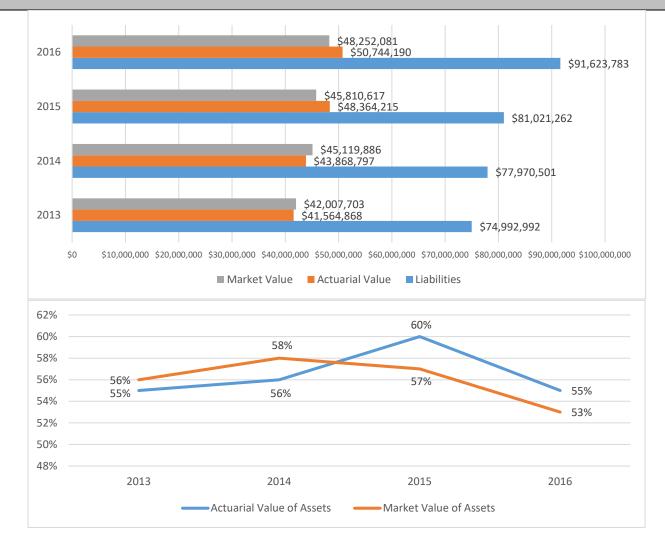
Valuation of Assets: 4 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2014

Vesting: 1

COLA: Annual Amount Minimum: 0.6%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: 3.25%



## **COMMUNITY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 60 Inactive: 18

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$1,054,811 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 60% of compensation or the actuarial equivalent of participants prior DC balance.

> **Normal Retirement Eligibility:** Age 60 with 20 years of service Age 62 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

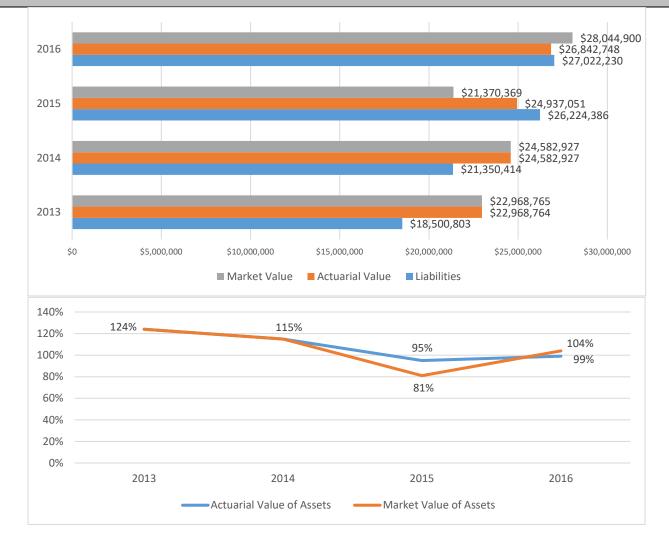
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2014 Blue Collar

Vesting: 5

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: 4%



### **COUNTY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT FUND**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 11,303 Inactive: 7,054

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$20,329,625 Employee: \$13,731,104

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula:

\$29 x years of credited service

Greater of Flat Dollar formula, TRR formula-Social Security offset, or Prior Plan formula.

Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 62 with 8 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

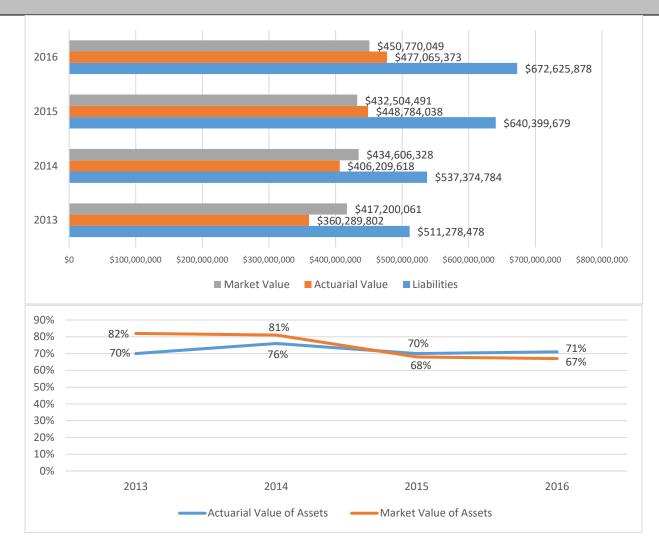
Mortality Table: RP 2000 projected to 2022 using Scale BB

Vesting: 8

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 1% Cap Total Maximum: 50% Percent of CPI: 100%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.5% Salary: 2.5%

Defined Contribution Plan: See Corresponding Information in Defined Contribution Section



### **CREVE COEUR EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT PLAN**

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Active: 50 Inactive: 98

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$1,270,402 Employee: \$112,251

BENEFITS:

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 

2% of compensation x years of creditable service

or 1.7% of compensation x years of service + 3% Employer Contribution to DC Plan; Maximum: 30 years of service

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Age 65 with 8 years of service Rule of 85 Uniformed: Age 55 with 8 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: 3 years smoothing

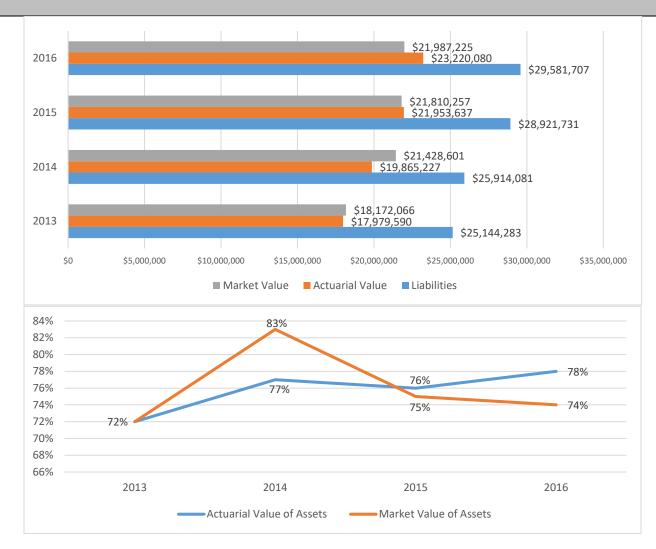
Mortality Table: RP-2000 Combined Healthy with 70% Blue Collar, generational

Vesting: 8

COLA: Ad Hoc

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.0% Salary: 4%

Defined Benefit Plan Closed June 2006. Defined Contribution Plan: See Corresponding Information in Defined Contribution Section



## **CREVE COEUR FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN**

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Active: 57 Inactive: 37

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$242,437 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 

70% of compensation offset by 66.66% of primary Social Security Benefits Also offset by actuarial equivalent of monthly defined contribution benefit

Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 55 with 20 years of service 25 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: 3 years smoothing

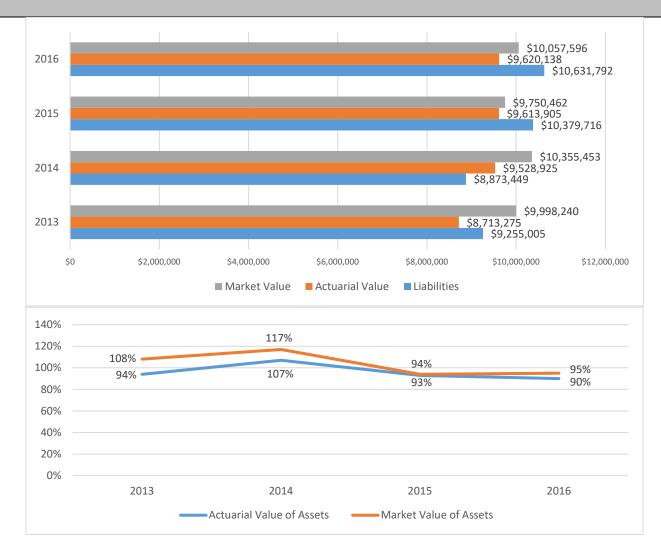
Mortality Table: RP 2000 Blue Collar Scale BB, generational

Vesting: 20

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: 4.0%

Defined Contribution Plan: See Corresponding Information in Defined Contribution section



### EUREKA FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 31 Inactive: 29

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$405,000 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula:

2.5% of compensation x years of creditable service Service earned on/after 1/1/14: 2% of average compensation x years of service. Maximum: 30 years of service

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Age 55 with 5 years of service 30 years of service Hired after June 11, 2013: Age 55 with 10 years of service 30 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

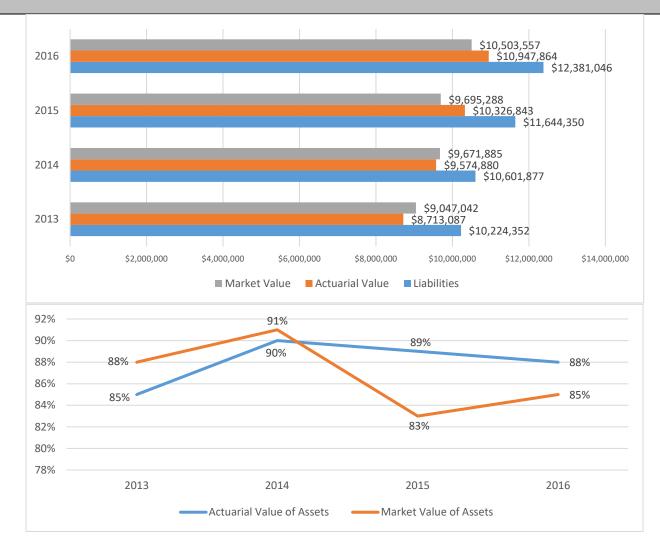
Valuation of Assets: 4 years smoothing

Mortality Table: 2017 IRS Optional Combined Male Table for Small Plans

Vesting: 5, 10 if hired after June 11, 2013

COLA: Ad hoc

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.0% Salary: 4.5%



### FENTON FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 59 Inactive: 25

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$969,288 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula:

2.5% of compensation x years of creditable service. Maximum of 30 years of service. Those hired prior to 3/1/06 have 3% multiplier + supp benefit from 55-65 of \$13 x years of service.

**Normal Retirement Eligibility:** Age 55 with 15 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

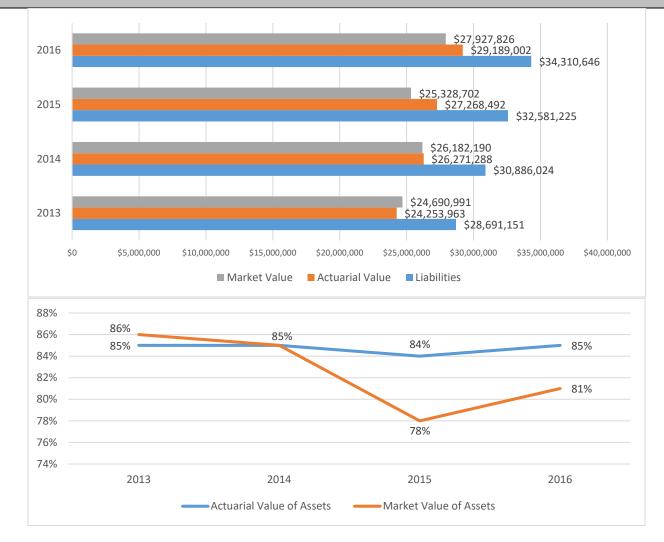
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP2006 projected using scale MP 2016

Vesting: Partial 10 / Full 15

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.00% Salary: 3%



### **FERGUSON PENSION PLAN**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 108 Inactive: 134

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$547,500 Employee: Non-Contributory

**BENEFITS**:

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 1.75% of compensation x years of creditable service

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Age 60 with 8 years of service After age 55, early retirement may be elected if sum of age and credited service is greater than 82.5

Social Security Coverage: Yes

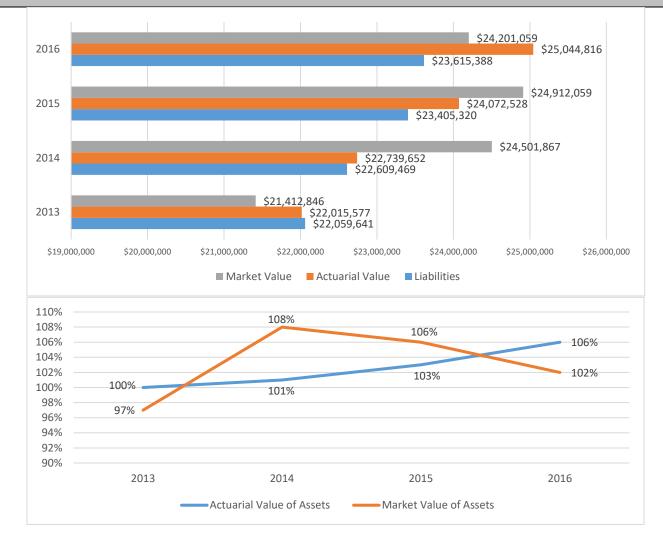
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2000 Blue Collar, Scale BB, projected to 2020

Vesting: 8

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.5% Salary: 3.25%



### FIREFIGHTERS' RETIREMENT PLAN OF ST. LOUIS CITY

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Active: 627 Inactive: 55

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$9,148,007 Employee: \$2,918,622

**BENEFITS**:

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 

2% of average final compensation for the first 25 years of service + 2.5% (5% for grandfathered participants) of average final compensation in excess of 25 years of service. Maximum benefit: 75%

> **Normal Retirement Eligibility** Age 55 with 20 years of service

Social Security Coverage: No

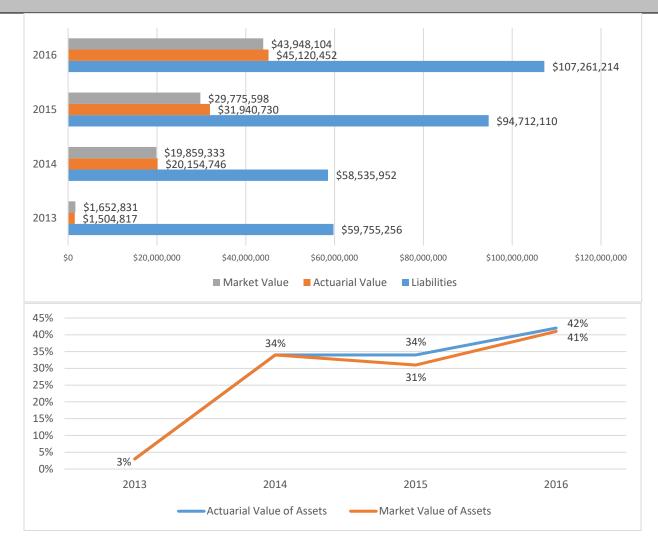
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP-2000 projected to 2015, Combined Healthy, Scale AA

Vesting: Partial 10 / Full 20

COLA: Annual amount minimum: 1.5% Annual Amount Maximum: 5% Cap Total Maximum: 25%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.625% Salary: 3%



## FLORISSANT EMPLOYEES PENSION PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 16 Inactive: 39

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$616,284 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2% of compensation x years of creditable service

Normal Retirement Eligibility: The later of age 60 or 10 years of service Rule of 85

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: Market Value

Mortality Table: ERISA minimum funding 2016

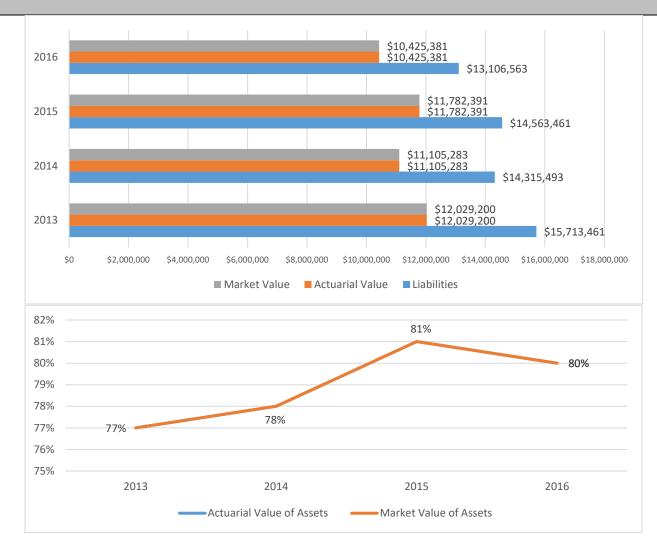
Vesting: Partial 5 / Full 15

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 6.0% Salary: 3.0%

Plan closed December 2000.

Defined Contribution Plan. See Corresponding Information in Defined Contribution section.



## FLORISSANT VALLEY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 61 Inactive: 19

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$2,512,515 Employee: \$52,714

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2.5% of compensation x years of creditable service Maximum: 30 years; limited to 75% of average monthly earnings.

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 60 or 30 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

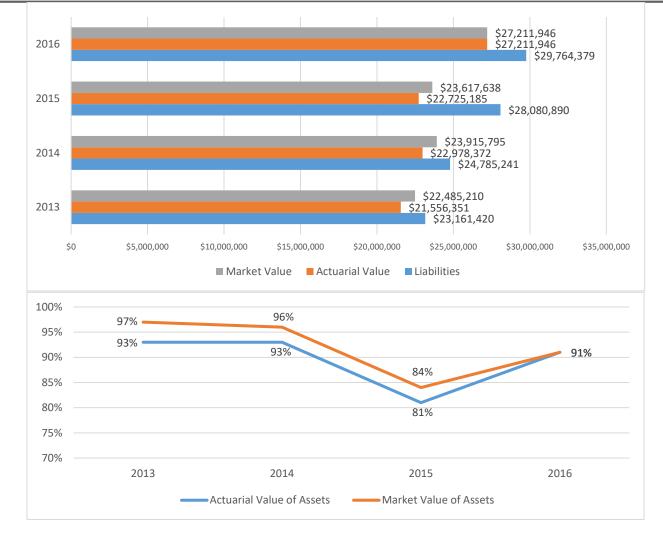
#### Valuation of Assets: Market value

Mortality Table: 1983 GAMT, set back 6 yrs for females

Vesting: Partial 10 / Full 15

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 6.25% Salary: 3.5%



## **GLENDALE POLICE & FIRE PENSION PLAN**

#### MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 25 Inactive: 20

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$130,235 Employee: \$51,312

**BENEFITS:** 

Normal Retirement Formula: 50% of compensation for first 20 years of service + 1% of compensation for each year of service over 20 years of service

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 55 with 15 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

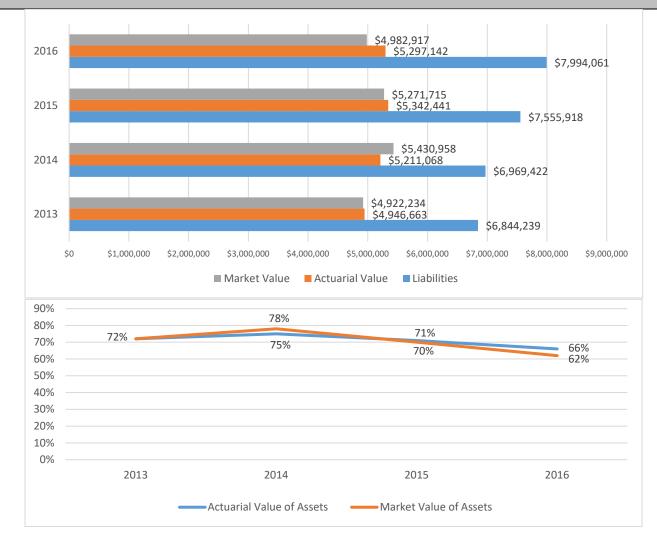
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2014 blue collar, MP-2015 generational

Vesting: Partial 5 / Full 15

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.25% Salary: 3.5%



# HANNIBAL POLICE & FIRE RETIREMENT PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 75 Inactive: 69

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$1,264,977\* Employee: \$457,380

**BENEFITS**:

Normal Retirement Formula:

65% of compensation for first 25 years of service + 1% for each of the next 5 years of service Max: 70% of comp.

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

25 years of service Hired on or after 7-1-07, minimum age of 55 before receiving a benefit.

Social Security Coverage: No

Valuation of Assets: Market Value

Mortality Table: RP-2015 Blue Collar generational mortality

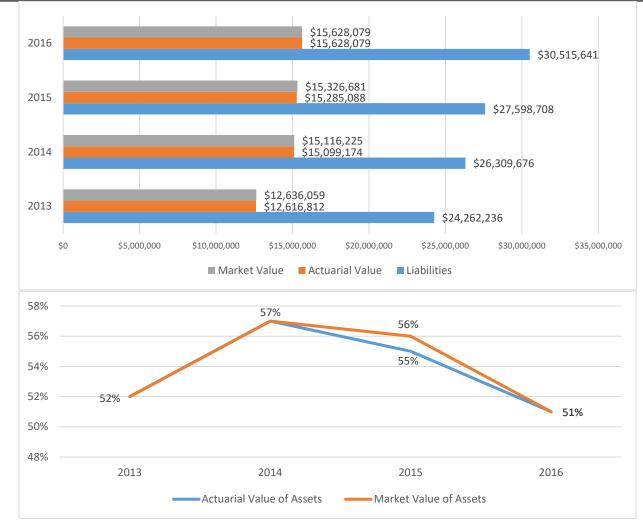
Vesting: Partial 12 / Full 20

**COLA:** Ad Hoc No Cola if below 50% funded

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.0% Salary: 3.5%



Employer contribution amount includes tax receipts of \$316,967



## HAZELWOOD CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS RETIREMENT PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 9 Inactive: 7

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$8,017 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: \$10 times years of credited service

**Normal Retirement Eligibility:** Age 60 with 6 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: Market Value

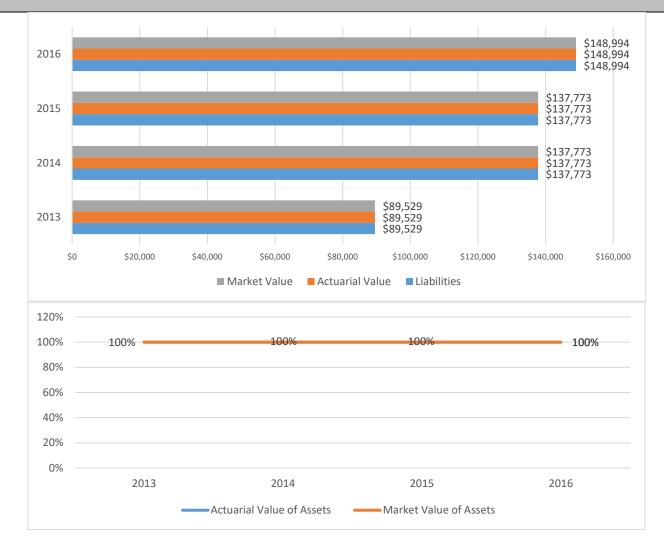
Mortality Table: RP 2000 combined healthy with 70% Blue Collar adjustment, Scale BB, generational

Vesting: 6

COLA: No COLA

#### ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTION: Interest: 7.5%

#### Plan performs actuarial valuation biennially



### HAZELWOOD RETIREMENT PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 179 Inactive: 126

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$1,247,549 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2% of compensation x years of creditable service Maximum: 30 years of service

Normal Retirement Eligibility: The later of age 60 or 25 years of service Rule of 85 with age 55

Social Security Coverage: Yes

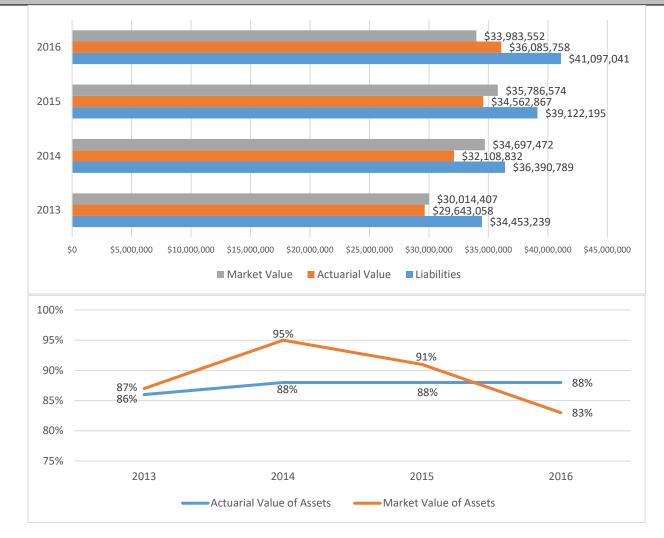
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2000 70% Blue Collar Adjustment, Scale BB, generational

Vesting: 5

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.5% Salary: 4.5%



## HIGH RIDGE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT PENSION PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 37 Inactive: 11

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$409,527 Employee: Non-Contributory

**BENEFITS**:

Normal Retirement Formula: \$100 per month x years of service. Maximum: 50 years of service

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 55 with 10 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

#### Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP-2014 Blue Collar with Social Security Generational Improvements from 2016

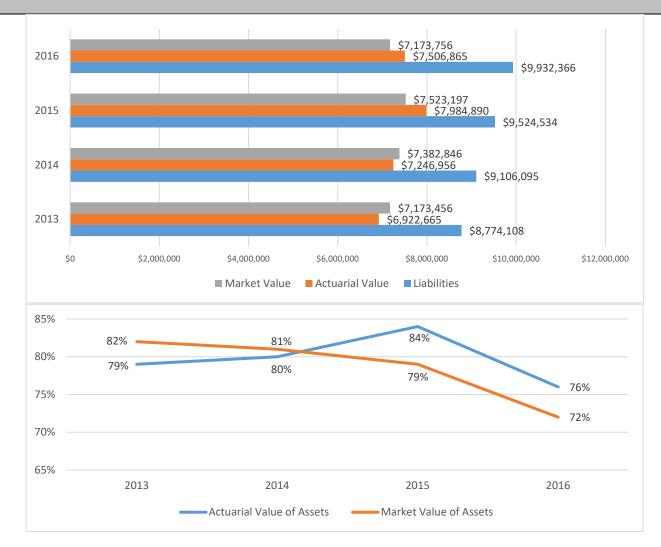
Vesting: 10

COLA: No COLA

### **ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTION:**

Interest: 7.0%

Defined contribution plan. See Corresponding Information in Defined Contribution Section.



### **JACKSON COUNTY EMPLOYEES PENSION PLAN**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 1,265 Inactive: 2,362

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$8,965,045 Employee: \$22,294

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 1.5% of compensation x years of creditable service Elected officials: 4.167% x final average salary x first 12 yrs + 5% for yr 12 - 16

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 65 with 5 years of service Rule of 80 at age 55

#### Social Security Coverage: Yes

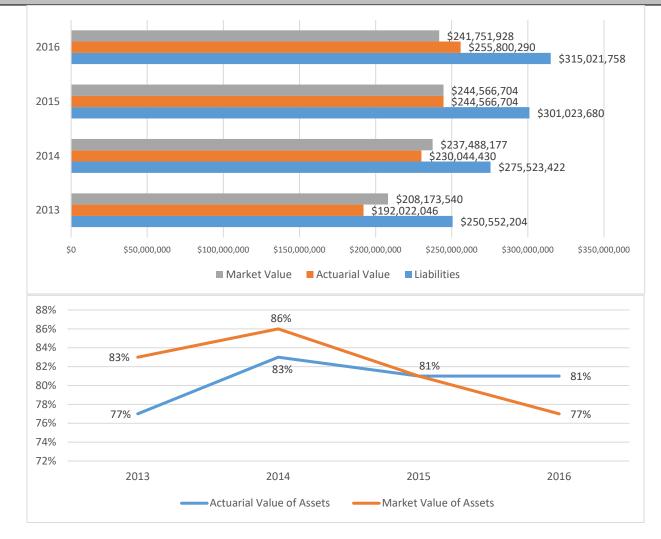
#### Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2014 Combined, with MP-2014 generational improvements

Vesting: 5

**COLA:** Annual Amount Maximum: 3% Determined annually.

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7 % Salary: 4%



### JEFFERSON CITY FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT SYSTEM

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 0 Inactive: 56

CONTRIBUTIONS: Employer: \$0 Employee: \$0

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 60% of compensation 2.5% of compensation x years of creditable service Maximum: 85% of compensation

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 55 with 24 years of service Rule of 80

> Social Security Coverage: No

Valuation of Assets: Market Value

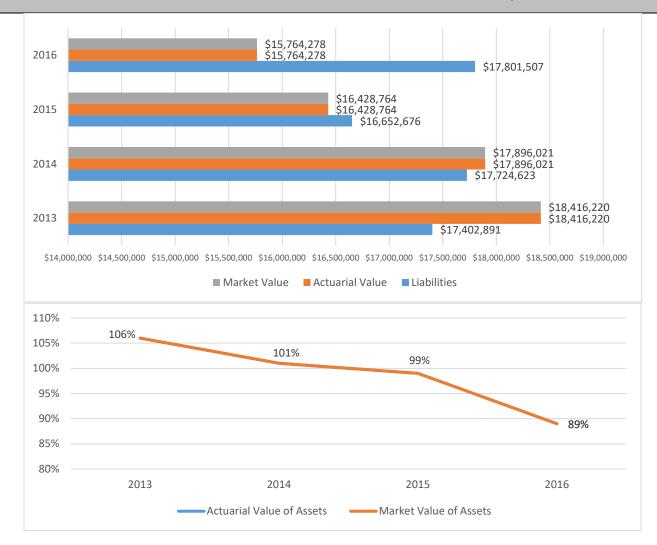
Mortality Table: RP-2014 Healthy Annuitant

Vesting: 10

COLA: Annual Amount: 2.0%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTION: Interest: 5.5%

Plan closed effective December 2008; active members moved to LAGERS. Plan is now administered by LAGERS under section 70.621.



### **JENNINGS POLICE & FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT FUND**

#### MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 0 Inactive: 39

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$189,890 Employee: \$0

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2.25% of compensation x years of creditable service Maximum: 50% of compensation

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Age 55 with 20 years of service Age 65 with 15 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: Market Value

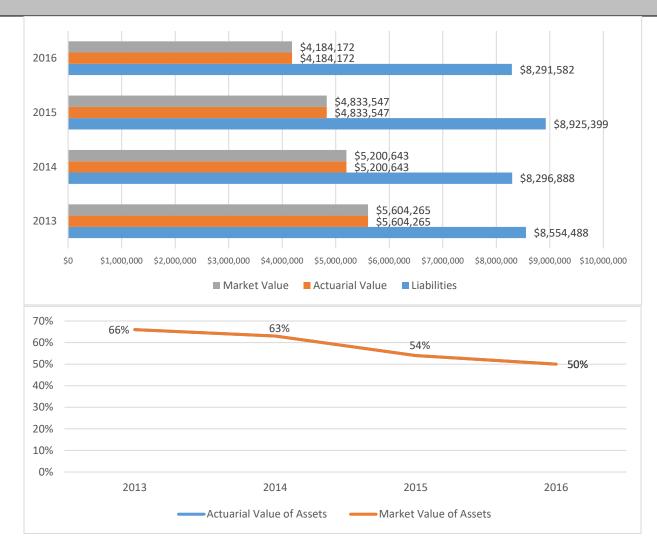
Mortality Table: RP-2014 Blue Collar, Generational, Scale MP 2014

Vesting: 10

COLA: No COLA

#### ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 6%

Plan closed effective 4/1/1987. New hires joined LAGERS. Plan is now administered by LAGERS under section 70.621.



### **JOPLIN POLICE & FIRE PENSION PLAN**

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Active: 199 Inactive: 160

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$2,619,993 Employee: \$1,281,360

**BENEFITS**:

Normal Retirement Formula:

2.2% of compensation for first 25 years of service + 1% for next 5 years of service. Maximum 60%. Hired before 2009: 2.5% percent of compensation for first 20 years, plus 1% for each of the next 5 years. Maximum 65%.

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Age 60 or 25 years of service Hired before 2009: 20 years of service

#### Social Security Coverage: No

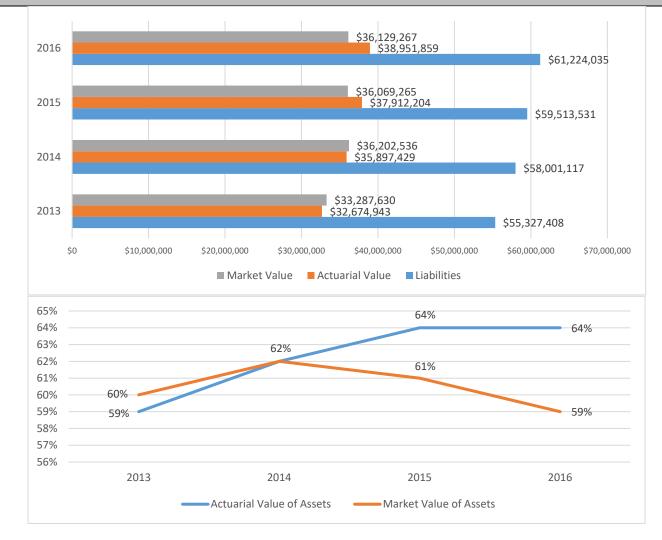
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2000 projected to 2016, using scale AA

Vesting: 25

COLA: No COLA

#### ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: 2.5%



### JUDICIAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Active: 408 Inactive: 566

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$33,642,498 Employee: \$661,206

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: More than 12 years of service: 50% of compensation Less than 12 years of service: 4.17% of compensation x years of creditable service

#### Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Tier 1: Age 62 with 12 years of service Tier 1: Age 60 with 15 years of service Tier 1: Age 55 with 20 years of service Tier 2 (serving for the first time on/after 1/1/11): Age 67 with 12 years of service Age 62 with 20 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

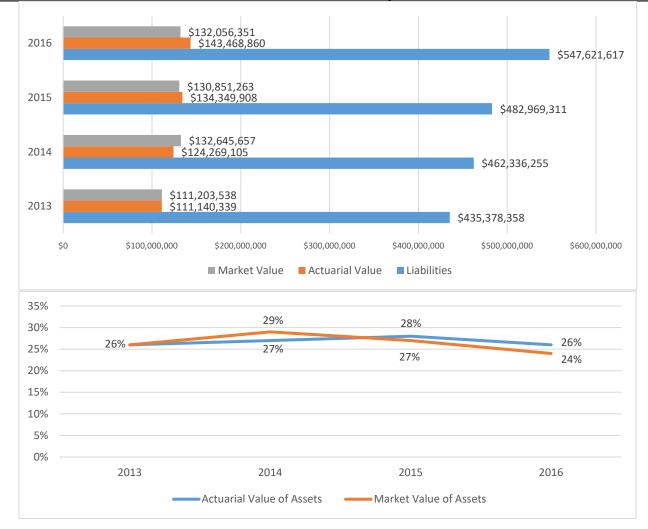
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2014 Healthy projected from 2006 to 2026 Scale MP-2015

Vesting: Immediate upon employment

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 5% Percent of CPI: 80%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.65% Salary: 3%



# **KANSAS CITY CIVILIAN POLICE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 526 Inactive: 278

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$5,048,167 Employee: \$1,287,388

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2% of compensation x years of creditable service Supplemental Benefit: \$160 per month with 15 years of service

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Tier 1: Later of age 65 or 10 years of service Rule of 80 Tier 2 (Hired on/after 8/28/13): Later of age 67 or 20 years of service Rule of 85

Social Security Coverage: Yes

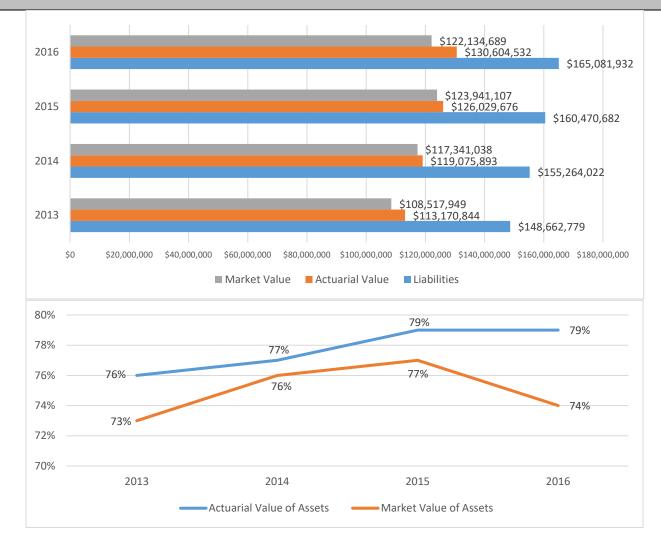
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP-2000 Healthy Scale AA

Vesting: 5

COLA: Ad hoc. Annual maximum of 3%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.5% Salary: 3.75%



### **KANSAS CITY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 3,161 Inactive: 2,463

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$24,577,647 Employee: \$8,235,363

BENEFITS:

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 

Hired before 4/20/14: General employees: 2% of compensation x years of creditable service If Single 2.22% - Married May Elect 2.22% & Forfeit Survivor Benefits; Maximum: 70% of compensation. Judges/Elected Officials: 2.22% of compensation received by then serving judges/officials in same office 24 months preceding annuity x YOS Hired on or after 4-20-14 1.75% x years of service. Maximum 70%

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Hired before 4/20/14: Age 65 with 5 years of service Age 60 with 10 years of service Age 55 with 25 years of service. Rule of 80. Judges/Elected Officials: Later of age 60 or expiration of term with 1 elective term Hired on/after 4/20/14: Age 67 with 10 years of service, age 62 with 10 years of service, Rule of 85

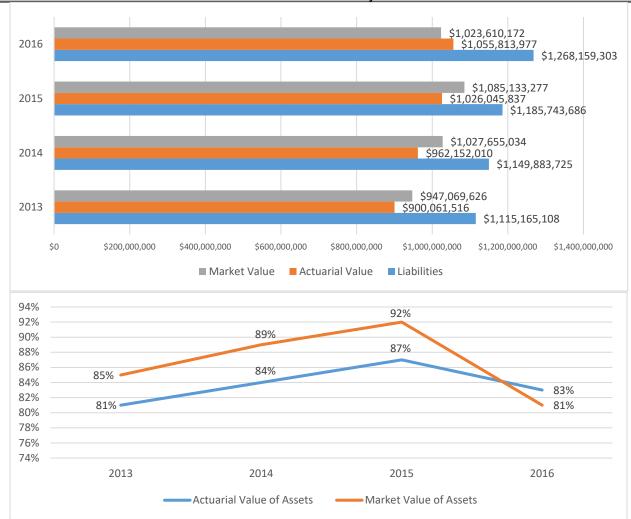
Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: 4 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP-2000 generational with modified Scale MP-2015

Vesting: 5

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 3% (hired before 4/20/14), 2.5% (hired after 4/20/14)



ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.5% Salary: 3.75%

### **KANSAS CITY FIREFIGHTERS' PENSION SYSTEM**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 922 Inactive: 929

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$16,631,844 Employee: \$6,769,093

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2.5% of compensation x years of creditable service Maximum: 80% of compensation

Normal Retirement Eligibility: Tier 1 (Hired before 4/20/14): 25 years of creditable service Tier II (effective 4/20/14): 27 yrs of creditable service.

Social Security Coverage: No

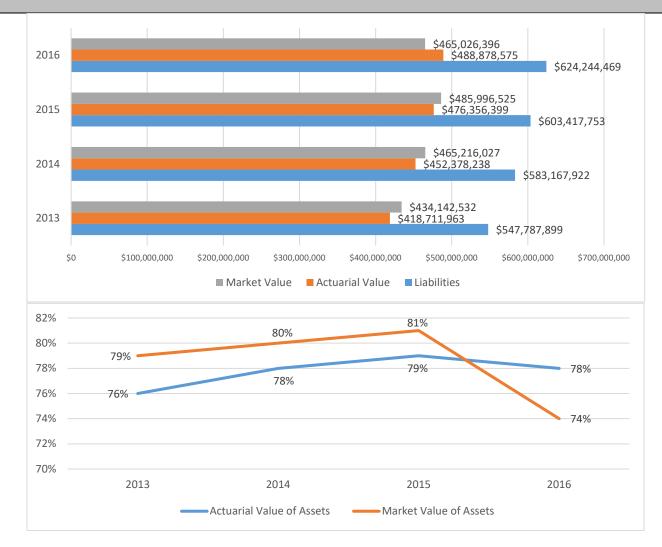
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2000 Combined

Vesting: 10

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 3% (hired before 4/20/14) Annual Amount Maximum: 2.5% (hired on/after 4/20/14)

> ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.50% Salary: 3%



### **KANSAS CITY POLICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 1,334 Inactive: 1,299

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$30,272,063 Employee: \$10,748,236

**BENEFITS**:

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 

2.5% of compensation x years of creditable service. Maximum: 75% of compensation. Supplemental benefit of \$420 per month. Retiring on/after 8/28/13: 2.5% of compensation x years of service. Benefit frozen at 32 years of service. Maximum: 80% of compensation. Supplemental Benefit \$200 per month

**Normal Retirement Eligibility:** 

Age 60 with 10 years of service 25 years of service Hired on/after 8/28/13: Age 60 with 15 years of service 27 years of service

Social Security Coverage: No

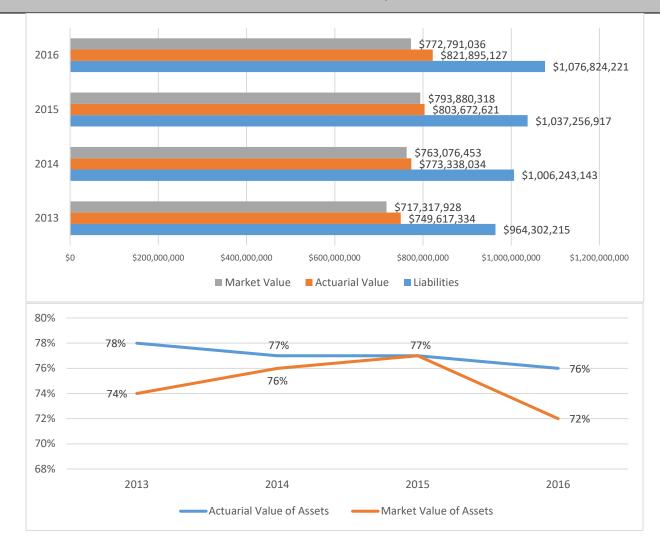
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP-2000 Scale AA

Vesting: 15

COLA: Ad hoc. Annual Amount Maximum: 3%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.5% Salary: 3.75%



### **KANSAS CITY PUBLIC SCHOOL RETIREMENT SYSTEM**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 3,701 Inactive: 6,820

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$16,280,327 Employee: \$16,528,188

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: Tier 1: 2% of compensation x years of creditable service Tier 2: Members hired on/after 1/1/14: 1.75% of compensation x years of credited service

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Tier 1: Age 60 with 5 years of service Rule of 75 Tier 2: Age 62 with 5 years of service Tier 2: Rule of 80

Social Security Coverage: Yes

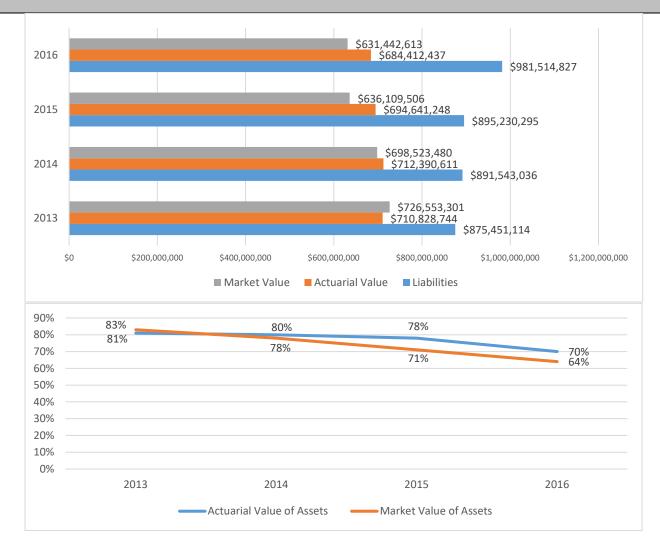
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP-2014 Blue Collar Table

Vesting: 5

COLA: Ad hoc. Annual Amount Maximum: 3%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.75% Salary: 3.5%



### KANSAS CITY AREA TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY SALARIED EMPLOYEES PENSION PLAN

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Active: 109 Inactive: 62

**CONTRIBUTIONS:** 

Employer: \$754,000 Employee: Non-Contributory

**BENEFITS:** 

Normal Retirement Formula: 1.45% of compensation x years of creditable service

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 65 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

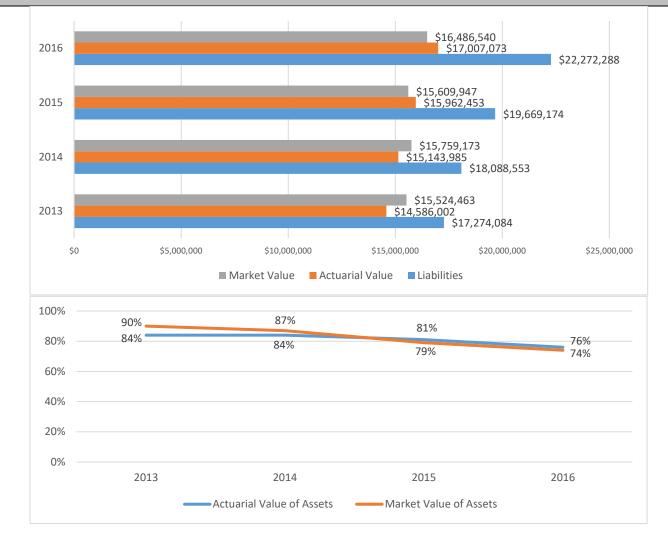
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP - 2014 with 2014 intermediate assumption Social Security scale

Vesting: 5

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.0% Salary: 4.0%



### KANSAS CITY TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY UNION EMPLOYEES PENSION PLAN

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Active: 525 Inactive: 270

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$2,530,180 Employee: \$1,138,310

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 1.28% of compensation x years of creditable service

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Age 62 with 10 years of service Age 60 with 30 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

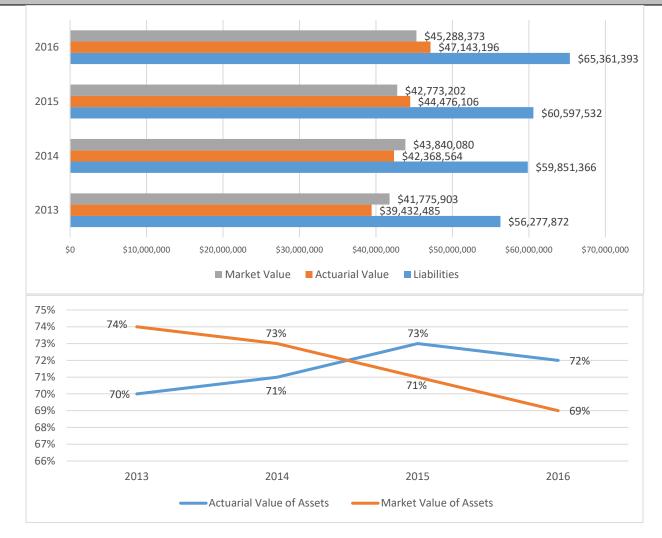
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2014 Blue Collar with MP 2014 generational projection

Vesting: 10

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.0% Salary: 4.25%



### LADUE NON-UNIFORMED EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 28 Inactive: 27

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$182,786 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 1.25% of compensation x years of creditable service Maximum: 35 years of creditable service

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 62 with 10 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

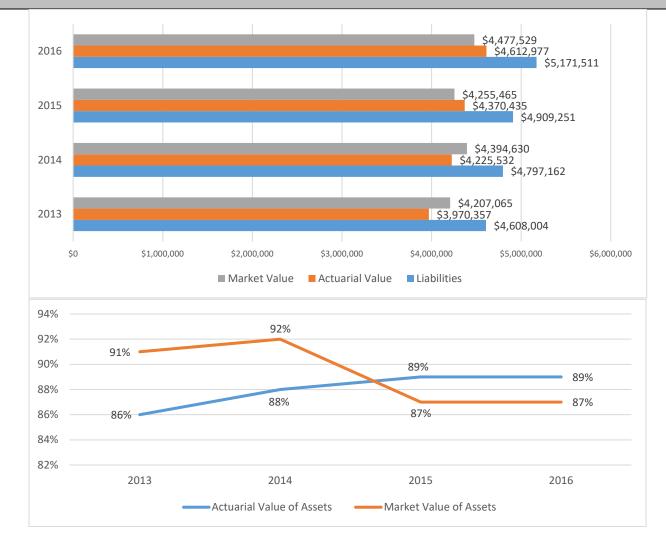
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP-2014 projected generationally using scale MP 2016

Vesting: 10

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.0% Salary: 4.5%



### LADUE POLICE & FIRE PENSION PLAN

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Active: 58 Inactive: 68

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$1,610,554 Employee: \$293,921

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula:

2% of compensation for first 20 years of service + 2.5% for next 10 years of service

Maximum: 65% of compensation for participants hired prior to January 1, 2013. Maximum: 60% for participants hired on or after January 1, 2013.

**Normal Retirement Eligibility:** Age 55 with 10 years of service

Social Security Coverage: No

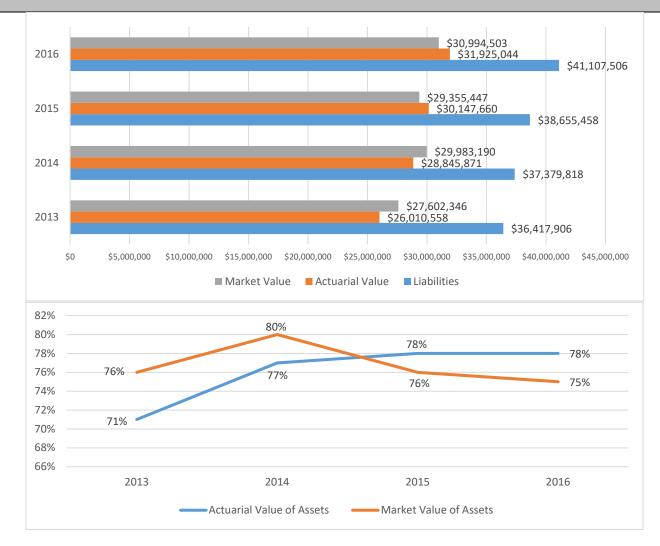
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP-2014 projected generationally using scale MP2016

Vesting: 10

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 2% Cap Total Maximum: 20% Percent of CPI: 100%

#### ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.0% Salary: 4.5%



## LAGERS STAFF RETIREMENT PLAN

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Active: 27 Inactive: 10

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$371,358 Employee: Non-Contributory

**BENEFITS**:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2% of compensation x years of creditable service

Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 60 with 5 years of service Rule of 80

Social Security Coverage: Yes

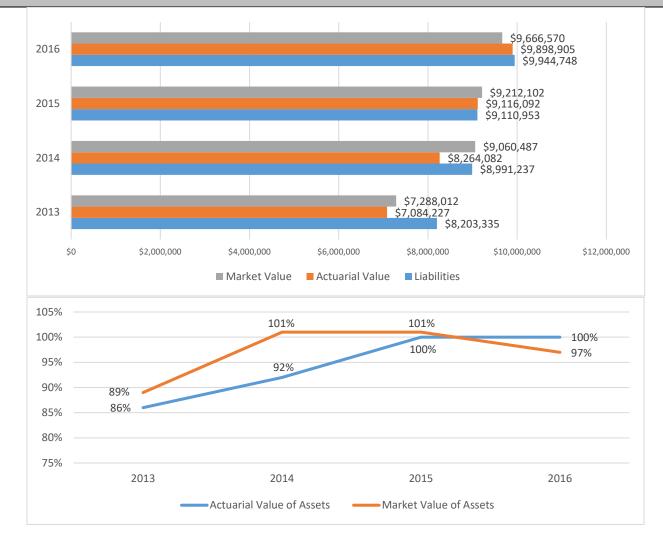
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2014

Vesting: 5

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 4%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.25% Salary: 3.25%



## LITTLE RIVER DRAINAGE DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 11 Inactive: 5

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$24,427 Employee: \$15,539

BENEFITS: Normal Retirement Formula: 1% of compensation x years of creditable service Minimum of \$100 per Month

> **Normal Retirement Eligibility:** Age 65 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

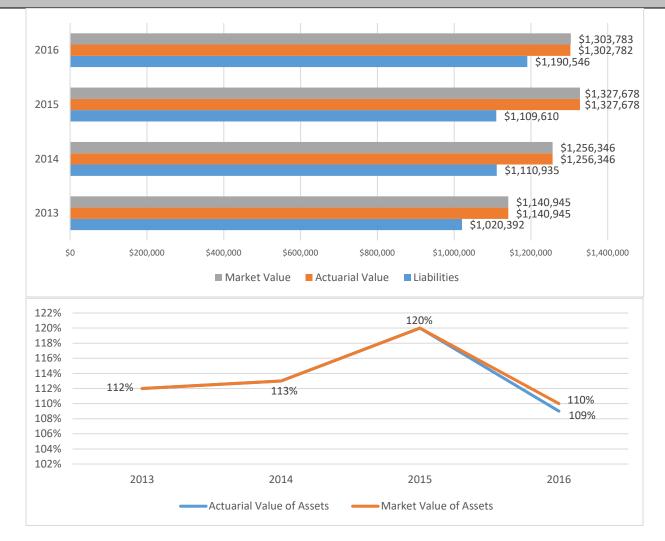
Valuation of Assets: Market Value

Mortality Table: IRC § 417(e) Applicable Mortality Table for 2016

Vesting: Immediate upon employment

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 5% Salary: 3.5%



#### LOCAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 33,781 Inactive: 27,782

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$183,363,684 Employee: \$18,105,362

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: Several Optional Benefit Programs: 1%, 1.25%, 1.5%, 1.75%, 2.0%, Non-Social Security 2.5%

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 60 with 5 years of service Optional Rule of 80 for employer election Uniformed: Age 55 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

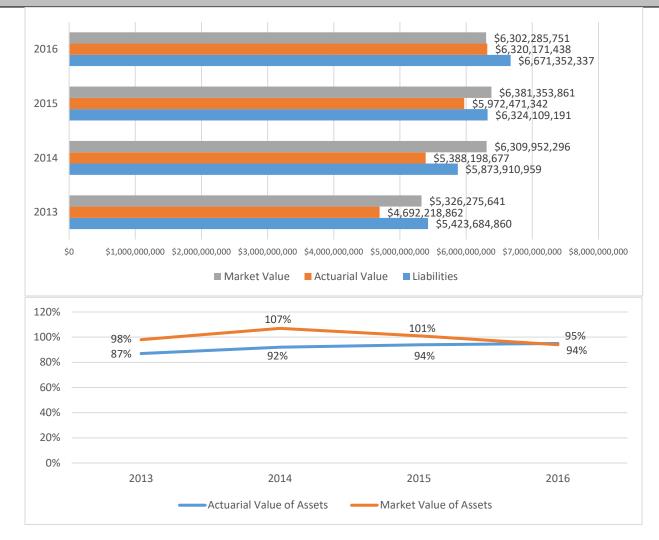
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2014 Healthy Annuitant

Vesting: 5

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 4% Percent of CPI: 100%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.25% Salary: 3.25%



#### **MAPLEWOOD POLICE & FIRE RETIREMENT FUND**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 0 Inactive: 21

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$726,768 Employee: \$104,690

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2% of compensation x years of creditable service Maximum: 60% of compensation

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

20 years of service Age 55 with 10 years of service

Social Security Coverage: No

Valuation of Assets: Market Value

Mortality Table: RP 2014 Blue Collar, Scale MP-2014, generational

Vesting: 20

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTION: Interest: 7%

Plan closed December 2010; all active Police & Fire transferred to LAGERS 1/1/2011



### MEHLVILLE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Active: 0 Inactive: 25

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$250,000 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula:

2.625% of compensation for each of the first 27 years of service, plus 1% for each additional year. Maximum: 75% of compensation. Temporary Benefit: Supplemental Benefit: \$500/month from age 58 until Social Security eligibility.

Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 58 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: Market Value

Mortality Table: RP2000 Healthy Lives

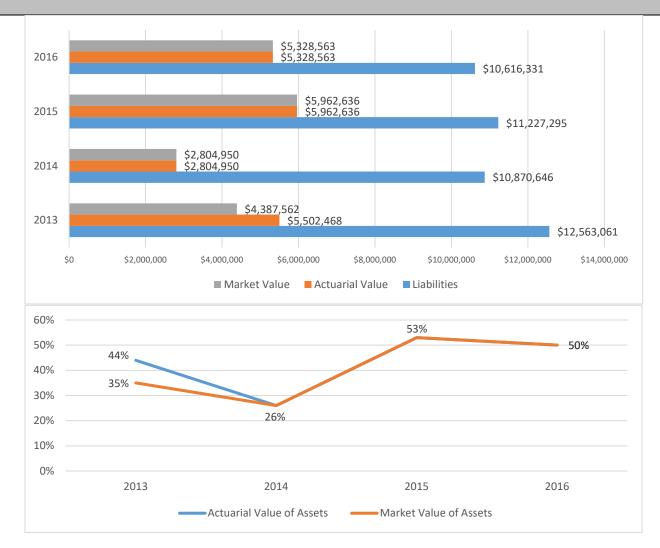
Vesting: 5

COLA: Ad Hoc

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 5.0% Salary: 0%

Defined Benefit Plan frozen effective 3/31/2006. Defined Contribution Plan: See Corresponding Information in Defined Contribution Section.

The IRS approved the plan's termination in a determination letter dated 6/11/2010.



# METRO NORTH FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 13 Inactive: 3

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$308,041 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS: Normal Retirement Formula:

\$200 x years of credited service

Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 60 with 8 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: Market Value

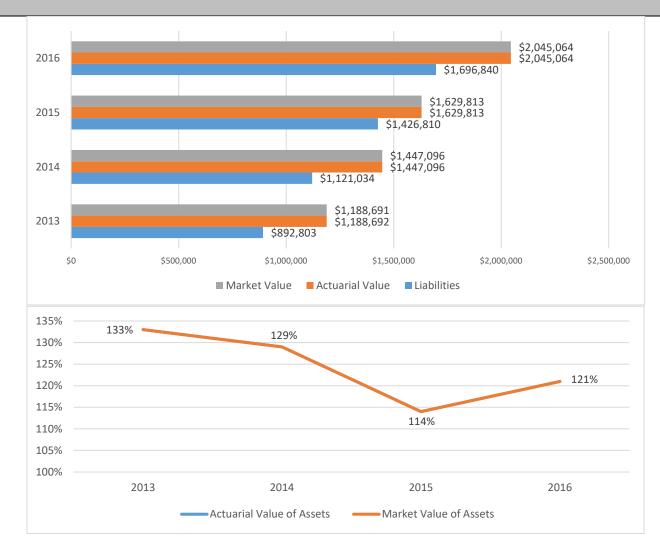
Mortality Table: RP-2014 Healthy Employees

Vesting: 8

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 1% Cap Total Amount: 10% Percent of CPI: 100%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: 0%

Defined Contribution Plan: See Corresponding Information in Defined Contribution Section.



#### METRO ST. LOUIS SEWER DISTRICT EMPLOYEES PENSION PLAN

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Active: 626 Inactive: 891

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$10,145,562 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 

1.7% of compensation times years of service + 0.4% of compensation above covered earnings x years of service. Maximum: 35 Years

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Age 65 with 5 years of service Rule of 75 and Rule of 80

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: 3 years smoothing

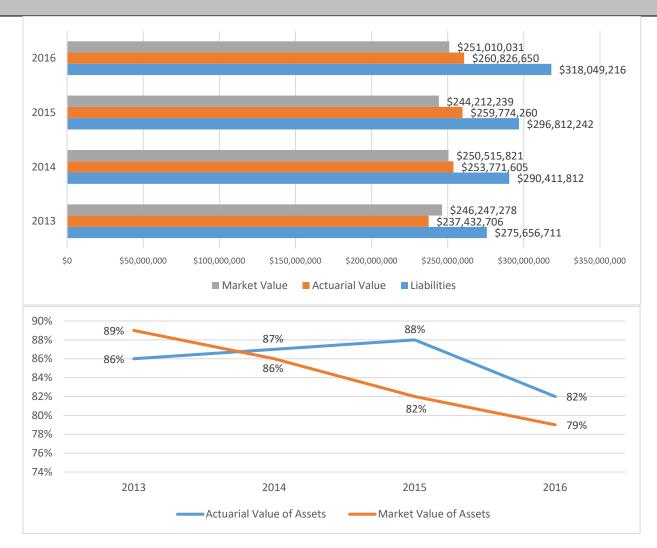
Mortality Table: RP-2014 with MP-2016 improvement scale, generational

Vesting: 5

COLA: Annual Amount Minimum: Lesser of 3% or \$50 a month CAP-Total Maximum: Lesser of 45% or \$750

> ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.00% Salary: 4.25%

Defined Benefit Plan Closed 1/1/11. Defined Contribution Plan. See Corresponding Information in Defined Contribution Section.



### METRO WEST FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 95 Inactive: 69

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$1,929,334 Employee: \$259,487

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2.5% of compensation x years of creditable service 3% for benefits accrued up to 12/31/06 Maximum: 34 years of service

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 55 with 10 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

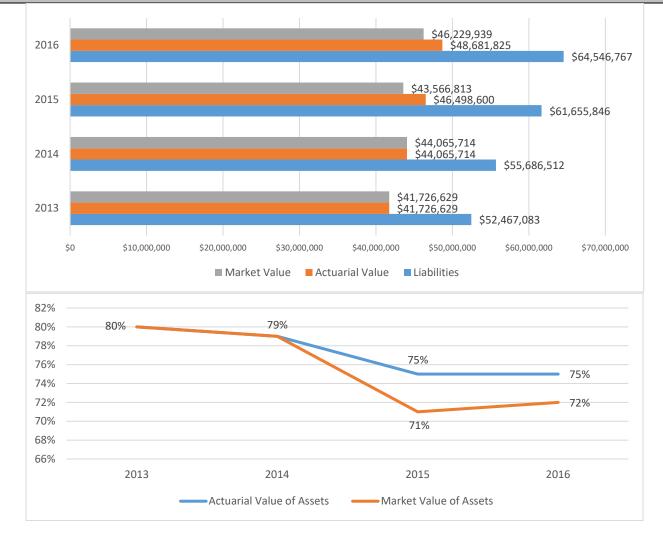
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: MP2016 Blue Collar Generational

Vesting: 5

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: 3%



# **MID-COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 19 Inactive: 5

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$95,000 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: \$55 x years of credited service Maximum: 20 Years of Credited Service

Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 55 with 10 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: Market Value

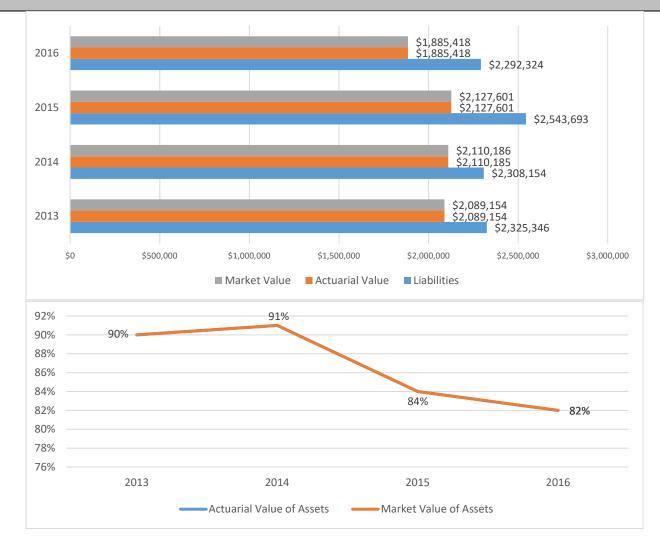
Mortality Table: RP 2014 Healthy Annuitant Male Table

Vesting: Partial 5 / Full 10

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 6% Salary: 4.5%

Defined Contribution Plan. See Corresponding Information in Defined Contribution Section.



### **MISSOURI HIGHER EDUCATION LOAN AUTHORITY PENSION PLAN**

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Active: 382 Inactive: 29

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$3,220,907 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2.5% of compensation x years of creditable service 1.5% x years of service (non-salaried members)

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Age 60 with 15 years of service Rule of 80 with minimum age of 50 Age 65 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: Market Value

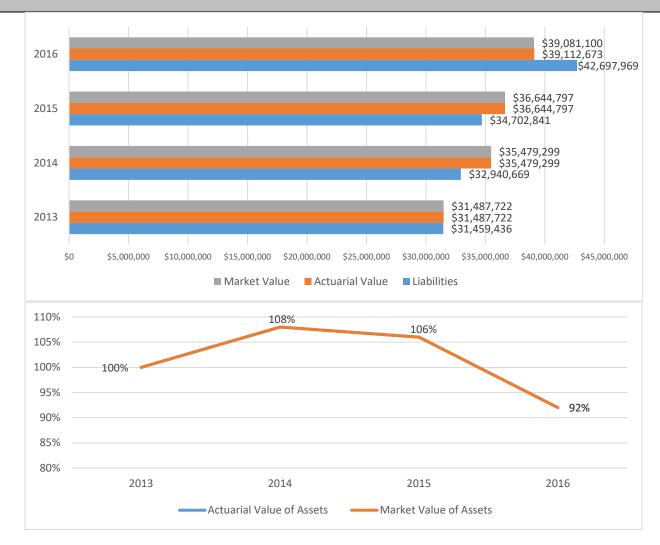
Mortality Table: RP 2014 Blue Collar, Scale MP-2015

Vesting: 5

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 5% Percent of CPI: 80%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 6.75% Salary: 5%

Defined Contribution Plan: See Corresponding Information in Defined Contribution Section



#### **MISSOURI STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 49,464 Inactive: 64,340

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$329,957,369 Employee: \$21,684,920

BENEFITS:

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 

1.7% of compensation x years of creditable service Plus 0.8% Temporary Benefit to Age 62 under Rule of 80(Year 2000 Plan) or Rule of 90 (Tier 2011 Plan); Msep 1.6% of Comp x years of service

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Age 62 with 5 years of service Rule of 80 at age 48 Hired for the first time on/after 1/1/11: Age 67 with 10 years of service\* Rule of 90 at minimum age of 55 years

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

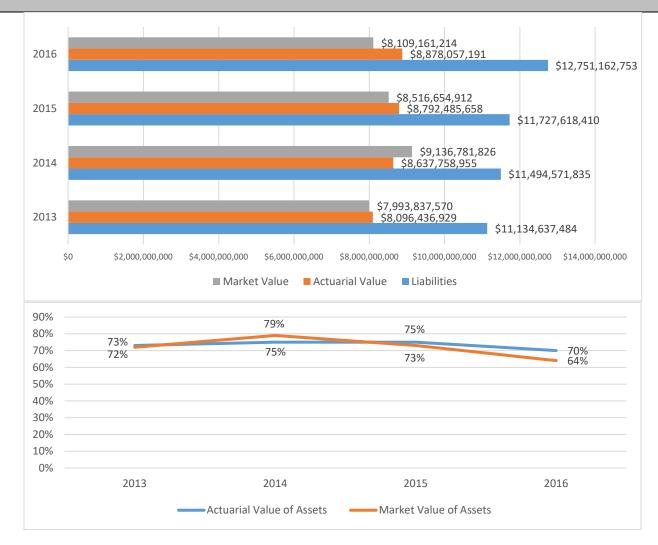
Mortality Table: RP 2014 Scale MP-2015

Vesting: 5, 10 if Hired on/after 1/1/11\*

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 5% Percent of CPI: 80%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.65% Salary: 3.0%

\*SB 62 (2017) changed the vesting requirement from 10 years to 5 years for members hired for the first time on/after 1/1/11 effective 1/1/18.



# **MODOT & HIGHWAY PATROL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 7,473 Inactive: 11,056

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$199,609,396 Employee: \$2,503,824

BENEFITS:

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 

1.7% of compensation x years of creditable service Plus 0.8% Temporary Benefit to Age 62 under Rule of 80 (Year 2000 Plan) or Rule of 90 (Tier 2011 Plan) Closed Plan multiplier is 1.6%. Uniformed Patrol (Closed Plan) receive an additional 1/3 monthly base benefit

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Age 62 with 5 years of service, Rule of 80 Uniformed Patrol: Mandatory retirement age of 60 Hired for the first time on/after 1/1/11: Age 67 and 10 years of service\*, Rule of 90 at minimum age of 55 years Uniformed Patrol: Mandatory retirement age of 60.

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: 3 years smoothing Mortality Table: RP-2000 Combined Mortality Tables

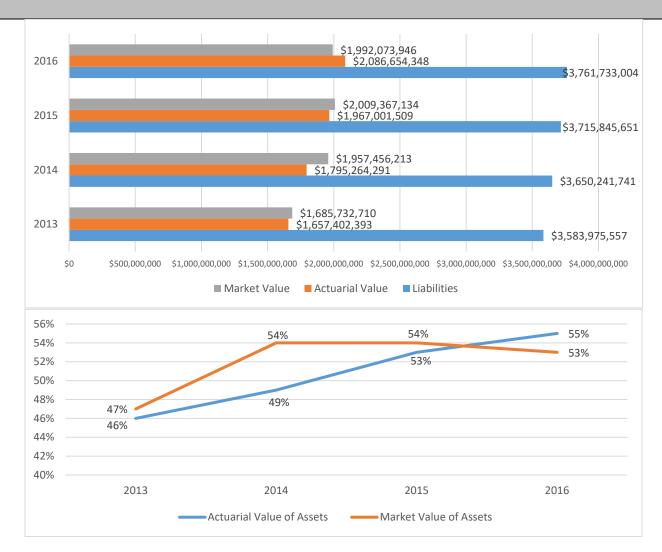
Vesting: 5, 10 if hired on/after 1/1/11\*

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 5% Percent of CPI: 80%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS:

Interest: 7.75% Salary: 3.5%

\*SB 62 (2017) changed the vesting requirement from 10 years to 5 years for members hired for the first time on/after 1/1/11 effective 1/1/18.



## NORTH KANSAS CITY HOSPITAL RETIREMENT PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 2,648 Inactive: 1,484

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$12,000,000 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula:

Hired after 1/1/05, 0.9% of compensation not in excess of the integration level & 1.4% above it; hired prior to 1/1/05, 1.35% & 2% respectively.

**Normal Retirement Eligibility:** Age 65 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

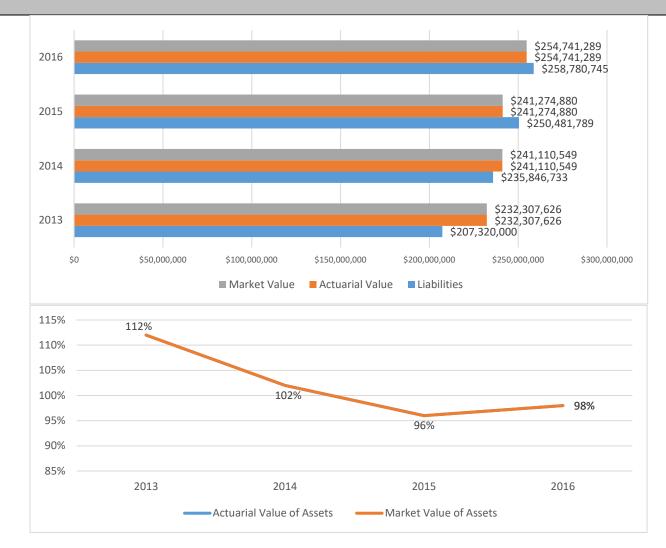
Valuation of Assets: Market Value

Mortality Table: RP-2000 Employee and Healthy Annuitant Table Scale BB

Vesting: 5

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.25% Salary: 2.5%



#### **NORTH KANSAS CITY POLICEMEN'S & FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT FUND**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 87 Inactive: 86

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$1,047,105 Employee: \$162,914

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2.5% of compensation for first 20 years of service + 1% for next 10 years of service Maximum: 30 years of service

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 55 with 10 years of service Mandatory at age 65

#### Social Security Coverage: Yes

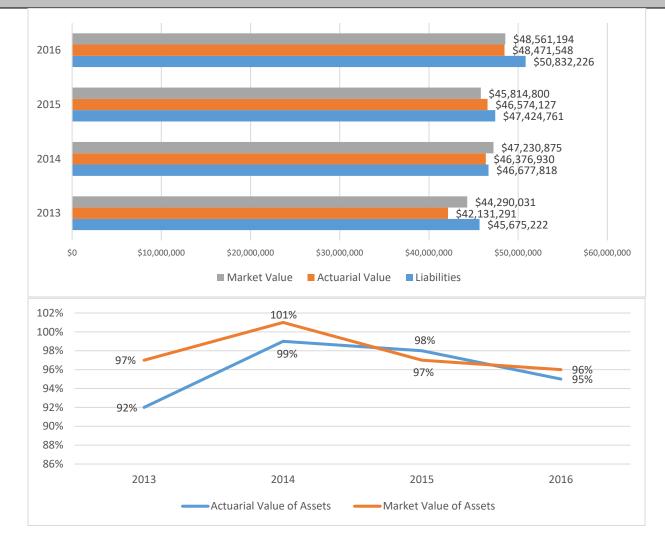
#### Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: MP 2015 Generational Blue Collar Employee

Vesting: 10

**COLA:** Annual Amount Minimum: 1% Annual Amount Maximum: 3%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 6.5% Salary: 4%



### **OLIVETTE SALARIED EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT PLAN**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 50 Inactive: 83

CONTRIBUTIONS:

**Employer:** \$712,000 **Employee:** \$171,955

BENEFITS:

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 2.0% of compensation x years of creditable service

Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 58 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: Market Value

Mortality Table: RP-2014 Healthy Employee

Vesting: 5

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 2% Ad Hoc: CAP-Total Maximum: 25%, Retirements after 1/1/10 receive no COLA

> ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.25% Salary: 4%



#### **OVERLAND NON-UNIFORMED EMPLOYEES' PENSION FUND**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 55 Inactive: 60

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$598,488 Employee: \$128,479

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2.25% of compensation x years of creditable service Maximum: 60% of compensation

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 58 with 5 years of service 25 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

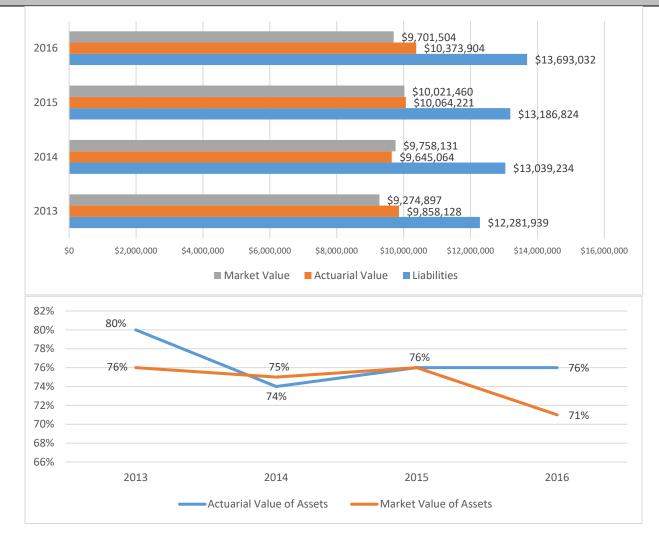
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2000 projected using Scale AA

Vesting: Partial 5 / Full 15

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 3% Percent of CPI: 60%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: 3.5%



#### **OVERLAND POLICE RETIREMENT FUND**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 47 Inactive: 40

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$242,311 Employee: \$132,294

BENEFITS:

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 2.5% of compensation for first 20 years of service + 1.5% for next 10 years of service

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

20 years of service Age 62 with 18 years of service Age 65 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

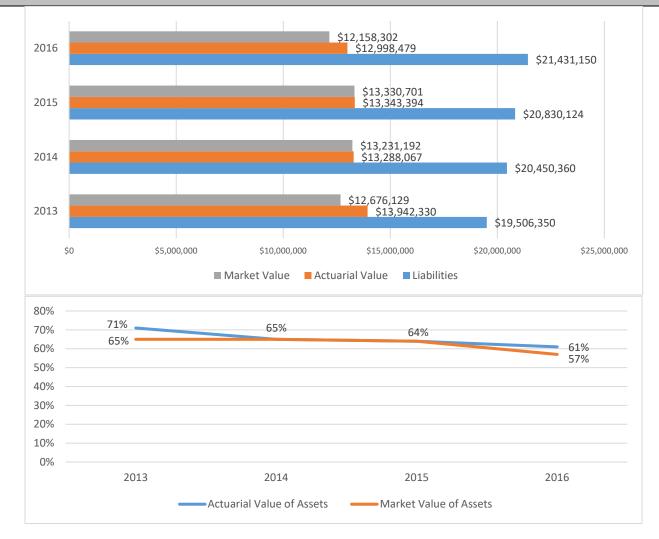
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2000 projected generationally using Scale AA

Vesting: Partial 15 / Full 20

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 3% Percent of CPI: 60%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: 3.5%



#### PATTONVILLE-BRIDGETON FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Active: 64 Inactive: 37

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$950,000 Employee: \$127,595

**BENEFITS:** 

#### Normal Retirement Formula:

50% of compensation 50% of average monthly compensation reduced for service less than 20 years (if hired before 11/26/07) or reduced for service less than 25 years (if hired after 11-26-07)

Supplemental benefit from age 55 to 62: 20% of compensation

Normal Retirement Eligibility: Uniformed: Age 57 with 5 years of service. Age 55 for those hired before 1/1/13 and born before 1/1/1963 Non-Uniformed: Age 62 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

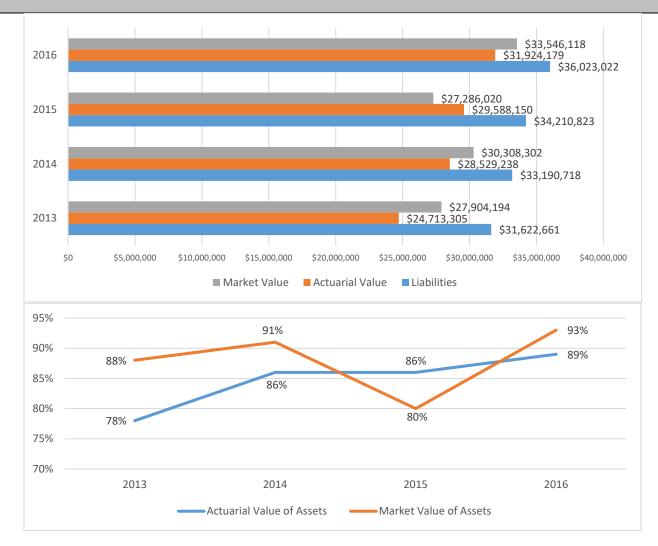
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP-2000 combined healthy generational, Scale AA

Vesting: Partial 5 / Full 10

COLA: Annual Amount Minimum: 1% Ad Hoc

**ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS:** Interest: 7.75% Salary: 2.5%



#### **POPLAR BLUFF POLICE & FIRE PENSION PLAN**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 80 Inactive: 70

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$301,740 Employee: \$189,797

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2% of compensation for first 20 years of service + 1.5% for each additional year of service Maximum: \$1,650 per month

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Later of age 55 or 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: No

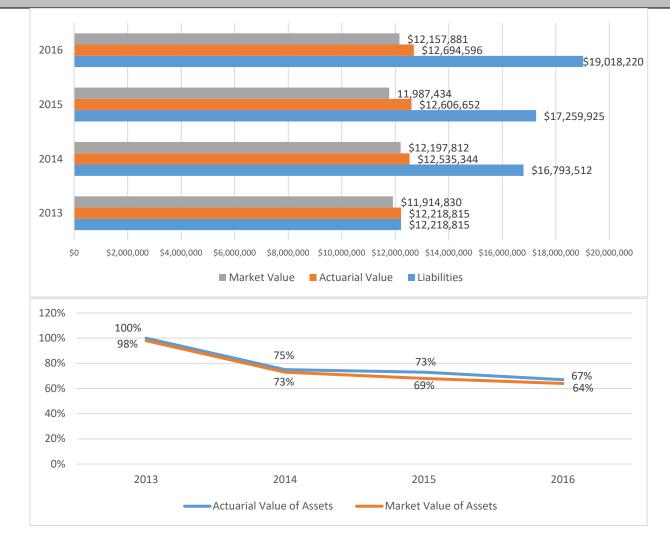
Valuation of Assets: 4 years smoothing

Mortality Table: IRS Prescribed Mortality-Generational Annuitant

Vesting: Partial 5 / Full 10

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 5% Salary: 3%



#### **PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS' & CIRCUIT ATTORNEYS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 115 Inactive: 103

CONTRIBUTIONS:

**Employer:** \$1,855,417 **Employee:** \$0

**BENEFITS**:

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 

1st & 2nd Class Counties & St. Louis City: 50% of Final Average Salary 3rd & 4th Class Counties: 12 - 20 YOS = \$105 x each 2 year period 20+ YOS = \$130 x each 2 year period

> **Normal Retirement Eligibility:** Age 62 with 12 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

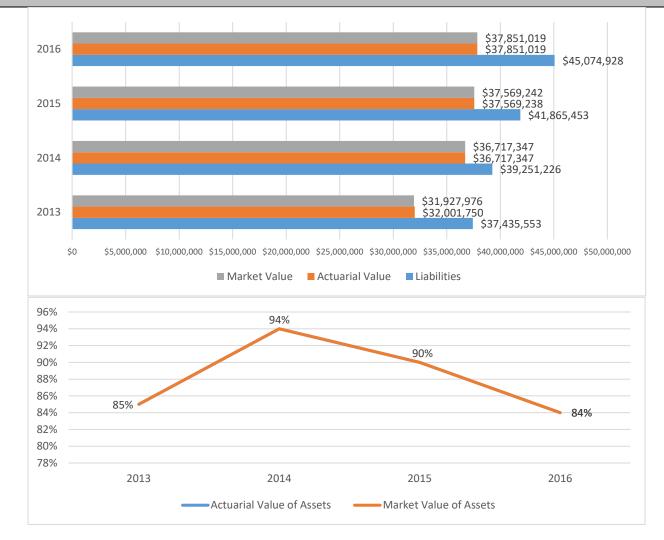
Valuation of Assets: Market Value

Mortality Table: RP 2000 projected generational Scale AA

Vesting: 12

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 2% Cap Total: 50%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: 3.5%



#### **PUBLIC EDUCATION EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 47,851 Inactive: 59,160

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$106,717,021 Employee: \$114,257,497

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 1.61% of compensation x years of creditable service Rule of 80/30 & Out: 0.8% of compensation x years of service to Social Security eligibility

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Age 60 with 5 years of service Rule of 80 Age 55 with 25 years of service 30 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

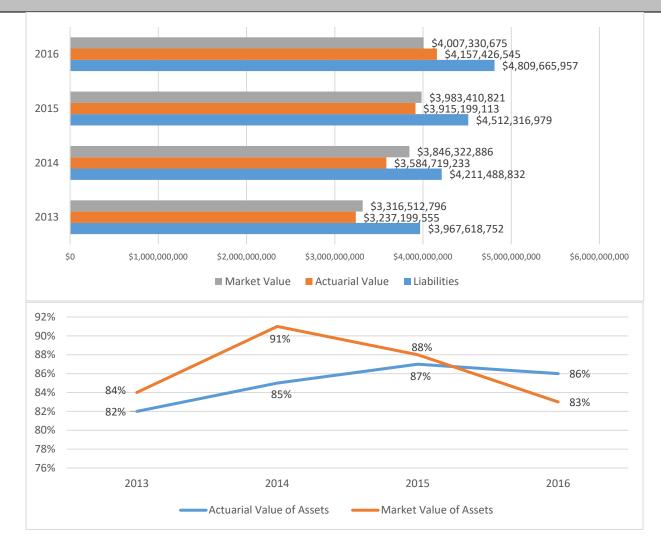
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table (Retiree Mortality): RP-2006 Total Dataset Mortality Tables with plan specific experience adjustments with static projection to 2028 using 2014 SSA Improvement Scale

Vesting: 5

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 5% Cap Total Max: 80%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.75% Salary: 3.25%



#### **PUBLIC SCHOOL RETIREMENT SYSTEM**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 78,129 Inactive: 74,396

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$670,794,045 Employee: \$704,785,734

BENEFITS:

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 2.5% of compensation x years of creditable service

#### Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Age 60 with 5 years of service Rule of 80 30 years of service Age 55 with 25 years of service

Social Security Coverage: No

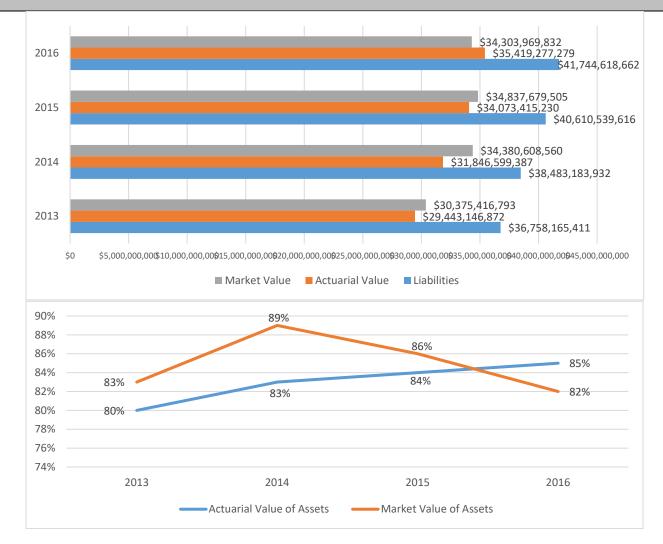
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table (Retiree Mortality): RP-2006 White Collar Mortality Tables, with plan specific experience adjustments and static projection to 2028 using 2014 SSA Improvement Scale

Vesting: 5

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 5% Cap Total Max: 80%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.75% Salary: 2.75%



### **RAYTOWN POLICEMEN'S RETIREMENT FUND**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 42 Inactive: 45

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$562,862 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 2.5% of compensation for first 20 years of service + 1% for next 10 years of service

> **Normal Retirement Eligibility:** Age 55 with 20 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

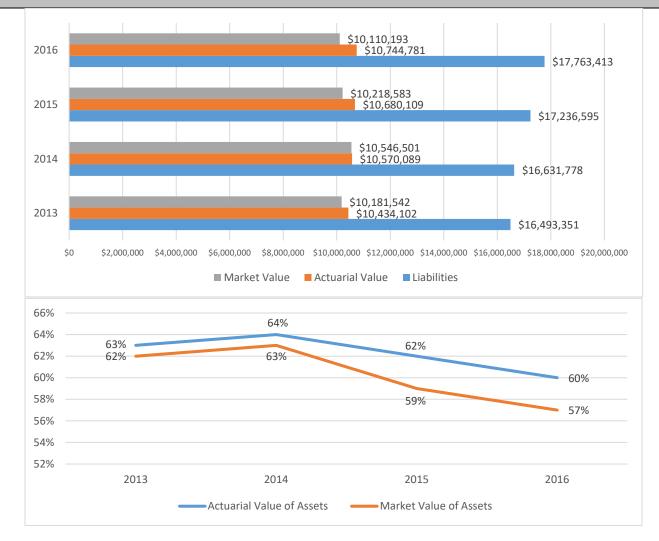
Mortality Table: RP 2015 Blue Collar with generational projections

Vesting: 10

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.5% Salary: 4%

Plan frozen effective 12/31/2013; moved current & new employees to LAGERS



### **RICHMOND HEIGHTS POLICE & FIRE RETIREMENT PLAN**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 62 Inactive: 41

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$978,275 Employee: \$127,625

BENEFITS: Normal Retirement Formula:

70% of compensation

Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 60 or 30 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

#### Valuation of Assets: 4 years smoothing

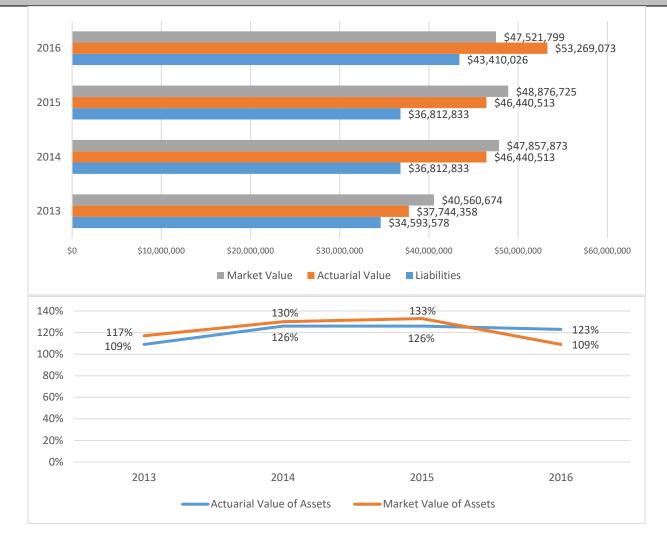
Mortality Table: RP 2014 Blue Collar Healthy projected to 2017, MP-2014 Improvement Scale

Vesting: 15

COLA: Ad Hoc: CAP-Total Maximum: Based on increase in base pay of actives until retiree reaches full Social Security age

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 6.5% Salary: 5%

Plan performs actuarial valuation biennially



### **ROCK COMMUNITY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 63 Inactive: 24

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$699,000 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2% of compensation x years of creditable service Temporary Benefit: \$500 per month to Medicare eligibility

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 60 with 5 years of service

> Age 55 with 30 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

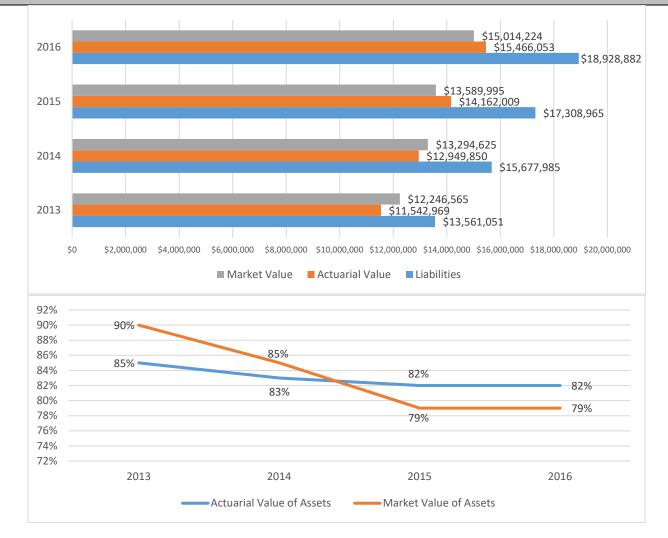
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: Blue Collar RP 2014 generational SSA from 2006

Vesting: 7

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.5% Salary: 3%



#### **ROCK HILL POLICE & FIREMEN'S PENSION PLAN**

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Active: 7 Inactive: 21

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$150,000 Employee: \$0

**BENEFITS:** 

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 

40% or 50% of compensation, reduced by 1/20 per final years of service below 20 years, full 40% or 50% if greater than 20 years of service. Percentage based on age and years of service as of 4/30/2003.

**Normal Retirement Eligibility:** 

Age 60 with 20 years of service Mandatory retirement age of 70

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: Market Value

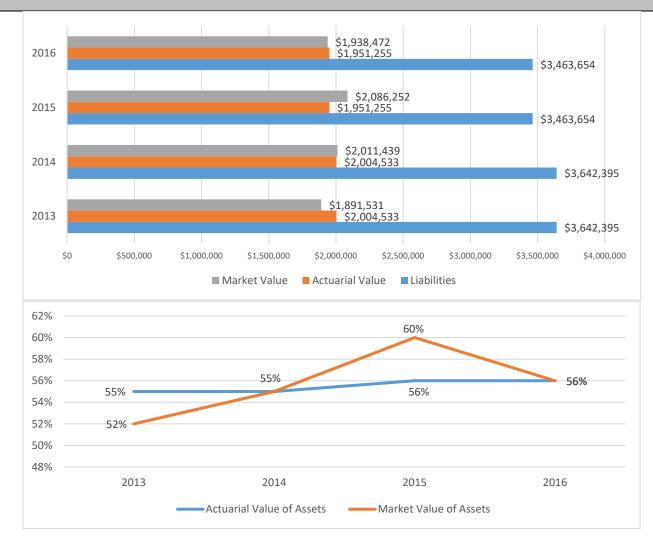
Mortality Table: IRS Combined Static Mortality Table

Vesting: 5

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTION: Interest: 6.4%

Plan closed effective October 2003. Plan frozen effective May 1, 2011.



## SALINE VALLEY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 30 Inactive: 15

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$184,278 Employee: \$0

BENEFITS: Normal Retirement Formula: \$100 per month x years of service

Maximum of 30 years

Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 60 with 7 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: Market Value

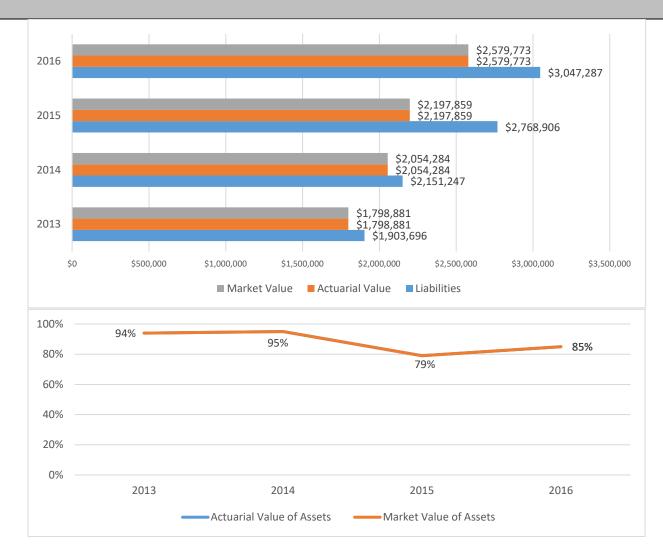
Mortality Table: RP 2014 Blue Collar Social Security Generational Improvements

Vesting: 7

COLA: No COLA

#### ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTION: Interest: 7%

Defined Contribution Plan: See Corresponding Information in Defined Contribution Section



### SEDALIA FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT FUND

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 35 Inactive: 48

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$331,451 Employee: Non-Contributory

**BENEFITS:** 

Normal Retirement Formula: 50% of Indexed Earnings Base (IEB) - IEB = \$52,891 (2015-2016)

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 55 with 22 years of service

Social Security Coverage: No

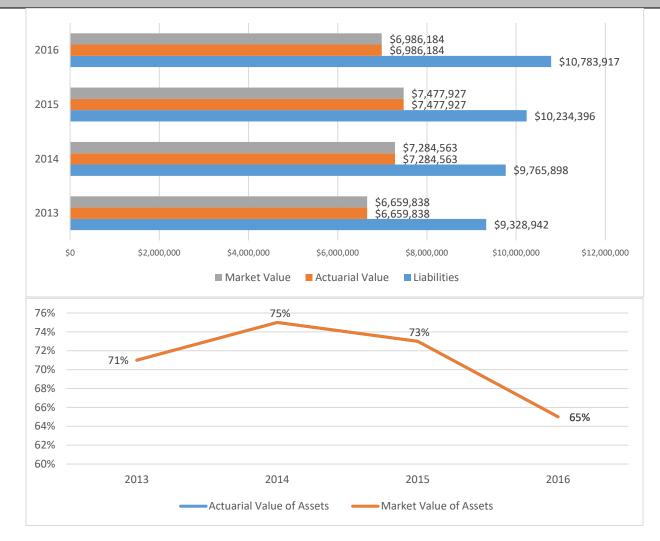
Valuation of Assets: Market value

Mortality Table: RP-2015 Blue Collar

Vesting: Partial 1 / Full 10

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 3% Ad Hoc

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: 3%



### SEDALIA POLICE RETIREMENT FUND

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 28 Inactive: 46

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$480,773 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2% of compensation x years of creditable service Maximum: 30 years. Minimum benefit of \$885/month for hires prior to 08/01/1989

> **Normal Retirement Eligibility:** Age 52 with 15 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: Market Value

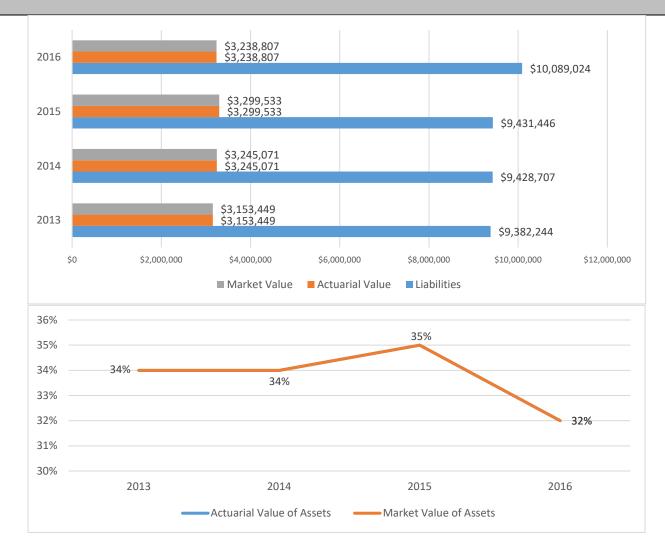
Mortality Table: MP-2015 Blue Collar Male and Female Generational

Vesting: Partial 5 / Full 15

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 2%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTION: Interest: 6%

Plan frozen as of April 2010; current & new members moved to LAGERS



### SHERIFFS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

#### MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 114 Inactive: 212

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$2,383,322 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2% of compensation x years of creditable service Plus monthly supplement not to exceed \$450. 2016 Supplement = \$300.

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Age 55 with 12 years of service Age 62 with 8 years of service

#### Social Security Coverage: Yes

#### Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2000 to Blue Collar fully generational Scale BB

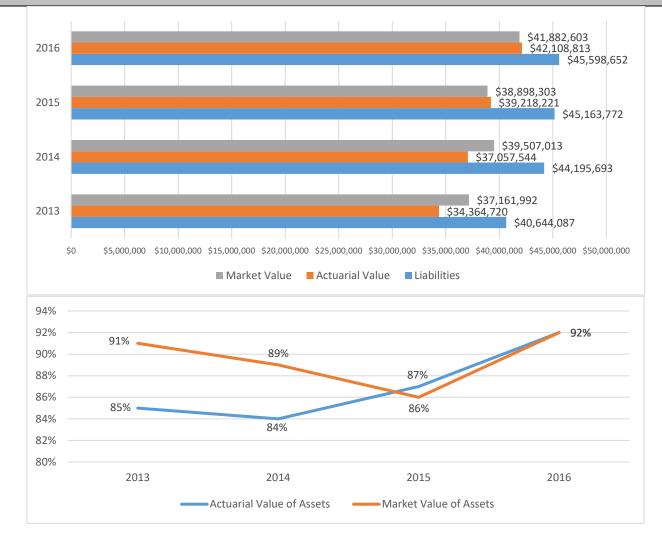
Vesting: 8

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 5% Percent of CPI: 100%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS:

Interest: 6.5%

Salary: 1.5% in non-election years, 9% in election years



#### **SPRINGFIELD POLICE & FIRE RETIREMENT FUND**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 277 Inactive: 564

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$39,043,206 Employee: \$2,945,796

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2.8% of compensation x years of creditable service Max: 70% of compensation

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Age 50 with 20 years of service Mandatory retirement at age 60 with 20 years of service Age 60 25 years of service

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Social Security Coverage: No

Valuation of Assets: 4 years smoothing

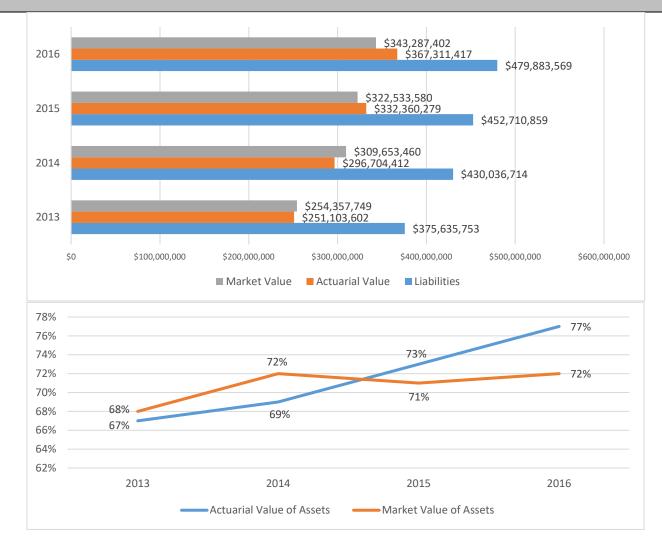
Mortality Table: RP 2000 Generational Scale AA

Vesting: 5

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 3%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.0% Salary: varies

Plan closed 1/31/2010; active members hired after 6/1/06 & new hires moved to LAGERS



#### **ST. JOSEPH POLICEMEN'S PENSION FUND**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 117 Inactive: 109

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$1,688,681 Employee: \$255,516

**BENEFITS**:

Normal Retirement Formula: 40% of compensation for first 20 years of service + 2% for each of the next 15 years of service Maximum: 70% Minimum benefit of \$500

Normal Retirement Eligibility: 20 years of service

Social Security Coverage: No

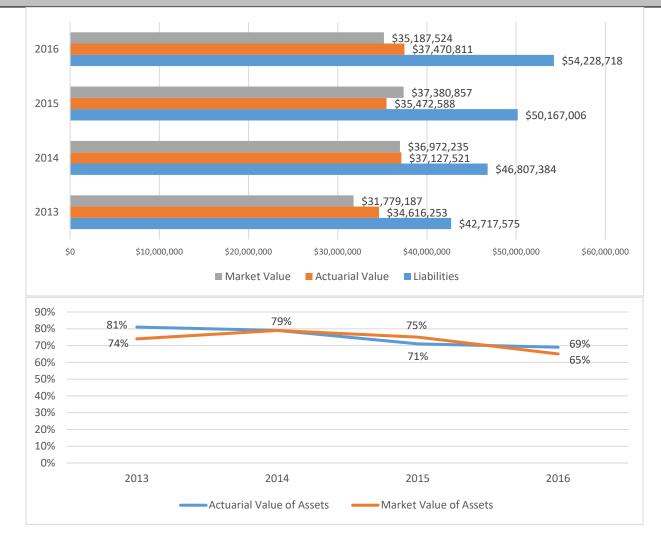
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2015 Blue Collar

Vesting: 20

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 4% Percent of CPI: 50%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.1% Salary: 3%



#### ST. LOUIS COUNTY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 3,747 Inactive: 4,454

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$39,938,958 Employee: Non-Contributory

**BENEFITS:** 

Normal Retirement Formula:

General Employees: 1.5% of compensation x years of creditable service plus \$15/month x years of service Uniformed: 1.6% x years of service + \$30 per mo x years of service to age 65 then \$5 per mo x yos post-age 65

Normal Retirement Eligibility:

General Employees: Age 65 with 3 years of service Uniformed: Age 60 and 10 years of service, age 65 with 3 years of service, Rule of 80

Social Security Coverage: Yes

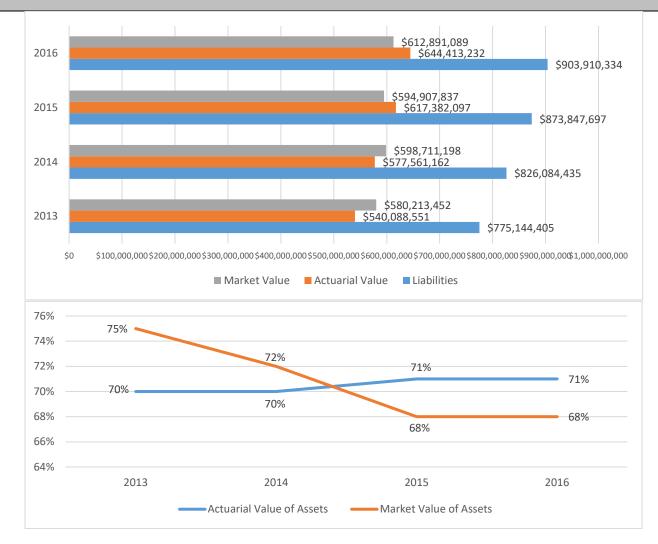
Valuation of Assets: 4 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP-2000 and RP 2000 Blue Collar, generational

Vesting: 5

COLA: Ad Hoc

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.75% Salary: 4.25%



# ST. LOUIS COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT EMPLOYEES PENSION PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 359 Inactive: 333

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$2,500,000 Employee: Non-Contributory

**BENEFITS:** 

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 1.6% of compensation x years of creditable service

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 65 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

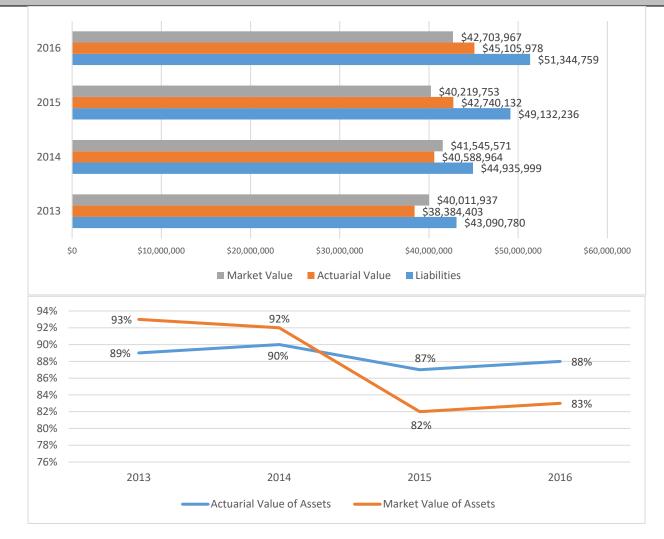
Valuation of Assets: 4 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP-2014 fully generational basis using Scale MP-2015

Vesting: 5

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.0% Salary: 3.5%



### ST. LOUIS EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 5,303 Inactive: 7,015

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$32,127,591 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula:

1.3% of compensation below \$72,636 per Year + 2.05% of compensation above \$72,636 x years of credited service

Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 65 with 5 years of service Rule of 85

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP-2000 3 year set forward, generational projection using Scale AA

Vesting: 5

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 3.125% Cap Total Maximum: 25% Percent of CPI: 100%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.5% Salary: 3%



### **ST. LOUIS FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT SYSTEM**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 478 Inactive: 1,006

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$2,715,140 Employee: Non-Contributory

**BENEFITS:** 

Normal Retirement Formula:

40% of compensation for the first 20 years of service + 2% for each of the next 5 years of service + 5% for each year over 25 years. Maximum 30

years.

Normal Retirement Eligibility: 20 years of service

Social Security Coverage: No

Valuation of Assets: 3 years smoothing

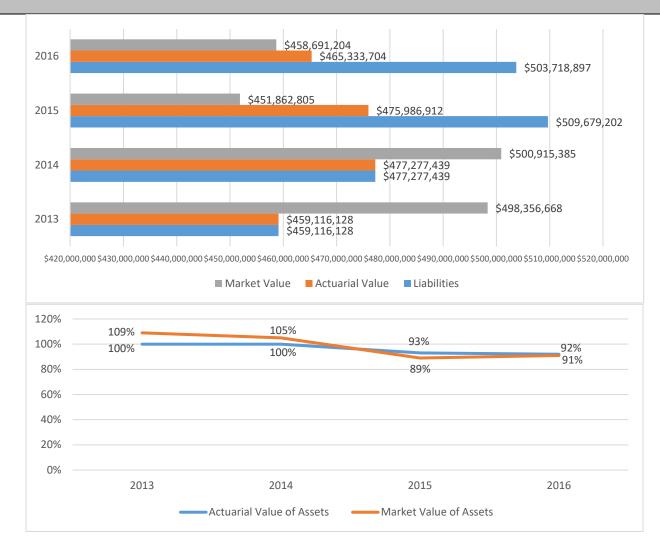
Mortality Table: RP 2014 for Healthy Annuitants, sex distinct

Vesting: 20

COLA: Annual Amount Minimum: 1.5% Annual Amount Maximum: 5% Cap Total Maximum: 25%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.0% Salary: 3.00%

Plan frozen as of 2/1/2013



#### **ST. LOUIS POLICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 1,122 Inactive: 2,051

CONTRIBUTIONS: Employer: \$30,778,664 Employee: \$4,320,337

**Syer:** \$30,778,864 Employee: \$4,320

**BENEFITS:** 

Normal Retirement Formula: 2% of compensation for first 25 years of service + 4% for next 5 years of service Plus 5% for all service after 30 Yrs Maximum: 75% of compensation

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 55 or 20 years of service Mandatory retirement age of 65

> Social Security Coverage: No

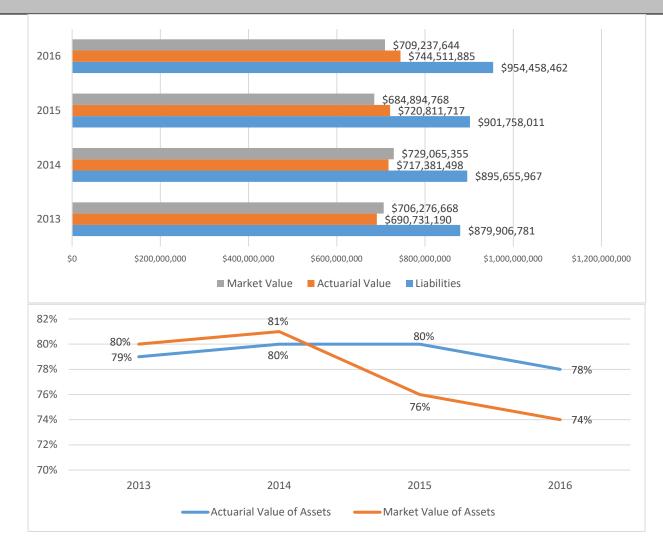
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2014 Blue Collar projected generationally with MP-2015

Vesting: 20

COLA: Annual Amount Maximum: 3% Cap Total Maximum: 30% Percent of CPI: 100%

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.5% Salary: 3%



# ST. LOUIS PUBLIC SCHOOL RETIREMENT SYSTEM

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 5,101 Inactive: 7,115

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$39,519,979 Employee: \$12,652,029

BENEFITS:

**Normal Retirement Formula:** 2% of compensation x years of creditable service Maximum Benefit: 60% of average final compensation

**Normal Retirement Eligibility:** 

Age 65 Rule of 85

Social Security Coverage: Yes

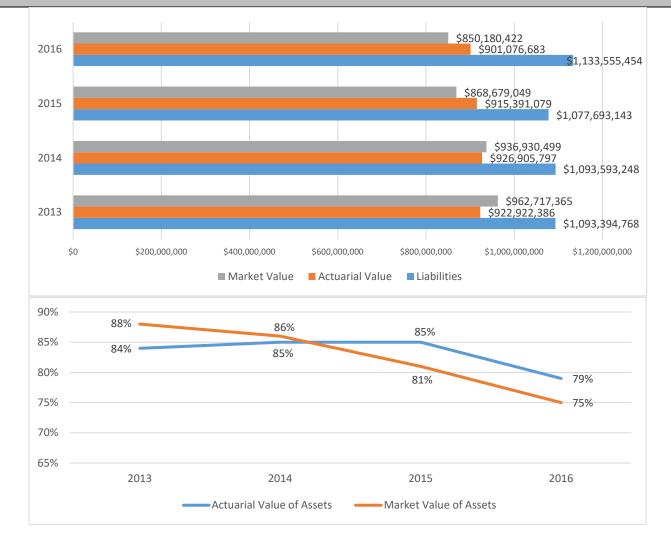
Valuation of Assets: Assumed Yield Method

Mortality Table: RP 2014 Generational Scale MP 2015

Vesting: 5

COLA: Ad Hoc

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.5% Salary: 5.0% for first five years, then 3.5%



#### UNIVERSITY CITY NON-UNIFORMED RETIREMENT PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 133 Inactive: 86

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$946,024 Employee: \$183,380

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula: 1.6% of compensation x years of creditable service Plus 0.50% above \$45,000; Max 35 years of service

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 62 with 30 years of service

> Age 65 with 10 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

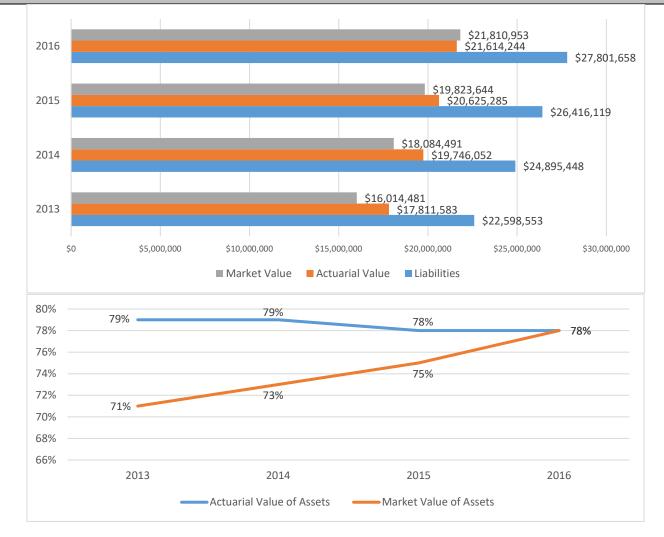
Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2014 Generational Scale MP 2016

Vesting: 10

COLA: Ad Hoc

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 6.5% Salary: 3%



#### **UNIVERSITY CITY POLICE & FIRE RETIREMENT FUND**

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 99 Inactive: 111

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$948,230 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

Normal Retirement Formula:

65% of compensation for first 25 years of service + 1% for each of the next 5 years of service Maximum: 70% of compensation

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 50 with 25 years of service

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Social Security Coverage: No

Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

Mortality Table: RP 2014 Generational Scale MP 2016

Vesting: 10

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 6.5% Salary: 3%



#### UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI RETIREMENT, DISABILITY & DEATH BENEFIT PLAN

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Active: 18,233 Inactive: 13,492

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$98,004,532 Employee: \$14,968,976

**BENEFITS:** 

Normal Retirement Formula: 2.2% of compensation x years of creditable service Employees hired for the first time on/after 10/01/12: 1.0% x years of creditable service. Normal Retirement Eligibility:

Age 65 with 5 years of service

Age 62 with 25 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

Valuation of Assets: 5 years smoothing

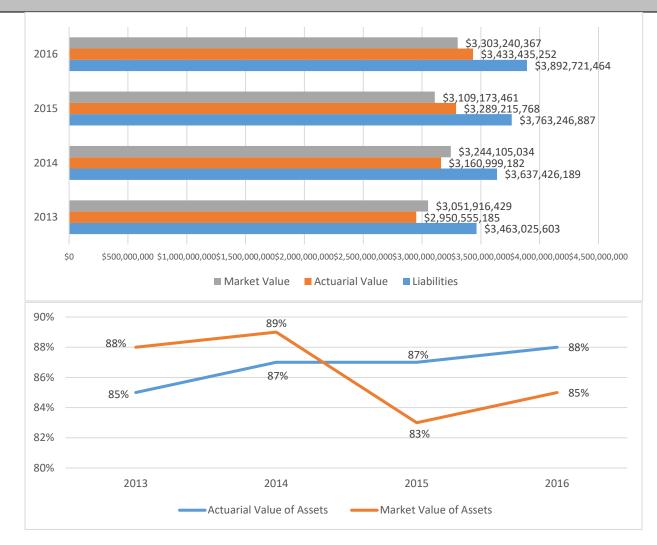
Mortality Table: RP 2000 Combined Healthy projected to 2023 Scale BB

Vesting: 5

COLA: Ad Hoc

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7.75% Salary: 2.75%

Hybrid/Defined Contribution Component for Employees Hired for the first time on/after 10/1/12



#### VALLEY PARK FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN

MEMBERSHIP:

Active: 24 Inactive: 12

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Employer: \$230,000 Employee: Non-Contributory

**BENEFITS**:

Normal Retirement Formula: 2.00% of compensation x years of creditable service Maximum: 30 years of service

> **Normal Retirement Eligibility:** Age 55 with 5 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

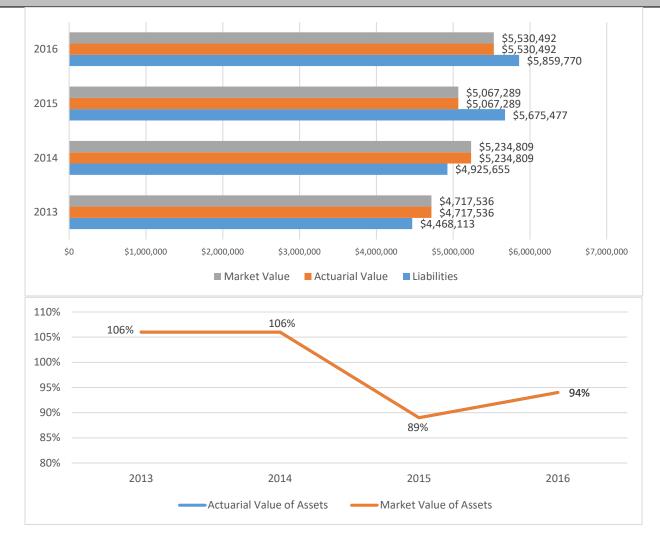
Valuation of Assets: Market Value

Mortality Table: RP 2000

Vesting: 5

COLA: No COLA

#### ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: Interest: 7% Salary: 4%



#### WARRENTON FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARDS PROGRAM

**MEMBERSHIP:** 

Active: 10 Inactive: 29

**CONTRIBUTIONS:** 

Employer: \$30,814 Employee: Non-Contributory

BENEFITS:

**Normal Retirement Formula:** \$10 per month x years of service; \$200 per month Max; Life Annuity Guaranteed for 10 Years.

> Normal Retirement Eligibility: Age 65 with 1 years of service

Social Security Coverage: Yes

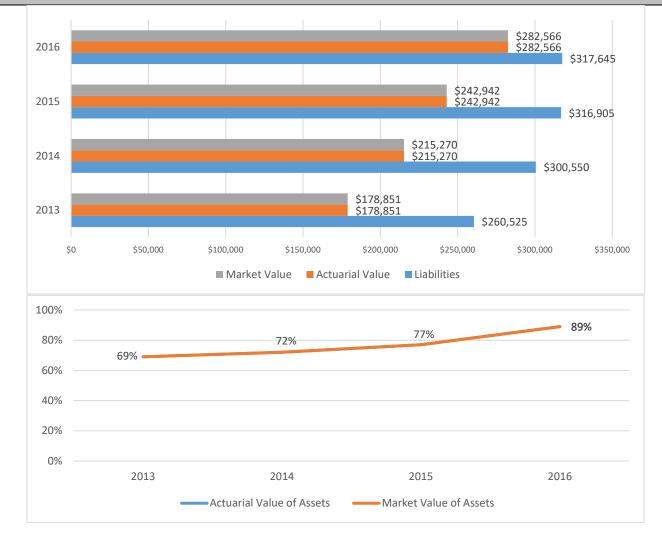
Valuation of Assets: Market Value

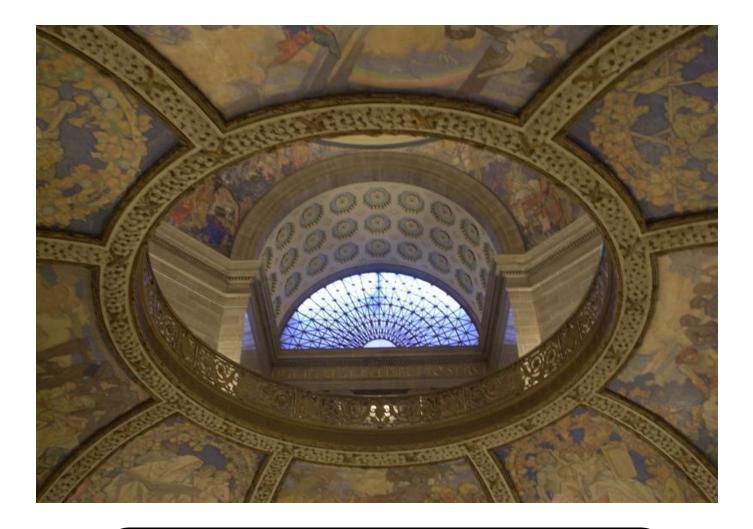
Mortality Table: RP 2000

Vesting: 4

COLA: No COLA

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTION: Interest: 4.75%



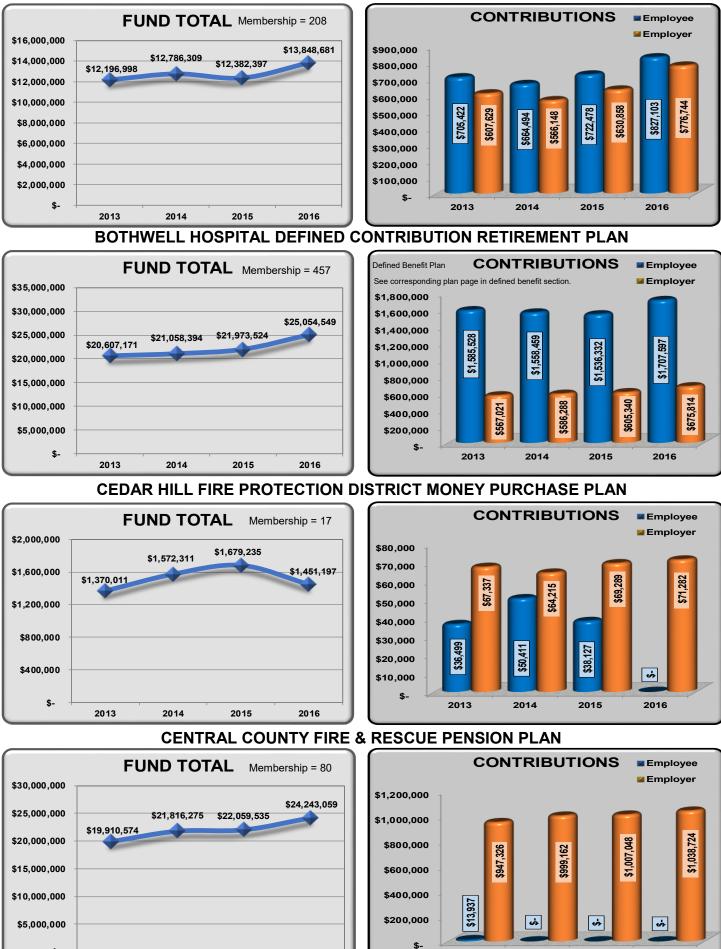


## DEFINED CONTRIBUTION PLANS

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For purposes of this report, the membership numbers noted for each plan refer to actives only.

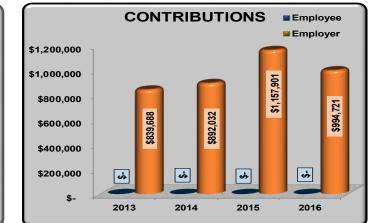
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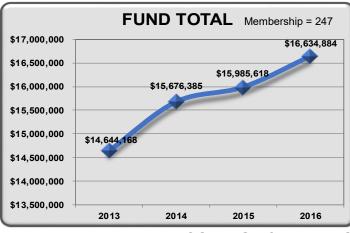
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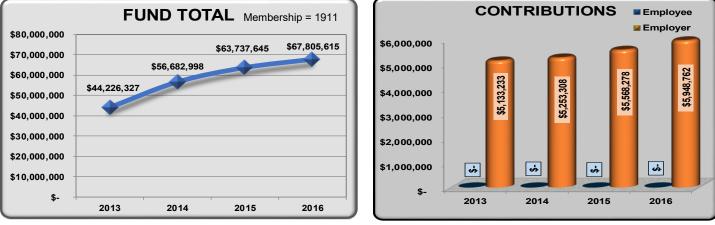




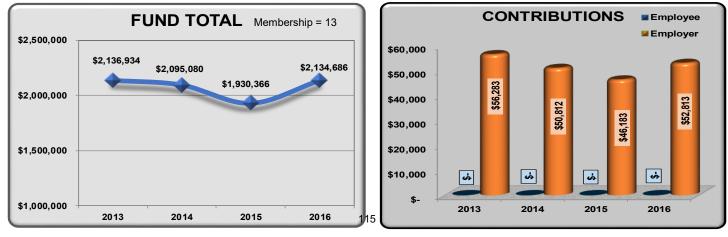
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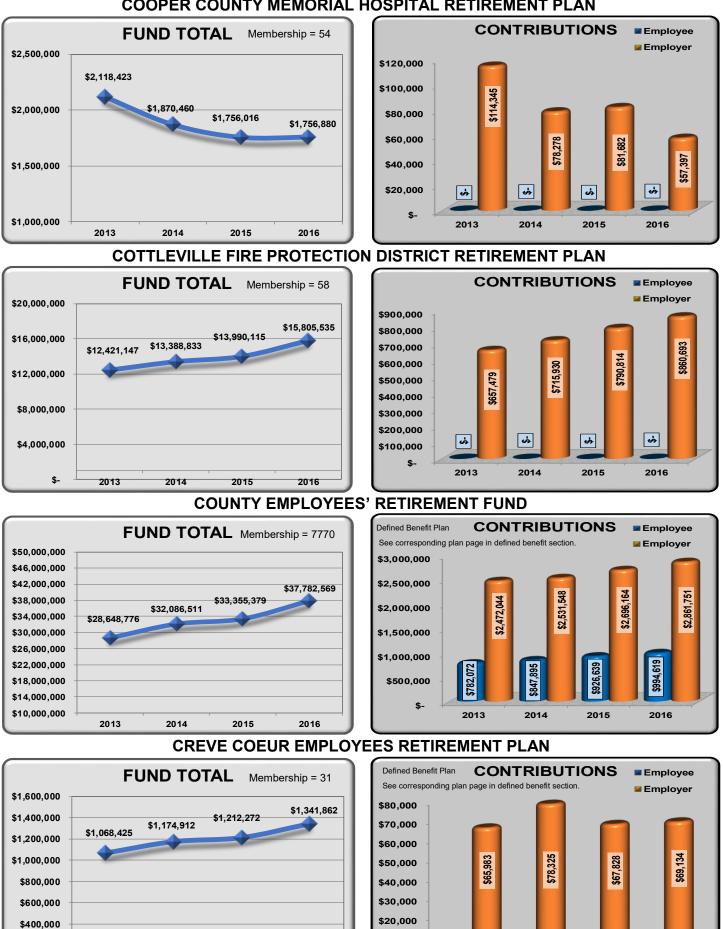
#### **COLLEGE & UNIVERSITY RETIREMENT PLAN**



#### **CONSOLIDATED WATER DISTRICT #C-1 OF JEFFERSON COUNTY**



#### COOPER COUNTY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL RETIREMENT PLAN



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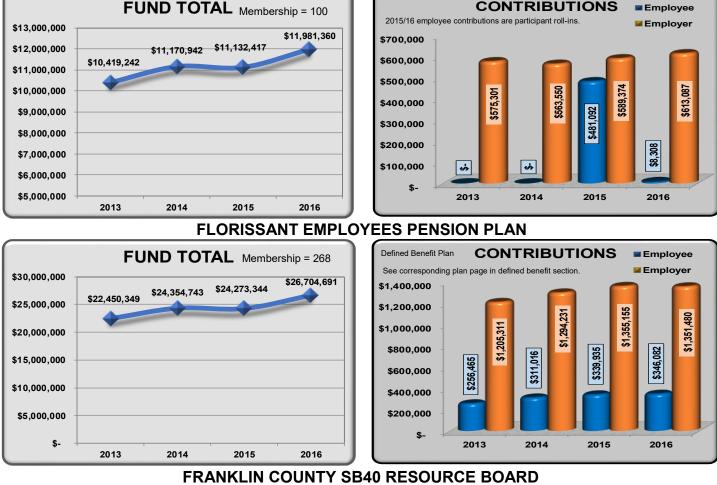
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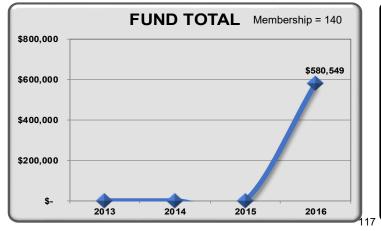
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#### **CREVE COEUR FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN**







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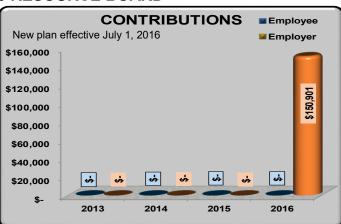
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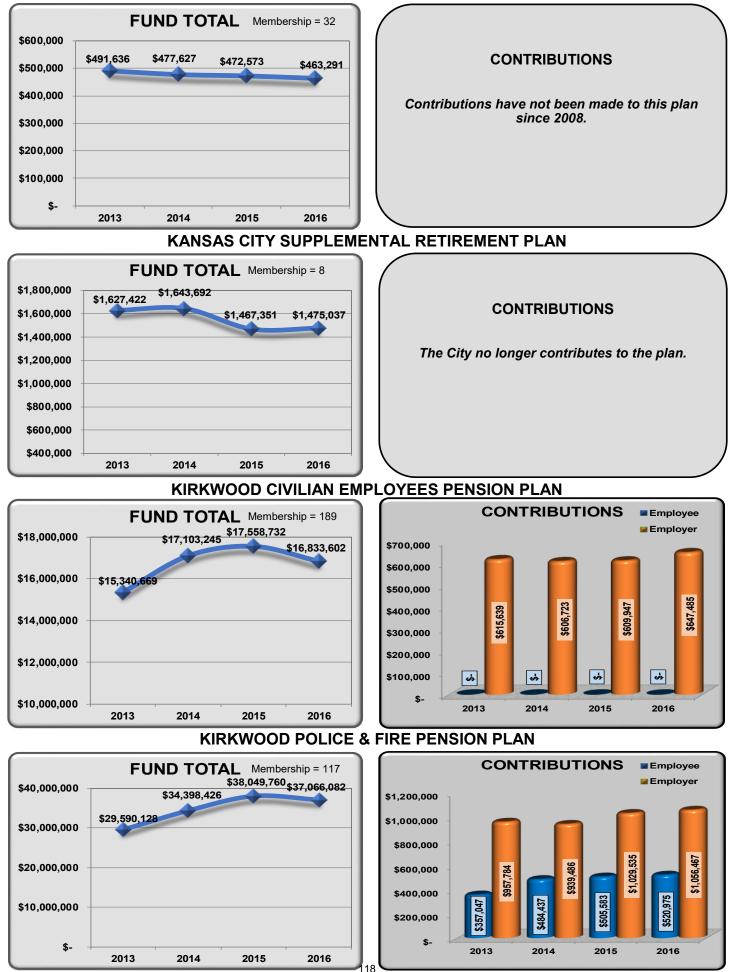
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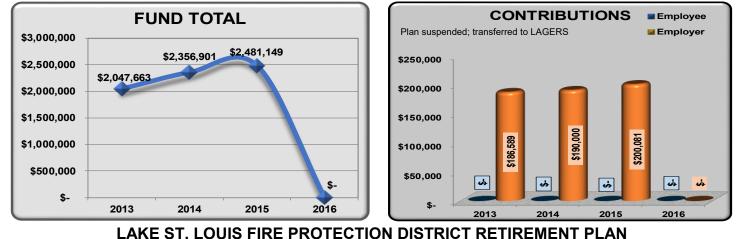
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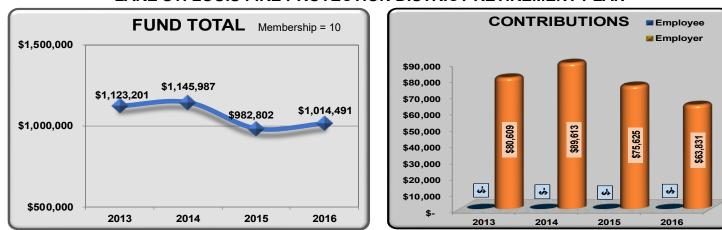


#### HIGH RIDGE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT PENSION PLAN



#### LAKE OZARK FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT PENSION PLAN

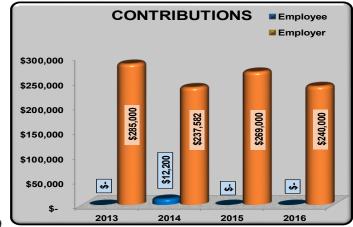


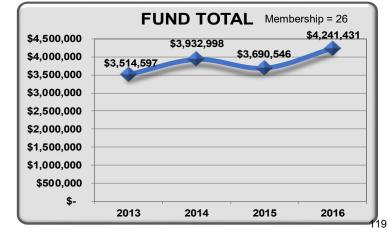


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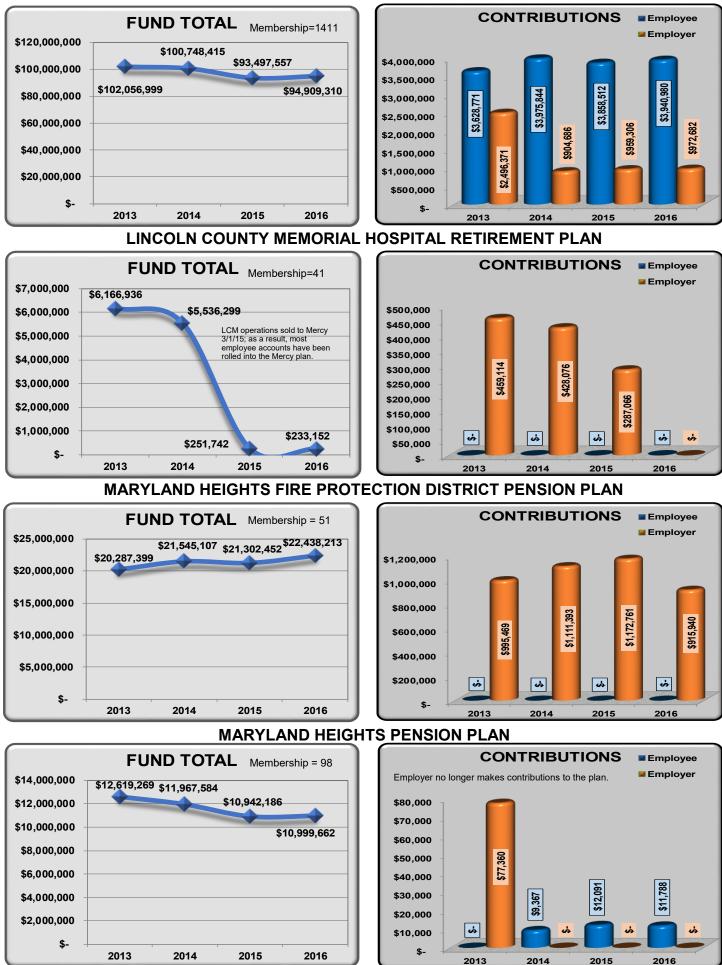


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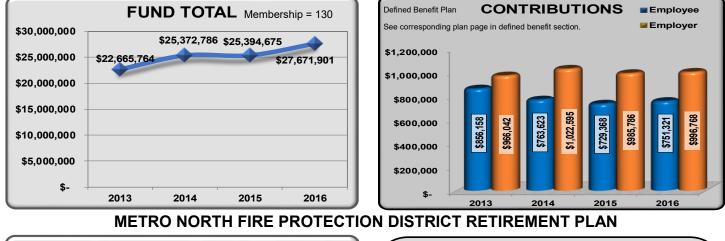


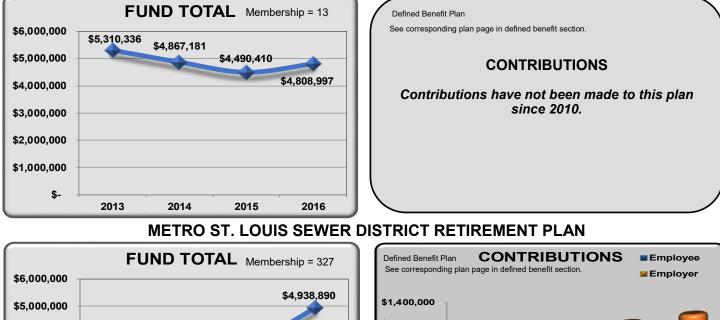


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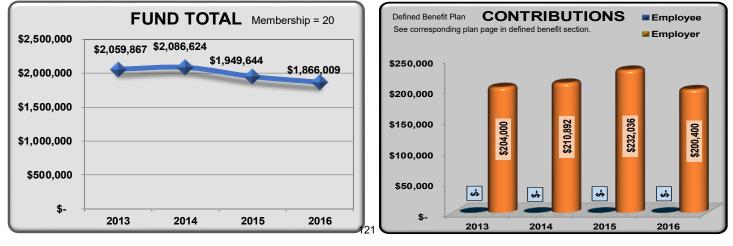
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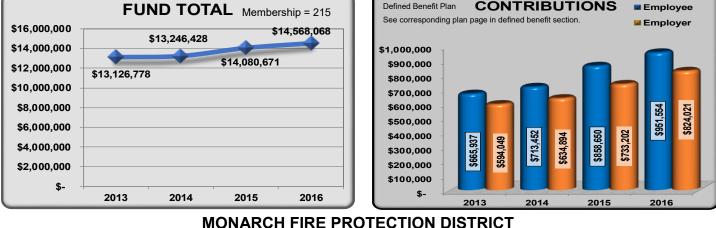


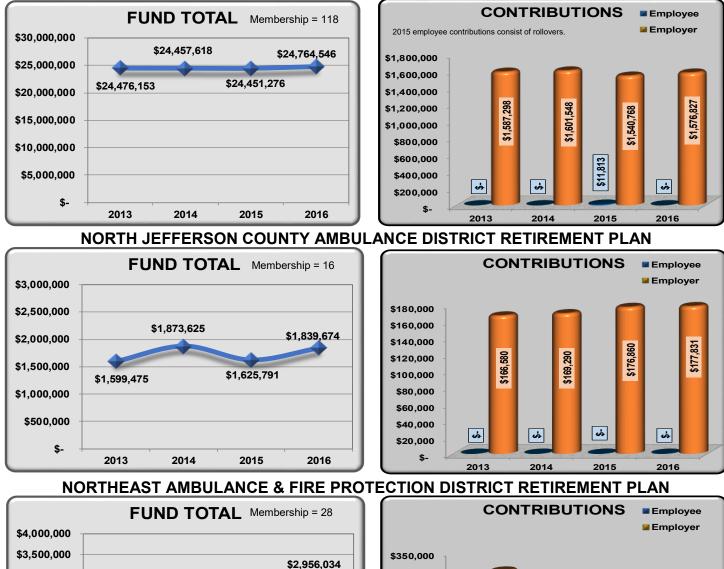


#### MID-COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN



#### MISSOURI HIGHER EDUCATION LOAN AUTHORITY PENSION PLAN





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\$250.000

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\$305,969

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2013

\$264,164

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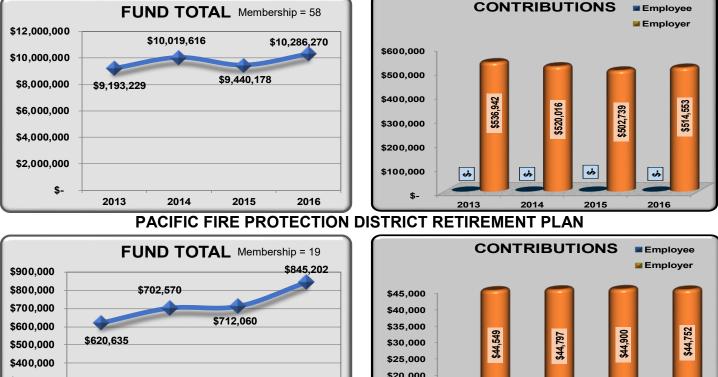
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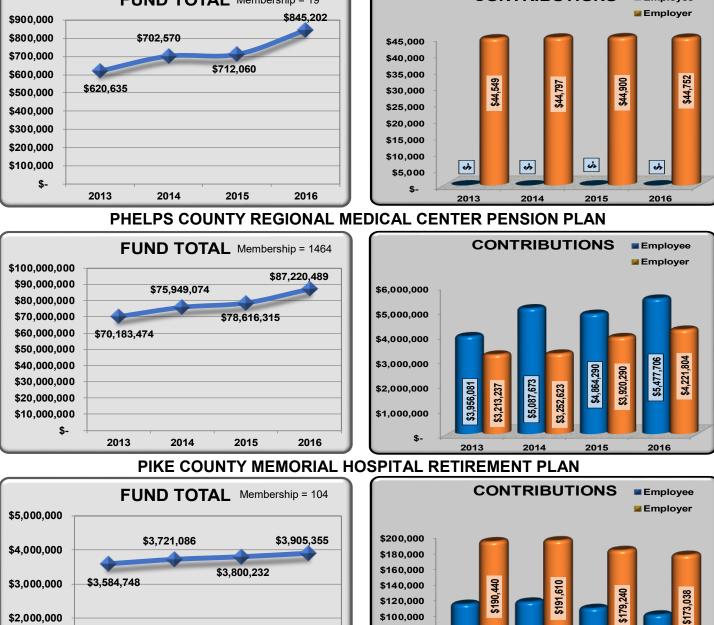
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#### MONARCH FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

#### O'FALLON FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RETIREMENT PLAN





\$120,000

\$100.000 \$80,000

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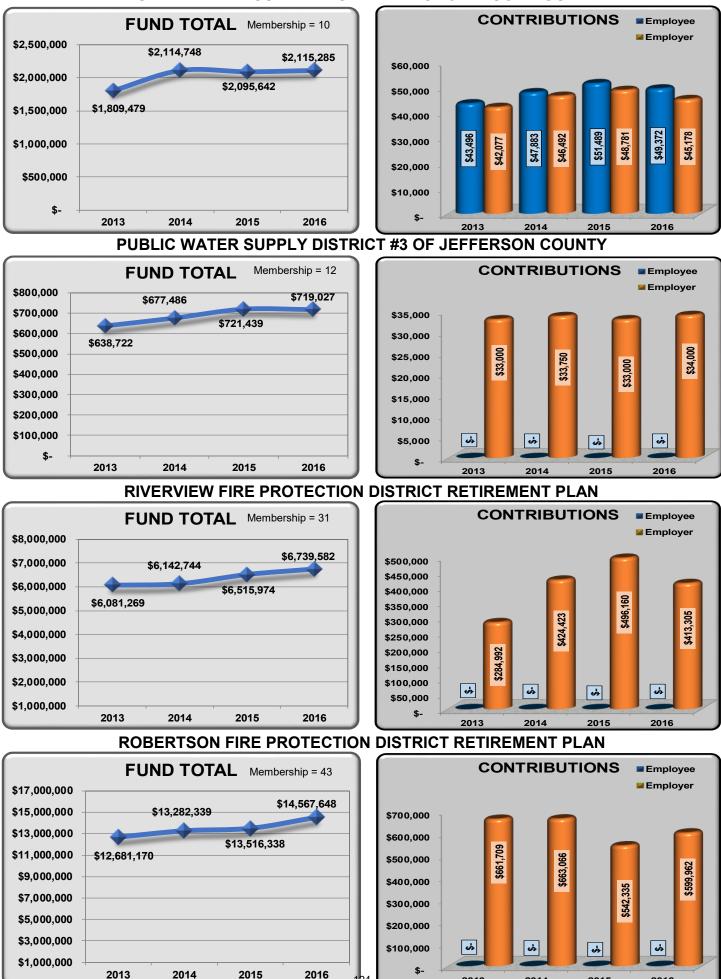
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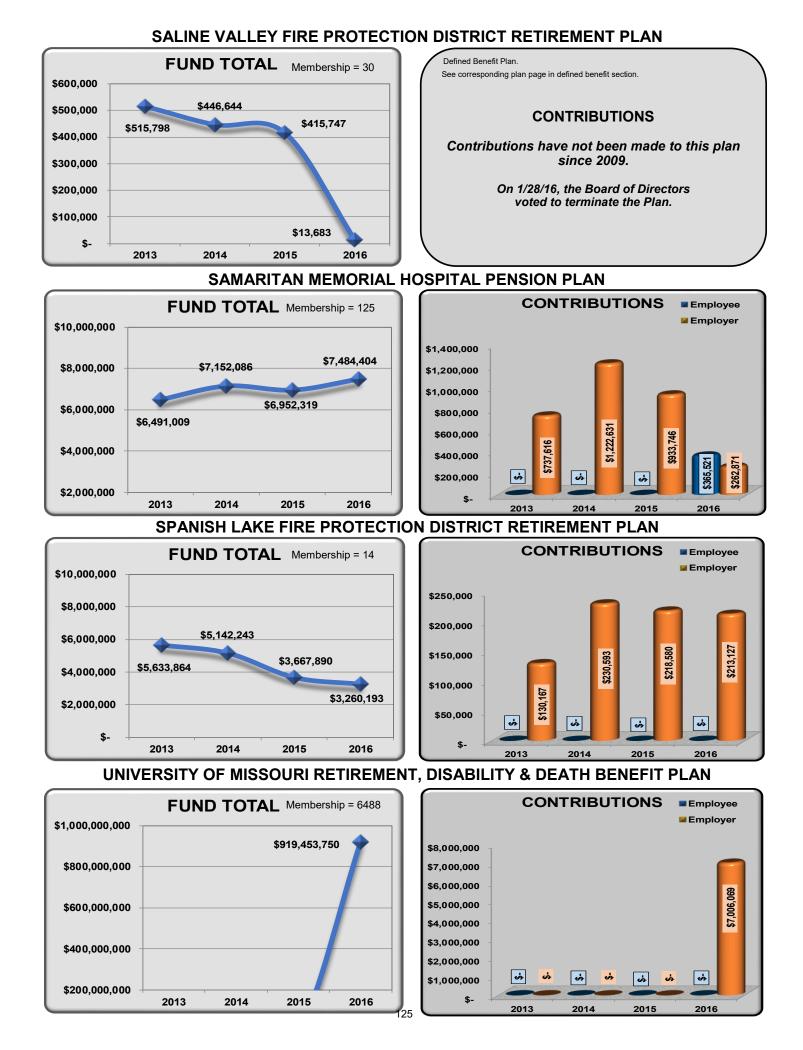
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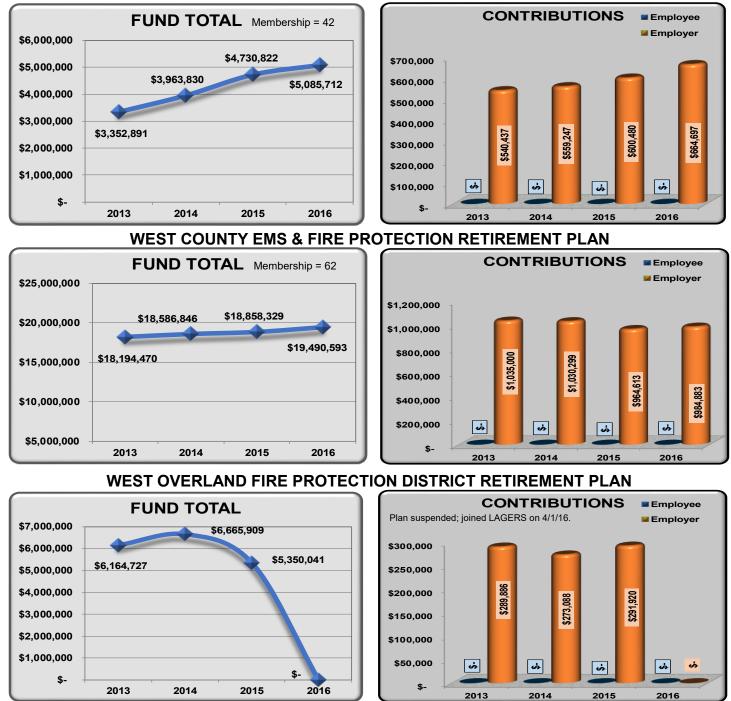
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#### PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT #2 OF JACKSON COUNTY





#### WENTZVILLE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT PENSION PLAN



# NOTES