

SUMMARY TO THE REGULAR ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

Tuesday, October 10, 2023 9:00 A.M. – 9:21 A.M.

City of Jacksonville Police and Fire Pension Fund 1 West Adams Street Suite 100, Jacksonville, FL 32202

The next Advisory Committee meeting will be held Tuesday, November 7, 2023 at 9:00 A.M.

Advisory Committee Members

James Holderfield, Chair Asst. Chief Richard Reichard, Vice Chair Thomas Lumpkin Cpt. Jean Paravisini Sgt. Michael Pelletier Chief Michael Shell Cpt. Christopher Stover

Fund Staff

Timothy H. Johnson, Executive Director – Plan Administrator Steve Lundy, Deputy Director Chuck Hayes, Pension Benefits Manager

Invited Guests

*Lawsikia Hodges, Office of General Counsel *Bob Sugarman, Fund Counsel

*Asterisk denotes virtual meeting attendance via the ZOOM application

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Summary

I. Moment of Silence

Robert Ervin Jr., Retired Deputy Director of Police Operations Charles I. Griffin, Retired Police Officer Vincent M. Howell, Retired Police Sergeant Wanda J. King, Retired Fire Lieutenant Joseph M. Martin, Retired Fire Lieutenant

II. Public Speaking

None.

III. Consent Agenda – Action Items: a-d; Items e-h to be received as information.

Richard Reichard moved to accept the Consent Agenda, seconded by Michael Shell. The vote passed unanimously.

a. Meeting Summaries to be Approved

1. Summary to the Regular Advisory Committee Meeting of Tuesday, September 12, 2023

b. Application for Vested Retirement

Full Name	RANK/Job Description	Monthly Pension Base	Vesting Date	Benefit Commencement Date
MAERZ, KARL E	POLICE OFFICER	\$4,232.62	09/19/2023	09/13/2024
WILLIAMS, BIONCA D	POLICE OFFICER	\$387.70	09/07/2023	08/01/2035

c. Application for Survivor Benefits

Survivor Name	Original Retiree Name	Spouse Effective Date	Monthly Gross Pension
ERVIN, AGNES A	ERVIN JR, ROBERT L	09/19/2023	\$7,146.18
GRIFFIN, SHELIA S	GRIFFIN, CHARLES I	09/08/2023	\$3,527.84
HODGES, GEORGIA LYNN G	HODGES, WYLLIE B	08/27/2023	\$8,839.39

d. Application for Time Service Connections

Full Name RANK/Job Description		TSC Туре	Purchased Months	Purchased Amount	
WOMACK, DAVID A	FIRE LIEUTENANT RESCUE 56	Clay County F.D.	1.37	\$2,270.04	

e. Share Plan Distributions

Full Name	RANK/Job Description	Share Plan Refund Amount	
MAERZ, KARL E	POLICE OFFICER	\$6,412.74	

f. DROP Participant Termination of Employment

Full Name	RANK/Job Description	DROP Date	DROP Termination Date	Monthly Pension Base
BORNTRAEGER, EDWARD B	POLICE OFFICER	10/06/2018	09/29/2023	\$3,270.87
DUDLEY, TORIN-PATRICK	POLICE OFFICER	10/06/2018	09/29/2023	\$3,600.12
FACUNDUS, SUSAN M	POLICE OFFICER	10/06/2018	09/29/2023	\$3,374.58
HENDRICKS, CLAYBURN B	FIRE LIEUTENANT SUPPRESSION 56	10/06/2018	09/29/2023	\$3,950.87
JONES, MICHAEL D	POLICE OFFICER	10/06/2018	09/29/2023	\$3,270.87
KLINGBEIL, GENE A	JFRD TRAINING ACADEMY MANAGER	10/06/2018	09/29/2023	\$4,539.47
KRUGER, MARK A	FIRE LIEUTENANT SUPPRESSION 56	10/06/2018	09/29/2023	\$3,822.86
MCDONALD, RUTHIE P	POLICE OFFICER	10/06/2018	09/29/2023	\$3,604.50
TERRELL, GARY	FIRE LIEUTENANT SUPPRESSION 56	10/06/2018	09/29/2023	\$4,174.32
WAARUM, AUGEN T	POLICE OFFICER	10/05/2019	09/15/2023	\$3,552.82
WELSH, TYRONE A	POLICE OFFICER	10/06/2018	09/29/2023	\$4,190.18

g. DROP Distributions

Full Name	Payout	Total DROP	Refund	Rollover	Bi-Weekly	Bi-Weekly	Payout
	Option		Amount	Amount	Distribution	Payment	Periods
					Amount	Amount	
BORNTRAEGER, EDWARD B	Bi-Weekly	\$259,154.90	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$259,154.90	\$857.34	1164
DUDLEY, TORIN- PATRICK	Bi-Weekly	\$285,240.40	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$285,240.40	\$1,002.54	780
FACUNDUS, SUSAN M	Refund & Bi- Weekly	\$267,373.10	\$10,000.00	\$0.00	\$257,373.10	\$851.45	1164
HENDRICKS, CLAYBURN B	Bi-Weekly	\$313,032.28	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$313,032.28	\$1,055.20	986
JONES, MICHAEL D	Bi-Weekly	\$259,154.90	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$259,154.90	\$1,029.70	520
KLINGBEIL, GENE A	Bi-Weekly	\$359,666.19	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$359,666.19	\$1,195.20	1111
KRUGER, MARK A	Bi-Weekly	\$302,890.02	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$302,890.02	\$1,064.57	780

Full Name	Payout	Total DROP	Refund	Rollover	Bi-Weekly	Bi-Weekly	Payout
	Option		Amount	Amount	Distribution	Payment	Periods
					Amount	Amount	
LADUE, JONATHAN C	Refund	\$280,694.39	\$280,694.39	\$0.00	\$0.00	N/A	N/A
MCDONALD, RUTHIE P	Bi-Weekly	\$285,588.64	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$285,588.64	\$1,003.76	780
TERRELL, GARY	Bi-Weekly	\$330,736.27	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$330,736.27	\$1,099.06	1111
WAARUM, AUGEN T	Bi-Weekly	\$211,683.93	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$211,683.93	\$699.10	1187
WELSH, TYRONE A	Bi-Weekly	\$331,993.11	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$331,993.11	\$1,096.43	1187

h. DROP Distributions for Survivors

Full Name	Payout	Total DROP	Refund	Rollover	Bi-Weekly	Bi-Weekly	Payout
	Option		Amount	Amount	Distribution	Payment	Periods
					Amount	Amount	
BRYANT, MARGARITE	Refund	\$183,312.46	\$183,312.46	\$0.00	\$0.00	N/A	N/A
HODGES, GEORGIA	Bi-Weekly	\$53,482.09	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$53,482.09	\$212.50	520
LYNN G							
WALTHOUR,	Refund	\$184,007.57	\$184,007.57	\$0.00	\$0.00	N/A	N/A
GWENDOLYN L							

IV. Executive Director's Report

a. 2023 Advisory Committee Election Update

Timothy Johnson opened the Advisory Committee meeting by noting that it marks the inaugural monthly gathering for Fiscal Year 2024. Additionally, he informed the committee that the results of the engagement survey will be presented during the November meeting.

Richard Reichard expressed gratitude to Timothy Johnson for the opportunity to attend the International Foundation of Employee Benefit Plans conference in Boston. He emphasized that the conference highlighted the PFPF's standing at the forefront of professionalism.

Steve Lundy provided an update on the Advisory Committee Election, informing the members that incumbents JSO Sergeant Michael Pelletier and JFRD Captain Jean Paravisini's terms will conclude at the year's end, triggering an election. In addition to the incumbents, the qualified candidates include JSO Officer Brian Kremler and JFRD Lieutenant Todd Smith. Online voting for the election will commence on November 1 and conclude on November 16.

V. Counsel Reports

Lawsikia Hodges had no new information to share.

Bob Sugarman reported that Jason Weathington's wrongful termination case has been referred back to the Civil Service Board.

Bob Sugarman echoed Chief Reichard's sentiments about the PFPF's excellence, emphasizing the significance of leadership in a pension fund. He praised the committee members for their dedication, highlighting the influence of their innovations on pension funds across Florida.

James Holderfield presented his report on the International Foundation of Employee Benefit Plans conference. He found seminars on fraud detection and mitigation, as well as pension administrators' strategies in dealing with fraud, particularly noteworthy. Holderfield commended the PFPF Benefits Staff for their effective monitoring of member deaths, preventing erroneous benefit payments.

Holderfield also touched on the conference's discussions about retention and recruitment, citing a study from Alaska that transitioned from Defined Benefit to Defined Contribution pension plans. The study revealed a threefold increase in members leaving after five years, seeking positions offering a defined benefit retirement. He suggested considering this insight as the PFPF evolves as a pension plan closed to new membership.

Responding to Timothy Johnson's inquiry, Holderfield mentioned that approximately 4,200 people attended the conference. While he did not attend any cybersecurity seminars during this visit, he shared his past experience and highlighted the focus on breach mitigation and member information protection. Holderfield did attend a seminar on artificial intelligence and its applications in various agencies.

VI. Old Business

None.

VII. New Business

None.

- VIII. Upcoming Meetings
 - a. Tuesday, November 14, 2023 at 9:00AM

IX. Adjournment 9:21 A.M.

James Holderfield, Chair Advisory Committee

Summary Prepared By:

Steve Lundy, Deputy Director City of Jacksonville Police and Fire Pension Fund

 Posted:
 10/10/2023

 To be Approved:
 11/14/2023