# RETIREMENT PLAN FOR THE FIREFIGHTERS AND POLICE OFFICERS OF THE CITY OF VALPARAISO

ACTUARIAL VALUATION AS OF OCTOBER 1, 2017

DETERMINES THE CONTRIBUTION FOR THE 2017/18 FISCAL YEAR



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April 20, 2018

#### Introduction

This report presents the results of the October 1, 2017 actuarial valuation for the Retirement Plan for the Firefighters and Police Officers of the City of Valparaiso. The report is based on the participant data and asset information provided by the pension plan administrator and, except for a cursory review for reasonableness including a comparison to the data provided for the previous valuation, we have not attempted to verify the accuracy of this information.

The primary purpose of this report is to provide a summary of the funded status of the plan as of October 1, 2017 and to determine the minimum required contribution under Chapter 112, Florida Statutes, for the 2017/18 plan year. In addition, this report provides a projection of the long-term funding requirements of the plan, statistical information concerning the assets held in the trust, statistical information concerning the participant population, and a summary of any recent plan changes.

The liabilities and cost presented in this report are based on numerous assumptions concerning the cost of benefits to be provided in the future, long-term investment returns, and the future demographic experience of the current participants. Anyone referring to this report should remember that the cost developed herein is only an <u>estimate</u> of the true cost of providing post-employment pension benefits. No one can predict with certainty whether the true cost will be higher or lower than the cost presented in this report. The calculated cost is entirely dependent upon the assumptions that are described in Table IV-A. If any of the assumptions is changed, then the cost shown in this report will change accordingly. Likewise, if any of the assumptions is not completely realized, then the cost shown in this report will change in the future.

Certain assumptions play a bigger role than others in determining the cost of the post-employment pension benefits. In some cases, relatively small changes in a particular assumption can have a dramatic impact on the anticipated cost of benefits. Although a thorough analysis of the impact of such changes is beyond the scope of this report, Table I-B illustrates the impact that alternative long-term investment returns would have on the normal cost rate.

### Minimum Required Contribution

Table I-A shows the development of the minimum required contribution for the 2017/18 plan year. The minimum required contribution rate is 19.65% of covered payroll, which represents an increase of 0.10% of payroll from the prior valuation.

The normal cost rate is 18.95%, which is 0.14% of payroll greater than the normal cost rate that was developed in the prior valuation. Table I-C provides a breakdown of the sources of change in the normal cost rate. Significantly, the rate decreased by 3.18% of payroll due to investment gains, decreased by another 3.61% of payroll due to demographic experience, and increased by 6.93% of payroll due to the assumption change that is described below. The market value of assets earned 13.28% during the 2016/17 plan year, whereas a 7.50% annual investment return was required to maintain a stable contribution rate.



Chapter 112, Florida Statutes, sets forth the rules concerning the minimum required contribution for public pension plans within the state. Essentially, the City must contribute an amount equal to the annual normal cost of the plan plus an adjustment as necessary to reflect interest on any delayed payment of the contribution beyond the valuation date. On this basis, the City's 2017/18 minimum required contribution will be equal to 19.65% multiplied by the total pensionable earnings for the 2017/18 fiscal year for the active employees who are covered by the plan and reduced by the portion of the Chapter 175/185 contribution that is allowed to be recognized during the 2017/18 plan year.

Based on the current assets, participant data, and actuarial assumptions and methods that are used to value the plan, the present-day value of the total long-term funding requirement is \$3,377,553. As illustrated in Table I-A, current assets are sufficient to cover \$2,426,217 of this amount, the employer's 2017/18 expected contribution will cover \$84,518 of this amount, and future employee contributions are expected to cover \$90,822 of this amount, leaving \$775,996 to be covered by future employer funding beyond the 2017/18 fiscal year. Again, demographic and investment experience that differs from that assumed will either increase or decrease the future employer funding requirement.

#### Advance Employer Contribution

The City has made contributions to the plan in excess of the minimum amount that was required to be contributed pursuant to Chapter 112. In this report, the excess contributions are referred to as an "advance employer contribution." As of October 1, 2017, the advance employer contribution is \$176,539, which reflects the advance employer contribution of \$177,196 as of October 1, 2016 less \$657 to cover the shortfall between actual employer contributions and the minimum required contribution for the 2016/17 plan year as shown in Table II-F.

The City may apply all or any portion of the advance employer contribution towards the minimum required contribution for the 2017/18 plan year or for any later plan year. The minimum required contribution for that plan year will be reduced dollar-for-dollar by the amount of the advance employer contribution that is applied in this manner.

Alternatively, at any time, the City may apply all or any portion of the advance employer contribution as an <u>extra</u> contribution in excess of the minimum required contribution. In this case, the immediate application of the entire balance of the advance employer contribution as of October 1, 2017 would reduce the normal cost rate to 15.06% of payroll and would reduce the minimum required contribution for the 2017/18 plan year to 15.62% of payroll.

#### Excess Chapter 175/185 Contributions

As of October 1, 2017, the plan has no accumulated excess Chapter 175/185 contributions, as shown in Table II-F. The accumulated excess Chapter 175/185 contribution as of October 1, 2017 is equal to the accumulated excess Chapter 175/185 contribution balance of zero as of October 1, 2016 plus the total distribution received during the 2016/17 plan year minus the portion of the distribution that is allowed to be used to offset the City's minimum required contribution. The total Chapter 175/185 distribution received during the 2016/17 plan year was \$67,934, which consisted of \$16,865 of regular Chapter 175 distributions, \$6,099 of supplemental Chapter 175 distributions, and \$44,970 of Chapter 185 distributions. All of the 2016/17 distribution was allowed to be applied as an offset to the City's



minimum required contribution for that period. Table II-G provides a history of the Chapter 175/185 contributions and the portion that is allowed to be recognized.

#### Contents of the Report

Tables I-D through I-G provide a detailed breakdown of various liability amounts by type of benefit and by participant group. Tables II-A through II-F provide information concerning the assets of the trust fund. Tables III-A through III-G provide statistical information concerning the plan's participant population. In particular, Table III-G gives a 10-year projection of the cash that is expected to be required from the trust fund in order to pay benefits to the current group of participants. Finally, Tables IV-A through V-B provide a summary of the actuarial assumptions and methods that are used to value the plan's benefits and of the relevant plan provisions as of October 1, 2017, as well as a summary of the changes that have occurred since the previous valuation report was prepared.

### Assumption Change

The assumed interest (or discount) rate has been decreased from 7.50% per annum to 7.00% per annum to reflect lower expected investment earnings in the future as estimated by the plan's investment consultant. This change increased the minimum required contribution for the 2017/18 plan year by 6.93% of payroll.

#### Certification

This actuarial valuation was prepared by me or under my direct supervision and I acknowledge responsibility for the results. To the best of my knowledge, the results are complete and accurate and, in my opinion, other than the required changes in actuarial assumptions discussed above, the techniques and assumptions used are reasonable and meet the requirements and intent of Chapter 112, Florida Statutes. There is no benefit or expense to be provided by the plan and/or paid from the plan's assets for which liabilities or current costs have not been established or otherwise taken into account in the valuation. All known events or trends which may require a material change in plan costs or required contribution rates have been taken into account in the valuation.

For the firm.

Charles T. Carr Consulting Actuary

Southern Actuarial Services Company, Inc.

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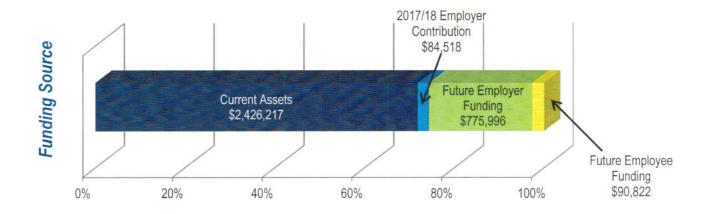
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The individual above is a member of the American Academy of Actuaries and meets the Qualification Standards of the American Academy of Actuaries to render the actuarial opinion contained herein.



# Minimum Required Contribution

### Table I-A



### For the 2017/18 Plan Year

\$3,275,376 \$102,177 (\$2,426,217) (\$90,822)	Present Value of Future Benefits Present Value of Future Administrative Expenses Actuarial Value of Assets Present Value of Future Employee Contributions
\$860,514	Present Value of Future Normal Costs
÷ \$4,541,191	Present Value of Future Payroll
= 18.9491%	Normal Cost Rate
x \$430,057	Expected Payroll
\$81,492	Normal Cost
\$3,026	Adjustment to Reflect Monthly Employer Contributions
\$84,518	Preliminary Employer Contribution for the 2017/18 Plan Year
÷ \$430,057	Expected Payroll for the 2017/18 Plan Year
19.65%	Minimum Required Contribution Rate

(The actual contribution should be based on the minimum required contribution rate multiplied by the actual payroll for the year.)

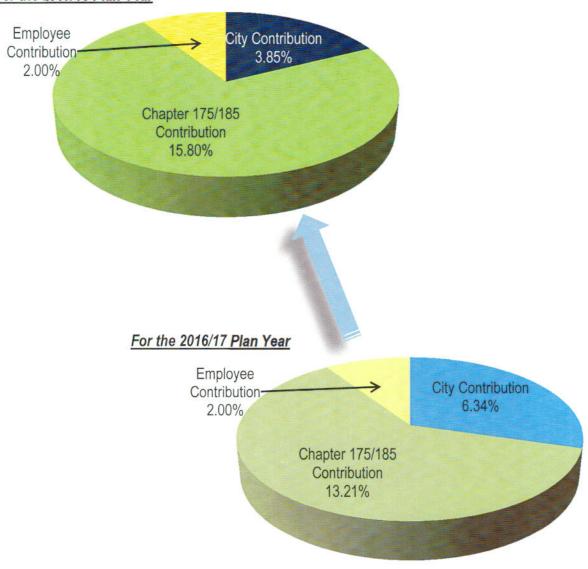


### Minimum Required Contribution

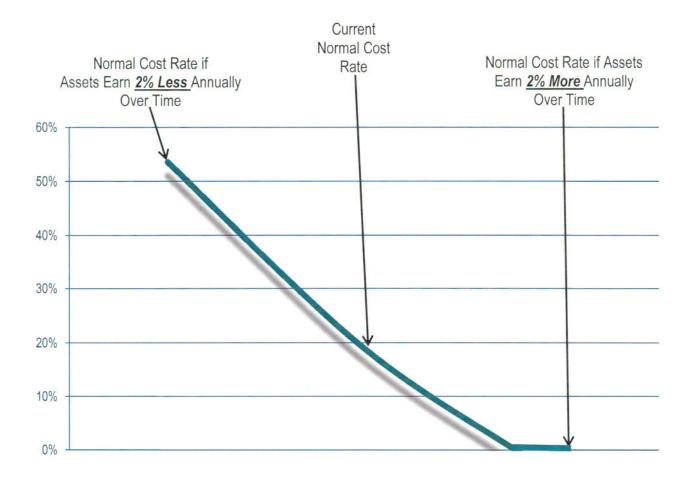
Table I-A (continued)

The minimum required contribution rate of 19.65% includes both the City contribution and the allowable Chapter 175/185 contribution. In addition, employees are required to contribute 2.00% of pensionable earnings. The actual City contribution rate is expected to be approximately 3.85% based on the allowable Chapter 175/185 contribution for the previous year. The chart below shows the expected contribution rate by source for the 2017/18 plan year based on the expected payroll. A comparative chart shows the contribution rate by source for the previous plan year.

### For the 2017/18 Plan Year







The line above illustrates the sensitivity of the normal cost rate to changes in the long-term investment return.



# Gain and Loss Analysis

Table I-C

Previous normal cost rate	18.81%
Increase (decrease) due to investment gains and losses	-3.18%
Increase (decrease) due to demographic experience	-3.61%
Increase (decrease) due to plan amendments	0.00%
Increase (decrease) due to actuarial assumption changes	6.93%
Increase (decrease) due to actuarial method changes	0.00%
Current normal cost rate	18.95%
Reconciliation of the Present Value of Accrued Benefits	
Present Value of Accrued Benefits as of October 1, 2016	\$1,180,422
Increase (Decrease) During the Plan Year Due to:	
Interest	\$88,532
Benefits accumulated	\$19,988
Benefits paid	\$30,016
Plan amendments	\$0
Changes in actuarial assumptions or methods	004 540
3	\$91,549
Net increase (decrease)	\$230,085



# **Funding Results**

# Present Value of Future Benefits

Table I-D

	Old Assumptions	Old Assumptions	New Assumptions
	w/o Amendment	w/ Amendment	w/ Amendment
Actively Employed Participants			
Retirement benefits	\$2,544,021	\$2,544,021	\$2,851,401
Termination benefits	\$0	\$0	\$0
Disability benefits	\$0	\$0	\$0
Death benefits	\$0	\$0	\$0
Refund of employee contributions	\$0	\$0	\$0
Sub-total	\$2,544,021	\$2,544,021	\$2,851,401
Deferred Vested Participants			
Retirement benefits	\$67,368	\$67,368	\$76,379
Termination benefits	\$0	\$0	\$0
Disability benefits	\$0	\$0	\$0
Death benefits	\$0	\$0	\$0
Refund of employee contributions	\$0	\$0	\$0
Sub-total	\$67,368	\$67,368	\$76,379
Due a Refund of Contributions	\$5,338	\$5,338	\$5,338
<u>Deferred Beneficiaries</u>	\$0	\$0	\$0
Retired Participants			
Service retirements	\$229,853	\$229,853	\$238,013
Disability retirements	\$99,148	\$99,148	\$104,245
Beneficiaries receiving	\$0	\$0	\$0
DROP participants	\$0	\$0	\$0
Sub-total	\$329,001	\$329,001	\$342,258
Grand Total	\$2,945,728	\$2,945,728	\$3,275,376
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Present Value of Future Payroll	\$4,375,758	\$4,375,758	\$4,541,191
Present Value of Future Employee Contribs.	\$87,517	\$87,517	\$90,822
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Present Value of Future Employer Contribs.	\$497,630	\$497,630	\$860,514



### Present Value of Accrued Benefits

Table I-E

	Old Assumptions w/o Amendment	Old Assumptions w/ Amendment	New Assumptions w/ Amendment
Actively Employed Participants			
Retirement benefits	\$917,251	\$917,251	\$986,532
Termination benefits	\$0	\$0	\$0
Disability benefits	\$0	\$0	\$0
Death benefits	\$0	\$0	\$0
Refund of employee contributions	\$0	\$0	\$0
Sub-total	\$917,251	\$917,251	\$986,532
Deferred Vested Participants			
Retirement benefits	\$67,368	\$67,368	\$76,379
Termination benefits	\$0	\$0	\$0
Disability benefits	\$0	\$0	\$0
Death benefits	\$0	\$0	\$0
Refund of employee contributions	\$0	\$0	\$0
Sub-total	\$67,368	\$67,368	\$76,379
Due a Refund of Contributions	\$5,338	\$5,338	\$5,338
<u>Deferred Beneficiaries</u>	\$0	\$0	\$0
Retired Participants			
Service retirements	\$229,853	\$229,853	\$238,013
Disability retirements	\$99,148	\$99,148	\$104,245
Beneficiaries receiving	\$0	\$0	\$0
DROP participants	\$0	\$0	\$0
Sub-total	\$329,001	\$329,001	\$342,258
Grand Total	\$1,318,958	\$1,318,958	<u>\$1,410,507</u>
Funded Percentage	197.33%	197.33%	184.53%

(Note: Funded percentage is equal to the ratio of the usable portion of the market value of assets divided by the present value of accrued benefits.)



# **Funding Results**

# Present Value of Vested Benefits

Table I-F

	Old Assumptions w/o Amendment	Old Assumptions w/ Amendment	New Assumptions w/ Amendment
Actively Employed Participants  Retirement benefits  Termination benefits  Disability benefits  Death benefits  Refund of employee contributions  Sub-total	\$749,053 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$749,053	\$749,053 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$749,053	\$803,230 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$803,230
Deferred Vested Participants  Retirement benefits Termination benefits Disability benefits Death benefits Refund of employee contributions Sub-total	\$67,368 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$0 <b>\$67,368</b>	\$67,368 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$0	\$76,379 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$76,379
Due a Refund of Contributions	\$5,338	\$5,338	\$5,338
Deferred Beneficiaries	\$0	\$0	\$0
Retired Participants Service retirements Disability retirements Beneficiaries receiving DROP participants Sub-total	\$229,853 \$99,148 \$0 \$0 <b>\$329,001</b>	\$229,853 \$99,148 \$0 \$0 <b>\$329,001</b>	\$238,013 \$104,245 \$0 \$0 <b>\$342,258</b>
Grand Total	\$1,150,760	\$1,150,760	\$1,227,205



# Entry Age Normal Accrued Liability

Table I-G

	Old Assumptions w/o Amendment	Old Assumptions w/ Amendment	New Assumptions w/ Amendment
Actively Employed Participants			
Retirement benefits	\$1,269,460	\$1,269,460	\$1,368,518
Termination benefits	\$0	\$0	\$0
Disability benefits	\$0	\$0	\$0
Death benefits	\$0	\$0	\$0
Refund of employee contributions	\$0	\$0	\$0
Sub-total	\$1,269,460	\$1,269,460	\$1,368,518
Deferred Vested Participants			
Retirement benefits	\$67,368	\$67,368	\$76,379
Termination benefits	\$0	\$0	\$0
Disability benefits	\$0	\$0	\$0
Death benefits	\$0	\$0	\$0
Refund of employee contributions	\$0	\$0	\$0
Sub-total	\$67,368	\$67,368	\$76,379
Due a Refund of Contributions	\$5,338	\$5,338	\$5,338
<u>Deferred Beneficiaries</u>	\$0	\$0	\$0
Retired Participants			
Service retirements	\$229,853	\$229,853	\$238,013
Disability retirements	\$99,148	\$99,148	\$104,245
Beneficiaries receiving	\$0	\$0	\$0
DROP participants	\$0	\$0	\$0
Sub-total	\$329,001	\$329,001	\$342,258
Grand Total	<u>\$1,671,167</u>	\$1,671,167	\$1,792,493



### Actuarial Value of Assets

# Table II-A

Market Value of Assets as of October 1, 2017	\$2,602,756
Minus DROP account balances	\$0
Minus advance employer contributions	(\$176,539)
Minus excess Chapter 175/185 contributions	\$0

Actuarial Value of Assets as of October 1, 2017 \$2,426,217

### <u>Historical Actuarial Value of Assets</u> ber 1, 2008 \$396.1

October 1, 2008	\$396,185
October 1, 2009	\$512,330
October 1, 2010	\$711,445
October 1, 2011	\$850,835
October 1, 2012	\$1,124,489
October 1, 2013	\$1,462,799
October 1, 2014	\$1,796,393
October 1, 2015	\$1,829,567
October 1, 2016	\$2,054,730
October 1, 2017	\$2,426,217

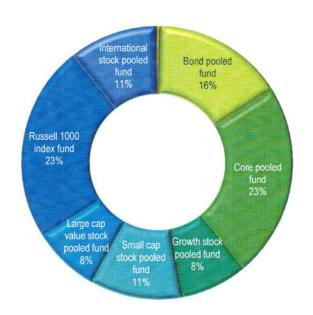


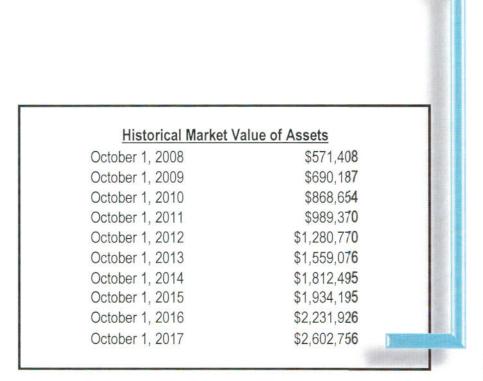
### Market Value of Assets

### Table II-B

#### As of October 1, 2017

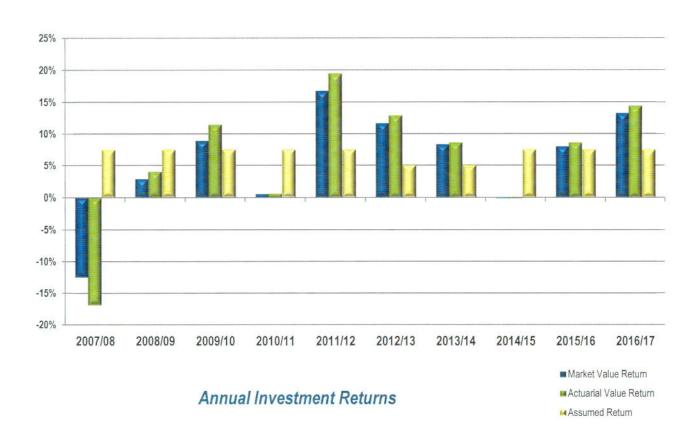
Market Value of Assets	\$2,602,756
Cash	\$10,398
Bond pooled fund	\$408,121
Core pooled fund	\$600,483
Growth stock pooled fund	\$207,960
Small cap stock pooled fund	\$285,944
Large cap value stock pooled fund	\$205,360
Russell 1000 index fund	\$605,682
International stock pooled fund	\$275,546
Employer contribution receivable	\$2,447
Employee contribution receivable	\$815







Investment Return Table II-C



		Market	Actuarial	
Plan		Value	Value	Assumed
Year		Return	Return	Return
2007/	08	-12.45%	-16.86%	7.50%
2008/	09	2.90%	4.06%	7.50%
2009/	10	8.91%	11.49%	7.50%
2010/	11	0.53%	0.63%	7.50%
2011/	12	16.71%	19.44%	7.50%
2012/	13	11.71%	12.93%	5.00%
2013/	14	8.32%	8.62%	5.00%
2014/	15	-0.14%	-0.15%	7.50%
2015/	16	7.99%	8.60%	7.50%
2016/	17	13.28%	14.41%	7.50%
10yr. /	Avg.	5.46%	5.84%	7.00%



Assets

Asset Reconciliation		Table II-D
	Market Value	Actuarial Value
As of October 1, 2016	\$2,231,926	\$2,054,730
Increases Due To:		
Employer Contributions Chapter 175/185 Contributions Employee Contributions Service Purchase Contributions Total Contributions	\$31,928 \$67,934 \$10,283 <u>\$0</u> \$110,145	\$31,928 \$67,934 \$10,283 <u>\$0</u> \$110,145
Interest and Dividends Realized Gains (Losses) Unrealized Gains (Losses) Total Investment Income	\$0 \$0 \$301,095 \$301,095	\$301,095
Other Income	\$0	**************************************
Total Income	\$411,240	\$411,240
Decreases Due To:		
Monthly Benefit Payments Refund of Employee Contributions DROP Credits	(\$30,016) \$0	(\$30,016) \$0 \$0
Total Benefit Payments	(\$30,016)	(\$30,016)
Investment Expenses Administrative Expenses	\$0 (\$10,394)	(\$10,394)
Advance Employer Contribution Excess Chapter 175/185 Contribution		\$657 \$0
Total Expenses	(\$40,410)	(\$39,753)
As of October 1, 2017	\$2,602,756	\$2,426,217



### Historical Trust Fund Detail

Table II-E

Income								
				Service		Realized	Unrealized	
Plan	Employer	Chapter	Employee	Purchase	Interest /	Gains /	Gains /	Other
Year	Contribs.	Contribs.	Contribs.	Contribs.	Dividends	Losses	Losses	Income
2007/08	\$38,072	\$108,885	\$7,614	\$0	\$0	\$0	-\$71,474	\$0
2008/09	\$37,995	\$66,936	\$7,593	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$18,057	\$0
2009/10	\$57,801	\$60,138	\$7,196	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$66,478	\$0
2010/11	\$58,088	\$62,996	\$7,256	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$4,920	\$0
2011/12	\$59,824	\$63,127	\$7,477	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$175,024	\$0
2012/13	\$65,880	\$65,803	\$8,088	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$157,135	\$0
2013/14	\$76,499	\$69,967	\$9,563	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$134,621	\$0
2014/15	\$82,834	\$70,759	\$10,255	\$0	\$0	\$0	-\$2,633	\$0
2015/16	\$83,738	\$83,011	\$10,430	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$160,112	\$0
2016/17	\$31,928	\$67,934	\$10,283	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$301,095	\$0

Expenses					Other Ac	tuarial Adju	<u>ustments</u>
	Monthly					Advance	Excess
Plan	Benefit	Contrib.	Admin.	Invest.	DROP	Employer	Chapter
Year	<b>Payments</b>	Refunds	Expenses	Expenses	Credits	Contribs.	Contribs.
2007/08	\$7,487	\$2,175	\$7,758	\$0	\$0	\$49,885	\$0
2008/09	\$7,487	\$1,999	\$2,316	\$0	\$0	\$2,634	\$0
2009/10	\$7,487	\$0	\$5,659	\$0	\$0	-\$20,648	\$0
2010/11	\$7,487	\$2,163	\$2,894	\$0	\$0	-\$18,674	\$0
2011/12	\$7,487	\$0	\$6,565	\$0	\$0	\$17,746	\$0
2012/13	\$7,487	\$4,743	\$6,370	\$0	\$0	-\$60,004	\$0
2013/14	\$21,923	\$10,074	\$5,234	\$0	\$0	-\$80,175	\$0
2014/15	\$29,141	\$0	\$10,374	\$0	\$0	\$88,526	\$0
2015/16	\$29,574	\$465	\$9,521	\$0	\$0	\$72,568	\$0
2016/17	\$30,016	\$0	\$10,394	\$0	\$0	-\$657	\$0

Note: Information was not available to separate the investment expenses from the investment income nor was information available to separate the investment income by source.



### Other Reconciliations

### Table II-F

### Advance Employer Contribution

Advance Employer Contribution as of October 1, 2016	\$177,196
Additional Employer Contribution	\$99,862
Minimum Required Contribution	(\$100,519)
Net Increase in Advance Employer Contribution	(\$657)
Advance Employer Contribution as of October 1, 2017	\$176,539

### Excess Chapter 175/185 Contribution

Excess Chapter 175/185 Contribution as of October 1, 2016	\$0
Additional Chapter 175/185 Contribution	\$67,934
Allowable Chapter 175/185 Contribution Net Increase in Excess Chapter 175/185 Contribution	(\$67,934) \$0
Net increase in Excess Chapter 175/165 Contribution	\$0
Excess Chapter 175/185 Contribution as of October 1, 2017	\$0

### **DROP Account Reconciliation**

DROP Balance as of October 1, 2016	\$0
DROP Benefits Paid	\$0
DROP Investment Return	\$0
DROP Expense Charge	\$0
Net DROP Credit	\$0
DROP Balance as of October 1, 2017	\$0



# Historical Chapter 175/185 Contributions

# Table II-G

	Total Accumulate	185 Contribution	\$0	
	Chapter 175 Regular Distribution	Chapter 175 Supplemental Distribution	Chapter 185 <u>Distribution</u>	Allowable <u>Amount</u>
1998 Distribution 1999 Distribution 2000 Distribution 2001 Distribution 2002 Distribution 2003 Distribution 2004 Distribution 2005 Distribution 2006 Distribution 2007 Distribution 2008 Distribution 2008 Distribution 2019 Distribution 2010 Distribution 2011 Distribution 2012 Distribution 2013 Distribution 2014 Distribution	\$5,447 \$6,013 \$6,058 \$8,267 \$8,557 \$0 \$9,715 \$12,696 \$0 \$34,339 \$15,908 \$16,123 \$17,016 \$17,689 \$18,687 \$19,433 \$18,631	\$0 \$2,974 \$3,431 \$3,183 \$4,583 \$4,583 \$4,768 \$0 \$5,611 \$7,619 \$13,606 \$14,414 \$8,473 \$7,943 \$8,143 \$9,605 \$10,109 \$10,747	\$13,711 \$0 \$0 \$815 \$19,460 \$24,314 \$24,800 \$27,345 \$0 \$60,940 \$36,614 \$35,542 \$38,037 \$37,295 \$37,511 \$40,425 \$41,381	(\$17,629) (\$5,674) (\$5,674) (\$6,489) (\$25,134) (\$26,070) (\$28,718) (\$33,019) (\$54,871) (\$108,885) (\$66,936) (\$60,138) (\$62,996) (\$63,127) (\$65,803) (\$69,967) (\$70,759)
2015 Distribution 2016 Distribution	\$24,212 \$16,865	\$8,118 \$6,099	\$50,681 \$44,970	(\$83,011) (\$67,934)
Interest Adjustment				\$3,911

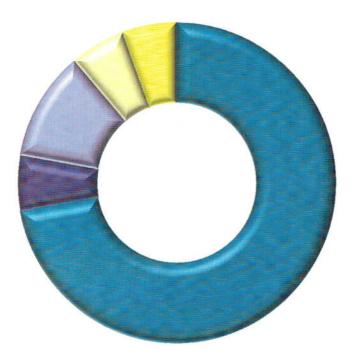


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# Summary of Participant Data

### Table III-A

As of October 1, 2017



Participant Distribution by Status

#### Actively Employed Participants Active Participants 13 **DROP** Participants 0 Inactive Participants Deferred Vested Participants 1 2 Due a Refund of Contributions Deferred Beneficiaries 0 Participants Receiving a Benefit Service Retirements 1 Disability Retirements 1 Beneficiaries Receiving 0

**Total Participants** 

Number of Participants Included in Prior Valuations								
	Active	DROP	Inactive	Retired	Total			
October 1, 2008	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
October 1, 2009	11	0	0	1	12			
October 1, 2010	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
October 1, 2011	10	0	2	1	13			
October 1, 2012	10	0	2	1	13			
October 1, 2013	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
October 1, 2014	11	0	1	2	14			
October 1, 2015	12	0	2	2	16			
October 1, 2016	12	0	2	2	16			
October 1, 2017	13	0	3	2	18			



# Data Reconciliation Table III-B

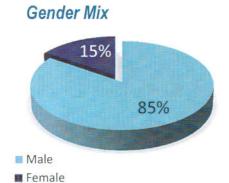
	<u>Active</u>	DROP	Deferred Vested	Due a Refund	Def. Benef.	Service Retiree	Disabled Retiree	Benef. Rec'v.	Total
October 1, 2016	12	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	16
Change in Status Re-employed Terminated Retired	(1)		1						
Participation Ended Transferred Out Cashed Out Died									
Participation Began Newly Hired Transferred In New Beneficiary	2								2
Other Adjustment									
October 1, 2017	13	0	1	2	0	1	1	0	18



# Active Participant Data

# Table III-C

### As of October 1, 2017



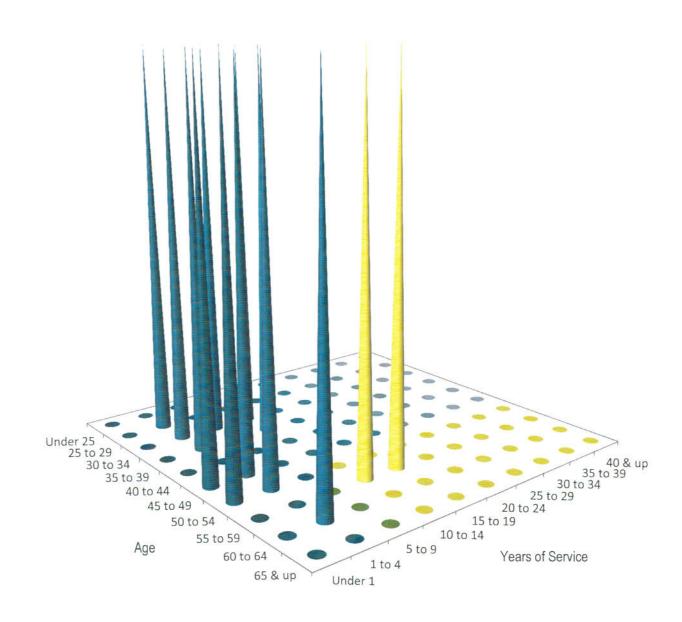
Average Age	44.2 years
Average Service	5.7 years
Total Annualized Compensation for the Prior Year	\$514,912
Total Expected Compensation for the Current Year	\$430,057
Average Increase in Compensation for the Prior Year	0.60%
Expected Increase in Compensation for the Current Year	4.50%

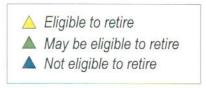


				Average	Average	
				Expected	Actual	
	Average	Average	Average	Salary	Salary	
	Age	Service	Salary	Increase	Increase	
October 1, 2008	N/A	N/A	N/A	6.00%	4.68%	
October 1, 2009	38.2	3.5	\$35,794	5.56%	-1.00%	
October 1, 2010	N/A	N/A	N/A	6.10%	7.29%	
October 1, 2011	37.6	4.6	\$32,525	5.75%	1.19%	
October 1, 2012	38.6	5.6	\$37,390	5.75%	1.41%	
October 1, 2013	N/A	N/A	N/A	3.00%	0.52%	
October 1, 2014	39.4	4.8	\$38,257	3.00%	3.01%	
October 1, 2015	41.1	5.4	\$40,791	4.50%	8.95%	
October 1, 2016	42.1	6.1	\$41,838	4.50%	3.44%	
October 1, 2017	44.2	5.7	\$39,609	4.50%	0.60%	



Table III-D







# Active Age-Service-Salary Table

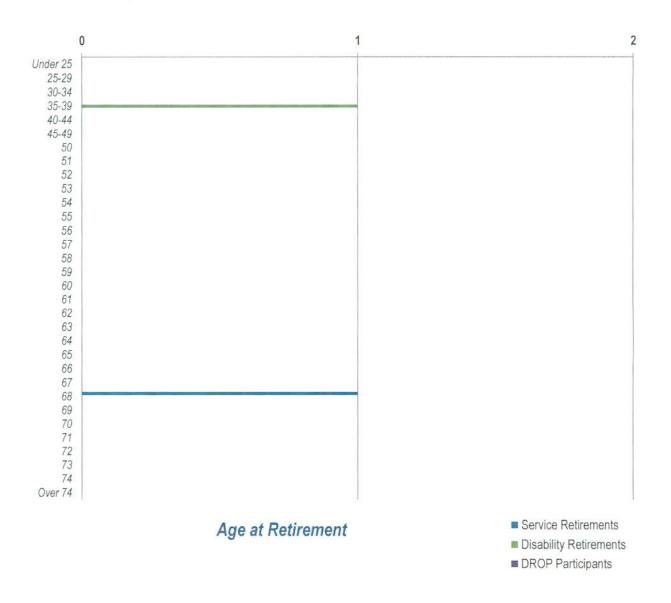
# Table III-E

Attained					Complet	ed Years o	f Service				
Age	Under 1	1 to 4	5 to 9	10 to 14	15 to 19	20 to 24	25 to 29	30 to 34	35 to 39	40 & up	Total
Under 25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Avg.Pay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25 to 29	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25,000
Avg.Pay	0	35,900	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35,900
30 to 34	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Avg.Pay	0	36,017	36,414	39,269	0	0	0	0	0	0	37,233
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35 to 39	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Avg.Pay	0	36,063	0	46,812	0	0	0	0	0	0	41,438
40 to 44	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Avg.Pay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
45 + 40			0						0		
45 to 49	1	1 10 107	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Avg.Pay	21,899	40,107	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31,003
50 to 54	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Avg.Pay	29,279	29,334	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29,307
Avg.i dy	20,210	20,004					0.1	Ů		Ů	20,007
55 to 59	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Avg.Pay	0	0	0	55,603	47,772	0	0	0	0	0	51,688
(32) 93					8						
60 to 64	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Avg.Pay	0	60,443	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	60,443
65 & up	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Avg.Pay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tetal	0			0	(A)						40
Total Avg.Pay	<b>2</b> 25,589	<b>6</b> 39,644	<b>1</b> 36,414	<b>3</b> 47,228	1 47,772	0	0	0	0	0	30,600
Avg.ray	25,569	35,044	30,414	41,220	41,112	0	U	0	0	0	39,609



# Inactive Participant Data

### Table III-F



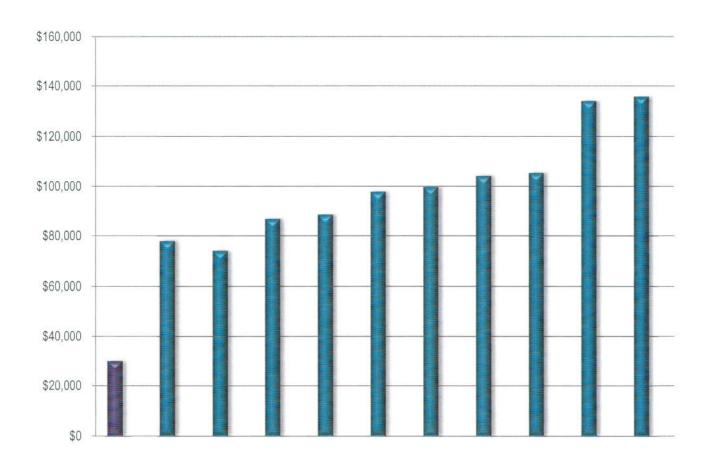
### Average Monthly Benefit

Service Retirements	\$1,914.91
Disability Retirements	\$623.94
Beneficiaries Receiving	Not applicable
DROP Participants	Not applicable
Deferred Vested Participants	\$1,143.52
Deferred Beneficiaries	Not applicable



# Projected Benefit Payments

# Table III-G



\$30,016
\$78,093
\$74,165
\$86,964
\$88,645
\$98,008
\$99,899
\$104,349
\$105,550
\$134,153
\$135,816



### Summary of Actuarial Methods and Assumptions

Table IV-A

NOTE: The following assumptions and methods have been selected and approved by the Board of Trustees based in part on the advice of the plan's enrolled actuary in accordance with the authority granted to the Board under the pension ordinances and State law.

#### 1. Actuarial Cost Method

Aggregate cost method. Under this actuarial cost method, a funding cost is developed for the plan as a level percentage of payroll. The level funding percentage is calculated as the excess of the total future benefit liability over accumulated assets and future employee contributions, with this excess spread over the expected future payroll for current active participants. The normal cost is equal to the level funding percentage multiplied by the expected payroll for the year immediately following the valuation date. The actuarial accrued liability is equal to the accumulated assets. Therefore, under the aggregate cost method, no unfunded accrued liability is developed.

#### Asset Method

The actuarial value of assets is equal to the market value of assets.

### 3. Interest (or Discount) Rate

7.00% per annum

### 4. Salary Increases

Plan compensation is assumed to increase at the rate of 4.50% per annum, unless actual plan compensation is known for a prior plan year.

#### 5. Decrements

Pre-retirement mortality: None is assumed.

Post-retirement mortality: Sex-distinct rates set forth in the RP-2000 Blue Collar Mortality Table, with

full generational improvements in mortality using Scale BB

Disability: None is assumed.

Termination: None is assumed.

• Retirement: Retirement is assumed to occur at normal retirement age.



# Summary of Actuarial Methods and Assumptions

### Table IV-A

(continued)

### 6. Form of Payment

Future retirees have been assumed to select the 10-year certain and life annuity.

### 7. Expenses

Administrative expenses are assumed to be equal to 2.25% of covered payroll. In addition, the interest rate set forth in item 3. above is assumed to be net of investment expenses and commissions.



### Changes in Actuarial Methods and Assumptions

Table IV-B

Since the completion of the previous valuation, the assumed interest (or discount) rate was decreased from 7.50% per annum to 7.00% per annum.

The following additional assumption and method changes were made during the past 10 years:

- (1) Effective October 1, 2016, the mortality basis was changed from a 2015 projection of the RP-2000 Mortality Table for annuitants to a full generational projection using Scale BB of the RP-2000 Blue Collar Mortality Table as required by State law.
- (2) Effective October 1, 2014, the assumed interest (or discount) rate was increased from 5.00% per annum to 7.50% per annum.
- (3) Effective October 1, 2014, the assumed increase in future salaries was increased from 3.00% per annum with an additional 3.00% load on average final compensation to 4.50% per annum with no load on average final compensation.
- (4) Effective October 1, 2014, the mortality basis was changed from the 1994 Group Annuity Reserving Table, projected to 2002 by Scale AA, to the RP-2000 Mortality Table for annuitants, projected to 2015 by Scale AA.
- (5) Effective October 1, 2014, the expense assumption was increased from 1.50% of projected benefit liability to 2.25% of projected benefit liability.
- (6) Effective October 1, 2012, the assumed interest (or discount) rate was decreased from 7.50% per annum to 5.00% per annum.
- (7) Effective October 1, 2012, the assumed increase in future salaries was decreased to 3.00% per year and the assumed increase in average final compensation for police officers to account for anticipated additional lump-sum compensation upon termination of employment was decreased from 5.00% to 3.00%.
- (8) Effective October 1, 2009, the administrative expense assumption was changed from a flat \$3,100 per year to 1.50% of covered payroll.



Table V-A

### 1. Monthly Accrued Benefit

3% of Average Final Compensation multiplied by Credited Service

### 2. Normal Retirement Age and Benefit

Age

Age 55 with at least six years of Credited Service; or Age 52 with at least 25 years of Credited Service

Amount

Monthly Accrued Benefit

Form of Payment

Actuarially increased single life annuity (optional);

10-year certain and life annuity (normal form of payment);

Actuarially reduced 50% joint and contingent annuity (optional);

Actuarially reduced 66<sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub>% joint and contingent annuity (optional);

Actuarially reduced 75% joint and contingent annuity (optional);

Actuarially reduced 100% joint and contingent annuity (optional);

Any other actuarially equivalent form of payment approved by the Board; or

Actuarially equivalent lump sum distribution (automatic if the single sum value of the participant's benefit is less than or equal to \$5,000 or the monthly annuity is less than \$100)

(Note: A participant may change his joint annuitant up to two times after retirement.)

### 3. Early Retirement Age and Benefit

Age

Age 50 with at least 10 years of Credited Service

Amount

Monthly Accrued Benefit (payable at Normal Retirement Age); or

Monthly Accrued Benefit reduced by 3% for each year by which the participant's Early Retirement Date precedes his Normal Retirement Date (payable at Early Retirement Age)

Form of Payment

Same as for Normal Retirement



### Table V-A

(continued)

### 4. Service Incurred Disability Eligibility and Benefit

### Eligibility

The participant is eligible if his disability was incurred during the course of his employment with the City.

#### Condition

The Board must find that the participant has a physical or mental condition resulting from bodily injury, disease, or a mental disorder which renders him incapable of employment as a police officer.

### Amount Payable

A monthly 10-year certain and life annuity equal to the larger of (a) or (b), as follows, but offset as necessary to preclude the total of the participant's worker's compensation, disability benefit, and other City-provided disability compensation from exceeding his Average Monthly Earnings:

- (a) Monthly Accrued Benefit; or
- (b) 42% of Average Final Compensation

### 5. Non-Service Incurred Disability Eligibility and Benefit

### Eligibility

The participant must have earned at least 10 years of Credited Service if his disability was incurred other than during the course of his employment with the City.

#### Condition

Same as for a Service Incurred Disability Benefit

### Amount Payable

A monthly 10-year certain and life annuity equal to the larger of (a) or (b), as follows, but offset as necessary to preclude the total of the participant's worker's compensation, disability benefit, and other City-provided disability compensation from exceeding his Average Monthly Earnings:

- (a) Monthly Accrued Benefit; or
- (b) 25% of Average Final Compensation

### 6. Delayed Retirement Age and Benefit

Age

After Normal Retirement Age

Amount

Monthly Accrued Benefit

Form of Payment

Same as for Normal Retirement



### Table V-A

(continued)

#### Deferred Vested Benefit

Age

Any age with at least six years of Credited Service

Amount

Monthly Accrued Benefit (payable at Normal Retirement Age); or Monthly Accrued Benefit reduced by 3% for each year by which the participant's Early Retirement Date precedes his Normal Retirement Date (payable at Early Retirement Age)

Form of Payment

Same as for Normal Retirement

#### 8. Pre-Retirement Death Benefit

In the case of the death of a vested participant prior to retirement, his beneficiary will receive the participant's Monthly Accrued Benefit payable for 10 years beginning on the participant's early or normal retirement date. In the case of the death of a non-vested participant prior to retirement, his beneficiary will receive the participant's Accumulated Contributions in lieu of any other benefits payable from the plan.

### 9. Average Final Compensation

Average of the highest five years of Compensation out of the last 10 years of employment

### 10. Compensation

For firefighters, fixed monthly compensation (or actual compensation for a volunteer firefighter); for police officers, total cash remuneration; annual compensation in excess of \$200,000 (as indexed) is excluded in accordance with Internal Revenue Code (IRC) §401(a)(17).

#### 11. Credited Service

The elapsed time from the participant's date of hire until his date of termination, retirement, or death.

### 12. Participation Requirement

All police officers and firefighters of the City of Valparaiso, Florida automatically become a participant in the plan on their date of hire.



Table V-A

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#### 13. Accumulated Contributions

The Employee Contributions accumulated with no interest; if the participant terminates his employment with less than six years of Credited Service, he receives his Accumulated Contributions in lieu of any other benefits payable from the plan.

### 14. Participant Contribution

2.00% of earnings (pre-tax basis)

### 15. Definition of Actuarially Equivalent

Interest Rate

7.50% per annum

Mortality Table

The unisex mortality table promulgated by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) for purposes of Internal Revenue Code (IRC) section 417(e)(3)

### Automatic Cost-of-Living Adjustment

All monthly benefits include an automatic cost-of-living adjustment equal to 2% compounded annually.

#### 17. Plan Effective Date

January 1, 1996

### 18. Deferred Retirement Option Plan (DROP)

Those participants who have attained Normal Retirement Age may elect to participate in the DROP for a period of up to five years following their Normal Retirement Age. Interest accrues on the DROP accounts at the rate of 6.50% per annum.



# Summary of Plan Amendments

Table V-B

No significant plan changes have been adopted since the completion of the previous valuation.

