

**LABORERS' AND RETIREMENT BOARD EMPLOYEES'
ANNUITY AND BENEFIT FUND OF CHICAGO**
ACTUARIAL VALUATION REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2008
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The Retirement Board of the
Laborers' and Retirement Board Employees'
Annuity and Benefit Fund of Chicago
221 North LaSalle Street, Suite 748
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Subject: Actuarial Certification

Dear Members of the Board:

At your request, we have performed an actuarial valuation for the Laborers' and Retirement Board Employees' Annuity and Benefit Fund of Chicago ("the Fund") as of December 31, 2008. An actuarial valuation of the Fund is performed annually. The valuation has been performed to measure the funding status of the Fund. It includes disclosure information required under Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 25, Statement No. 27, Statement No. 43, and Statement No. 45. The assumptions and methods used were selected by the actuary and meet the parameters set for the disclosure presented in the financial section by GASB Statement No. 25 and GASB Statement No. 43.

We have provided the supporting schedules for the actuarial section of the comprehensive annual financial report, including:

- Active Member Valuation Data
- Retirees and Beneficiaries Added to and Removed from Rolls
- Solvency (Termination) Test
- Analysis of Financial Experience

We have also provided the following schedules for the financial sections of the report.

- Schedule of Funding Progress
- Schedule of Employer Contributions

This valuation is based upon:

- a. **Data Relative to the Members of the Fund** - Data utilized for active members and persons receiving benefits from the Fund was provided by the Fund's staff. We have tested this data for reasonableness.
- b. **Asset Values** - The values of assets of the Fund were provided by the Fund's staff. An actuarial value of assets was used to develop actuarial results for GASB Statement No. 25 and Statement No. 27.
- c. **Actuarial Method** - The actuarial method utilized by the Fund is the Entry-Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method. The objective of this method is to recognize the costs of Fund benefits over the entire career of each member as a level percentage of compensation. Any Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL), under this method is separately amortized. All actuarial gains and losses under this method are reflected in the UAAL.
- d. **Actuarial Assumptions** - The same actuarial assumptions as last year were used for this valuation. They are set out in the following pages.

The funding objective is to provide employer and employee contributions sufficient to provide the benefits of the Fund when due. The provision of State Law establishing the Fund constrains employer contributions to be 1.00 times the employee contribution level in the second prior fiscal year. Thus, with an administrative lag, the employer contribution is designed to match the employee contribution in a 1:1 relationship. Employer contributions for the plan year cease when all actuarial accrued liabilities of the Fund, excluding any cost that arose from the most recent early retirement incentive, are fully funded. The most recent actuarial valuation of the Fund on the State reporting basis indicates that a ratio of 2.12 is needed to adequately finance the Fund; also, it should be noted that there is again a non-zero Annual Required Contribution (ARC).

The valuation results set forth in this report are based on the data and actuarial techniques described above, and upon the provisions of the Fund as of the valuation date. Based on these items, we certify these results to be true and correct. The undersigned are members of the American Academy of Actuaries and meet the Qualification Standards of the Academy of Actuaries to render the actuarial opinion herein.

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SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL VALUATION

ACTUARIAL VALUES	December 31, 2007	December 31, 2008	% Change
Termination Values			
Liability	\$ 1,322,434,875	\$ 1,384,508,708	4.69 %
Assets - Actuarial Value	1,757,710,948	1,698,427,008	(3.37)%
Deficiency/(Excess)	(435,276,073)	(313,918,300)	(27.88)%
Funded Ratio	132.91%	122.67%	(7.71)%
Actuarial Values ¹			
Actuarial Liability	\$ 1,849,706,518	\$ 1,957,387,833	5.82 %
Assets - Actuarial Value	1,757,710,948	1,698,427,008	(3.37)%
Unfunded Liability (Surplus)	91,995,570	258,960,825	181.49 %
Funded Ratio	95.03%	86.77%	(8.69)%
Annual Required Contribution (ARC)	\$ 21,216,989	\$ 37,199,049	75.33 %
Market Values			
Actuarial Liability	\$ 1,849,706,518	\$ 1,957,387,833	5.82 %
Assets - Market Value	1,782,817,538	1,188,580,489	(33.33)%
Unfunded Liability	66,888,980	768,807,344	1,049.38 %
Funded Ratio	96.38%	60.72%	(37.00)%
Book Values			
Actuarial Liability	\$ 1,849,706,518	\$ 1,957,387,833	5.82 %
Assets - Book Value	1,568,908,785	1,425,237,979	(9.16)%
Unfunded Liability (Surplus)	280,797,733	532,149,854	89.51 %
Funded Ratio	84.82%	72.81%	(14.15)%
Values for Tax Levy Purposes Only			
Actuarial Liability less ERI Cost	\$ 1,827,247,375	\$ 1,943,101,379	6.34 %
Assets - Actuarial Value	1,757,710,948	1,698,427,008	(3.37)%
Unfunded Liability (Surplus)	69,536,427	244,674,371	251.87 %
Funded Ratio	96.19%	87.41%	(9.13)%

¹ Values include both pension and OPEB.

SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL VALUATION (CONT'D)

	<u>December 31, 2007</u>	<u>December 31, 2008</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Assets			
Market Value - Beginning of Year	\$1,739,660,664	\$1,782,817,538	2.48 %
Income			
Investment Income	125,204,334	(510,462,568)	(507.70)%
Employer Contributions & Misc.	15,458,982	17,580,428	13.72 %
Employee Contributions	18,413,407	19,418,435	5.46 %
Subtotal	159,076,723	(473,463,705)	(397.63)%
Outgo (Refunds, Benefits & Expenses)	115,919,849	120,773,344	4.19 %
Net Change	43,156,874	(594,237,049)	(1476.92)%
Market Value - End of Year	\$1,782,817,538	\$1,188,580,489	(33.33)%
 Book Value - Beginning of Year	 \$1,521,869,281	 \$1,568,908,785	 3.09 %
Income			
Investment Income	129,086,964	(59,896,325)	(146.40)%
Employer Contributions & Misc.	15,458,982	17,580,428	13.72 %
Employee Contributions	18,413,407	19,418,435	5.46 %
Subtotal	162,959,353	(22,897,462)	(114.05)%
Outgo (Refunds, Benefits & Expenses)	115,919,849	120,773,344	4.19 %
Net Change	47,039,504	(143,670,806)	(405.43)%
Book Value - End of Year	\$1,568,908,785	\$1,425,237,979	(9.16)%
 Smoothed Value - Beginning of Year	 \$1,664,058,080	 \$1,757,710,948	 5.63 %
Income			
Investment Income	175,700,328	24,490,541	(86.06)%
Employer Contributions & Misc.	15,458,982	17,580,428	13.72 %
Employee Contributions	18,413,407	19,418,435	5.46 %
Subtotal	209,572,717	61,489,404	(70.66)%
Outgo (Refunds, Benefits & Expense)	115,919,849	120,773,344	4.19 %
Net Change	93,652,868	(59,283,940)	(163.30)%
Actuarial Value - End of Year	\$1,757,710,948	\$1,698,427,008	(3.37)%

SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL VALUATION (CONT'D)

	<u>December 31, 2007</u>	<u>December 31, 2008</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Members			
Actives ¹	3,138	3,325	5.96 %
Inactives	1,760	1,463	(16.88)%
Retirees	2,644	2,646	0.08 %
Survivors ²	1,316	1,298	(1.37)%
Disabilities	176	206	17.05 %
Children	45	47	4.44 %
Payroll Data			
Valuation Payroll	\$ 192,847,482	\$ 216,744,211	12.39 %
Average Salary	\$ 61,456	\$ 65,186	6.07 %

¹Active participants include disabled employees.

²Includes one Reversionary Annuitant.

DISCUSSION OF VALUATION RESULTS

This report sets forth the results of the actuarial valuation of the Laborers' and Retirement Board Employees' Annuity and Benefit Fund of Chicago ("the Fund") as of December 31, 2008. The purposes of this valuation are:

1. To develop the minimum actuarially determined contribution for 2009.
2. To develop the annual required contribution (ARC) under GASB #25 and GASB #43.
3. To develop the annual pension cost under GASB #27 and the annual OPEB cost under GASB #45.
4. To review the funding status of the Fund.

The funded status in basic terms is a comparison of the Fund's liabilities to assets expressed as either unfunded liability or as a ratio of assets to liabilities. This comparison can be measured in various ways. Fund liabilities are dependent on the actuarial assumptions and actuarial cost method. Fund assets can be measured at market value, book value, or some variation to smooth the fluctuations that invariably occur from year to year.

For Fund and City financial reports, the funding status is measured using liabilities under the Entry Age Normal funding method and the Actuarial Value of Assets. The Actuarial Value of Assets is determined by annually spreading the difference between expected and actual investment earnings over a five-year period.

Actuarial Obligations of the Fund

The value of all future pension payments, calculated using the actuarial assumptions contained in this report, is the sum of payments to two major groups of beneficiaries – the retired lives and the active lives.

1. Retired Lives:

For those currently receiving known benefits, i.e., current retirees, widows, widowers, and children, the value is determined based on estimated future longevity with the future benefit payment discounted to present time at the assumed investment earnings rate.

2. Active Lives:

The value of future payments for active employees who will receive benefits in the future is estimated, because the amount of pension is only known at the actual time of retirement. This estimate is made using various assumptions as to future salary increases; probable retirement age; and probability of death, withdrawal, or disablement before retirement. For active employees, the goal is to have enough assets on hand at retirement to pay for all future benefits promised. To provide for an orderly accumulation of these required assets, an actuarial funding method is used. Using the 'Entry Age Normal' funding method, assets are allocated as a level amount (expressed as a percentage of salary) over the employee's working lifetime. These allocated costs are called "normal costs" and are sufficient, if set aside each year, to fully fund his or her benefits when and if he or she retires. The actuarial reserve (amount of assets needed now) is then the present value of future benefits less the present value of future normal costs to be paid.

DISCUSSION OF VALUATION RESULTS (CONT'D)

The difference between the sum of actuarial reserves for active and retired lives (“the Actuarial Accrued Liability”) and the Actuarial Value of Assets is called the “Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability.” If assets exceed the liability, there is a surplus. The unfunded liability depends upon the benefits, the characteristics of the covered group of employees and retirees, the actuarial assumptions, and the actuarial funding method. The unfunded liability can be thought of as the amount of assets that will be needed in future years to provide for all future benefits payable when added to the future normal costs determined by the actuarial funding method.

3. Actuarial Balance:

For the pension fund to be in balance (funded ratio of 100 percent), the present value of all benefits payable in the future must equal the sum of present assets plus the present value of all future contributions. If a plan is 100 percent funded, it does not mean that no contributions are ever needed again. It simply means that the plan is where it should be. The assets of the plan are sufficient to provide for future benefits payable based on service to the date of valuation. **Future contributions are still needed** to provide the “normal costs” for service after the date of the valuation in order to have sufficient assets at retirement to provide the future payments of the total projected benefit.

Summary of Results

The annual required contribution (ARC) under GASB #25 for the year ending December 31, 2009, is \$33.52 million, which is for pension benefits only. This amount is net of employee contributions of \$18.83 million and is based on a 30-year amortization period.

GASB #43 requires the calculation of a separate ARC for Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB) beginning with the Fund’s 2006 fiscal year. The OPEB ARC for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2009, is \$3.68 million.

Because of the requirements of GASB #43, there are some differences between the calculation of the ARC for pension benefits and the ARC for OPEB. These differences are summarized below.

	<u>Pension ARC</u>	<u>OPEB ARC</u>
Investment Return	8.00% per year	4.50% per year
Assets	5-year smoothed market	No assets (Pay-as-you-go)

GASB #43 requires that the investment return assumption (or “discount rate”) used to value OPEB liabilities be based on the estimated long-term yield on the investments expected to be used to finance the payment of benefits. The investment return assumption of 4.50 percent reflects the fact that OPEB liabilities are considered to be funded on a pay-as-you-go basis. That is, the health insurance supplement is financed with current contributions, and no separate healthcare asset account exists to pay the health insurance supplement.

DISCUSSION OF VALUATION RESULTS (CONT'D)

Beginning with the December 31, 2006, actuarial valuation, GASB #25 requires the use of a 30-year amortization period to determine the pension ARC.

The Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability based on the Actuarial Value of Assets increased from \$92.00 million to \$258.96 million during the year, resulting in a change in funding ratio from 95.0 percent to 86.8 percent. The increase in the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability is largely attributable to unfavorable investment return on the actuarial value of assets as well as the new definition of active members. A more thorough examination of these and other factors can be found in the Reconciliation of Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (gain/loss analysis) in Table 2 and the Reconciliation of Funded Ratio in Table 2A.

Based on the Market Value of Assets, the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability increased from \$66.89 million to \$768.81 million, and the funded ratio decreased from 96.4 percent to 60.7 percent.

As a result of Public Act 93-0654, the City is not required to make a contribution for the plan year if the accrued liabilities excluding the liabilities that arose from the early retirement incentive (ERI) are 100 percent funded by the Actuarial Value of Assets. The liabilities attributable to the ERI for 2008 are equal to \$14,286,454. The actuarial liabilities excluding the ERI liabilities are equal to \$1,943,101,379, and the funded ratio is 87.4 percent. Therefore, the City is required to make a contribution for Fiscal Year 2010. The increase in liabilities from the ERI will diminish over seven years; the projected excess liabilities from the ERI are provided below:

<u>Valuation Date</u> <u>December 31,</u>	<u>ERI Liability</u>
2004	\$ 56,388,737
2005	43,668,668
2006	32,187,758
2007	22,459,143
2008	14,286,454
2009	7,716,575
2010	2,581,018
2011	-

DISCUSSION OF VALUATION RESULTS (CONT'D)

Plan Membership

The major characteristics of the data on the members of the Fund are summarized as follows:

	<u>December 31, 2007</u>	<u>December 31, 2008</u>
Active Members¹		
Number	3,138	3,325
Vested	2,117	2,289
Non-vested	1,021	1,036
Average Age	46.3	46.6
Average Service	15.4	15.3
Average Annual Salary	\$61,456	\$65,186
Inactive Members		
Number	1,760	1,463
Average Age	49.9	52.0
Average Service	3.5	2.3
Retirees		
Number	2,644	2,646
Average Age	70.9	70.7
Average Annual Benefit	\$33,242	\$35,037
Surviving Spouses²		
Number	1,316	1,298
Average Age	76.4	76.5
Average Annual Benefit	\$11,523	\$11,773
Children		
	45	47
Total Members	8,903	8,779

¹Active members include disabled employees.

²Includes one Reversionary Annuitant.

Total participants receiving benefits under the Fund, including disability, widow, and children, increased 0.38 percent during 2008 from 4,181 to 4,197. Total expenditures for benefits increased from \$108.8 million in 2007 to \$113.7 million during 2008, or 4.5 percent.

A new definition of active members was instituted for this valuation. Previously, only members who were active at the end of the year were valued as active members. This year, all members who earned any service credit in 2008 are valued as actives.

DISCUSSION OF VALUATION RESULTS (CONT'D)

Changes in Provisions of the Fund

There were not any Public Acts passed in 2008 that made changes to the Fund Provisions.

Discussion of Actuarial Assumptions

Actuarial assumptions are used to project future demographic and economic expectations for purposes of valuing the liabilities of the plan. The assumptions should reflect current patterns. However, their primary orientation is the long-term outlook for each factor affecting the valuation. Thus, while actual experience will fluctuate over the short run, actuarial assumptions are chosen in an attempt to model the future long run experience.

There are two general types of actuarial assumptions:

1. Demographic Assumptions - reflect the flow of participants into and out of a retirement system, and
2. Economic Assumptions - reflect the effect of the economic climate on a retirement system.

Demographic assumptions can be readily studied over recent plan experience. Economic assumptions can be studied against recent experience; however, future experience is more likely to be a result of outside factors than of plan specifics. The most significant demographic assumptions are active turnover, retirement, and post-retirement mortality. The most significant economic assumptions are pay increases, investment return, and inflation. Other actuarial assumptions include disability incidence, active mortality, and percent married.

The current actuarial assumptions were first adopted for use with the December 31, 2004, valuation report.

Experience Analysis

The Fund had an investment loss in 2008 of \$649.7 million relative to the 8.00 percent expected rate of return, on a market value basis. The loss on an actuarial basis relative to the 8.00 percent expected rate of return was \$112.8 million due to the deferral of investment losses.

Individual salary increases varied among plan participants, but the overall increase was slightly greater than anticipated by the actuarial assumptions, resulting in an experience loss of \$12.3 million.

The new definition of those valued as active members resulted in an experience loss of \$26.2 million. Previously, only members who were active at the end of the year were valued as active members. This year, all members who earned any service credit in 2008 are valued as actives. The loss is arising from the increase in active membership as well as much fewer terminations than expected. We expect this will be a one-time experience loss.

DISCUSSION OF VALUATION RESULTS (CONT'D)

There was an additional loss of \$14.4 million from all other factors, including actual retirement, termination, disability, mortality experience, and data changes. This is about 0.73 percent of the liabilities at December 31, 2008, which is a reasonable variation.

Tables 2 and 2A summarize the experience gains and losses for the year.

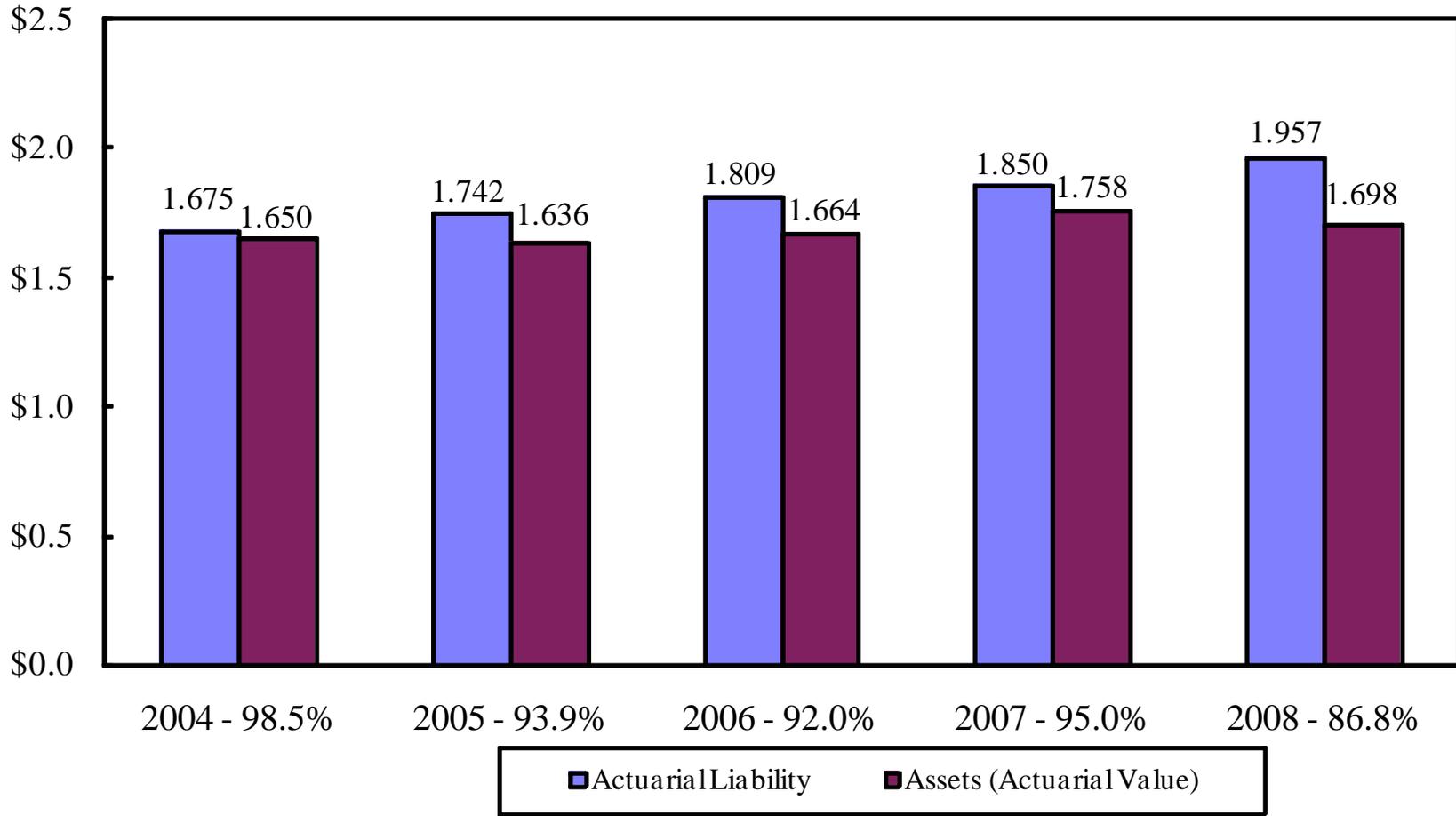
Funding Analysis

The following charts summarize the various measures of benefit security (funded ratio) examined in this valuation and highlight the trends of the measures.

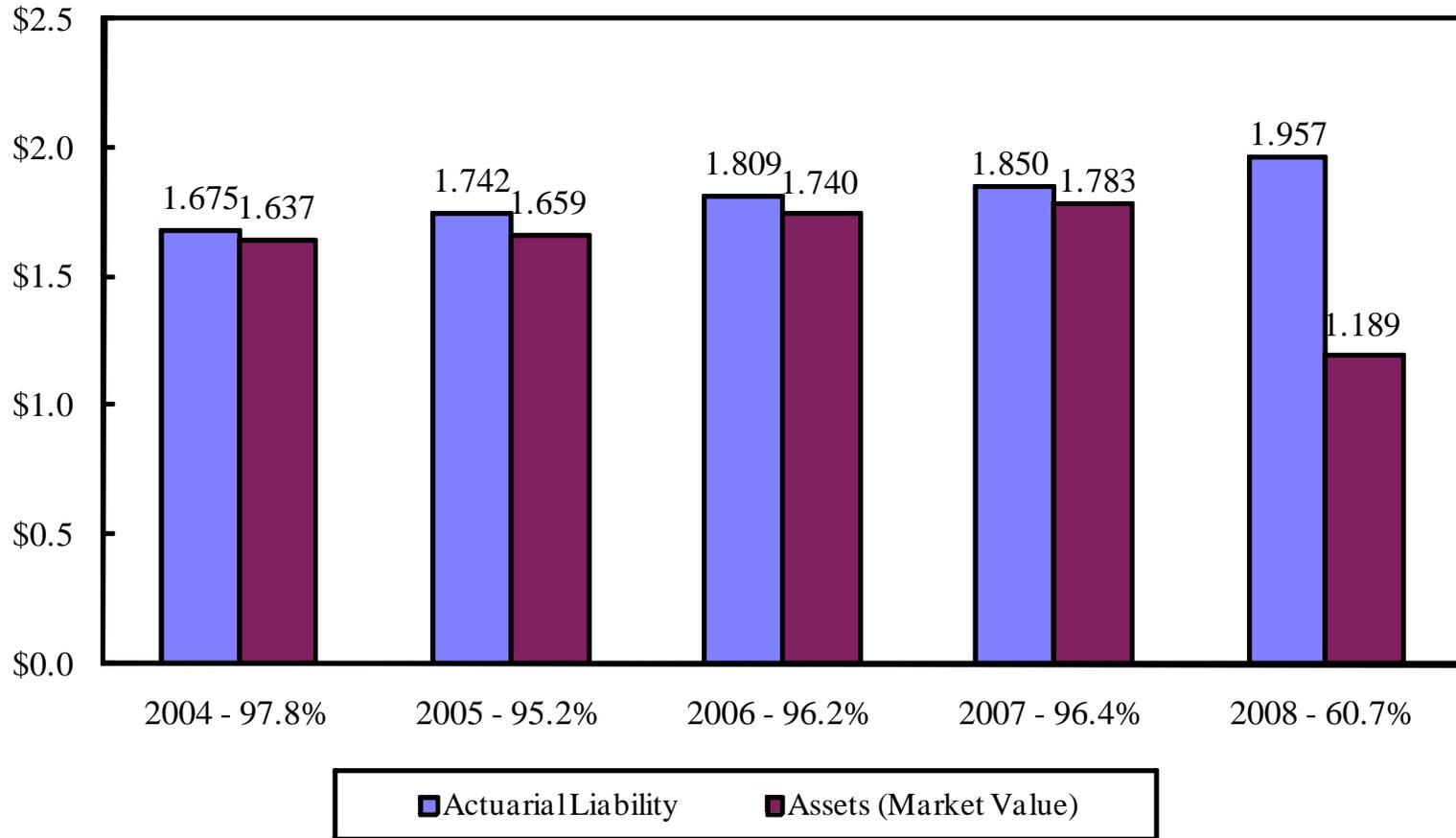
Conclusion

When measured using the Actuarial Value of Assets, which smoothes gains and losses over a five-year period, the funding ratio decreased from 95.0 percent in 2007 to 86.8 percent in 2008. On a market value basis the funded ratio decreased from 96.4 percent in 2007 to 60.7 percent in 2008. Contributions continue to be insufficient to adequately finance the plan, and will result in further decreases in the funding ratio.

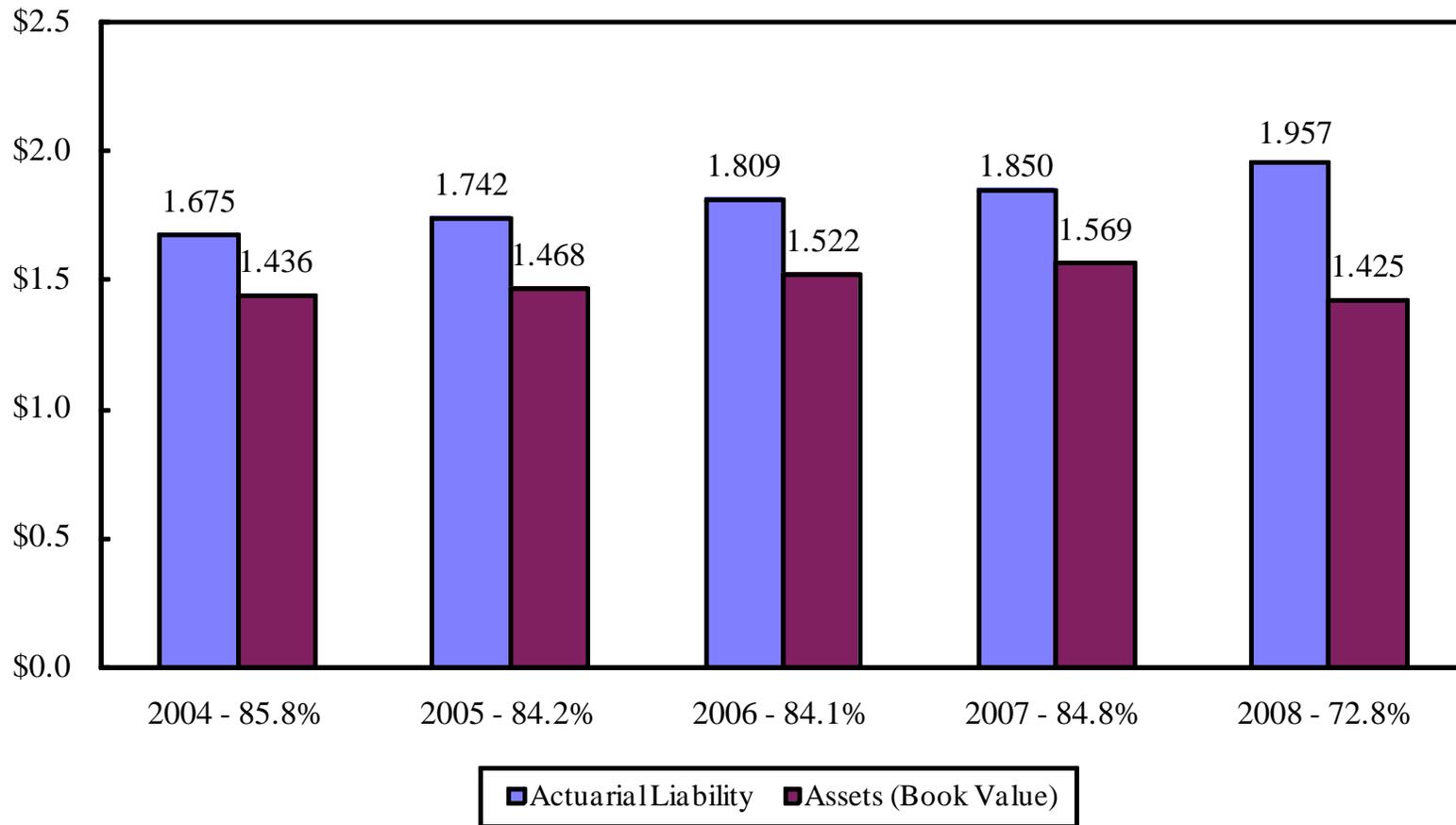
**COMPONENTS OF FUNDING RATIO
BASED ON ACTUARIAL VALUE OF ASSETS
(\$ IN BILLIONS)**



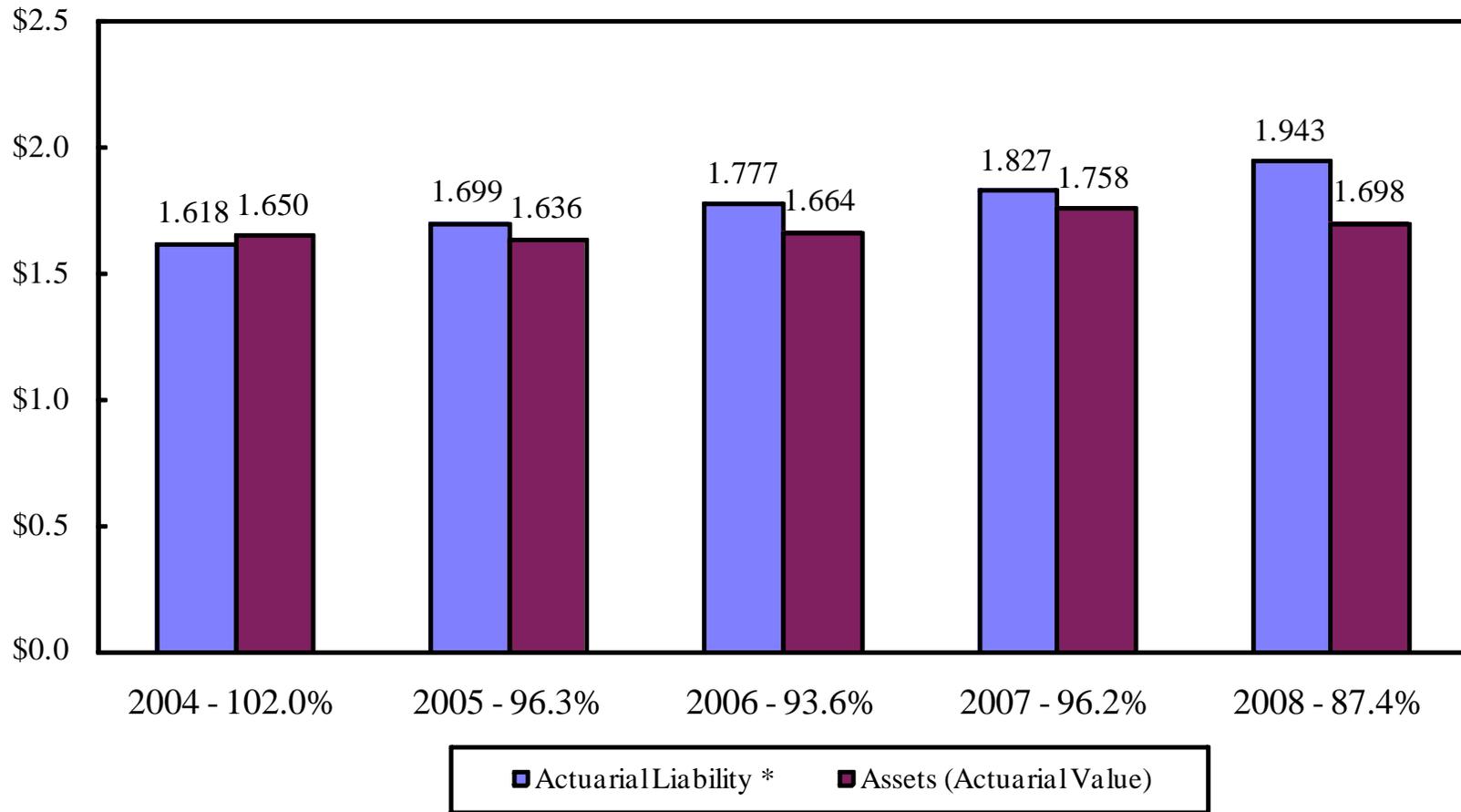
**COMPONENTS OF FUNDING RATIO
BASED ON MARKET VALUE
(\$ IN BILLIONS)**



**COMPONENTS OF FUNDING RATIO
BASED ON BOOK VALUE
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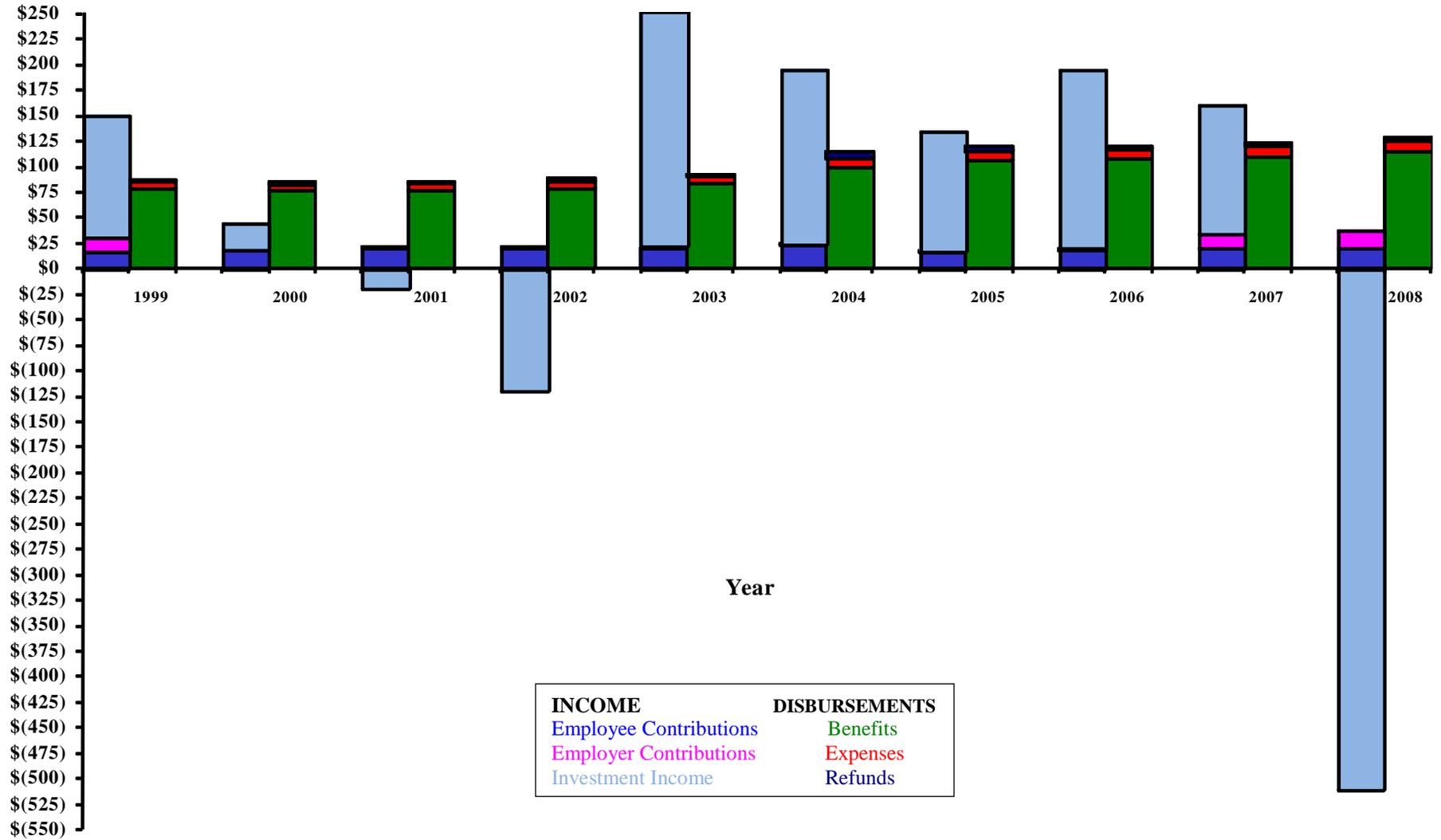


**COMPONENTS OF FUNDING RATIO
CITY TAX LEVY DETERMINATION
(\$ IN BILLIONS)**



* Excludes ERI liability established in 2004

SUMMARY OF INCOME AND DISBURSEMENTS (\$ IN MILLIONS)



ACTUARIAL COMPUTATIONS

TABLE 1
DEVELOPMENT OF ANNUAL REQUIRED CONTRIBUTION
UNDER GASB #25 FOR 2009

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009</u>
(1) Normal Cost ¹	\$ 28,904,557	\$ 32,466,860
(2) Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) ¹	1,808,295,354	1,915,324,017
(3) Unfunded AAL (UAAL)		
(a) Actuarial Value of Assets	1,757,710,948	1,698,427,008
(b) UAAL [2-3(a)]	50,584,406	216,897,009
(4) Amortization (30-Year Level \$) Payable at BOY	4,160,447	17,839,264
(5) Minimum Actuarially Calculated Contribution		
(a) Interest Adjustment for Semi-monthly Payment	1,343,817	2,044,525
(b) Total Minimum Contribution [1+4+5(a); but not less than zero]	34,408,821	52,350,649
(c) Total Minimum Contribution (Percent of Pay)	17.84%	24.15%
(6) Estimated Member Contributions	16,756,798	18,833,220
(7) Annual Required Contribution (ARC)		
(a) Annual Required Contribution [5(b)-6]	\$ 17,652,023	\$ 33,517,429
(b) Annual Required Contribution (Percent of Pay)	9.15%	15.46%
(8) Estimated City Contribution (after 4% loss) ²		
(a) Statutory Required City Contribution (After 4% loss)	14,893,841	14,366,258
(b) Less City Adjustment Due to Funding Status	-	-
(c) Tax Levied by City [(a)+(b)]	14,893,841	14,366,258
(9) City Contribution Deficiency/(Excess)		
(a) in Dollars [(7(a)-8(c))]	2,758,182	19,151,171
(b) as a Percentage of Pay	1.43 %	8.84 %
(10) Combined City/Member Contributions Deficiency/(Excess)		
(a) in Dollars [5(b)-6-8(c)]	\$ 2,758,182	\$ 19,151,171
(b) as a Percentage of Pay	1.43 %	8.84 %

¹ Excludes health insurance supplement.

² Total statutory required contribution less expected benefit payments for the health insurance supplement.

TABLE 1A
DEVELOPMENT OF ANNUAL REQUIRED CONTRIBUTION
UNDER GASB #43 FOR 2009

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009</u>
(1) Normal Cost ¹	\$ 1,051,630	\$ 1,127,307
(2) Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) ¹	41,411,164	42,063,816
(3) Unfunded AAL (UAAL)		
(a) Actuarial Value of Assets	-	-
(b) UAAL [2-3(a)]	41,411,164	42,063,816
(4) Amortization (30-Year Level \$) Payable at BOY	2,432,818	2,471,160
(5) Minimum Actuarially Calculated Contribution		
(a) Interest Adjustment for Semi-monthly Payment	80,518	83,153
(b) Total Minimum Contribution [1+4+5(a)]; but not less than zero	3,564,966	3,681,620
(c) Total Minimum Contribution (Percent of Pay)	1.85%	1.70%
(6) Estimated Member Contributions	-	-
(7) Annual Required Contribution (ARC)		
(a) Annual Required Contribution [5(b)-6]	\$ 3,564,966	\$ 3,681,620
(b) Annual Required Contribution (Percent of Pay)	1.85%	1.70%
(8) Estimated City Contribution ²	2,281,519	2,477,614
(9) City Contribution Deficiency/(Excess)		
(a) in Dollars [(7(a)-8)]	1,283,447	1,204,006
(b) as a Percentage of Pay	0.67%	0.56%
(10) Combined City/Member Contributions Deficiency/(Excess)		
(a) in Dollars [5(b)-6-8]	\$ 1,283,447	\$ 1,204,006
(b) as a Percentage of Pay	0.67%	0.56%

¹ The normal cost and actuarial accrued liabilities for the health insurance supplement are based on a discount rate of 4.50 percent. Excludes pension liabilities.

² Represents expected benefit payments for the health insurance supplement.

TABLE 1B
DEVELOPMENT OF CITY CONTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS

	Fiscal Year 2009	Fiscal Year 2010
Preliminary Determination of City Contribution		
Applicable Members' Contribution, Two Years Prior	\$ 17,545,800	\$ 18,239,700
Statutory Contribution Multiple	1.00	1.00
Statutory City Contribution	17,545,800	18,239,700
Actuarial Liability at Valuation Date	1,849,706,518	1,957,387,833
ERI Cost at Valuation Date	22,459,143	14,286,454
Actuarial Liability Excluding ERI Cost	1,827,247,375	1,943,101,379
Actuarial Value of Assets at Valuation Date	1,757,710,948	1,698,427,008
Funded Ratio - Including ERI Liabilities	95.03%	86.77%
Funded Ratio - Without ERI Liabilities	96.19%	87.41%
Statutory City Contribution*	Required	Required

<u>Valuation Date</u> <u>December 31,</u>	<u>ERI Liability</u>
2004	\$ 56,388,737
2005	43,668,668
2006	32,187,758
2007	22,459,143
2008	14,286,454
2009	7,716,575
2010	2,581,018
2011	-

*Public Act 93-0654 provides for the ERI cost to be excluded from the liability used to determine if a contribution by the City is required. If, as of the applicable Valuation Date, the funded ratio excluding the ERI cost is greater than 100 percent, then no contribution by the City is required.

TABLE 2
RECONCILIATION OF UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY
(GAIN/LOSS ANALYSIS)

	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004
Unfunded (Overfunded) Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL)					
Beginning of Year	\$91,995,570	\$145,178,063	\$106,705,051	\$24,655,521	\$(51,233,134)
(Gains) Losses During the Year Attributable to:					
Contributions Less Than (in Excess of) Normal Cost plus Interest	1,261,981	8,305,636	19,287,480	11,781,133	8,944,477
(Gain) Loss on Investment Return	112,839,821	(45,794,443)	4,763,777	46,497,745	74,809,245
(Gain) Loss from Salary Changes	12,298,504	(17,040,232)	810,157	14,848,509	(18,649,117)
(Gain) Loss from Retirement, Termination, & Mortality	10,719,816	530,616	13,458,675	12,543,768	22,774,401
(Gain) Loss from Data Corrections and Unexpected Service Changes	3,650,332	815,930	152,924	-	-
(Gain) Loss from Active Member Definition Change	26,194,801	-	-	-	-
Change in Methodology	-	-	-	5,593,808	-
Change in Assumptions	-	-	-	(9,215,433)	(82,523,758)
Plan Amendments	-	-	-	-	70,533,407
Net Increase (Decrease) in UAAL	166,965,255	(53,182,493)	38,473,012	82,049,530	75,888,655
Unfunded (Overfunded) Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL)					
End of Year	\$258,960,825	\$91,995,570	\$145,178,063	\$106,705,051	\$24,655,521

TABLE 2A
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDED RATIO

	2008	2007
Funded Ratio Beginning of Year	95.03%	91.98%
Expected Increase If All Assumptions Realized	0.14%	0.24%
Expected Funded Ratio	95.17%	92.22%
Gains (Losses) During the Year Attributable to:		
Contributions in Excess of (Less Than) Normal Cost plus Interest	-0.07%	-0.44%
Gain (Loss) on Investment Return	-5.92%	2.46%
Gain (Loss) from Salary Changes	-0.57%	0.86%
Gain (Loss) from Retirement, Termination, & Mortality	-0.50%	-0.02%
Gain (Loss) from Data Corrections	-0.16%	-0.05%
(Gain) Loss from Active Member Definition Change	-1.18%	0.00%
Change in Methodology	0.00%	0.00%
Change in Assumptions	0.00%	0.00%
Plan Amendments	0.00%	0.00%
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Total Gains (Losses) During the Year	-8.40%	2.81%
Funded Ratio End of Year	86.77%	95.03%

TABLE 3
SUMMARY OF BASIC ACTUARIAL VALUES

	APV of Projected Benefits	2009 Normal Cost
(1) Values for Active and Inactive Members		
(a) Retirement	\$ 888,116,185	\$ 17,493,661
(b) Termination - Vested	83,471,774	4,575,570
(c) Termination - Non Vested	5,318,386	2,714,496
(d) Death	18,371,061	805,577
(e) Inactive Vested and Non-Vested	20,590,815	-
(f) Health Insurance	27,060,331	1,127,307
(g) Disability	-	3,251,163
(h) Expenses of Administration	-	3,626,393
Total for Active and Inactive Members	\$ 1,042,928,552	\$ 33,594,167
(2) Values for Members in Payment Status	\$ 1,129,920,171	\$ -
(3) Grand Totals	\$ 2,172,848,723	\$ 33,594,167
Actuarial Present Value of Future Compensation		\$ 1,734,209,322

TABLE 4
TERMINATION LIABILITIES

	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>
Liability for Retired Annuitants, Widows/Widowers, and Spouses of Annuitants	\$ 1,074,580,007	\$ 1,129,920,171
Salary Deductions Contributed by Active and Inactive Fund Members (with Interest)	<u>247,854,869</u>	<u>254,588,537</u>
Total	\$ 1,322,434,875	\$ 1,384,508,708
Actuarial Asset Value	1,757,710,948	1,698,427,008
Excess Upon Termination	<u>\$ 435,276,073</u>	<u>\$ 313,918,300</u>
Percent Funded	132.91%	122.67%

TABLE 5
ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY PRIORITIZED
SOLVENCY TEST

Valuation Date 12/31	(1)	(2)	(3)	Actuarial Value of Assets	Portion (%) of Present Value Covered		
	Active and Inactive Member Contributions	Retirees and Beneficiaries	Active and Inactive Members (ER Financed Portion)		(1)	(2)	(3)
1999 ^{2,3}	\$193,754,190	\$701,998,792	\$414,019,359	\$1,690,749,716	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%
2000	205,361,994	641,573,414	450,978,472	1,737,971,109	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%
2001	213,887,422	638,327,325	549,923,873	1,756,080,291	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%
2002 ¹	238,225,175	676,418,854	625,960,732	1,715,073,438	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%
2003 ¹	246,529,315	721,917,308	660,116,410	1,679,796,167	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%
2004 ^{1,2}	213,524,642	1,055,408,468	405,681,541	1,649,959,130	100.00%	100.00%	93.92%
2005 ²	224,180,889	1,023,899,580	494,220,019	1,635,595,437	100.00%	100.00%	78.41%
2006	237,321,146	1,046,426,600	525,488,397	1,664,058,080	100.00%	100.00%	72.37%
2007	247,854,869	1,074,580,007	527,271,642	1,757,710,948	100.00%	100.00%	82.55%
2008	254,588,537	1,129,920,171	572,879,125	1,698,427,008	100.00%	100.00%	54.80%

¹ Change in benefits.

² Change in actuarial assumptions.

³ Change in actuary.

The prioritized solvency test is another means of checking a system's progress under its funding program, based on the Actuarial Accrued Liability. In this test the plan's present assets (cash and investments) are compared with obligations in order of priority: (1) active and inactive member contributions on deposit; (2) the present value of future benefits to present retired lives; (3) the employer financed portion for present active and inactive members. In a system that has been following the discipline of financing, the obligation for active and inactive member contributions on deposit (present value 1) and the present value of future benefits to present retired lives (present value 2) will be fully covered by present assets (except in rare circumstances). In addition, the Actuarial Accrued Liability for present active and inactive members (present value 3) is covered by the remainder of present assets. Generally, if the system has been following a system of amortizing the Unfunded Liability, the funded portion of present value (3) will increase over time.

TABLE 6
STATUTORY RESERVES AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008

	New in 2008			Continuing from 2007			Total		
	Annuity Payment Fund	Prior Service Fund	Total	Annuity Payment Fund	Prior Service Fund	Total	Annuity Payment Fund	Prior Service Fund	Total
Statutory Reserve ¹									
Retirees	\$ 23,318,841	\$ 74,381,958	\$ 97,700,799	\$ 205,188,442	\$ 803,233,959	\$ 1,008,422,401	\$ 228,507,283	\$ 877,615,917	\$ 1,106,123,200
Future Surviving Spouses	\$ 5,149,414	\$ 4,286,476	\$ 9,435,890	\$ 54,836,498	\$ 70,833,937	\$ 125,670,435	\$ 59,985,912	\$ 75,120,413	\$ 135,106,325
Spouses	\$ 4,786,473	\$ 3,605,045	\$ 8,391,518	\$ 47,628,554	\$ 47,664,445	\$ 95,292,999	\$ 52,415,027	\$ 51,269,490	\$ 103,684,517
Annual Benefits									
Retirees	\$ 1,780,206	\$ 3,559,254	\$ 5,339,460	\$ 23,012,358	\$ 64,356,666	\$ 87,369,024	\$ 24,792,564	\$ 67,915,920	\$ 92,708,484
Future Surviving Spouses	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Spouses	\$ 503,948	\$ 468,412	\$ 972,360	\$ 6,573,067	\$ 7,736,537	\$ 14,309,604	\$ 7,077,015	\$ 8,204,949	\$ 15,281,964

¹As required by State statutes, calculated using the Combined Annuity Mortality Table with interest at 3.00 percent per annum, except for employees and spouses of employees who were participants on or before January 1, 1952, for whom the American Experience Table of Mortality with interest at 4.00 percent per annum is used.

TABLE 7
STATE REPORTING DISCLOSURE

	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>
APV of Credited Projected Benefits		
Payable to Retirees and Beneficiaries	\$ 1,074,580,007	\$ 1,129,920,171
Current Active and Inactive Employees:		
Accumulated Employee Contributions	247,854,869	254,588,537
Payable to Vested and Non-Vested Employees	313,120,305	358,547,865
Total APV	<u>\$ 1,635,555,181</u>	<u>\$ 1,743,056,573</u>
Net Assets Available for Benefits, Actuarial Value	<u>\$ 1,757,710,948</u>	<u>\$ 1,698,427,008</u>
Unfunded AAL (AAL in excess of assets)	\$ (122,155,767)	\$ 44,629,565
Percent Funded	107.47 %	97.44 %
Unfunded AAL as Percent of Payroll	(63.34)%	20.59%
Payroll	\$ 192,847,482	\$ 216,744,211

TABLE 8
ACTUARIAL RESERVE LIABILITIES
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

Accrued Liabilities for Active and Inactive Participants ¹	\$ 827,467,662
Reserves For:	
Service Retirement Pension	\$ 911,239,387
Future Widows of Current Retirees	87,787,021
Surviving Spouse Pension	105,931,646
Health Insurance Supplement	24,530,475
Children Annuitants	431,642
Total Accrued Liabilities	\$ 1,957,387,833
Unfunded Actuarial Liabilities (Surplus)	258,960,825
Actuarial Net Assets	\$ 1,698,427,008

¹ Accrued liabilities for active participants includes retirement liability for members in ordinary or duty disabled status. Liability for disability benefits is recognized as a one-year term cost of 1.50 percent of pay added to the normal cost.

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The book value of plan assets, net of accounts payable, decreased from \$1.57 billion as of December 31, 2007, to \$1.43 billion as of December 31, 2008, and the market value of plan assets decreased from \$1.78 billion as of December 31, 2007, to \$1.19 billion as of December 31, 2008. Table 9 details the development of asset values during 2008 and Table 10 shows the development of the actuarial value of assets as of December 31, 2008.

TABLE 9
RECONCILIATION OF ASSET VALUES
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008

	<u>Market Value</u>	<u>Book Value</u>
(1) Value of Assets as of 12/31/2007	\$ 1,782,817,538	\$ 1,568,908,785
(2) Income for Plan Year:		
(a) Member Contributions	\$ 19,418,435	\$ 19,418,435
(b) City Contributions & Miscellaneous	17,580,428	17,580,428
(c) Investment Income Net of Expenses	(501,840,821)	(51,274,578)
(d) Income from Securities Lending	(8,621,747)	(8,621,747)
(e) Total Income	<u>\$ (473,463,705)</u>	<u>\$ (22,897,462)</u>
(3) Disbursements for Plan Year:		
(a) Benefit Payments - Pension	\$ 111,305,220	\$ 111,305,220
(b) Benefit Payments - Health Insurance Supplement	2,347,624	2,347,624
(c) Refunds and Rollovers	3,494,107	3,494,107
(d) Administration	3,626,393	3,626,393
(e) Total Disbursements	<u>\$ 120,773,344</u>	<u>\$ 120,773,344</u>
(4) Value of Assets as of 12/31/2008	\$ 1,188,580,489	\$ 1,425,237,979
(5) Estimated Rate of Return in 2008:		
(a) Gross (Investment Expense of \$7,390,419)	(28.90)%	(3.44)%
(b) Net of Investment Expense	(29.32)%	(3.92)%

TABLE 10
DEVELOPMENT OF ACTUARIAL VALUE OF ASSETS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008

(1) Expected Return on Market Value of Assets for Prior Year

(a) Market Value of Assets as of 12/31/2007 \$1,782,817,538

(b) Actual Income and Disbursements in Prior Year Weighted for Timing

Item	Amount	Weight for Timing	Weighted Amount
i) Member Contributions	\$ 19,418,435	50.0%	\$ 9,709,218
ii) City Contributions & Misc.	17,580,428	50.0%	8,790,214
iii) Benefit Payments	(113,652,844)	50.0%	(56,826,422)
iv) Refunds	(3,494,107)	50.0%	(1,747,054)
v) Administration	(3,626,393)	50.0%	(1,813,197)
vi) Total			<u>\$ (41,887,241)</u>

(c) Market Value of Assets Adj. for Actual Income and Disbursements [(a) + (b)(vi)] \$1,740,930,297

(d) Assumed Rate of Return on Plan Assets for the Year 8.00%

(e) Expected Return [(c) * (d)] \$ 139,274,424

(2) Actual Return on Market Value of Assets for Prior Year

(a) Market Value of Assets as of 12/31/2007 \$1,782,817,538

(b) Income (less investment income) for Prior Plan Year 36,998,863

(c) Disbursements Paid in Prior Year 120,773,344

(d) Market Value of Assets as of 12/31/2008 1,188,580,489

(e) Actual Return [(d) + (c) - (b) - (a)] \$ (510,462,568)

(3) Investment Gain/(Loss) for Prior Year [2(e) - 1(e)]

\$ (649,736,992)

(4) Actuarial Value of Assets as of 12/31/2008

(a) Market Value of Assets as of 12/31/2008 \$1,188,580,489

(b) Deferred Investment Gains and (Losses) for Last 5 Years

Plan Year	Gain/(Loss)	Weight for Timing	Deferred Amount
i) 2004	\$ 50,296,851	0.00%	\$ -
ii) 2005	(9,360,539)	20.00%	(1,872,108)
iii) 2006	45,567,889	40.00%	18,227,156
iv) 2007	(10,686,621)	60.00%	(6,411,973)
v) 2008	(649,736,992)	80.00%	(519,789,594)
vi) Total	<u>\$ (573,919,412)</u>		<u>\$ (509,846,519)</u>

(c) Actuarial Value of Assets \$1,698,427,008

The calculated value is determined by adjusting the market value of assets to reflect the investment gains and losses (the difference between the actual investment return and the expected investment return) during each of the last 5 years at the rate of 20 percent per year.

PLAN MEMBERS DATA

EXHIBIT A 1
SUMMARY OF CHANGES IN ACTIVE PARTICIPANTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2008

	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>
Number of Active Members at Beginning of Year ¹	2,653	485	3,138
Increases:			
Reclassification of Gender	-	-	-
Members Added During the Year	68	28	96
Members Returning From Inactive	189	31	220
	<u>257</u>	<u>59</u>	<u>316</u>
Totals	2,910	544	3,454
Decreases:			
Terminations During Year	124	5	129
Number of Active Members at End of Year	2,786	539	3,325
Terminations			
To Inactive Status	3	1	4
Withdrawal (With Refunds)	12	1	13
Refund in Lieu of an Annuity	-	-	-
Retirements	96	1	97
Refund to Another Fund	1	-	1
Deaths	12	2	14
Closed for Misc. Reasons	-	-	-
Totals	<u>124</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>129</u>

¹All employees receiving ordinary and duty disability benefits are included in the active count.

EXHIBIT A 2
SUMMARY OF CHANGES IN INACTIVE PARTICIPANTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2008

	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>
Number of Inactive Members at Beginning of Year	1,569	191	1,760
Increases:			
Reclassification of Gender	1	(1)	-
Members Added During the Year	19	4	23
Members Transferring from Active	3	1	4
	<u>23</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>27</u>
Totals	1,592	195	1,787
Decreases:			
Terminations During Year	275	49	324
Number of Inactive Members at End of Year	1,317	146	1,463
Terminations			
Withdrawal (With Refunds)	46	10	56
To Active Status	171	28	199
To Duty Disabled	14	2	16
To Ordinary Disabled	4	1	5
Refund to Another Fund	2	-	2
Retirements	21	2	23
Closed for Misc. Reasons	11	4	15
Deaths	6	2	8
	<u>275</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>324</u>
Totals	275	49	324

EXHIBIT B
SUMMARY OF CHANGES IN ANNUITANTS AND BENEFICIARIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2008

Annuitants and Beneficiaries	Number at Beginning of Year	Additions During Year	Terminations During Year	Number at End of Year
Employee Annuitants	2,644	120	118	2,646
Surviving Spouse Annuitants	1,315	64	82	1,297
Reversionary Annuitants	1	-	-	1
Child Annuitants	45	13	11	47
Annuitant Totals	4,005	197	211	3,991
Actives Receiving Disability				
Ordinary Disability Benefit	58	112	109	61
Duty Disability Benefit	118	307	280	145
Disability Totals	176	419	389	206
Totals	4,181	616	600	4,197

EXHIBIT C
PART I – TOTAL LIVES AND ANNUAL SALARIES OF ACTIVE MALE PARTICIPANTS CLASSIFIED BY
AGE AND YEARS OF SERVICE AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008

Attained Age	Completed Years of Service									Total	
	Under 1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35 & Over		
Under 20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
20-24	3	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21
	\$ 204,714	\$ 926,868	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,131,582
25-29	3	41	58	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	112
	\$ 192,588	\$ 2,009,134	\$ 3,900,154	\$ 678,871	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 6,780,747
30-34	2	32	82	92	7	-	-	-	-	-	215
	\$ 132,434	\$ 1,634,172	\$ 5,310,054	\$ 6,046,586	\$ 539,906	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 13,663,152
35-39	-	33	104	123	56	1	-	-	-	-	317
	\$ -	\$ 1,576,803	\$ 6,501,395	\$ 8,063,716	\$ 3,992,743	\$ 72,280	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 20,206,937
40-44	1	20	102	119	132	37	6	-	-	-	417
	\$ 72,280	\$ 1,001,035	\$ 6,506,013	\$ 7,692,801	\$ 8,925,836	\$ 2,560,290	\$ 438,486	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 27,196,741
45-49	2	31	80	118	99	85	134	40	-	-	589
	\$ 144,560	\$ 1,560,360	\$ 5,095,812	\$ 7,672,052	\$ 6,906,285	\$ 5,870,295	\$ 10,251,266	\$ 3,070,186	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 40,570,816
50-54	-	21	75	92	87	64	131	120	5	-	595
	\$ -	\$ 1,109,318	\$ 4,687,103	\$ 5,741,311	\$ 5,802,470	\$ 4,432,995	\$ 9,709,394	\$ 9,071,117	\$ 419,794	\$ -	\$ 40,973,502
55-59	-	13	26	55	49	33	57	43	11	-	287
	\$ -	\$ 649,791	\$ 1,498,994	\$ 3,562,889	\$ 3,267,036	\$ 2,128,995	\$ 4,009,154	\$ 3,131,970	\$ 875,767	\$ -	\$ 19,124,596
60-64	-	3	29	25	30	21	18	13	6	-	145
	\$ -	\$ 122,949	\$ 1,787,667	\$ 1,545,279	\$ 1,987,486	\$ 1,209,197	\$ 1,306,468	\$ 877,748	\$ 382,201	\$ -	\$ 9,218,995
65-70	-	-	6	11	13	6	11	7	4	-	58
	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 330,424	\$ 658,447	\$ 763,841	\$ 431,164	\$ 778,505	\$ 435,096	\$ 364,773	\$ -	\$ 3,762,250
70 & Over	-	1	1	4	4	4	7	2	7	-	30
	\$ -	\$ 36,525	\$ 61,428	\$ 270,338	\$ 260,209	\$ 252,866	\$ 437,064	\$ 165,173	\$ 487,748	\$ -	\$ 1,971,351
Total	11	213	563	649	477	251	364	225	33	2,786	2,786
	\$ 746,576	\$ 10,626,955	\$ 35,679,044	\$ 41,932,290	\$ 32,445,812	\$ 16,958,082	\$ 26,930,337	\$ 16,751,290	\$ 2,530,283	\$ 184,600,669	\$ 184,600,669

EXHIBIT C
PART II – TOTAL LIVES AND ANNUAL SALARIES OF ACTIVE FEMALE PARTICIPANTS CLASSIFIED BY
AGE AND YEARS OF SERVICE AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008

Attained Age	Completed Years of Service									Total	
	Under 1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35 & Over		
Under 20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
20-24	3	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15
	\$ 216,840	\$ 554,528	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 771,368
25-29	1	17	7	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	26
	\$ 72,280	\$ 854,921	\$ 445,330	\$ 60,154	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,432,685
30-34	1	18	19	32	-	-	-	-	-	-	70
	\$ 72,280	\$ 904,769	\$ 1,155,987	\$ 1,916,309	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 4,049,345
35-39	1	15	31	26	4	1	-	-	-	-	78
	\$ 72,280	\$ 719,181	\$ 1,862,249	\$ 1,624,774	\$ 258,764	\$ 60,570	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 4,597,818
40-44	2	15	25	27	15	8	-	-	-	-	92
	\$ 144,560	\$ 704,057	\$ 1,490,243	\$ 1,653,057	\$ 968,682	\$ 523,484	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,484,083
45-49	1	12	27	26	19	19	-	-	-	-	104
	\$ 72,280	\$ 652,218	\$ 1,635,233	\$ 1,502,473	\$ 1,243,754	\$ 1,333,117	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 6,439,075
50-54	1	6	19	21	20	16	3	-	-	-	86
	\$ 60,154	\$ 331,427	\$ 1,177,321	\$ 1,272,566	\$ 1,271,210	\$ 1,058,885	\$ 209,052	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,380,615
55-59	-	1	4	12	12	7	1	-	-	-	37
	\$ -	\$ 42,099	\$ 205,049	\$ 845,380	\$ 721,938	\$ 388,431	\$ 72,280	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,275,177
60-64	-	-	8	6	4	3	-	-	-	1	22
	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 500,409	\$ 328,557	\$ 239,774	\$ 171,129	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 14,744	\$ 1,254,613
65-70	-	-	3	1	2	1	1	-	-	-	8
	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 170,546	\$ 43,800	\$ 108,850	\$ 51,000	\$ 72,280	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 446,476
70 & Over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 12,287	\$ 12,287
Total	10	96	143	152	76	55	5	-	2	539	
	\$ 710,674	\$ 4,763,200	\$ 8,642,367	\$ 9,247,070	\$ 4,812,972	\$ 3,586,616	\$ 353,612	\$ -	\$ 27,031	\$ 32,143,542	

EXHIBIT C
PART III – TOTAL LIVES AND ANNUAL SALARIES OF ALL ACTIVE PARTICIPANTS CLASSIFIED BY
AGE AND YEARS OF SERVICE AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008

Attained Age	Completed Years of Service									Total	
	Under 1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35 & Over		
Under 20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
20-24	6	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36
	\$ 421,554	\$ 1,481,396	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,902,950
25-29	4	58	65	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	138
	\$ 264,868	\$ 2,864,055	\$ 4,345,484	\$ 739,025	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 8,213,432
30-34	3	50	101	124	7	-	-	-	-	-	285
	\$ 204,714	\$ 2,538,941	\$ 6,466,041	\$ 7,962,895	\$ 539,906	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 17,712,497
35-39	1	48	135	149	60	2	-	-	-	-	395
	\$ 72,280	\$ 2,295,984	\$ 8,363,644	\$ 9,688,490	\$ 4,251,507	\$ 132,850	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 24,804,755
40-44	3	35	127	146	147	45	6	-	-	-	509
	\$ 216,840	\$ 1,705,092	\$ 7,996,256	\$ 9,345,858	\$ 9,894,518	\$ 3,083,774	\$ 438,486	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 32,680,824
45-49	3	43	107	144	118	104	134	40	-	-	693
	\$ 216,840	\$ 2,212,578	\$ 6,731,045	\$ 9,174,525	\$ 8,150,039	\$ 7,203,412	\$ 10,251,266	\$ 3,070,186	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 47,009,891
50-54	1	27	94	113	107	80	134	120	5	-	681
	\$ 60,154	\$ 1,440,745	\$ 5,864,424	\$ 7,013,877	\$ 7,073,680	\$ 5,491,880	\$ 9,918,446	\$ 9,071,117	\$ 419,794	\$ -	\$ 46,354,117
55-59	-	14	30	67	61	40	58	43	11	-	324
	\$ -	\$ 691,890	\$ 1,704,043	\$ 4,408,269	\$ 3,988,974	\$ 2,517,426	\$ 4,081,434	\$ 3,131,970	\$ 875,767	\$ -	\$ 21,399,773
60-64	-	3	37	31	34	24	18	13	7	-	167
	\$ -	\$ 122,949	\$ 2,288,076	\$ 1,873,836	\$ 2,227,260	\$ 1,380,326	\$ 1,306,468	\$ 877,748	\$ 396,945	\$ -	\$ 10,473,608
65-70	-	-	9	12	15	7	12	7	4	-	66
	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 500,970	\$ 702,247	\$ 872,691	\$ 482,164	\$ 850,785	\$ 435,096	\$ 364,773	\$ -	\$ 4,208,726
70 & Over	-	1	1	4	4	4	7	2	8	-	31
	\$ -	\$ 36,525	\$ 61,428	\$ 270,338	\$ 260,209	\$ 252,866	\$ 437,064	\$ 165,173	\$ 500,035	\$ -	\$ 1,983,638
Total	21	309	706	801	553	306	369	225	35	3,325	
	\$ 1,457,250	\$ 15,390,155	\$ 44,321,411	\$ 51,179,360	\$ 37,258,784	\$ 20,544,698	\$ 27,283,949	\$ 16,751,290	\$ 2,557,314	\$ 216,744,211	

EXHIBIT D
AGE AND SERVICE DISTRIBUTION FOR INACTIVES
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008

(Males and Females Combined)

Attained Age	Years of Service									Total
	0	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35+	
Under 20	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
20-24	5	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
25-29	8	25	7	1	-	-	-	-	-	41
30-34	44	49	10	1	-	-	-	-	-	104
35-39	50	33	12	2	1	-	-	-	-	98
40-44	75	31	10	4	4	0	0	-	-	124
45-49	244	43	7	4	5	2	4	0	-	309
50-54	184	68	12	2	8	16	5	0	-	295
55-59	112	48	15	8	5	3	0	-	-	191
60-64	50	32	5	6	1	-	0	1	-	95
65-69	23	18	5	1	2	-	1	-	-	50
70 & Over	71	45	11	9	4	2	4	-	-	146
w/o DOB	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Total	869	394	94	38	30	23	14	1	0	1,463
Average Age										52.02
Average Service										2.32

For inactives without a birthdate on record, we assumed an average age of 52.02.

EXHIBIT E
STATISTICS ON EMPLOYEE ANNUITIES
CLASSIFIED BY AGE AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008

Age	Male		Female	
	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments
Under 50	4	\$ 34,836	1	\$ 1,488
50	17	863,544	-	-
51	31	1,545,336	-	-
52	41	2,014,032	-	-
53	39	1,812,696	-	-
54	39	1,775,772	2	4,128
55	77	3,245,064	-	-
56	78	3,371,184	2	62,952
57	75	3,461,664	1	33,804
58	81	3,315,732	-	-
59	68	3,086,892	3	68,628
60	73	3,075,168	4	146,040
61	82	3,409,932	1	43,872
62	72	3,078,216	2	64,200
63	68	2,710,812	1	12,540
64	66	2,589,288	-	-
65	70	2,793,396	2	37,812
66	79	2,923,152	5	71,700
67	79	3,188,748	3	107,700
68	82	3,130,716	4	80,904
69	74	2,900,604	4	90,624
70	87	3,287,820	5	98,196
71	58	2,162,808	3	81,372
72	72	2,521,572	7	159,792
73	67	2,238,408	3	57,576
74	68	2,278,392	3	109,380
75	57	1,708,308	7	131,820
76	36	1,099,764	7	154,344
77	69	2,480,460	8	181,356
78	55	1,730,340	9	135,948
79	46	1,713,468	11	242,760
80	49	1,457,088	9	177,576
81	65	2,122,380	14	222,084
82	48	1,518,492	7	105,804
83	36	1,121,040	14	277,548
84	40	1,030,668	10	162,948
85 & over	187	4,515,024	159	2,270,772
Totals	2,335	\$ 87,312,816	311	\$ 5,395,668

EXHIBIT F
STATISTICS ON SURVIVING SPOUSE ANNUITIES
CLASSIFIED BY AGE AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008

Age	Male		Female	
	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments
Under 30	-	\$ -	1	\$ 1,200
30	-	-	-	-
31	-	-	-	-
32	-	-	-	-
33	-	-	2	19,200
34	-	-	-	-
35	-	-	-	-
36	-	-	-	-
37	-	-	-	-
38	-	-	-	-
39	-	-	-	-
40	-	-	2	19,200
41	-	-	1	9,600
42	1	1,200	2	19,200
43	-	-	1	13,548
44	-	-	6	83,748
45	-	-	3	30,948
46	-	-	4	49,104
47	1	7,584	4	42,924
48	-	-	4	29,580
49	2	20,700	6	81,612
50	-	-	9	133,992
51	-	-	9	110,220
52	-	-	6	79,164
53	1	9,600	7	86,280
54	-	-	7	85,056
55	-	-	19	255,468
56	1	9,600	8	155,652
57	-	-	11	166,188
58	-	-	11	146,832
59	-	-	7	125,112
60	-	-	11	122,016
61	-	-	12	133,896
62	1	10,068	14	158,388
63	-	-	23	335,484
64	-	-	18	220,824
65	-	-	19	276,660
66	-	-	23	280,620
67	-	-	24	301,440
68	-	-	16	214,164
69	1	9,600	34	478,500

EXHIBIT F
STATISTICS ON SURVIVING SPOUSE ANNUITIES
CLASSIFIED BY AGE AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008
(CONTINUED)

Age	Male		Female	
	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments
70	1	\$ 9,600	47	\$ 602,436
71	-	-	27	340,080
72	-	-	31	419,172
73	-	-	41	560,148
74	-	-	26	341,244
75	-	-	36	466,692
76	-	-	40	483,828
77	1	9,600	36	433,752
78	-	-	44	519,048
79	2	19,200	44	523,344
80	2	10,308	51	575,508
81	-	-	42	482,340
82	4	36,828	53	622,248
83	5	48,000	57	633,144
84	2	19,200	51	571,704
85 & over	12	115,200	311	3,105,168
Totals	37	\$ 336,288	1,261	\$ 14,945,676

Includes one Reversionary Annuitant.

EXHIBIT G
PART I – NUMBER OF REFUND PAYMENTS MADE DURING 2008
TO MALE EMPLOYEES

Age at Date of Valuation	Length of Service at Date of Refund						Total
	Under 1 Year	Between 1 and 2	Between 2 and 3	Between 3 and 4	Between 4 and 5	5 and Over	
Under 20	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
20 to 24	-	-	1	-	-	1	2
25 to 29	2	1	3	1	1	1	9
30 to 34	-	1	1	-	-	3	5
35 to 39	1	2	1	1	1	3	9
40 to 44	3	2	-	-	-	5	10
45 to 49	4	-	-	-	1	4	9
50 to 54	1	2	-	-	-	3	6
55 to 59	-	-	1	-	-	1	2
60 & Over	4	-	1	-	-	-	5
Totals	15	9	8	2	3	21	58

PART II – NUMBER OF REFUND PAYMENTS MADE DURING 2008
TO FEMALE EMPLOYEES

Age at Date of Valuation	Length of Service at Date of Refund						Total
	Under 1 Year	Between 1 and 2	Between 2 and 3	Between 3 and 4	Between 4 and 5	5 and Over	
Under 20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20 to 24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 29	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
30 to 34	-	1	1	-	-	-	2
35 to 39	-	2	-	-	-	1	3
40 to 44	1	1	-	-	-	-	2
45 to 49	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
50 to 54	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
55 to 59	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
60 & Over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	3	4	1	-	-	3	11

Includes those who took a refund from both active and inactive status.

EXHIBIT H
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE
CLASSIFIED BY AGE AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008

<u>Age</u>	<u>Single Coverage</u>	<u>Family Coverage</u>	<u>Total Coverage</u>	<u>Total Not Covered</u>	<u>Total Annuitants</u>	<u>% Covered Annuitants</u>
Employee Annuitants						
30-39	1	-	1	1	2	50.00%
40-49	3	-	3	-	3	100.00%
50-59	198	275	473	81	554	85.38%
60-69	274	372	646	125	771	83.79%
70-79	271	251	522	156	678	76.99%
80-89	236	124	360	152	512	70.31%
<u>90 & Over</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>65</u>	<u>126</u>	<u>48.41%</u>
Total	1,036	1,030	2,066	580	2,646	78.08%
Spouse Annuitants¹						
Under 30	-	-	-	1	1	0.00%
30-39	-	1	1	1	2	50.00%
40-49	9	8	17	20	37	45.95%
50-59	40	10	50	46	96	52.08%
60-69	91	3	94	102	196	47.96%
70-79	227	1	228	148	376	60.64%
80-89	264	1	265	198	463	57.24%
<u>90 & Over</u>	<u>57</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>127</u>	<u>45.67%</u>
Total	688	25	713	585	1,298	54.93%

¹Includes one Reversionary Annuitant.

EXHIBIT I
PART I – MALE PARTICIPANTS RECEIVING DUTY DISABILITY
CLASSIFIED BY AGE AND LENGTH OF SERVICE AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008

Service:	Under 1 Year		1 to 4		5 to 9		10 to 14		15 to 19		20 & Over		Total	
Attained Age	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments
Under 30	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	4	\$ 188,526	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	4	\$ 188,526
30 to 34	-	-	2	85,316	2	85,457	4	201,380	-	-	-	-	8	372,153
35 to 39	-	-	-	-	6	284,544	6	281,642	1	42,167	-	-	13	608,353
40 to 44	-	-	1	31,574	9	421,605	6	288,195	10	509,715	2	118,170	28	1,369,259
45 to 49	-	-	-	-	6	261,424	4	184,455	4	210,865	12	577,496	26	1,234,240
50 to 54	-	-	1	30,888	3	132,522	6	272,516	3	141,944	11	506,251	24	1,084,121
55 to 59	-	-	-	-	4	164,092	3	140,244	2	84,708	3	109,013	12	498,057
60 & Over	-	-	-	-	1	51,714	3	126,703	3	118,201	2	102,648	9	399,266
Totals	-	\$ -	4	\$ 147,778	35	\$ 1,589,884	32	\$ 1,495,135	23	\$ 1,107,600	30	\$ 1,413,578	124	\$ 5,753,975

PART II – FEMALE PARTICIPANTS RECEIVING DUTY DISABILITY
CLASSIFIED BY AGE AND LENGTH OF SERVICE AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008

Service:	Under 1 Year		1 to 4		5 to 9		10 to 14		15 to 19		20 & Over		Total	
Attained Age	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments
Under 30	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ -
30 to 34	-	-	-	-	1	45,115	2	86,065	-	-	-	-	3	131,180
35 to 39	-	-	-	-	3	119,480	2	89,653	-	-	-	-	5	209,133
40 to 44	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	90,230	-	-	-	-	2	90,230
45 to 49	-	-	1	27,066	1	44,117	2	71,511	1	38,407	-	-	5	181,101
50 to 54	-	-	-	-	1	44,117	2	95,784	-	-	1	37,035	4	176,936
55 to 59	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	47,034	-	-	1	47,034
60 & Over	-	-	-	-	1	32,215	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	32,215
Totals	-	\$ -	1	\$ 27,066	7	\$ 285,044	10	\$ 433,243	2	\$ 85,441	1	\$ 37,035	21	\$ 867,829

Benefit payments are annual amount before Workers' Compensation offset.

EXHIBIT I (CONT'D)
PART III – MALE PARTICIPANTS RECEIVING ORDINARY DISABILITY
CLASSIFIED BY AGE AND LENGTH OF SERVICE AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008

Service:	Under 1 Year		1 to 4		5 to 9		10 to 14		15 to 19		20 & Over		Total	
Attained Age	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments
Under 30	-	\$ -	1	\$ 19,365	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	1	\$ 19,365
30 to 34	-	-	-	-	1	30,077	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	30,077
35 to 39	-	-	-	-	3	79,519	1	19,365	1	34,476	-	-	5	133,360
40 to 44	-	-	1	18,044	-	-	1	41,444	3	97,167	-	-	5	156,655
45 to 49	-	-	1	18,044	-	-	-	-	1	30,077	2	55,254	4	103,375
50 to 54	-	-	-	-	3	82,410	2	64,553	-	-	7	226,513	12	373,476
55 to 59	-	-	-	-	1	30,077	2	59,488	2	62,889	3	97,022	8	249,476
60 & Over	-	-	-	-	1	30,077	1	32,812	2	63,888	2	57,377	6	184,154
Totals	-	\$ -	3	\$ 55,453	9	\$ 252,160	7	\$ 217,662	9	\$ 288,497	14	\$ 436,166	42	\$ 1,249,938

PART IV – FEMALE PARTICIPANTS RECEIVING ORDINARY DISABILITY
CLASSIFIED BY AGE AND LENGTH OF SERVICE AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008

Service:	Under 1 Year		1 to 4		5 to 9		10 to 14		15 to 19		20 & Over		Total	
Attained Age	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments	No.	Annual Payments
Under 30	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ -
30 to 34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35 to 39	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	119,351	-	-	-	-	4	119,351
40 to 44	-	-	1	30,077	1	29,120	1	29,120	1	34,476	-	-	4	122,793
45 to 49	-	-	1	36,140	2	52,707	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	88,847
50 to 54	-	-	-	-	1	29,120	1	29,120	2	63,821	2	60,767	6	182,828
55 to 59	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	64,553	-	-	2	64,553
60 & Over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	-	\$ -	2	\$ 66,217	4	\$ 110,947	6	\$ 177,591	5	\$ 162,850	2	\$ 60,767	19	\$ 578,372

EXHIBIT J
HISTORY OF AVERAGE ANNUAL SALARIES

Year End	Members in Service	Percent Increase	Annual Salaries	Percent Increase	Average Salary	Percent Increase	Actuarial Salary Assumption	CPI Chicago
1999	3,855	2.72 %	\$175,914,112	3.10 %	\$45,633	0.37 %	5.00%	2.57 %
2000	4,070	5.58 %	185,051,048	5.19 %	45,467	(0.36)%	5.00%	4.03 %
2001	4,074	0.10 %	211,203,088	14.13 %	51,842	14.02 %	5.00%	0.82 %
2002	3,828	(6.04)%	207,403,973	(1.80)%	54,181	4.51 %	5.00%	2.50 %
2003	3,719	(2.85)%	205,691,917	(0.83)%	55,308	2.08 %	5.00%	1.70 %
2004	3,135	(15.70)%	171,476,937	(16.63)%	54,698	(1.10)%	4.50%	2.21 %
2005	3,141	0.19 %	182,809,397	6.61 %	58,201	6.41 %	4.50%	3.59 %
2006	3,215	2.36 %	193,176,272	5.67 %	60,086	3.24 %	4.50%	0.71 %
2007	3,138	(2.40)%	192,847,482	(0.17)%	61,456	2.28 %	4.50%	4.73 %
2008	3,325	5.96 %	216,744,211	12.39 %	65,186	6.07 %	4.50%	(0.58)%
Average Increase (Decrease) for the Last Five Years		(1.92)%		1.57 %		3.38 %	4.50%	2.13 %

EXHIBIT K
NEW ANNUITIES GRANTED DURING 2008

	Male Annuitants	Female Annuitants	Spouse of Deceased Employees	Spouse of Deceased Annuitants
Number Retired/Deceased	117	3	12	52
Average Age Attained	56.1	65.2	52.2	74.4
Average Length of Service	30.3	22.2	21.2	N/A
Total Annual Final Salary	\$ 8,189,944	\$ 140,236	\$ 769,053	N/A
Average Annual Final Salary	\$ 70,000	\$ 46,745	\$ 64,088	N/A
Total Annual Annuity	\$ 5,284,872	\$ 54,588	\$ 204,732	\$ 767,628
Average Annual Annuity	\$ 45,170	\$ 18,196	\$ 17,061	\$ 14,762
Total Actuarial Liability	\$ 73,140,350	\$ 558,684	\$ 2,238,250	\$ 5,566,873
Average Actuarial Liability	\$ 625,131	\$ 186,228	\$ 186,521	\$ 107,055
Total Contributed by EE ¹	\$ 9,653,770	\$ 75,948	\$ 785,130	N/A
Average Investment	\$ 82,511	\$ 25,316	\$ 65,428	N/A
Liability/Contributions	7.58	7.36	2.85	N/A
Liability/Final Pay	8.93	3.98	2.91	N/A
Expected Future Lifetime (yrs.)	23.73	20.49	30.44	13.25
Payback Period (yrs.)	1.8267	1.3913	3.8349	N/A
Replacement Ratio	64.53 %	38.93 %	26.62 %	N/A

¹ Includes "Pickup"

EXHIBIT L
NEW RECIPROCAL ANNUITIES GRANTED DURING 2008

	Reciprocal	
	Male	Female
	Annuitants	Annuitants
Number Retired	19	-
Average Age Attained	58.5	N/A
Number with Spouses	18	N/A
Average Spouse Age	55.6	N/A
Percentage with Spouse	94.74%	N/A
Total Annual Annuity	\$ 491,376	N/A
Average Annual Annuity	\$ 25,862	N/A
Total Liability (8% 1994 GAM)	\$ 6,607,921	N/A
Average Liability	\$ 347,785	N/A

EXHIBIT M
RETIREES AND BENEFICIARIES BY TYPE OF BENEFIT

Years	Annuitants			Disability		Compensation	Reciprocal	
	Employee	Spouse	Child	Ordinary	Duty	Annuitants ²	Employee	Spouse
1999	2,507	1,345	76	38	82	-	180	52
2000	2,384	1,350	67	57	100	-	185	56
2001	2,299	1,345	59	46	108	-	182	60
2002	2,273	1,359	65	59	144	-	188	63
2003	2,270	1,334	67	74	106	-	202	61
2004	2,589	1,314	62	63	92	1	247	65
2005 ¹	2,489	1,301	52	56	120	1	248	66
2006 ¹	2,432	1,265	52	42	129	1	251	70
2007 ¹	2,388	1,254	45	58	118	1	256	62
2008 ¹	2,380	1,236	47	61	145	1	266	62

¹ Includes one Reversionary Annuitant.

² Compensation Annuitant is also included as a Spouse Annuitant.

EXHIBIT N
AVERAGE EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT BENEFITS PAYABLE

Years Ended	Average Annual Benefit	Average Current Age of Retirees	Average Annual Benefit at Retirement Current Year	Average Age at Retirement Current Year	Average Years Service at Retirement Current Year
1999	\$21,157	72.8	\$18,366	61.9	18.30
2000	21,872	73.3	20,938	61.1	19.96
2001	22,750	73.6	24,126	61.2	20.80
2002	24,082	73.3	31,865	60.6	27.56
2003	25,576	73.0	34,201	58.6	25.21
2004 ¹	29,177	70.6	40,825	57.3	30.87
2005	30,492	70.8	39,105	57.0	30.44
2006	31,664	70.9	38,015	56.6	28.87
2007	33,242	70.9	42,234	57.0	29.82
2008	35,037	70.7	44,496	56.3	30.11

¹Early retirement incentive offered to employees.

EXHIBIT O
SURVIVING SPOUSES RECEIVING BENEFITS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008
BY AGE AND YEARS IN PAY STATUS

Attained Age	Number of Years in Pay Status						Total
	Under 1	1 to 4	5 to 9	10 to 14	15 to 19	20 & Over	
Under 30	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
30 to 34	-	1	-	1	-	-	2
35 to 39	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
40 to 44	1	8	2	1	1	-	13
45 to 49	-	9	8	3	3	1	24
50 to 54	6	14	10	5	2	2	39
55 to 59	3	21	22	7	3	1	57
60 & Over	37	210	230	207	171	307	1,162
Totals	47	263	273	224	180	311	1,298

Includes one Reversionary Annuitant.

EXHIBIT P
HISTORY OF ANNUITIES 1999 – 2008

Employee Annuitants (Male and Female)			
<u>Year End</u>	<u>Number of Annuitants</u>	<u>Total Annuities</u>	<u>Average Annuities</u>
1999	2,687	\$ 56,848,916	\$ 21,157
2000	2,569	56,189,051	21,872
2001	2,481	56,443,854	22,750
2002	2,461	59,265,907	24,082
2003	2,472	63,224,248	25,576
2004	2,836	82,746,720	29,177
2005	2,737	83,457,267	30,492
2006	2,683	84,953,928	31,664
2007	2,644	87,891,144	33,242
2008	2,646	92,708,484	35,037
Surviving Spouse Annuitants			
<u>Year End</u>	<u>Number of Annuitants</u>	<u>Total Annuities</u>	<u>Average Annuities</u>
1999	1,397	\$ 13,817,326	\$ 9,891
2000	1,406	13,996,111	9,955
2001	1,405	14,116,356	10,047
2002	1,422	14,613,052	10,276
2003	1,395	14,573,819	10,447
2004	1,379	14,755,032	10,700
2005 ¹	1,367	14,913,483	10,910
2006 ¹	1,335	15,003,432	11,239
2007 ¹	1,316	15,164,628	11,523
2008 ¹	1,298	15,281,964	11,773

¹Includes one Reversionary Annuitant.

EXHIBIT Q
SCHEDULE OF RETIRED MEMBERS
BY TYPE OF BENEFIT AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008

Amount of Monthly Benefit	Number of Employee Annuitants	Number of Spouse Annuitants ¹	Number of Child Annuitants	Total Number of Annuitants
\$ 1 - 250	46	16	47	109
251 - 500	37	4	-	41
501 - 750	19	12	-	31
751 - 1,000	48	929	-	977
1,001 - 1,250	306	115	-	421
1,251 - 1,500	98	91	-	189
1,501 - 1,750	97	64	-	161
1,751 - 2,000	116	30	-	146
2,001 - 2,250	110	15	-	125
2,251 - 2,500	125	8	-	133
2,501 - 2,750	108	4	-	112
2,751 - 3,000	161	2	-	163
3,001 - 3,250	177	2	-	179
3,251 - 3,500	235	1	-	236
3,501 - 3,750	223	2	-	225
3,751 - 4,000	208	-	-	208
4,001 - 4,250	152	2	-	154
4,251 - 4,500	85	1	-	86
4,501 - 4,750	77	-	-	77
4,751 - 5,000	59	-	-	59
Over \$5,000	159	-	-	159
Totals	2,646	1,298	47	3,991

¹Includes one Reversionary Annuitant.

**ACTUARIAL METHODS AND ASSUMPTIONS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008**

ACTUARIAL METHODS AND ASSUMPTIONS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008

ACTUARIAL COST METHOD

An Actuarial Cost Method is a set of techniques used by the actuary to develop contribution levels under a retirement plan. The principal Actuarial Cost Method used in this valuation is the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method. Under this Method, a Normal Cost is developed by spreading the actuarial value of benefits expected to be received by each active participant over the total working lifetime of that participant, from hire to termination, as a level percentage of pay.

To the extent that current assets and future Normal Costs do not support participants' expected future benefits, an Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability ("UAAL") develops. The UAAL is generally amortized over a defined period of time (e.g., 30 years). The total contribution developed under this method is the sum of the Normal Cost and the payment toward the UAAL.

CURRENT ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS

Demographic Assumptions

Mortality: 1994 Group Annuity Mortality sex distinct Tables set forward two years.

Disability: Disability cost valued as a term cost of 1.50 percent of payroll.

**ACTUARIAL METHODS AND ASSUMPTIONS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008 (CONT'D)**

RATE OF RETIREMENT:

Age-and-Service-Based Rates of Retirement

Attained Age	<u>Years of Service</u>															
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	
50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
51	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
52	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
53	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
54	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
55	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	
56	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	3	3	3	3	
57	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	3	3	3	3	
58	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	3	3	3	
59	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	3	3	3	
60	20%	13%	14%	14%	14%	14%	13%	13%	13%	12%	21	20	20	12	13	
61	20	4	5	6	7	8	9	9	10	11	11	12	12	13	13	
62	20	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	11	12	12	13	13	14	
63	20	4	6	7	8	9	10	10	11	12	12	13	13	14	15	
64	20	4	6	7	8	9	10	11	11	12	13	13	14	15	15	
65	20	29	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	38	39	39	40	41	
66	20	4	6	7	9	10	11	11	12	13	14	14	15	16	16	
67	20	4	6	8	9	10	11	12	13	13	14	15	15	16	17	
68	20	5	6	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	14	15	16	17	17	
69	20	5	7	8	9	11	12	12	13	14	15	16	16	17	18	
70	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	

**ACTUARIAL METHODS AND ASSUMPTIONS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008 (CONT'D)**

RATE OF RETIREMENT (CONT'D):

Attained Age	<u>Age-and-Service-Based Rates of Retirement</u>													
	<u>Years of Service</u>													
	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38
50	-	-	-	-	-	25%	25%	25%	25%	30%	29%	29%	29%	100%
51	-	-	-	-	-	25	15	15	15	30	30	30	29	100
52	-	-	-	-	-	27	17	12	22	30	30	30	30	100
53	-	-	-	-	-	28	19	14	24	30	30	30	30	100
54	-	-	-	-	-	30	20	15	25	31	30	30	30	100
55	24%	25%	25%	25%	26%	31	21	16	27	31	31	31	30	100
56	10	11	11	11	12	12	12	12	28	31	31	31	31	100
57	11	11	12	12	12	13	13	13	29	31	31	31	31	100
58	12	12	13	13	13	14	14	14	30	31	31	31	31	100
59	13	13	13	14	14	14	15	15	31	32	32	32	31	100
60	13	14	14	14	15	15	16	16	31	32	32	32	32	100
61	14	14	15	15	16	16	16	17	32	32	32	32	32	100
62	14	15	15	16	16	17	17	18	33	32	32	32	32	100
63	15	16	16	17	17	17	18	18	34	32	32	32	32	100
64	16	16	17	17	18	18	19	19	34	32	32	32	32	100
65	41	42	42	43	43	44	44	45	45	58	58	58	58	100
66	17	17	18	18	19	19	20	20	36	33	33	33	33	100
67	17	18	18	19	19	20	20	21	36	33	33	33	33	100
68	18	18	19	19	20	20	21	21	37	33	33	33	33	100
69	18	19	19	20	21	21	22	22	38	33	33	33	33	100
70	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

**ACTUARIAL METHODS AND ASSUMPTIONS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008 (CONT'D)**

RATE OF TERMINATION:

Service-Based Rates of Termination

<u>Service</u>	<u>Rate</u>
0	12.00%
1	10.00
2	8.00
3	7.00
4	6.00
5	5.00
6	5.00
7	5.00
8	5.00
9	5.00
10	5.00
11	5.00
12	5.00
13	5.00
14	5.00
15	5.00
16	5.00
17	5.00
18	5.00
19	3.00
20	3.00
21	3.00
22	3.00
23	3.00
24	3.00
25	3.00
26	3.00
27	3.00
28	3.00
29	3.00
30	3.00
31 & Over	0.00

ACTUARIAL METHODS AND ASSUMPTIONS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008 (CONT'D)

Economic Assumptions

Investment Return Rate and Discount Rate: 8.00 percent per annum (net of investment expense) for pensions and 4.50 percent per annum for OPEB. The 8.00 percent assumption contains a 3.00 percent inflation assumption and a 5.00 percent real rate of return assumption for pension. Pension investment return and discount rate adopted 1999 and OPEB discount rate adopted 2005.

Future Salary Increases: The assumed base rate of individual salary increase is 4.50 percent per year, plus a service based increase in the first five years.

Service	Additional Increase	Total Increase
0	4.50 %	9.00 %
1	3.50	8.00
2	2.50	7.00
3	1.50	6.00
4	0.50	5.00
5 & Over	0.00	4.50

Asset Value: The Actuarial Value of Assets is smoothed by using a five-year phase-in of each year's unexpected investment gains and losses.

Other Assumptions

Marital Status: It is assumed that 85 percent of active members have an eligible spouse. The male spouse is assumed four years older than the female spouse. No assumption is made about other dependents.

Group Health Insurance: It is assumed for valuation purposes that the health insurance supplement in effect as of June 30, 2013, will continue for life for all employee annuitants (and their future surviving spouses). The amount of the Fund paid health insurance from July 1, 2003, until June 30, 2008, is \$85.00 per month for each annuitant (employees and surviving spouses) not qualified to receive Medicare benefits, and \$55.00 if qualified. The amount of the Fund paid health insurance from July 1, 2008, until June 30, 2013, is \$95.00 per month for each annuitant (employees and surviving spouses) not qualified to receive Medicare benefits, and \$65.00 if qualified. It is assumed that all annuitants age 65 and older will be eligible for Medicare and all annuitants less than age 65 will not be eligible for Medicare. Future surviving spouses of retirees, age 65 and older, are assumed to be eligible for Medicare, as well as surviving spouse annuitants that are currently receiving a health insurance supplement.

ACTUARIAL METHODS AND ASSUMPTIONS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008 (CONT'D)

Required Ultimate
Multiple:

Is based on the actuarial requirements (adjusted for tax levy loss) less expected employee contributions divided by the actual employee contributions made in the second prior year.

Loss in Tax Levy:

4.00 percent overall loss on tax levy is assumed.

THREE METHODS OF FINANCING UNFUNDED LIABILITY

Normal Cost

Plus Interest Method:

This is the method of valuation that was used in reports prior to 1997. It is intended to continue the current provisions of the Article governing the Plan in full force and effect on a permanent basis and in the amount required each year to keep the unfunded liability from increasing if all assumptions are realized.

The normal cost plus interest only method of funding is that recommended by the former Illinois Public Employees' Pension Laws Commission. It was also the minimum required for private pension plans for IRS qualification before ERISA.

Normal Cost Plus
30-Year Amortization
Method:

GASB #25 and #43 require a 30-year amortization of the unfunded liability. We have calculated the cost of amortizing the existing unfunded liability.

Both of these cost methods, the normal cost plus interest method and the normal cost plus 30-year amortization method, express the past service costs as a level annual dollar amount. It assumes that there will be a stable membership with a growing payroll. Consequently, as the total payroll increases in the future, the level annual amount becomes a decreasing percent of the total payroll.

Under both methods, level dollar amounts represent a greater percent of payroll initially and a decreasing percent of payroll as future payrolls increase.

ACTUARIAL METHODS AND ASSUMPTIONS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008 (CONT'D)

THREE METHODS OF FINANCING UNFUNDED LIABILITY (CONT'D)

Level Annual Percent
of Payroll Method:

An alternative method for funding that is receiving increased attention for public employee pension plans is a method that sets the funding standard cost objective as a level annual percent of payroll rather than as a level annual amount. This method will result in increasingly greater dollar amounts each year as payrolls increase.

This constant percent of payroll method is not an acceptable method under ERISA, but is permitted under GASB #25 and GASB #43. It may be more acceptable in the future in view of the presumably permanent nature of public retirement systems with a constant flow of new entrants and the desire to place a relatively constant tax burden (as percentage of salary) on future generations of taxpayers. Please note that if this amount is recomputed each year with the same "open" amortization period, the unfunded liability will never be amortized.

For the Retirement Board's guidance, we have estimated the financial effects of different amortization methods. The costs under these funding methods are contingent upon all actuarial assumptions being met and continued active membership at the same level. These three methods meet the requirements set forth in Illinois Compiled Statutes, Chapter 40, and Section 5/1A-102.

Actuarial Assets with Various Amortization Methods	Required 2009 Tax Levy	Required Multiple	Unfunded Liability Will	Portion Applicable to Unfunded Liability
1. Normal Cost Plus Interest Only	N/A	1.98	Remain Constant	\$17,877,806
2. Normal Cost Plus 30-Year Level Dollar Amortization	N/A	2.12	Decrease	\$20,310,424
3. Normal Cost Plus 30-Year Level % of Payroll	N/A	1.60	Increase	\$12,598,474
4. Present Law	\$17,545,800	1.00		

In determining funding policy, it is essential to provide a margin of safety for unfavorable operating experience such as salaries over anticipated salaries, decreasing age of retirement, increasing longevity, and declining fund membership.

**SUMMARY OF PROVISIONS OF THE FUND
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008**

**SUMMARY OF
PRINCIPAL ELIGIBILITY AND BENEFIT PROVISIONS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008**

PLAN DESCRIPTION

Any employee of the City of Chicago or the Board of Education employed under the provisions of the municipal personnel ordinance as labor service or any person employed by a retirement board of any annuity and benefit fund in the city is covered by the Laborers' and Retirement Board Employees' Annuity and Benefit Fund of Chicago (Laborers' Plan) which is a defined benefit single employer pension plan with a money purchase minimum. Although this is a single employer plan, the defined benefits, as well as the employer and employee contribution levels, are mandated in Illinois Compiled Statutes (Chapter 40, Pensions, Article 5/11) and may be amended only by the Illinois legislature. The City of Chicago accounts for the plan as a pension trust fund. The City of Chicago payroll for employees covered by the Laborers' Plan for the year ended December 31, 2008, was \$216,744,211. At December 31, 2008, the Laborers' Plan membership consisted of:

Retiree, surviving spouse, and child annuitants currently receiving benefits	3,991
Terminated inactive employees entitled to benefits or a refund of contributions but not yet receiving them	1,463
Current employees (includes 206 disabilities)	3,325

The Laborers' Fund provides retirement benefits as well as death and disability benefits. Employees age 55 or more with at least 10 years of service are entitled to receive a money purchase annuity with partial city contributions if under age 60 with less than 20 years of service. Employees age 55 or more with at least 20 years of service or age 50 or more with at least 30 years of service are entitled to receive a minimum formula annuity of 2.4 percent per year of service times the final average salary (highest average annual salary for any 4 consecutive years within the last 10 years of service immediately preceding the date of retirement). If the employee retires prior to age 60, the annuity shall be reduced by $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1.00 percent for each month the employee is under age 60, unless the employee is 50 or over with at least 30 years of service or 55 or over with at least 25 years of service. The original annuity is limited to 80 percent of the highest average annual salary. Beginning January 1, 1999, there is a 10 year deferred vested benefit payable at age 60. Employees who retire at age 60 or over with at least 10 years of service are entitled to a minimum of \$850 per month.

The monthly annuity is increased by 3.00 percent in January of the year of the first payment date following the later of age 60 or the first anniversary of retirement, and by 3.00 percent annually thereafter; except that for an employee retiring prior to age 60 the first increase will occur no later than January of the year of the first payment date following the later of (1) the third anniversary of retirement or (2) the attainment of age 53.

**SUMMARY OF
PRINCIPAL ELIGIBILITY AND BENEFIT PROVISIONS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008 (CONT'D)**

PLAN DESCRIPTION (CONT'D)

Covered employees are required to contribute 8.50 percent of their salary to the Laborers' Plan. If an employee leaves covered employment without qualifying for an annuity, accumulated contributions are refunded with interest (3.00 percent or 4.00 percent depending on when an employee became a participant).

The City of Chicago is required by state statutes to contribute the remaining amounts necessary to finance the requirements of the Fund. It is required to levy a tax at a rate not more than an amount equal to the total amount of contributions by the employees to the Fund made in the calendar year two years prior to the year for which the annual applicable tax is levied, multiplied by 1.00 annually. The total amount of contributions by the employees for purposes of establishing the tax levy amount shall not include contributions for service credit purchases under the Early Retirement Incentive provided for in Section 11-133.3 of the Illinois Pension Code.

**SUMMARY OF
PRINCIPAL ELIGIBILITY AND BENEFIT PROVISIONS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008 (CONT'D)**

DEFINITIONS

These terms are defined in Article 1A of the Illinois Pension Code *Regulation of Public Pensions*.

“Accrued liability” means the actuarial present value of future benefit payments and appropriate administrative expenses under a plan, reduced by the actuarial present value of all future normal costs (including any participant contributions) with respect to the participant included in the actuarial valuation of the plan.

“Actuarial present value” means the single amount, as of a given valuation date, that results from applying actuarial assumptions to an amount or series of amounts payable or receivable at various times.

“Actuarial value of assets” means the value assigned by the actuary to the assets of a plan for the purposes of an actuarial valuation.

“Beneficiary” means a person eligible for or receiving benefits from the pension fund.

“Credited projected benefit” means that portion of a participant’s projected benefit based on an allocation taking into account service to date determined in accordance with the terms of the plan based on anticipated future compensation.

“Current value” means the fair market value when available; otherwise, the fair value as determined in good faith by a trustee, assuming an orderly liquidation at the time of the determination.

“Normal cost” means that part of the actuarial present value of all future benefit payments and appropriate administrative expenses assigned to the current year under the actuarial valuation method used by the plan (excluding any amortization of the unfunded accrued liability).

“Participant” means a participating member or deferred pensioner or annuitant of the pension fund, or a beneficiary thereof.

“Pension Fund” or “Fund” means the Laborers’ and Retirement Board Employees’ Annuity and Benefit Fund of Chicago established under Article 11 of the Illinois Pension Code.

“Plan year” means the calendar year for which the records of a given plan are kept.

“Projected benefits” means benefit amounts which are expected to be paid at various future times under a particular set of actuarial assumptions, taking into account, as applicable, the effect of advancement in age and past and anticipated future compensation and service credits.

**SUMMARY OF
PRINCIPAL ELIGIBILITY AND BENEFIT PROVISIONS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008 (CONT'D)**

DEFINITIONS (CONT'D)

“Supplemental annual cost” means that a portion of the unfunded accrued liability is assigned to the current year under one of the following bases:

1. interest only on the unfunded accrued liability;
2. the level annual amount required to amortize the unfunded accrued liability over a period not exceeding 30 years (40 years for pension unfunded accrued liability prior to 2007);
3. the amount required for the current year to amortize the unfunded accrued liability over a period not exceeding 30 years as a level percentage of payroll (40 years for pension unfunded accrued liability prior to 2007).

“Total annual cost” means the sum of the normal cost plus the supplemental annual cost.

“Unfunded accrued liability” means the excess of the accrued liability over the actuarial value of the assets of a plan.

“Vested pension benefit” means an interest obtained by a participant or beneficiary in that part of an immediate or deferred benefit under a plan which arises from the participant’s service and is not conditional upon the participant’s continued service for an employer any of whose employees are covered under the plan, and which has been forfeited under the terms of the plan.

PARTICIPANTS

Any person employed by the City or the Board of Education in a position classified as labor service of the employer, any person employed by the Board, and any person employed by the Retirement Board of any other Annuity and Benefit Fund which is in operation for the employer.

SERVICE

For all purposes except minimum annuity and ordinary disability credit, service in four months in any calendar year constitutes one year of service credit.

For minimum annuity, one half-year credit is given for one complete month of service and a full year credit is given for one complete month of service plus service in at least 5 other months. For Ordinary Disability credit, the exact number of days, months and years is used.

RETIREMENT ANNUITY

Money Purchase Formula

Maximum is 60 percent of highest salary. Applies in cases where an employee is age 55 or older and has a minimum of 10 years of service. If employee is age 55 to 60 with service less than 20 years, the annuity is based on all employee deductions plus 1/10th of the City contributions for each year over 10. In the case of withdrawal before age 55 and application after age 55, the annuity is based on employee deductions plus 1/10th of the City contributions for each year over 10, with interest to date of application or age 55, whichever is later. The age factor for age 55 is used.

**SUMMARY OF
PRINCIPAL ELIGIBILITY AND BENEFIT PROVISIONS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2008 (CONT'D)**

The annuity is based on all employee deductions and City contributions in cases where the employee is (a) age 55 to 60 with 20 or more years of service; (b) age 60 or older; or (c) resigning at the time of disability credit expiration.

Minimum Annuity Formula

Maximum is 80 percent of final average salary.

An employee age 60 or older with at least 10 years of service, or an employee age 55 or older, with at least 20 years of service, or an employee age 50 or older with at least 30 years of service, is entitled to an annuity equal to 2.40 percent, for each year of service of the final average salary during the four highest consecutive years within the last 10 years of service prior to retirement. If the employee withdraws from service before age 60 with less than 20 years of service, he can begin to receive an annuity no earlier than age 60. For an employee who is eligible to begin receiving an annuity before age 60, the annuity is discounted 0.25 percent for each month the employee is younger than age 60, unless he has at least 30 years of service and is age 50 or over, or has at least 25 years of service and is age 55 or over.

The employee will receive a minimum annuity of \$850 per month if the employee withdraws from service at age 60 or older with at least 10 years of service.

Reversionary Annuity

An employee may elect to reduce his or her annuity by an amount less than or equal to \$400 to provide a reversionary annuity for a spouse, parent, child, brother, or sister, to begin upon the employee's death. The election must be made before retirement and have been in effect one year prior to death. The one-year requirement is waived if the beneficiary is the employee's spouse. The death of the employee before retirement voids this election. The reversionary annuity cannot exceed 100 percent of the employee's reduced annuity. If the employee resigns after June 30, 1983, the 3.00 percent automatic annual increase in the annuity will be computed on the original, not the reduced, annuity; if the beneficiary dies before the employee annuitant, the full annuity is restored for annuities granted after June 30, 1983. The amount of the monthly reversionary annuity is determined by multiplying the amount of the monthly reduction in the employee's annuity by a factor based on the age of the employee and the difference between the ages of the employee and the reversionary annuitant at the starting date of the employee's annuity.

Reciprocal Annuity

Under reciprocal retirement, an employee can receive an annuity based on combined service credits in two or more governmental units in Illinois to whose pension funds he or she has contributed.

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Automatic Increase in Annuity

An employee annuitant is entitled to receive an increase of 3.00 percent of the currently payable annuity. This increase begins in January of the year of the first payment date following the earlier of:

- 1.) the later of the third anniversary of retirement and age 53, and
- 2.) the later of the first anniversary of retirement and age 60.

Increases apply only to life annuities.

SPOUSE ANNUITY

The surviving spouse annuity is the greater of the annuity under the money purchase formula or the minimum annuity formula. Surviving spouses who remarry on or after September 4, 2000, will not have their annuities terminated.

Money Purchase Formula

When an employee retires, the spouse's annuity is fixed, based on employee deductions and City contributions made for spouses' annuity purposes and a joint life age factor. (If the employee is a female, these are deductions accumulated since October 1974.)

If the employee dies in service, the spouse's annuity is based on all sums accumulated to their credit.

For 3.00 percent annuities fixed on or after August 1, 1983, the "Combined Annuity Mortality Table" shall continue to be used; however, surviving spouse's single life annuities and reversionary annuities shall be computed using the best factor (the factor producing the highest annuity), without regard to gender.

Spouses' Minimum Annuity Formula

If the employee retires or dies in service and is at least age 55 with 20 or more years of service, or is at least age 50 with 30 or more years of service, the spouse's annuity is equal to half the amount of annuity the employee was entitled to receive at the time of retirement or death in service. This annuity must then be discounted 0.25 percent for each month the spouse is under age 55 (or age 50 if the employee had at least 25 years of service) at the time the employee retires or dies in service.

If the employee dies while receiving a retirement annuity, the spouse is eligible for an annuity of one-half of the employee's annuity at death. This annuity is discounted for his/her age under 55 at the time of the employee's death, unless the employee had at least 25 years of service and withdrew from service on or after June 27, 1997, in which case the spouse annuity would be discounted for spouse age under 50 at the time of the employee's death.

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If the employee dies in service on or after January 1, 2002, with at least 10 years of service, the spouse is entitled to an annuity of half of the minimum formula annuity earned and accrued to the credit of the employee at the date of death. For the purposes of this benefit, the minimum formula annuity earned and accrued to the credit of the employee is equal to 2.40 percent for each year of service of the highest average annual salary for any four consecutive years within the last 10 years of service immediately preceding the date of death, up to a maximum of 80 percent of the highest average annual salary. This annuity is not reduced due to the age of the employee or spouse. The spouse is eligible for this annuity only if the marriage was in effect for 10 full years or more.

The spouse will receive a minimum annuity of \$800 per month if the employee retires with at least 10 years of service or dies in service with at least five years of service.

Child's Annuity

A child's annuity is provided for unmarried children of a deceased employee who are under the age of 18, if the child was conceived or born before the withdrawal from service. The annuity is \$220 per month while the spouse of the deceased employee is alive and \$250 per month if the spouse is deceased.

Family Maximum

Non-Duty Death: 60 percent of final monthly salary.

Duty Death: 70 percent of final monthly salary.

DISABILITIES

Duty Disability Benefits

Any employee who becomes disabled as the result of an injury incurred in the performance of any act of duty shall have a right to receive a duty disability benefit in the amount of 75 percent of salary at date of injury, plus \$10 a month for each unmarried child (the issue of the employee) less than age 18. Child's duty disability benefit is limited to 15 percent of the employee's salary as of the date of injury. Duty disability benefits begin one day after the later of the last day worked or the last day paid.

If the disability has resulted from any mental disorder, physical defect or disease which existed at the time such injury was sustained, the duty disability benefit shall be 50 percent of salary at date of injury. Disablement because of heart attacks, strokes, or any disablement due to heart disease shall not be considered the result of an accident suffered in the performance of duty. However, the employee will receive service credit and the City will contribute salary deductions for annuity purposes if the employee is receiving Workers' Compensation.

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A duty disability benefit is payable to age 65 if the disability benefits begin before age 60. For an employee who begins disability on or after age 60, disability will continue for five years. A duty disability benefit which continues for more than five years and which starts before the employee's age 60, will be increased by 10 percent on January 1st of the sixth year. The City contributes salary deductions for annuity purposes for the duty disability benefit. Such amounts contributed by the City after December 31, 1983, while the employee is receiving duty disability benefits, are not refundable to the employee and will be used for annuity purposes only.

Ordinary Disability Benefit

This benefit is granted for disability incurred other than in performance of an act of duty and is 50 percent of salary as of the last day worked. The first payment shall be made one month after the disablement occurs. Disability is payable until age 65 and limited to a maximum of 25 percent of the employee's total service or five years, whichever occurs first.

For ordinary disability benefits paid on or after January 1, 2001, the Fund credits amounts equal to the amounts ordinarily contributed by an employee for annuity purposes for any period during which the employee receives ordinary disability. These amounts are used for annuity purposes but are not credited for refund purposes.

GROUP HEALTH HOSPITAL AND SURGICAL INSURANCE PREMIUMS

The pension fund shall provide payments in the amount of \$85 per month for non-Medicare eligible city annuitants (defined in section 160.1 of Article 11 of the Illinois Pension Code as persons receiving an age and service annuity, a widow's annuity, a child's annuity, or a minimum annuity as a direct result of previous employment by the City of Chicago) and \$55 per month for Medicare eligible city annuitants from July 1, 2003, through June 30, 2008. Thereafter, the pension fund shall provide payments in the amount of \$95 per month for non-Medicare eligible city annuitants and \$65 per month for Medicare eligible city annuitants from July 1, 2008, through June 30, 2013.

The city health care plans referred to above and the pension fund's payments to the city for such plans are not and shall not be construed to be pension or retirement benefits for the purposes of Section 5 of Article XIII of the Illinois Constitution of 1970.

Should the Board of Education continue to sponsor a retiree health plan, the pension fund is authorized to provide payments to the Board of Education, on behalf of each eligible annuitant who chooses to participate in the Board of Education retiree health benefit plan, in the amount of \$85 per month for non-Medicare eligible participants and \$55 per month for Medicare eligible participants from July 1, 2003, through June 30, 2008. Thereafter, the pension fund is authorized to provide payments to the Board of Education, on behalf of each eligible annuitant who chooses to participate in the Board of Education retiree health benefit plan, in the amount of \$95 per month for non-Medicare eligible participants and \$65 per month for Medicare eligible participants from July 1, 2008, through June 30, 2013.

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The Board of Education health benefit plan referred to above and the pension fund's payments to the Board of Education for such plan are not and shall not be construed to be pension or retirement benefits for the purposes of Section 5 of Article XIII of the Illinois Constitution of 1970.

REFUNDS

To Employees

An employee who resigns before age 55, or before age 60 with less than 10 years of service, is entitled to all salary deductions for retirement annuity and spouse annuity accumulated with interest to date of resignation, plus the 0.50 percent deducted for annuity increase purposes without interest.

If the annuity of an employee is less than \$800 a month, the employee may elect to receive a refund, as above, in lieu of an annuity.

Spouse's annuity deductions are payable to the employee if not married when he retires.

To Spouses

The spouse may choose a refund in lieu of annuity if the annuity would be less than \$800 per month.

Remaining Amounts

Amounts contributed by the employee excluding 0.50 percent deductions for annuity increases, and which have not yet been paid out as annuity, are refundable to his estate with interest to his retirement or death if the employee died in service.

DEDUCTIONS AND CONTRIBUTIONS

Members are required to contribute 8.50 percent of their salary to the pension fund.

The City shall annually levy a tax which, when added to the amounts deducted from the salaries of the employees, or otherwise contributed by them, will be sufficient for the requirements of the Fund. The tax will produce an amount that does not exceed the amount of contributions by the employees to the Fund made in the calendar year two years prior to the year for which the annual applicable tax is levied, multiplied by 1.00 for the year 1999 and each year thereafter. The total amount of contributions by the employees shall not include contributions for service credit purchases under Section 11-133.3 for purposes of establishing the tax levy amount.

When the balance of the prior service reserve equals its liabilities (including in addition to all other liabilities, the present value of all annuities, present or prospective, according to the applicable mortality tables and rates of interest), the City shall cease to contribute the amounts to provide prior service annuities and other annuities and benefits. All liabilities attributable to the cost of the Early Retirement Incentive created by Public Act 93-0654 are to be excluded from the determination of a required City contribution.

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TAX SHELTER OF EMPLOYEE SALARY DEDUCTIONS

Beginning January 1, 1982, the City employee salary deductions were designated for income tax purposes to be made by the employer. The W-2 salary is therefore reduced by the amount of contributions. For pension purposes the salary remains unchanged. Income tax will be paid when a refund or annuity is granted. For the purposes of benefits, refunds, or financing, these contributions are treated as employee contributions. Effective January 16, 2004, the Fund may allow the employee to designate any optional contribution amounts that he has elected to pay to the Fund as employer contributions for income tax purposes. The contributions shall be made by the employer through a reduction in payroll to the employee and the election to have the employer make the optional contributions is irrevocable. For the purposes of benefits, refunds, or financing, these contributions are treated as employee contributions.

Beginning September 1, 1981, the Board of Education paid contributions in the amount of 7.00 percent of the employee's salary. The 1985 amendments contained a provision whereby the amount of pick-up, if any, is included in the pensionable salary for contributions and benefits. Such provision was retroactive to September 1, 1981. Beginning May 28, 2000, the remainder of contributions due for Board of Education employee salary deductions was designated for income tax purposes to be made by the employer and treated in the same manner as City employee salary deductions.

HISTORIC INFORMATION

EXHIBIT R

LEGISLATIVE CHANGES 1984 THROUGH 2008

1984 Session

- Direct deposit.
- Illinois Public Employees' Pension Laws Commission abolished.

1985 Session

HB 398

- 1.80, 2.00, 2.20, 2.40 percent benefit accrual rate for those born before January 1, 1936, and retiring after August 16, 1985.
- Reduction in age discount factor (employee and widow) from 0.50 percent to 0.25 percent for employees born before January 1, 1936, and retiring or dying in service after August 16, 1985.
- Health insurance supplement up to \$25 per month if the employee is age 65 or older with at least 15 years of service (for each employee annuitant in receipt of annuity and for each employee who retires on annuity in the future).
- Disability provisions extended to age 70 in certain cases.
- Unisex money purchase factors for widows/widowers.
- Membership provisions extended to age 70.
- Board of Education employee contribution "pick up" included in the definition of salary for contribution and benefit purposes.

1986 Session

HB 2630

- Cap removed on spouse maximum annuity.
- Automatic post-retirement increase to begin on first anniversary of retirement following attainment at age 60.

LEGISLATIVE CHANGES 1984 THROUGH 2008 (CONT'D)

1987 Session

HB 2715

- 1.80, 2.00, 2.20, 2.40 percent benefit accrual rate for those born on or after January 1, 1936, and retiring on or after January 1, 1988.
- Reduction in age discount factor (employee and widow) from 0.50 percent to 0.25 percent for employees born on or after January 1, 1936, and retiring or dying in service on or after January 1, 1988. No discount for employee age less than 60 if employee has at least 35 years of service.
- Minimum employee annuity of \$250 and minimum spouse annuity of \$200 under certain conditions.
- Change amount of children's benefits to \$120 or \$150 effective January 1, 1988.
- Provide for certain "Good Government" initiatives.
- Remove chronic alcoholism restriction for ordinary disability.

1988 Session

- No changes.

1989 Session

SB 95

- Signed August 23, 1989. Changed the amount of fund paid health insurance "supplement" from January 1, 1988, until December 31, 1992, to \$65 per month for each annuitant not qualified to receive Medicare benefits (and \$35 if qualified) and from January 1, 1993, until December 31, 1997, the amounts are \$75 and \$45, respectively. Widows will now be supplemented and employee annuitants will no longer be required to meet the age 65 and 15 years of service requirements. The City will be required to pay 50 percent of the aggregated cost of health care claims for the retired group under all health care plans offered by the City. A procedure was established for the City to determine, with the help of an independent actuary, the aggregate cost of claims and premiums for each calendar year from 1989 through 1997 for the retired group.

LEGISLATIVE CHANGES 1984 THROUGH 2008 (CONT'D)

HB 332

- Signed August 23, 1989. Eliminated age related discriminatory provisions as required by Federal law or regulation. Provided for Age Discrimination changes effective January 1, 1988, to eliminate age 65 requirements for marriage in service and children's benefits, provided contributions after age 65 for spouse benefits, provided employee accumulation annuities be computed after age 70, provided employee and spouse accumulation annuities not be "fixed" at age 65, provided no age 70 restriction on disability benefits, provided for active members over age 65 that their accounts be "unfixed" and accumulate interest until the date of withdrawal, and provided that there be no age 70 membership limitation and removed the permitted "no spouse" refund at age 65.
- Eliminated the \$300, \$400 or \$500 maximum spouse annuity limitation for spouses of employees who retired before January 23, 1987, but die after January 23, 1987.
- Allow for local labor officials on a leave of absence from the Fund to contribute for their current service as a local labor official.

1990 Session

SB 136

- Amends Chapter 120, Paragraph 671 of the Revenue Act to provide for a separate listing on the tax bill of the dollar amount of tax due from the person assessed which is allocable to a tax levied under the Illinois Pension Code, or any other tax levied by a municipality or township for public pension or retirement purposes. Effective January 1, 1990.

SB 1951

- Signed January 14, 1991. Beginning for withdrawals on or after January 1, 1991, annuity payments will be made as of the first day of the calendar month during the annuity payment period.
- 2.20 percent benefit accrual rate for employees retiring on or after July 1, 1990.
- No discount for employee age less than 60 if employee has at least 30 years of service and retires on or after July 1, 1990.
- Minimum employee annuity of \$350 and minimum spouse of \$300 under certain conditions.
- Spouses and widows of employees retiring or dying in service on or after July 1, 1990, with 20 or more years of service at age 55 or over will be eligible for half of the employees' annuity discounted 0.25 percent for each month the spouse or widow is less than 55.

LEGISLATIVE CHANGES 1984 THROUGH 2008 (CONT'D)

- Retroactive eligibility for 35 years no discount and spouse and widow annuities computed as half of employee annuity.
- Refund in lieu of \$300 annuity.
- Disability benefit retroactive one year from application; duty disability deductions in lieu for heart attack or stroke; 10 percent increase in duty disability benefit January 1 of the sixth year.
- Collateral for securities lending expanded.
- Fractional payment for refund repayment and temporary service authorized. Credit established by fractional payment shall be earliest service for which credit may be established.

1991 Session

- No changes.

1992 Session

SB 1650

- Signed January 25, 1993.
- Transfer provisions for County elected officers and judges.
- Early Retirement Incentive was created for withdrawals from December 31, 1992, to June 30, 1993.
 - Requires a total of 20 years of service (with at least 10 in this fund, and up to 5 purchased under ERI).
 - Requires age 55 or older.
 - Requires an election form to be filed before June 1, 1993.
 - Requires a member to be a current contributor on November 1, 1992, and have not previously retired under this Article.
 - Provides for elimination of the age discount for employees 55-60.
 - Provides for 80 percent maximum final average salary compared to the present 75 percent.
 - Provides for an optional purchase of up to 5 years of service credit for 4.25 percent of the November 1, 1992, salary.
 - Provides for a 24-month option to pay for ERI service.
 - Provides for a tax levy derived from ERI contributions.

LEGISLATIVE CHANGES 1984 THROUGH 2008 (CONT'D)

1993 Session

- No changes.

1994 Session

- No changes.

1995 Session

SB 114

- Approved July 14, 1995.
- The amount of earnings that may be taken into account by any retirement system is limited to the maximum dollar limitation specified in Section 401(a)(17) of the Internal Revenue Code, except for persons who became participants before 1996.
- The Fund is authorized to make certain involuntary distributions required by Section 401(a)(9) of the Internal Revenue Code.

SB 424

- Approved July 7, 1995.
- The Pension Laws Commission was created as a legislative support services agency.

1996 Session

SBJPA

- On August 20, 1996, the Small Business Job Protection Act was signed by President Clinton.
- Treatment of governmental plans under Code Section 415:
 - Rule limiting annual benefit to 100 percent of the average of the highest 3 year compensation no longer applies.
 - Excess benefit plans are permitted to provide participants with benefits in excess of the Code Section 415 limits.
 - Early retirement reduction does not apply to certain survivor and disability benefits.

LEGISLATIVE CHANGES 1984 THROUGH 2008 (CONT'D)

- The definition of compensation now includes elective deferrals.
- Taxation of distributions:
 - \$5,000 death benefit exclusion was repealed for deaths after August 20, 1996.
 - Five-year averaging for lump sum distributions was repealed effective January 1, 2000.
 - Annuity payments will be taxed according to a simplified general rule which uses investment and age as of annuity starting date for annuities which start on or after November 19, 1996.

1997 Session

HB 15

- Approved June 27, 1997.
- For withdrawals from service occurring on or after July 1, 1990, an alternate method of calculating salary using the annual equivalent of average salary instead of the salary rate applicable for the greatest part of the year is allowed.
- Annuities effective on or after January 1, 1998, will be payable on the first day of the calendar month.
- The prudent person rule for investing is allowed.
- An eligible employee is allowed to contribute for all periods of temporary service while still in City service, for up to 90 days after withdrawal from City service, or while in reciprocal service.
- The Board is allowed to adopt rules prescribing the manner of repaying refunds and purchasing any optional credit including accepting rollovers for payments.
- The City is allowed to use deposits from any legal source (including borrowing) in lieu of all or part of the tax levy on or after June 27, 1997.
- The requirement that any person employed by a retirement board of any other annuity and benefit fund in the City apply for participation in the Fund is eliminated.
- Payment is allowed for service as a police officer, firefighter, or public school teacher in the City.

LEGISLATIVE CHANGES 1984 THROUGH 2008 (CONT'D)

HB 313

- Approved June 27, 1997.
- For withdrawals from service occurring on or after June 27, 1997, an employee (and spouse) age 50 or over with at least 30 years of service is eligible to receive an annuity based on the minimum annuity formula.
- For withdrawals from service occurring on or after June 27, 1997, an employee under age 60 with at least 25 years of service is not subject to an age discount.
- The spouse of an employee dying on or after June 27, 1997, while receiving an annuity is eligible for one half of the employee's annuity at death, discounted for the spouse's age under 55 at the time of employee's death. Excess spouse refund, if any, must be repaid.
- Beginning June 27, 1997, employees already receiving annuity will receive a minimum annuity of \$550 for life (reciprocal annuitants must have at least five years of Laborers' service). Any future employee annuitant withdrawing from service after attainment of age 60 with 10 or more years of service would qualify for this minimum.
- Beginning June 27, 1997, widow(er)s already receiving annuity will receive a minimum annuity of \$500 for life (reciprocal annuitants must have at least five years of Laborers' service). For future spouses of retirees, 10 years of service is required. For spouses of employees dying in service in the future, five years of service is required.
- Beginning June 27, 1997, the child's annuity will be increased to \$220 per month if the spouse of the deceased employee parent survives or \$250 per month if no such spouse survives.
- Coverage in the City group health insurance is extended through June 30, 2002, with some modification in the plans offered. Pension fund supplement remains \$45 and \$75 for Medicare eligible and non-Medicare eligible annuitants respectively.
- Beginning June 27, 1997, spouses of employees dying in service after age 50, with at least 30 years of service or after age 55 with 25 years of service, will be eligible to receive 50 percent of the annuity that the employee would have received. This annuity will be reduced by 0.25 percent per month for each month that the spouse is below the age of 55.

HB 1641

- Approved August 22, 1997.
- Beginning August 22, 1997, for spouses of employees who retired or died in service before January 23, 1987, the previous \$300, \$400, or \$500 maximum spouse annuity limitation is removed. If an excess spouse refund was paid, it must be repaid with interest.

LEGISLATIVE CHANGES 1984 THROUGH 2008 (CONT'D)

- Service paid under Section 11-221 can be counted for ordinary disability purposes for periods of disability on or after August 22, 1997.
- Early Retirement Incentive was created for withdrawals from December 31, 1997, to June 30, 1998.
 - Requires a total of 20 years of service (with at least 10 in this fund, up to five in a Reciprocal fund, and up to five purchased under ERI) and age 55 or older.
 - Requires a total of 30 years of service (with at least 10 years of that service in this fund and without including any service purchased under the ERI provisions) and age 50 or older.
 - Requires an election form to be filed before June 1, 1998.
 - Requires a member to be a current contributor on November 1, 1997, and have not previously retired under this Article.
 - Provides for elimination of the age discount for employees age 55 to 60.
 - Provides for 80 percent maximum final average salary compared to the present 75 percent.
 - Provides for an optional purchase of up to five years of service credit for 4.25 percent of the November 1, 1997, salary.
 - Provides for a 24-month option to pay for ERI service.
 - Provides for a tax levy derived from ERI contributions.

1998 Session

HB 3515

- Approved August 14, 1998.
- Beginning January 1, 1999, the automatic increase for employee annuitants changed to 3 percent compounded for all past, current, and future annuitants regardless of the effective date of the annuity. Term annuities are not eligible for the increase.
- Employees withdrawing after January 1, 1999, will be eligible for the minimum formula upon attainment of age 60 if they have at least 10 years of service.
- Beginning January 1, 1999, employees already receiving an annuity as of August 14, 1998, will receive a minimum annuity of \$850 for life (reciprocal annuitants must have at least five years of Laborers' service). Any future employee annuitant withdrawing from service after August 14, 1998, after attainment of age 60 with 10 or more years of service would qualify for this minimum.

LEGISLATIVE CHANGES 1984 THROUGH 2008 (CONT'D)

- Beginning January 1, 1999, widow(er)s already receiving annuity as of August 14, 1998, will receive a minimum of \$800 for life (reciprocal annuitants must have at least five years of Laborers' service). For future spouses of retirees dying after August 14, 1998, 10 years of service is required. For spouses of employees dying in service after August 14, 1998, five years of service is required.
- The conditions of the reversionary option were changed as follows:
 - The nullification of reversionary payment due to employee dying was reduced to 365 days after written designation was filed with the board and now applies only to parents, children and siblings (not spouses).
 - Employees may reduce their monthly annuity by as much as \$400.
 - The increased annuity for spouse may now be as much as 100 percent of the reduced employee annuity.
- Spouses and widows that are eligible for the "50 percent employee amount" will no longer have this amount reduced for under age 55 if the employee dies on or after January 1, 1998, and withdrew from service on or after June 27, 1997, and the employee retired after age 55 with at least 25 years of service or after age 50 with at least 30 years of service. The age discount will only apply if the spouse is under age 50.
- The child of an annuitant who withdraws after January 1, 1998, having attained age 50 with at least 30 years of service is eligible for a child annuity upon the death of the annuitant.
- The required employer multiple has been set at 1.00 for 1999 and beyond.
- Money deposited under 5/11-169(f) may be used by the Fund for any of the purposes for which the proceeds of the tax levied by the City under this section may be used.
- The number of board members is changed from five to eight. The makeup of the board is two ex-officio members, three appointed persons, two employees and one annuitant.

HB 1612

- Qualified Illinois Domestic Relations Orders recognized effective July 1, 1999.

1999 Session

- No Change.

LEGISLATIVE CHANGES 1984 THROUGH 2008 (CONT'D)

2000 Session

HB 1583

- Approved July 6, 2000.
- An employee or widow whose annuity would amount to less than \$800 per month may elect to receive a refund in lieu of annuity. Formerly, only employees and widows whose annuity would be less than \$300 per month could choose a refund.
- The reversionary annuity tables have been extended down to age 50 from age 55 to comply with the change in the law allowing retirement at age 50 with 30 years of service.
- The Board is allowed to pay an annuity (if the person qualifies) directly to a Medicare approved, State certified nursing home or to a publicly owned and operated nursing home, hospital, or mental institution. Each person must qualify under the provisions of this amendment.
- Annuities of widows who remarry on or after the date 60 days after the effective date of this amendment would not be terminated upon remarriage.
- For annuities effective before January 1, 1998, all annuity payments will be made on the first day of the calendar month, for the entire month without proration.

2001 Session

EGTRRA

- On June 7, 2001, the Economic Growth and Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2001 was signed by President Bush.
- Beginning January 1, 2002, payments for eligible optional service credits may be made with funds rolled over from a 457 deferred compensation plan or a 403(b) tax deferred annuity plan (if allowed by the 457 or 403(b) plan).

2002 Session

SB 314

- Effective July 1, 2002.
- The accrual rate for the minimum formula annuity is changed from 2.20 percent to 2.40 percent of final average salary and the maximum annuity is changed from 75 percent to 80 percent of final average salary for employees withdrawing from service on or after January 1, 2002.

LEGISLATIVE CHANGES 1984 THROUGH 2008 (CONT'D)

- The 3.00 percent post-retirement automatic increase will now begin no later than three years after retirement for an eligible retiree (An eligible retiree is an employee annuitant, not a widow or widower annuitant, originally granted a lifetime annuity). For eligible retirees less than age 60 on the first anniversary of retirement, the 3.00 percent increase will begin at the earlier of age 60, and the latest of the following dates:
 - The third anniversary of retirement
 - The attainment of age 53; or
 - January 1, 2002

For eligible retirees age 60 or older on the first anniversary of retirement, the 3.00 percent increase will begin on the first anniversary of retirement.

HB 5168

- Effective June 28, 2002.
- For the eligible spouse of an employee who dies in service on or after August 28, 2002, with at least 10 years of service, the annuity is no less than 50 percent of the minimum formula annuity the employee would have been entitled to based on service and salary to the date of death without regard to age eligibility requirements. This is equal to 2.40 of final average salary for each year of service. The employee and the spouse must have been married for ten years.
- For children of employees who die in service on or after June 28, 2002, there is no service requirement for eligibility for children's annuity.
- The definition of "child" now includes any child adopted before employee withdraws from service and at least one year prior to the date any benefit for the child accrues. Previously the adoption also had to take place before the employee attained age 55.
- For ordinary disability benefits paid on or after January 1, 2001, the ordinary disability benefit is 50 percent of the employee's salary at the date of disability with the amounts ordinarily contributed by the employee for annuity purposes contributed by the Fund. These contributions are not refundable.
- The pension fund supplement for retiree health insurance was extended through June 30, 2003. For annuitants (other than child annuitants) taking the employer-provided plan, the supplement is \$75 per month if the annuitant is not eligible for Medicare and \$45 per month if the annuitant is eligible for Medicare.

2003 Session

SB 1701

- Effective July 1, 2003.

LEGISLATIVE CHANGES 1984 THROUGH 2008 (CONT'D)

- The healthcare benefits were increased to \$85 per month for non-Medicare eligible participants and \$55 per month for Medicare eligible participants for the period from July 1, 2003, through June 30, 2008. Thereafter, the benefits are increased from \$85 to \$95 and \$55 to \$65 for the period July 1, 2008, to June 30, 2013.
- The healthcare benefits referred to above are not and shall not be construed to be pension or retirement benefits for the purposes of Section 5 of Article XIII of the Illinois Constitution of 1970.

2004 Session

HB 600

- Effective January 16, 2004.
- Early Retirement Incentive was created for withdrawals from January 31, 2004, to February 29, 2004 (or to May 31, 2004, for those deemed critical employees).
 - Requires an election form to be filed before January 31, 2004.
 - Requires a member to be a current contributor who has not previously retired under this Article and satisfy one of the following:
 - Active as of October 15, 2003
 - Returned to active from approved leave of absence prior to December 15, 2003
 - Receiving ordinary or duty disability benefits as of October 15, 2003
 - Restored to service by January 31, 2004, after having been involuntarily laid off
 - Requires that employees that reenter service forfeit their right to receive benefits and will have their benefits recalculated at the time of retirement excluding the benefits provided under the ERI.
 - Requires that the participant is age 50 with 10 years of creditable service in this Fund and have 70 combined years of age and service, with service in one or more systems under the Reciprocal Act (excluding service purchased under the ERI).
 - Provides for elimination of the age discount for employees younger than age 60.
 - Provides for an optional purchase of up to five years of service credit for 4.25 percent of the monthly salary rate in effect October 15, 2003.
 - Provides for a 24-month option to pay for ERI service.
 - Provides for the exclusion of ERI contributions from the base from which the tax levy is derived.
 - Provides for the exclusion of the liabilities arising from the ERI for the purpose of determining if a contribution by the city is required.

LEGISLATIVE CHANGES 1984 THROUGH 2008 (CONT'D)

- Provides for a lump sum benefit option of 100 percent of salary at retirement and an actuarially reduced monthly annuity for those employees who were eligible for the maximum benefit (excluding purchased service under the ERI).
- Allows Board members to continue until the end of their terms without forfeiting the benefits provided by the early retirement incentive.
- Automatic increases in annuities will now take effect in the January of each year in which they are to be provided.
- An employee who previously withdrew contributions from the Fund, may have his rights under the Fund restored after repaying the withdrawn contributions with interest after completing the required amount of service after the date of refund. The required service is:
 - 90 days of service under this Fund or
 - Two years of service under any participating Fund under the Reciprocal Act.
- Employees may elect to have their optional contributions “picked-up” by the employer, to be treated as employer contributions for tax purposes. The employee election is irrevocable.
- For the eligible spouse of an employee who died in service on or after January 1, 2002, and before August 28, 2002, with at least 10 years of service, the annuity is no less than 50 percent of the minimum formula annuity the employee would have been entitled to based on service and salary to date of death without regard to age eligibility requirements. This minimum formula annuity is equal to 2.40 percent of final average salary for each year of service. The employee and spouse must have been married for ten years.

2005 Session

SB 23

- Approved June 27, 2005.
- Prohibits the investment or deposit from the retirement system or pension fund to certain entities doing business in or with the government of the Republic of the Sudan. Fund managing companies must certify that under Section 1-110.5 of the pension code that they have not loaned to, invested in, or otherwise transferred any of the pension fund assets to a forbidden entity.

SB 253

- Approved August 4, 2005.
- Provides that, to qualify as an “emerging investment manager”, the maximum value of an investment portfolio that a manager manages is \$2,000,000,000 (was \$400,000,000).

LEGISLATIVE CHANGES 1984 THROUGH 2008 (CONT'D)

SB 1446

- Approved August 22, 2005.
- Provides for various changes in provisions and procedures concerning Qualified Illinois Domestic Relations Orders. Allows for alternate payee's benefit to be based on a percentage of employee's benefit. Effective July 1, 2006.

2006 Session

- No Change.

2007 Session

HB 49

- Approved August 17, 2007.
- Provides that, beginning on the effective date, legally adopted children shall be entitled to the same benefits as other children, and no child's or survivor's benefit shall be disallowed because the child is an adopted child.

SB 1169

- Approved August 28, 2007.
- Provides that, in order for an Illinois finance entity to be eligible for investment or deposit of retirement system or pension fund assets, the Illinois finance entity must annually certify that it complies with the requirements of the High Risk Home Loan Act and the rules adopted pursuant to that Act that are applicable to that Illinois finance entity. Requires the retirement system or pension fund to divest its assets with the Illinois finance entity if the certification is not made. Provides that these certification requirements are severable.

2008 Session

- No Change.

EXHIBIT S

HISTORY OF RECOMMENDED EMPLOYER MULTIPLES AND TAXES LEVIED

Year of Report	Statutory Multiple	Normal Cost Plus Interest	Normal Cost Plus 30-Year Amortization ¹²	Normal Cost Plus 30-Year % of Salary Amortization ¹²	Tax Levy Year	Normal Cost		Total Tax Levy
						City	Park	
1984	1.37	1.58	2.04	1.30	1984	\$15,606,000	\$32,000	\$15,638,000
1985 ²	1.37	1.60	2.08	1.33	1985	15,618,000	29,000	15,647,000
1986 ¹	1.37	0.99	1.84	0.94	1986	15,373,000	25,000	15,398,000
1987 ¹	1.37	1.13	1.90	1.03	1987	15,260,000	21,000	15,281,000
1988	1.37	1.03	1.87	0.98	1988	15,380,000	20,000	15,400,000
1989 ^{1,2}	1.37	0.56	1.49	0.56	1989	15,442,000	14,000	15,456,000
1990 ^{1,2}	1.37	1.01	1.80	0.93	1990	15,261,000	12,000	15,273,000
1991	1.37	0.93	1.70	0.90	1991	16,382,000	10,000	16,392,000
1992 ²	1.37	0.80	1.75	0.80	1992	16,835,000	11,000	16,846,000
1993 ²	1.37	0.83	1.96	0.83	1993	18,036,000	11,000	18,047,000
1994 ^{1,2}	1.37	0.64	1.84	0.64	1994	17,069,000	12,000	17,081,000
1995 ²	1.37	0.75	1.87	0.75	1995	18,726,000	9,500	18,735,500
1996	1.37	0.66	1.75	0.66	1996	20,037,300	6,900	20,044,200
1997 ^{1,2,3,4}	1.37	N/A	N/A	N/A	1997	19,645,400	4,300	19,649,700
1998 ^{1,2,4}	1.37	N/A	N/A	N/A	1998	19,757,000	4,600	19,761,600
1999 ^{1,4,5}	1.00	N/A	N/A	N/A	1999	14,676,000	1,898	14,677,898
2000 ⁴	1.00	N/A	N/A	N/A	2000 ⁶	0	0	0
2001 ⁴	1.00	N/A	N/A	N/A	2001 ⁷	0	0	0
2002 ^{2,4}	1.00	N/A	N/A	N/A	2002 ⁸	0	0	0
2003 ²	1.00	0.44	0.43	0.53	2003 ⁹	0	0	0
2004 ^{1,2}	1.00	0.67	0.67	0.63	2004 ¹⁰	0	0	0
2005 ¹	1.00	1.18	1.23	0.63	2005 ¹¹	0	0	0
2006	1.00	1.54	1.64	1.30	2006 ¹³	0	0	0
2007	1.00	1.12	1.19	0.99	2007	15,460,000	0	15,460,000
2008	1.00	1.98	2.12	1.60	2008	17,891,000	0	17,891,000

¹ Change in actuarial assumptions

² Change in benefits

³ Change in asset valuation method to GASB

⁴ No contribution is required under these valuation methods

⁵ Change in actuary

⁶ Tax levy based on the statutory multiple would be \$16,726,700, of which \$100 is for Park

⁷ Tax levy based on the statutory multiple would be \$16,504,660

⁸ Tax levy based on the statutory multiple would be \$16,892,000

⁹ Tax levy based on the statutory multiple would be \$19,430,000

¹⁰ Tax levy based on the statutory multiple would be \$19,570,600

¹¹ Tax levy based on the statutory multiple would be \$18,970,900

¹² 40-year amortization for years prior to 2006; 30-year amortization for 2006 and after

¹³ Tax levy based on the statutory multiple would be \$17,193,400

EXHIBIT T
ANNUAL REQUIRED CONTRIBUTIONS OF EMPLOYER
AND TREND INFORMATION

Year	Annual Required Contribution (ARC) of the Employer¹	Required Statutory Basis²	Actual³	Percent of ARC Contributed
1999	\$ -	\$ 14,089,822	\$ 14,406,579	N/A
2000 ⁴	-	16,057,536	683,352	N/A
2001 ⁴	-	15,844,464	659,946	N/A
2002 ⁴	-	16,216,320	82,865	N/A
2003 ⁴	-	18,652,733	366,920	N/A
2004 ⁴	8,513,018	18,787,778	202,684	2.38%
2005 ⁴	12,774,103	18,212,098	40,435	0.32%
2006 ⁴	21,142,739	16,505,724	106,270	0.50%
2007	25,293,490	14,840,698	15,458,982	61.12%
2008	21,216,989	17,175,360	17,580,428	82.86%

¹ Under Normal Cost plus Level-Dollar Amortization. Amortization period of 30 years beginning in 2007 and 40 years prior to 2007. Negative ARC values are set to zero, as no contribution is then required.

² Tax levy after 4.00 percent overall loss.

³ Net tax levy plus miscellaneous. Includes prior year adjustments for taxes beginning in 1991.

⁴ The City of Chicago did not levy a tax for the Fund this year.

Year	Assets Available for Benefits as a % of Actuarial Accrued Liability	Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (Surplus) as a % of Covered Payroll End of Year	Employer Contribution as a % of Covered Payroll
1999	129.09%	(216.57)%	8.44%
2000	133.90%	(237.80)%	0.39%
2001	125.24%	(167.58)%	0.36%
2002	111.32%	(84.12)%	0.04%
2003	103.15%	(24.91)%	0.18%
2004	98.53%	14.38 %	0.10%
2005	93.88%	58.37 %	0.02%
2006	91.98%	75.15 %	0.06%
2007	95.03%	47.70 %	8.02%
2008	86.77%	119.48 %	8.11%

Actuarial accrued liabilities and contributions include pension and OPEB.

EXHIBIT W
HISTORY OF RETIREES AND BENEFICIARIES
ADDED TO PAYROLLS

Year	Added to Payroll		Removed from Payroll		Payroll End of Year		Average Annual Benefit	Increase in Average Benefit
	No.	Ann. Benefits ¹	No.	Ann. Benefits	No.	Ann. Benefits		
Employee Annuitants (Male and Female)								
1999	44	\$ 1,850,687	165	\$ 2,650,429	2,687	\$ 56,848,916	\$ 21,157	3.05%
2000	56	1,932,680	174	2,592,545	2,569	56,189,051	21,872	3.38%
2001	53	1,278,686	141	1,023,883	2,481	56,443,854	22,750	4.01%
2002	152	6,390,266	172	3,568,213	2,461	59,265,907	24,082	5.85%
2003	150	6,731,957	139	2,773,616	2,472	63,224,248	25,576	6.20%
2004 ²	525	23,029,473	161	3,507,001	2,836	82,746,720	29,177	14.08%
2005	55	3,997,885	154	3,287,338	2,737	83,457,267	30,492	4.51%
2006	79	4,971,772	133	3,475,111	2,683	84,953,928	31,664	3.84%
2007	95	6,301,188	134	3,363,972	2,644	87,891,144	33,242	4.98%
2008	120	7,756,776	118	2,939,436	2,646	92,708,484	35,037	5.40%
Surviving Spouse Annuitants								
1999	85	\$ 875,659	102	\$ 936,528	1,397	\$ 13,817,326	\$ 9,891	0.77%
2000	83	908,129	74	729,344	1,406	13,996,111	9,955	0.64%
2001	74	841,721	75	721,476	1,405	14,116,356	10,047	0.92%
2002	101	1,329,509	84	832,813	1,422	14,613,052	10,276	2.28%
2003	59	807,971	86	847,204	1,395	14,573,819	10,447	1.67%
2004	68	1,030,666	84	849,453	1,379	14,755,032	10,700	2.42%
2005 ³	84	1,108,608	96	950,157	1,367	14,913,483	10,910	1.96%
2006 ³	69	1,052,875	101	962,926	1,335	15,003,432	11,239	3.01%
2007 ³	68	1,007,856	87	846,660	1,316	15,164,628	11,523	2.53%
2008 ³	64	972,408	82	855,072	1,298	15,281,964	11,773	2.17%

¹ Annual benefits added to payroll include post-retirement increase amounts.

² Early retirement incentive offered to employees.

³ Includes one Reversionary Annuitant.

GASB EXHIBITS

EXHIBIT A-1

GASB #25, #27, #43, AND #45 DISCLOSURES

GASB: Financial Accounting Information

In an effort to enhance the understandability and usefulness of the pension information that is included in the financial reports of pension plans for state and local governments, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) has issued Statement No. 25 – Financial Reporting for Defined Benefit Pension Plans and Statement No. 27 – Accounting for Pensions by State and Local Governmental Employers. Under GASB #25 and #27, systems select one actuarial method from several acceptable alternatives, and report all information on this one basis. GASB has issued Statement No. 43 – Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefit Plans Other Than Pension Plans and Statement No. 45 – Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions. GASB #43 and #45 pertain to postretirement benefits other than pensions and are similar to GASB #25 and #27.

This report includes the following exhibits with information required to be reported under GASB #25, #27, #43 and #45.

Exhibit A-2: Schedule of Funding Progress for GASB #25

This exhibit shows a history of funding progress under GASB. The funding progress is a comparison of Actuarial Value of Assets with the Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL), and a comparison of the unfunded AAL (UAAL) with payroll.

Exhibit A-3: Schedule of Employer Contributions for GASB #25

This exhibit shows the Annual Required Contribution (ARC) as computed under GASB #25.

Exhibit A-4: Supplementary Information for GASB #25

This exhibit has certain information required in the notes to the Plan financial reports.

Exhibit A-5: History of Annual Pension Cost and Contributions Made for GASB #27 from 1997

This exhibit shows the components of annual pension cost (ARC, interest on the Net Pension Obligation (NPO), and the adjustment to the ARC), increase or decrease in the NPO, and the NPO at the end of the year for years 1997-2008. The exhibit also includes the dollar amount of City contributions made.

EXHIBIT A-1

GASB #25, #27, #43, AND #45 DISCLOSURES (CONT'D)

Exhibit A-6: Pension Cost Summary for GASB #27

This exhibit shows a six-year summary of annual pension cost, percentage of annual pension cost contributed that year and NPO at the end of the year.

Exhibit A-7: Development of Net Pension Obligation (NPO) at January 1, 1997

This exhibit documents the calculation of the pension liability at transition in accordance with GASB #27.

Exhibit A-8: Supplementary Information for GASB #27

This exhibit has certain information required in the notes to the City financial reports.

Exhibit A-9: Schedule of Funding Progress for GASB #43

This exhibit shows a history of funding progress under GASB #43. The funding progress is a comparison of Actuarial Value of Assets with the Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL), and a comparison of the unfunded AAL (UAAL) with payroll.

Exhibit A-10: Schedule of Employer Contributions for GASB #43

This exhibit shows the Annual Required Contribution (ARC) as computed under GASB #43.

Exhibit A-11: History of Annual OPEB Cost and Contributions Made for GASB #45 from 2007

This exhibit shows the components of annual OPEB cost (ARC, interest on the Net OPEB Obligation (NOO), and the adjustment to the ARC), increase or decrease in the NOO, and the NOO at the end of the year for year 2008. The exhibit also includes the dollar amount of City contributions made to pay current year health insurance supplement benefits.

Exhibit A-12: OPEB Cost Summary for GASB #45

This exhibit shows a summary of annual OPEB cost, percentage of annual OPEB cost contributed that year, and NOO at the end of the year.

Exhibit A-13: Supplementary Information for GASB #43 and #45

This exhibit has certain information required in the notes to the Plan and City financial reports.

EXHIBIT A-2

**LABORERS' AND RETIREMENT BOARD EMPLOYEES'
ANNUITY AND BENEFIT FUND OF CHICAGO**

SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS FOR GASB #25

Actuarial Valuation Date	Actuarial Value of Assets (a)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) Entry Age (b)	Unfunded AAL (UAAL) (b - a)	Funded Ratio (a/b)	Covered Payroll (c)	UAAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll [(b - a) / c]
1999	\$ 1,690,749,716	\$ 1,309,772,341	\$ (380,977,375)	129.09 %	\$ 175,914,112	(216.57)%
2000	1,737,971,109	1,297,913,880	(440,057,229)	133.90 %	185,051,048	(237.80)%
2001	1,756,080,291	1,402,138,620	(353,941,671)	125.24 %	211,203,088	(167.58)%
2002	1,715,073,438	1,540,604,761	(174,468,677)	111.32 %	207,403,973	(84.12)%
2003	1,679,796,167	1,628,563,033	(51,233,134)	103.15 %	205,691,917	(24.91)%
2004	1,649,959,130	1,674,614,651	24,655,521	98.53 %	171,476,937	14.38 %
2005 ¹	1,635,595,437	1,742,300,488	106,705,051	93.88 %	182,809,397	58.37 %
2006 ²	1,664,058,080	1,767,682,490	103,624,410	94.14 %	193,176,272	53.64 %
2007	1,757,710,948	1,808,295,354	50,584,406	97.20 %	192,847,482	26.23 %
2008	1,698,427,008	1,915,324,017	216,897,009	88.68 %	216,744,211	100.07 %

¹ OPEB liabilities are discounted at a rate of 4.50 percent beginning in 2005.

² OPEB liabilities excluded beginning in 2006.

EXHIBIT A-3

LABORERS' AND RETIREMENT BOARD EMPLOYEES' ANNUITY AND BENEFIT FUND OF CHICAGO

SCHEDULE OF EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS FOR GASB #25

	2008 ³	2007 ³	2006 ³	2005	2004	2003
1. Contribution Multiplier	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
2. Payroll (beginning of year)	\$192,847,482	\$193,176,272	\$182,809,397	\$171,476,937	\$205,691,917	\$207,403,973
3. City of Chicago Contribution, Net of Reserve for Loss in Tax Collection	15,232,804	13,256,147	106,270	40,435	202,684	366,920
4. City of Chicago Contribution as a Percent of Covered Payroll	7.90%	6.86%	0.06%	0.02%	0.10%	0.18%
5. Employee Contributions	19,418,435	18,413,407	18,791,442	16,256,802	22,591,435	19,798,759
6. Employee Contributions as a Percent of Covered Payroll	10.07%	9.53%	10.28%	9.48%	10.98%	9.55%
7. Current Year Normal Cost	28,904,557	28,484,278	27,115,824	24,764,145	29,456,126	29,478,171
8. Normal Cost as a Percent of Covered Payroll	14.99%	14.75%	14.83%	14.44%	14.32%	14.21%
9. Level Dollar Amortization of the Unfunded Liability ¹	4,160,447	8,522,861	5,060,805	1,914,459	(3,978,166)	(13,547,196)
10. Level Dollar Amortization as a Percent of Covered Payroll ¹	2.16%	4.41%	2.77%	1.12%	(1.93)%	(6.53)%
11. Interest Adjustment for Semi-Monthly Payment	1,343,817	1,504,032	1,307,712	995,379	950,583	594,385
12. Actuarially Determined Contribution (ADC) ² (NC + level dollar amort. + interest adjustment)	34,408,821	38,511,172	33,484,341	27,673,983	26,428,543	16,525,360
13. ADC as a Percent of Covered Payroll	17.83%	19.93%	18.31%	16.14%	12.85%	7.97%
14. Annual Required Contribution (ARC) ² (ADC - estimated employee contributions)	17,652,023	21,725,805	17,599,766	12,774,103	8,513,018	-
15. ARC as a Percent of Covered Payroll	9.15%	11.25%	9.63%	7.45%	4.14%	0.00%

¹Amortization period of 30 years beginning in 2007 and 40 years prior to 2007.

²ADC and ARC amounts cannot be less than zero.

³ARC excludes amounts attributable to health insurance supplement beginning in 2006.

In the year 2008, City contributions and miscellaneous income to fund pension benefits totaled \$15,232,804 or 7.90 percent of beginning of year payroll. In addition, employee contributions were \$19,418,435 or 10.07 percent of beginning of year payroll. The Annual Required Contribution (ARC) was equal to \$17,652,023; therefore, there was a deficit of contributions and miscellaneous income of \$2,419,219 or 1.25 percent of beginning of year payroll.

EXHIBIT A-4
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR
GASB #25

The information presented in this required supplementary schedule was determined as part of the actuarial valuations at the dates indicated. Additional information for the latest actuarial valuation is as follows:

Valuation Date	December 31, 2008
Actuarial Cost Method	Entry Age Normal
Actuarial Value of Assets	5-year smoothed market
Amortization Method	Level dollar; Open
Remaining Amortization Period	30 years
Actuarial Assumptions:	
Pension Investment Rate of Return ¹	8.0%
Projected Base Salary Increases ¹	4.5% per year
¹ Includes Inflation at:	3.0% per year
Post Retirement Benefit Increases	3.0% per year beginning at the earlier of 1) the later of the 1st of January of the year after retirement and age 60 2) the later of the 1st of January of the year after the second anniversary of retirement retirement and age 53

Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL)

	<u>December 31, 2007</u> ²	<u>December 31, 2008</u> ²
Payable to Retirees and Beneficiaries	\$ 1,050,540,048	\$ 1,105,389,696
Current Employees:		
Accumulated Employee Contributions		
Including Statutory Interest	247,854,869	254,588,537
Payable to Vested and Non-Vested Employees (not split)	<u>509,900,437</u>	<u>555,345,784</u>
Total Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$ 1,808,295,354	\$ 1,915,324,017
Net Plan Actuarial Assets	<u>1,757,710,948</u>	<u>1,698,427,008</u>
Unfunded AAL (assets in excess of AAL)	\$ 50,584,406	\$ 216,897,009
Percent Funded	97.20 %	88.68 %
Unfunded AAL as Percent of Payroll	26.23 %	100.07 %
Payroll	\$ 192,847,482	\$ 216,744,211

² Excludes liability for health insurance supplement.

EXHIBIT A-5
HISTORY OF ANNUAL PENSION COST AND CONTRIBUTIONS
MADE FOR GASB #27 FROM 1997

Year Ending December 31:	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Contribution Rates						
Plan Members:	8.5%	8.5%	8.5%	8.5%	8.5%	8.5%
City: Proceeds from a tax levy not more than an amount equal to the total amount of contributions by the employees to the Fund made in the calendar year two years prior to the year for which the annual applicable tax is levied, multiplied by: ¹	100	100	100	100	100	100
Annual Pension Cost						
Annual Required Contribution (ARC)	\$ -	\$ 8,513,018	\$ 12,774,103	\$ 21,142,739	\$ 21,725,805	\$ 17,652,023
Interest on NPO	(21,669,708)	(22,230,417)	(21,617,869)	(20,650,015)	(19,015,660)	(18,295,347)
Adjustment to ARC	<u>15,027,772</u>	<u>21,576,925</u>	<u>20,982,384</u>	<u>20,042,981</u>	<u>19,549,910</u>	<u>18,809,360</u>
Annual Pension Cost	\$ (6,641,936)	\$ 7,859,526	\$ 12,138,618	\$ 20,535,705	\$ 22,260,055	\$ 18,166,036
Employer Contributions ²	\$ 366,920 ³	\$ 202,684 ³	\$ 40,435 ³	\$ 106,270 ³	\$ 13,256,147	\$ 15,232,804
Net Pension Obligations (NPO)						
NPO at Beginning of Year	\$ (270,871,353)	\$ (277,880,209)	\$ (270,223,367)	\$ (258,125,184)	\$ (237,695,749)	\$ (228,691,841)
Increase/(Decrease) in NPO	<u>(7,008,856)</u>	<u>7,656,842</u>	<u>12,098,183</u>	<u>20,429,435</u>	<u>9,003,908</u>	<u>2,933,232</u>
NPO at End of Year	\$ (277,880,209)	\$ (270,223,367)	\$ (258,125,184)	\$ (237,695,749)	\$ (228,691,841)	\$ (225,758,609)

¹ The proceeds from the tax levy less health insurance supplement benefit payments are contributed to fund the pension benefits beginning in 2007.

² Provided by prior actuary for years before 1999.

³ The City of Chicago did not levy a tax for Laborers' this year. These amounts include miscellaneous income and changes in reserves for tax loss and collections for taxes more than five years old.

EXHIBIT A-5 (CONT'D)
HISTORY OF ANNUAL PENSION COST AND CONTRIBUTIONS
MADE FOR GASB #27 FROM 1997

Year Ending December 31:	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Contribution Rates						
Plan Members:	8.5%	8.5%	8.5%	8.5%	8.5%	8.5%
City: Proceeds from a tax levy not more than an amount equal to the total amount of contributions by the employees to the Fund made in the calendar year two years prior to the year for which the annual applicable tax is levied, multiplied by: ¹	1.37	1.37	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Annual Pension Cost						
Annual Required Contribution (ARC)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Interest on NPO	(10,936,776)	(13,500,288)	(15,344,702)	(17,724,805)	(19,010,060)	(20,424,891)
Adjustment to ARC	<u>10,936,776</u>	<u>13,500,288</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,342,460</u>	<u>1,984,628</u>	<u>4,947,535</u>
Annual Pension Cost	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (15,344,702)	\$ (15,382,345)	\$ (17,025,432)	\$ (15,477,356)
Employer Contributions ²	\$ 32,043,902	\$ 23,055,176	\$ 14,406,579	\$ 683,352 ³	\$ 659,946 ³	\$ 82,865 ³
Net Pension Obligations (NPO)						
NPO at Beginning of Year	\$ (136,709,698)	\$ (168,753,600)	\$ (191,808,776)	\$ (221,560,057)	\$ (237,625,754)	\$ (255,311,132)
Increase/(Decrease) in NPO	<u>(32,043,902)</u>	<u>(23,055,176)</u>	<u>(29,751,281)</u>	<u>(16,065,697)</u>	<u>(17,685,378)</u>	<u>(15,560,221)</u>
NPO at End of Year	\$ (168,753,600)	\$ (191,808,776)	\$ (221,560,057)	\$ (237,625,754)	\$ (255,311,132)	\$ (270,871,353)

¹ The proceeds from the tax levy less health insurance supplement benefit payments are contributed to fund the pension benefits beginning in 2007.

² Provided by prior actuary for years before 1999.

³ The City of Chicago did not levy a tax for Laborers' this year. These amounts include miscellaneous income and changes in reserves for tax loss and collections for taxes more than five years old.

EXHIBIT A-6
PENSION COST SUMMARY FOR GASB #27

Year Ended December 31	Annual Pension Cost	% of Annual Pension Cost Contributed	Net Pension Obligation
2003	\$ (6,641,936)	N/A	\$ (277,880,209)
2004	7,859,526	2.58%	(270,223,367)
2005	12,138,618	0.33%	(258,125,184)
2006	20,535,705	0.52%	(237,695,749)
2007	22,260,055	59.55%	(228,691,841)
2008	18,166,036	83.85%	(225,758,609)

EXHIBIT A-7
DEVELOPMENT OF NET PENSION OBLIGATION (NPO) AT JANUARY 1, 1997

Year Ending December 31:	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Assumptions and Method										
Interest Rate	7.5%	7.5%	7.5%	8.0%	8.0%	8.0%	8.0%	8.0%	8.0%	8.0%
Amortization Period (years)	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40
Cost Method	EAN	EAN	EAN	EAN	EAN	EAN	EAN	EAN	EAN	EAN
Annual Pension Cost										
Actuarially Determined Contribution (ADC)										
Normal Cost	\$ 18,826,921	\$ 20,008,465	\$ 19,803,585	\$ 17,819,965	\$ 20,777,427	\$ 21,637,649	\$ 20,261,167	\$ 21,316,661	\$ 20,451,183	\$ 21,340,898
40 Year Amortization	(693,500)	935,719	(151,802)	(3,030,467)	868,508	(925,113)	(5,449,447)	(7,246,462)	(7,571,950)	(13,950,958)
Total ADC	\$ 18,133,421	\$ 20,944,184	\$ 19,651,783	\$ 14,789,498	\$ 21,645,935	\$ 20,712,536	\$ 14,811,720	\$ 14,070,199	\$ 12,879,233	\$ 7,389,940
Interest on NPO	-	(628,987)	(1,146,199)	(1,796,270)	(2,998,697)	(3,639,511)	(4,348,031)	(5,806,534)	(7,176,840)	(8,775,457)
Adjustment to ADC	-	642,102	1,155,863	1,811,417	3,023,982	3,670,199	4,384,694	5,855,495	7,237,356	8,849,453
Annual Pension Cost	\$ 18,133,421	\$ 20,957,299	\$ 19,661,447	\$ 14,804,645	\$ 21,671,220	\$ 20,743,224	\$ 14,848,383	\$ 14,119,160	\$ 12,939,749	\$ 7,463,936
Contributions for Year										
Employer Contributions	\$ 14,745,709	\$ 15,157,663	\$ 15,257,738	\$ 17,029,493	\$ 15,989,678	\$ 16,574,721	\$ 17,734,532	\$ 16,954,732	\$ 18,311,622	\$ 19,623,717
Employee Contributions	11,774,209	11,740,621	12,529,606	12,805,486	13,691,711	13,025,003	15,345,146	14,293,250	14,610,842	14,856,703
Total Contributions	\$ 26,519,918	\$ 26,898,284	\$ 27,787,344	\$ 29,834,979	\$ 29,681,389	\$ 29,599,724	\$ 33,079,678	\$ 31,247,982	\$ 32,922,464	\$ 34,480,420
Net Pension Obligations (NPO)										
NPO at Beginning of Year	\$ -	\$ (8,386,497)	\$ (14,327,482)	\$ (22,453,379)	\$ (37,483,713)	\$ (45,493,882)	\$ (54,350,382)	\$ (72,581,677)	\$ (89,710,499)	\$ (109,693,214)
Annual Pension Cost	18,133,421	20,957,299	19,661,447	14,804,645	21,671,220	20,743,224	14,848,383	14,119,160	12,939,749	7,463,936
Total Contributions	(26,519,918)	(26,898,284)	(27,787,344)	(29,834,979)	(29,681,389)	(29,599,724)	(33,079,678)	(31,247,982)	(32,922,464)	(34,480,420)
NPO at End of Year	\$ (8,386,497)	\$ (14,327,482)	\$ (22,453,379)	\$ (37,483,713)	\$ (45,493,882)	\$ (54,350,382)	\$ (72,581,677)	\$ (89,710,499)	\$ (109,693,214)	\$ (136,709,698)

EXHIBIT A-8
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR
GASB #27

Valuation Date	December 31, 2008
Actuarial Cost Method	Entry Age Normal
Actuarial Value of Assets	5-year smoothed market
Amortization Method	Level dollar; Open
Remaining Amortization Period	30 years
Actuarial Assumptions:	
Pension Investment Rate of Return ¹	8.0%
Projected Base Salary Increases ¹	4.5% per year
¹ Includes Inflation at:	3.0% per year
Post Retirement Benefit Increases	3.0% per year beginning at the earlier of
	1) the later of the 1st of January of the year
	after retirement and age 60
	2) the later of the 1st of January of the year
	after the second anniversary of retirement
	retirement and age 53

Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL)

	<u>December 31, 2007²</u>	<u>December 31, 2008²</u>
Payable to Retirees and Beneficiaries	\$ 1,050,540,048	\$ 1,105,389,696
Current Employees:		
Accumulated Employee Contributions		
Including Statutory Interest	247,854,869	254,588,537
Payable to Vested and Non-Vested		
Employees (not split)	<u>509,900,437</u>	<u>555,345,784</u>
Total Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$ 1,808,295,354	\$ 1,915,324,017
Net Plan Actuarial Assets	<u>1,757,710,948</u>	<u>1,698,427,008</u>
Unfunded AAL (assets in excess of AAL)	\$ 50,584,406	\$ 216,897,009
Percent Funded	97.20 %	88.68 %
Unfunded AAL as Percent of Payroll	26.23 %	100.07 %
Payroll	\$ 192,847,482	\$ 216,744,211

² Excludes liability for health insurance supplement.

EXHIBIT A-9
SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS FOR GASB #43

Actuarial Valuation Date	Actuarial Value of Assets (a)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) Entry Age (b)	Unfunded AAL (UAAL) (b - a)	Funded Ratio (a/b)	Covered Payroll (c)	UAAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll [(b - a) / c]
2006	\$ -	\$ 41,553,653	\$ 41,553,653	0.00%	\$ 193,176,272	21.51%
2007	-	41,411,164	41,411,164	0.00%	192,847,482	21.47%
2008	-	42,063,816	42,063,816	0.00%	216,744,211	19.41%

EXHIBIT A-10
SCHEDULE OF EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS FOR GASB #43

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>
1. Payroll (beginning of year)	\$192,847,482	\$193,176,272	\$182,809,397
2. Current Year Normal Cost	1,051,630	1,045,917	1,023,208
3. Normal Cost as a Percent of Covered Payroll	0.55%	0.54%	0.56%
4. 30-Year Level Dollar Amortization of the Unfunded Liability	2,432,818	2,441,189	2,439,744
5. 30-Year Level Dollar Amortization as a Percent of Covered Payroll	1.26%	1.26%	1.33%
6. Interest Adjustment for Semi-Monthly Payment	80,518	80,579	80,021
7. Actuarially Determined Contribution (ADC) (NC + 30-year level dollar + interest adjustment)	3,564,966	3,567,685	3,542,974
8. ADC as a Percent of Covered Payroll	1.85%	1.85%	1.94%
9. Annual Required Contribution (ARC) (ADC - estimated employee contributions)	3,564,966	3,567,685	3,542,974
10. ARC as a Percent of Covered Payroll	1.85%	1.85%	1.94%
11. City of Chicago Contribution	2,347,624	2,202,835	0 ¹
12. City of Chicago Contribution as a Percent of Covered Payroll	1.22%	1.14%	0.00%
13. Percentage of ARC Contributed	65.85%	61.74%	0.00%

¹ The City of Chicago did not make a contribution for Laborers' for 2006. The health insurance supplement benefits were financed by Plan investment income.

EXHIBIT A-11
HISTORY OF ANNUAL OPEB COST AND CONTRIBUTIONS
MADE FOR GASB #45 FROM 2007

Year Ending December 31:	2008	2007
Annual OPEB Cost		
Annual Required Contribution (ARC)	\$ 3,564,966	\$ 3,567,685
Interest on NOO	61,418	-
Adjustment to ARC	<u>(80,182)</u>	<u>-</u>
Annual OPEB Cost	\$ 3,546,202	\$ 3,567,685
Employer Contributions	\$ 2,347,624	\$ 2,202,835
Net OPEB Obligations (NOO)		
NOO at Beginning of Year	\$ 1,364,850	\$ -
Increase/(Decrease) in NOO	<u>1,198,578</u>	<u>1,364,850</u>
NOO at End of Year	\$ 2,563,428	\$ 1,364,850

EXHIBIT A-12
OPEB COST SUMMARY FOR GASB #45

Year Ended December 31	Annual OPEB Cost	% of Annual OPEB Cost Contributed	Net OPEB Obligation
2007	\$ 3,567,685	61.74%	\$ 1,364,850
2008	3,546,202	66.20%	2,563,428

EXHIBIT A-13
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR
GASB #43 AND #45

Valuation Date	December 31, 2008
Actuarial Cost Method	Entry Age Normal
Actuarial Value of Assets	No Assets (Pay-as-you-go)
Amortization Method	Level dollar; Open
Remaining Amortization Period	30 years
Actuarial Assumptions:	
OPEB Investment Rate of Return ¹	4.5%
Projected Base Salary Increases ¹	4.5% per year
¹ Includes Inflation at:	3.0% per year
Healthcare Cost Trend Rate	0% ²

Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL)

	<u>December 31, 2007</u> ³	<u>December 31, 2008</u> ³
Payable to Retirees and Beneficiaries	\$ 24,039,959	\$ 24,530,475
Current Employees:		
Accumulated Employee Contributions		
Including Statutory Interest	-	-
Payable to Vested and Non-Vested Employees (not split)	17,371,205	17,533,341
Total Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$ 41,411,164	\$ 42,063,816
Net Plan Actuarial Assets	-	-
Unfunded AAL (assets in excess of AAL)	\$ 41,411,164	\$ 42,063,816
Percent Funded	0.00 %	0.00 %
Unfunded AAL as Percent of Payroll	21.47 %	19.41 %
Payroll	\$ 192,847,482	\$ 216,744,211

² Trend not applicable - Fixed dollar subsidy.

³ Actuarial Accrued Liability for OPEB at Valuation Date.