

# COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018 

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May 24, 2019
Board of Retirement
6 S. El Dorado Street, Suite 400
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To SJCERA's Trustees, Members and Beneficiaries, Plan Sponsor and Participating Employers:

I am pleased to present to you the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) for the year ended December 31, 2018.
 This report provides a detailed overview of the SJCERA Plan and the fund's financial, actuarial and investment-related activities for the year. All data and information presented is accurate and reliable, conforms to generally accepted accounting principles, and is free of material misstatements. This Letter of Transmittal is a narrative introduction to the CAFR; I encourage you to read it in conjunction with the Management's Discussion and Analysis included in the Financial Section.

## SJCERA AND ITS SERVICES

SJCERA is a public retirement system established by the San Joaquin County Board of Supervisors effective June 28, 1946. SJCERA provides retirement, disability and survivors' benefits to eligible General and Safety members employed by the County of San Joaquin and nine other public agencies:

- Lathrop-Manteca Rural Fire Protection District
- Mountain House Community Services District
- San Joaquin County Historical Society and Museum
- San Joaquin County Law Library
- San Joaquin County Mosquito and Vector Control District
- San Joaquin County Superior Court
- San Joaquin Local Agency Formation Commission
- Tracy Public Cemetery District
- Waterloo-Morada Rural Fire Protection District

SJCERA's nine-member Board of Retirement has exclusive control and fiduciary responsibility for administering the benefits and managing the investment of plan assets. The Board oversees the Chief Executive Officer and staff in the performance of their duties in accordance with the County Employees' Retirement Law (CERL) and the Public Employees' Pension Reform Act of 2013 (PEPRA) as adopted by the Board of Supervisors and Board of Retirement, and the bylaws, policies, and procedures adopted by the Board.

The Board of Retirement includes four trustees appointed by the San Joaquin County Board of Supervisors, the San Joaquin County Treasurer-Tax Collector, four trustees elected by SJCERA members, and one alternate retired member.

## INTRODUCTION

## LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL

## FINANCIAL INFORMATION

SJCERA management is responsible for the accuracy, completeness, and fair presentation of the information in this report, as well as for establishing and maintaining internal controls that ensure SJCERA's financial reporting is accurate and reliable and that SJCERA's assets are protected from loss, theft or misuse. Internal controls are designed to provide reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that these objectives are met. Reasonable assurance recognizes the cost of a control relative to the benefits likely to be derived and that these judgments by management are based on estimates.

Brown Armstrong Accountancy Corporation, a certified public accounting firm, has audited SJCERA's financial statements and related disclosures, which are prepared by management, and attests they are presented in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) in the United States of America as promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) and are free from material misstatement. Internal controls are sufficient to provide reasonable assurance regarding the safekeeping of assets and fair presentation of the financial statements and supporting schedules. The accompanying basic financial statements and transactions of the organization are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

## INVESTMENTS

SJCERA's strategic asset allocation is designed to ensure diversification among asset classes and achieve SJCERA's long-term objectives. For the year ended December 31, 2018, the portfolio lost 2.11 percent net of fees, which was below SJCERA's assumed rate of return of 7.25 percent. As of December 31, 2018, SJCERA's annualized three-year net return was 5.2 percent, the five-year annualized net return was 3.6 percent, and the 10 -year annualized net return was 6.3 percent. Plan assets totaled $\$ 2.8$ billion as of December 31, 2018. More information about SJCERA's investments is included in the Investment Section.

## FUNDING

SJCERA engages a professional pension actuary to perform an annual actuarial valuation and Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) 67/68 Report. The GASB 67/68 Report indicates that during 2018, SJCERA's total pension liability increased from $\$ 4.5$ billion to $\$ 4.7$ billion, the market value of assets decreased from $\$ 2.9$ billion to $\$ 2.8$ billion, and the net pension liability increased from $\$ 1.7$ billion to $\$ 1.9$ billion.

The actuarial valuation determines the progress made in accumulating sufficient assets to pay benefits when due. The January 1, 2019 valuation, which reflects the Plan's progress in 2018, will be available in August 2019, after the publication of this report. As a result, the detailed discussion of funding provided in the Actuarial Section of this report is based on the January 1, 2018 valuation, which reflects SJCERA's progress in 2017.

## MAJOR INITIATIVES

In July 2018, SJCERA published its first Investment Fee Transparency Report in accordance with California Government Code Section 7514.7. In that same spirit of transparency, following are highlights of SJCERA's 2018 initiatives.

Strengthen Fund Stability. In 2018, SJCERA lowered the assumed rate of return from 7.4 percent to 7.25 percent. The decreased return assumption better reflects SJCERA's expectations for future returns. SJCERA's diversified portfolio protected the fund during the turbulent markets in late 2018. Although the 2018 return of -2.11 percent is appreciably lower than our 7.25 percent target, the portfolio returned top quartile performance compared to public funds over \$1 billion nationwide and outperformed the traditional 60 percent stock, 40 percent bond portfolio, which earned -5.3 percent.

For the year 2018, two employers made additional contributions to reduce their portion of the unfunded liability: San Joaquin County (which began paying additional voluntary contributions in 2017), and the Mosquito and Vector Control District.

Prudently Use Resources. SJCERA continues its focus on reducing investment fees by renegotiating with existing managers and improving strategies to use when negotiating with new managers. This year's efforts resulted in a projected total costavoidance of $\$ 580,000$ in investment fees annually. Additionally, SJCERA renegotiated a cost-effective lease resulting in a savings of $\$ 72,600$ over the course of the first year.

Deliver Excellent Service and Support. SJCERA received high marks from our members: 95 percent of survey respondents were satisfied with our service. In addition, retirees received timely and reoccurring communication including payroll inserts and monthly earnings statement messages. SJCERA implemented online completion of forms on our website, adding convenience for members and improving legibility for SJCERA processing.

Improve Efficiency. In August, SJCERA began a project to enhance the efficiency and effectiveness of our pension administration system. Additionally, staff implemented a streamlined retirement process which improved efficiency and accuracy.

## ACHIEVEMENTS IN FINANCIAL REPORTING AND PLAN ADMINISTRATION

The Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) awarded a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting to SJCERA for its Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for the Year Ended December 31, 2017. This award recognizes compliance with the highest standards for state and local government financial reporting.

## ACKNOWLEDGMENT

SJCERA's success, as reflected in this report, is the result of the combined effort of many. I want to recognize the trustees of the Board of Retirement for their leadership and policy decisions, which provide direction and focus to our work. Additionally, I want to thank SJCERA's staff for their dedicated service to our members, their commitment to administering the Plan with integrity, and their hard work in compiling this report. We are proud to count ourselves among the many public employees who diligently serve the people of San Joaquin County.

Sincerely,


Chief Executive Officer

## INTRODUCTION <br> CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT FOR EXCELLENCE IN FINANCIAL REPORTING



## PpC

Public Pension Coordinating Council
Public Pension Standards Award
For Funding and Administration
2018

Presented to

## San Joaquin County Employees' Retirement Association

In recognition of meeting professional standards for plan funding and administration as set forth in the Public Pension Standards.

Presented by the Public Pension Coordinating Council, a confederation of
National Association of State Retirement Administrators (NASRA)
National Conference on Public Employee Retirement Systems (NCPERS)
National Council on Teacher Retirement (NCTR)

## INTRODUCTION

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF RETIREMENT AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2018


MICHAEL RESTUCCIA
Chair
Appointed by Board of Supervisors


RAYMOND MCCRAY Secretary Appointed by Board of Supervisors


ADRIAN VAN HOUTEN
Elected by Retired Members


PHONXAY KEOKHAM
Treasurer-Tax Collector Ex-Officio Member

J.C. WEYDERT

Elected by General Members


MICHAEL DUFFY
Vice Chair Appointed by Board of Supervisors


JENNIFER GOODMAN
Elected by General Members


CHANDA BASSETT
Elected by Safety Members


KATHERINE MILLER Appointed by Board of Supervisors


MARGO PRAUS
Elected by Retired Members - Alternate

## ADMINISTRATIVE ORGANIZATION CHART



## LIST OF PROFESSIONAL CONSULTANTS

## CONSULTING SERVICES

ACTUARY
Cheiron Actuaries

AUDITORS
Brown Armstrong Accountancy Corporation

## CUSTODIAN

Northern Trust Company
INFORMATION SYSTEMS
IG, Incorporated

INVESTMENT CONSULTANTS
StepStone Company
Meketa Investment Group (formerly Pension Consulting Alliance)

LEGAL COUNSEL
Hanson Bridgett, LLP
Haydel and Ornellas
Law Office of Ted M. Cabral
Morrison \& Foerster
Nossaman, LLP
Olson, Hagel \& Fishburn, LLP
San Joaquin County Counsel


## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

## Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements and other information referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the Fiduciary Net Position of SJCERA as of December 31, 2018; the changes in the Defined Benefit Plan's Fiduciary Net Position for the year then ended; the Schedule of Cost Sharing Employer Allocations; the Schedule of Employer Pension Amounts Allocated by Cost Sharing Plan total for all entities of the columns titled net pension liability, total deferred outflows of resources, total deferred inflows of resources, and total pension expense (specified column totals) as of and for the year ended December 31, 2018, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters
Required Supplementary Information
Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis and required supplementary information (RSI), as listed in the table of contents, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the RSI in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Other Supplementary Information
Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise SJCERA's basic financial statements. The other supplementary information and the introductory, investment, actuarial, and statistical sections, as listed in the table of contents, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The other supplementary information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the other supplementary information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

## Additional Information

The introductory, investment, actuarial, and statistical sections have not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on them.

Report on Summarized Comparative Information
We have previously audited SJCERA's December 31, 2017 financial statements, and our report dated June 1, 2018, expressed an unmodified opinion on those audited financial statements. In our opinion, the summarized comparative information presented herein as of and for the year ended December 31, 2017, is consistent, in all material respects, with the audited financial statements from which it has been derived.

## Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated May 24, 2019, on our consideration of SJCERA's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards in considering SJCERA's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Bakersfield, California
May 24, 2019


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## MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD\&A) presents the overview and analysis of the financial activities of the San Joaquin County Employees' Retirement Association (SJCERA or the Plan) for the year ended December 31, 2018. This MD\&A presents SJCERA's overall financial position and the results of its operations, in conjunction with SJCERA's financial statements and notes.

## FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- SJCERA's fiduciary net position, decreased by $\$ 38.2$ million, or 1.3 percent, to $\$ 2.8$ billion as of December 31, 2018.
- SJCERA's funding objective is to meet long-term benefit obligations through contributions and investment income. As of January 1, 2018, the date of the last actuarial valuation, the funded ratio for the actuarial liability was approximately 64.8 percent. In general, this indicates that for every dollar of benefits liability, SJCERA has about 65 cents. The portion of the pension liability attributable to inactive members (retired or deferred) is fully funded by plan assets. (Note 8c provides a more detailed explanation of recent changes in funded ratio.)
- Revenues for the year were $\$ 188.1$ million, a decrease from the prior year's $\$ 534$ million. The decrease was mainly caused by the investment losses compared to the prior year.
- Expenses for the year were $\$ 226.3$ million, an increase of $\$ 16.7$ million, or 8.0 percent, from the prior year's $\$ 209.5$ million. This increase was primarily due to the $\$ 16$ million increase in pension benefit payments to retirees.


## OVERVIEW OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The SJCERA 2018 financial statements, notes to the financial statements, required supplementary information, other supplementary information, and other information were prepared in accordance with the accounting principles and reporting standards prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). The following discussion and analysis are intended to serve as an introduction and overview of SJCERA's financial reporting components.

The Statement of Fiduciary Net Position is the financial statement that presents the major categories of assets and liabilities and their related values. It represents the resources available for future benefit payments to retirees and beneficiaries and the current liabilities owed as of December 31, 2018, with comparative totals as of December 31, 2017.

The Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position is the financial statement that provides an income statement presentation of annual additions to and deductions from the Plan for the year ended December 31, 2018, with comparative totals as of December 31, 2017.

The Notes to the Financial Statements provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the audited financial statements.

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The Required Supplementary Information provides the Schedule of Changes of Net Pension Liability and Related Ratios, Schedule of Contributions from the Employers and Other Contributing Sources, Schedule of Investment Returns, and Notes to Required Supplementary Information.

The Other Supplementary Information includes a Schedule of Administrative Expenses, Schedule of Investment Expenses, Schedule of Payments to Consultants, and Statement of Changes in Assets and Liabilities for the Post-Employment Healthcare Agency Fund.

The Other Information includes two schedules pertaining to GASB Statement No. 68: the Schedule of Cost Sharing Employer Allocations and the Schedule of Employer Pension Amounts Allocated by Cost Sharing Plan.

## DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

As of December 31, 2018, SJCERA's fiduciary net position was $\$ 2.841$ billion, a decrease of $\$ 38.2$ million. Employer and member contributions were $\$ 244.1$ million, which were offset by a net investment loss of $\$ 56.4$ million, and benefits payments and administrative expenses of $\$ 226.3$ million. Over time, increases and decreases in fiduciary net position are one of the indicators of whether SJCERA's financial situation is improving or deteriorating. Additional factors, such as market conditions, also need to be considered in assessing SJCERA's overall financial situation.

The table below compares SJCERA's fiduciary net position as of December 31, 2018 and 2017.

## SJCERA FIDUCIARY NET POSITION

|  | 2018 |  | 2017 |  | INCREASE (DECREASE) AMOUNT |  | PERCENT CHANGE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cash and Receivables | \$ | 224,623,198 | \$ | 194,077,851 | \$ | 30,545,347 | 15.74\% |
| Investments |  | 2,701,518,859 |  | 2,773,700,839 |  | $(72,181,980)$ | -2.60\% |
| Other Assets |  | 297,261 |  | 163,925 |  | 133,336 | 81.34\% |
| TOTAL ASSETS |  | 2,926,439,318 |  | 2,967,942,615 |  | $(41,503,297)$ | -1.40\% |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES |  | 85,397,242 |  | 88,653,984 |  | $(3,256,742)$ | -3.67\% |
| TOTAL FIDUCIARY NET POSITION RESTRICTED FOR PENSION BENEFITS | \$ | 2,841,042,076 | \$ | 2,879,288,631 | \$ | $(38,246,555)$ | -1.33\% |

## REVENUES - ADDITIONS TO FIDUCIARY NET POSITION

The reserves needed to finance the retiree benefits are accumulated through the collection of employer and member contributions and through earnings on investments. The contributions and net investment loss for the year ended December 31, 2018, totaled $\$ 188.1$ million. Net investment losses totaled $\$ 56.4$ million. In 2018, the overall revenues decreased by $\$ 345.9$ million from that of the prior year, primarily due to investment losses.

In 2018, both the County of San Joaquin (County) and the Mosquito and Vector Control District (MVCD) paid additional contributions to decrease their proportionate share of the unfunded actuarial liability (UAL). Employer contributions increased by $\$ 8.7$ million, or 4.4 percent, over

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the prior year, and member contributions increased by $\$ 1.7$ million, or 5.2 percent, over the prior year. The County and the majority of its members equally share the normal cost of pre-funding post-retirement cost-of-living adjustments. Some members also pay $114 \%$ or $133 \%$ of the basic member contribution rate, which reduces the employers' Normal Cost portion of the required contribution. Employers pay all of the required unfunded actuarial liability amortization payment.

## EXPENSES - DEDUCTIONS FROM FIDUCIARY NET POSITION

SJCERA's primary expenses are the payment of benefits to retirees and beneficiaries, the refund of contributions to former members, and the administrative costs. Expenses for the year 2018 totaled $\$ 226.3$ million, an increase of 8.01 percent over 2017. The increase is primarily attributed to annual cost-of-living adjustment to retirees' benefit payments and the growth in the number and average amount of benefits paid to retirees.

The table below compares SJCERA's Changes in Fiduciary Net Position.
Changes in Fiduciary Net Position

|  |  | 2018 |  | 2017 |  | INCREASE (DECREASE) AMOUNT | PERCENT CHANGE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ADDITIONS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Employer Contributions | \$ | 208,757,572 | \$ | 200,051,742 | \$ | 8,705,830 | 4.35\% |
| Member Contributions |  | 35,377,951 |  | 33,634,906 |  | 1,743,045 | 5.18\% |
| Net Investment Income (Loss) and Miscellaneous Income |  | $(56,397,598)$ |  | 299,960,693 |  | $(356,358,291)$ | -118.80\% |
| Transfer from Healthcare Agency Fund |  | 324,269 |  | 364,714 |  | $(40,445)$ | -11.09\% |
| TOTAL ADDITIONS | \$ | 188,062,194 | \$ | 534,012,055 | \$ | $(345,949,861)$ | -64.78\% |
| DEDUCTIONS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Benefit Payments | \$ | 218,456,053 | \$ | 202,408,260 | \$ | 16,047,793 | 7.93\% |
| Members Death Benefits |  | 622,901 |  | 701,206 |  | $(78,305)$ | -11.17\% |
| Refunds |  | 2,364,713 |  | 2,297,504 |  | 67,209 | 2.93\% |
| Administrative and Other Expenses |  | 4,865,082 |  | 4,118,578 |  | 746,504 | 18.13\% |
| TOTAL DEDUCTIONS | \$ | 226,308,749 | \$ | 209,525,548 | \$ | 16,783,201 | 8.01\% |
| NET INCREASE (DECREASE) | \$ | $(38,246,555)$ | \$ | 324,486,507 | \$ | $(362,733,062)$ | -111.79\% |
| FIDUCIARY NET POSITION RESTRICTED FOR PENSION BENEFITS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Beginning of Year |  | 2,879,288,631 |  | 2,554,802,124 |  | 324,486,507 | 12.70\% |
| End of Year | \$ | 2,841,042,076 | \$ | 2,879,288,631 | \$ | $(38,246,555)$ | -1.33\% |

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## PLAN ADMINISTRATION

## SJCERA MEMBERSHIP

The table below provides comparative SJCERA membership data for the last two years. Total membership at December 31, 2018, was 14,142, an increase of 477 members, or 3.5 percent, compared to December 31, 2017.

## SJCERA Membership

AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2018 AND 2017

|  | 2018 | 2017 | INCREASE (DECREASE) AMOUNT | PERCENT CHANGE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Active Members | 6,455 | 6,229 | 226 | 3.63\% |
| Retired Members | 6,051 | 5,821 | 230 | 3.95\% |
| Deferred Members | 1,636 | 1,615 | 21 | 1.30\% |
| TOTAL MEMBERSHIP | 14,142 | 13,665 | 477 | 3.49\% |

## ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

The County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 (CERL) Section 31580.2 limits the Administrative Expense to twenty-one hundredths of one percent ( 0.21 percent) of the accrued actuarial liability (AAL) of the system.

The table below provides comparison of the actual administrative expenses for the fiscal years ended 2018 and 2017. The AAL was used to calculate the statutory budget amount. SJCERA's administrative expenses were well below the limit imposed by CERL for both years.

Compliance with Statutory Limitation Administrative Expenses AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2018 AND 2017
(Dollars in Thousands)

|  | 2018 |  | 2017 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| BASIS FOR BUDGET CALCULATION (ACCRUED ACTUARIAL LIABILITY) |  |  |  |  |
| Actual Administrative Expenses | \$ | 3,650 | \$ | 3,369 |
| Accrued Actuarial Liability as Basis for Budget Calculation ${ }^{1}$ |  | 4,235,093 |  | 4,006,390 |
| ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES AS A PERCENTAGE OF |  |  |  |  |
| The Basis for Budget Calculation |  | 0.09\% |  | 0.08\% |
| Limit per CERL |  | 0.21\% |  | 0.21\% |

${ }^{1}$ Based on valuations dated January 1, 2017 and January 1, 2016, respectively.

## ACTUARIAL VALUATIONS

SJCERA engages an independent actuarial firm, Cheiron, Inc., to perform an annual actuarial valuation to monitor its funding and funding integrity. The valuation assesses the magnitude of SJCERA's benefit commitments, in comparison with the assets expected to be available to support

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those commitments. The most recent annual actuarial valuation as of January 1, 2018, contains a detailed discussion of the funding requirements. This valuation is used for funding purposes and establishing employer and member contributions rates. As of the January 1, 2018 actuarial valuation, the AAL was $\$ 4.5$ billion and the Actuarial Value of Assets was $\$ 2.9$ billion, resulting in a UAL of $\$ 1.6$ billion. The funded ratio increased from 64.6 percent last year to 64.8 percent on an actuarial value of assets basis. Using the market value of assets as of the valuation date, the funded ratio increased from 60.3 percent to 64.0 percent.

For the year ended December 31, 2018, a GASB Statement No. 67/68 report was prepared by Cheiron, Inc., to provide accounting and financial disclosure information. In order to accommodate the annual reporting requirements of our plan sponsors in a timely manner, the valuation was prepared using the January 1, 2018 valuation as the basis for calculating the total pension liability (TPL) and projected to December 31, 2018. Based on this actuarial valuation, the TPL was $\$ 4.7$ billion compared to a fiduciary net position of $\$ 2.8$ billion, resulting in the employers' net pension liability (NPL) of $\$ 1.9$ billion and a fiduciary net position as a percentage TPL of 60.4 percent. The NPL as a percentage of covered payroll was 425.7 percent. Please see the Note 8 and Required Supplementary Information for more details.

## REPORTING SJCERA'S FIDUCIARY RESPONSIBILITIES

SJCERA's Board of Retirement and staff are fiduciaries for the pension plan. Accordingly, SJCERA is responsible for ensuring that the assets reported in the statements are used for the intended purpose of paying retirement benefits to the eligible members and beneficiaries.

## THE DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN FUND AS A WHOLE

The fund decreased 1.3 percent from 2017 to 2018; the net decrease in the fair value of investments was $\$ 72.1$ million versus the prior year's net increase in the fair value of investments of $\$ 135.5$ million. The investment section of Note 4 of this report reviews the result of investment activity for the year ended December 31, 2018.

## CONTACTING SJCERA'S MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide the Board of Retirement, members, taxpayers, and investment managers with a general overview of SJCERA's finances and to show SJCERA's accountability for the money it receives. Any questions about this report, or requests for additional financial information, can be addressed to SJCERA, 6 South El Dorado Street, Suite 400, Stockton, California 95202.

Respectfully Submitted,

 Retirement Financial Officer

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## STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION

## SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2018 (WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS)

Assets
Cash and Short-Term Investments
Cash and Cash Equivalents
Cash Collateral - Securities Lending
Total Cash and Short-Term Investments
Receivables
Investment Income Receivables
Contributions Receivables
Securities Sold, Not Received
Miscellaneous Receivables
Total Receivables
Investments, at Fair Value
Stable Fixed Income
Credit
Global Public Equity
Private Appreciation
Risk Parity
Crisis Risk Offset
Total Investments, at Fair Value
Other Assets
Prepaid Expenses
Equipment and Fixtures, Net

Total Other Assets
Total Assets
Liabilities
Securities Lending - Cash Collateral
Securities Purchased, Not Paid
Accrued Expenses and Other Payables
Securities Lending Interest and Other Payables
Retiree Sick Leave Bank Benefits Payable
Total Liabilities
Fiduciary Net Position Restricted for
Pension Benefits

| 2018 |  | 2017 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Defined Benefit Pension Plan | Post- <br> Employment <br> Healthcare Agency Fund | Defined Benefit Pension Plan | Post- <br> Employment <br> Healthcare Agency Fund |
| $\begin{array}{rr} \$ \quad 129,812,307 \\ & 81,063,525 \end{array}$ | \$ 10,274 | $\begin{array}{rr} \$ & 98,314,384 \\ & 86,901,391 \end{array}$ | \$ 7,707 |
| 210,875,832 | 10,274 | 185,215,775 | 7,707 |


| 3,643,209 | - | 2,974,773 | - |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 7,643,798 | - | 5,793,466 | - |
| 2,411,261 | - | 35,717 | - |
| 49,098 | - | 58,120 | - |
| 13,747,366 | - | 8,862,076 | - |


| 295,492,803 | - | 275,595,222 | - |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 317,627,170 | - | 321,700,181 | - |
| 822,935,436 | - | 995,174,782 | - |
| 387,844,390 | - | 328,280,801 | - |
| 368,268,349 | - | 372,838,817 | - |
| 509,350,711 | - | 480,111,036 | - |
| 2,701,518,859 | - | 2,773,700,839 | - |


| 85,135 | - | 90,155 | - |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 212,126 | - | 73,770 | - |
| 297,261 | - | 163,925 | - |
| 2,926,439,318 | 10,274 | 2,967,942,615 | 7,707 |


| 81,063,525 | - | 86,901,391 | - |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2,417,979 | - | 172,476 | - |
| 1,722,948 | - | 1,475,117 | - |
| 192,790 | - | 105,000 | - |
| - | 10,274 | - | 7,707 |
| 85,397,242 | 10,274 | 88,653,984 | 7,707 |

\$2,841,042,076 \$
$\$$ $\qquad$ \$2,879,288,631

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION

## SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN <br> STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION <br> FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018 (WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS)



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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The San Joaquin County Employees' Retirement Association (SJCERA) is the public employee retirement system established by the County of San Joaquin (County) and is administered by the Board of Retirement of SJCERA (Board) to provide retirement, disability, and survivor benefits under the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 (CERL) for the employees of the County and certain special districts within the County. SJCERA also administers the Post-Employment Healthcare Agency Fund. Although the assets of the plans (defined benefit pension and postemployment healthcare) are commingled for investment purposes, each plan's assets may be used only for the payment of benefits to eligible members and beneficiaries of that plan, in accordance with the terms of the plan. A description of the Post-Employment Healthcare Agency Fund is located in Note 2. All notes to the financial statements apply to both plans unless indicated otherwise.

## NOTE 1 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN DESCRIPTION

## A. GENERAL DESCRIPTION

SJCERA is a public retirement system established by the San Joaquin County Board of Supervisors effective June 28, 1946, under the provisions of the CERL and the Public Employees' Pension Reform Act of 2013 (PEPRA). SJCERA is administered by the Board. Pursuant to Government Code Sections 31520.1 and 31520.5, the Board consists of nine regular members, one alternate retired member, and under certain circumstances an alternate Safety member. Four members and the alternate member(s) are elected by SJCERA's members, four are appointed by the County Board of Supervisors, and the County Treasurer is an ex-officio member. Board members serve for a term of three years, except for the County Treasurer who is a permanent member. The Board members as of December 31, 2018, were as follows:

| Michael Restuccia, Chair | Jennifer Goodman |
| :--- | :--- |
| Michael Duffy, Vice Chair | Adrian Van Houten |
| Raymond McCray, Secretary | Katherine Miller |
| Phonxay Keokham, County Treasurer | Margo Praus |
| Chanda Bassett | J.C. Weydert |

SJCERA is a multiple-employer retirement system covering the County and the SJC Historical Society and Museum, Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCO), Lathrop-Manteca Rural Fire Protection District, San Joaquin County Law Library, SJC Mosquito and Vector Control District, Mountain House Community Services District, Superior Court, Tracy Public Cemetery District, and Waterloo-Morada Rural Fire Protection District. All employees appointed to fulltime, permanent positions with a SJCERA participating employer become SJCERA members. Persons who commence covered employment at age 60 or older may irrevocably elect to waive membership in SJCERA. Public Health, a division of the County's Healthcare Services Department, became a participant of SJCERA effective June 27, 1993. Prior to that date, they were members of the California Public Employees' Retirement System (CaIPERS). The elected officials of the County may request to become members of SJCERA. All benefits vest after attaining five years of service credit.

SJCERA has two benefit tiers:

- Tier 1 - Hired into public service before January 1, 2013.
- Tier 2 - Hired into public service for the first time on or after January 1, 2013


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There are two types of membership:

1. Safety Member - Permanent employees engaged in the performance of active law enforcement, including probation officers and fire suppression employees, are considered Safety members and are not generally covered by Social Security.
2. General Member - All other eligible employees not classified as Safety members are considered General members and are covered by Social Security.

## Membership Summary

SJCERA's membership as of December 31, 2018, is presented below:

|  | TIER 1 | TIER 2 | TIER 1 | TIER 2 | TIER 1 | TIER 2 | TIER 1 | TIER 2 | TIER 1 | TIER 2 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| YEAR 2018 | RETIREES |  | BENEFICIARIES |  | ACTIVE |  | DEFERRED |  | TOTAL |  |
| General | 4,363 | 12 | 633 | - | 2,964 | 2,637 | 1,181 | 283 | 9,141 | 2,932 |
| Safety | 844 | 2 | 197 | - | 594 | 260 | 158 | 14 | 1,793 | 276 |
| TOTAL | 5,207 | 14 | 830 | - | 3,558 | 2,897 | 1,339 | 297 | 10,934 | 3,208 |

## B. PLAN BENEFITS

## Eligibility for Retirement

## TIER 1:

A Tier 1 member may retire for service at age 50 or older with five years of service credit, and at least ten years have elapsed since the date of membership. A General, Tier 1 member may retire at any age with 30 or more years of service. A Safety, Tier 1 member may retire at any age with 20 or more years of service.

## TIER 2:

A Tier 2 member may retire for service with five or more years of service credit upon attaining the minimum retirement: Age 52 for General members, and Age 50 for Safety members.

Any member of SJCERA, regardless of benefit tier, may retire at age 70 with no minimum service credit requirement.

## Retirement Benefit

The monthly benefit amount at retirement depends upon the type of membership, years of retirement service credit, final average compensation, age at retirement, and the benefit option elected by the member.

## TIER 1:

For Tier 1 members, final average compensation for purposes of computing a retirement allowance is the average monthly salary for the highest twelve consecutive months of employment. In addition to base salary, final average compensation may include other items defined as compensation earnable for retirement purposes.

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The benefit formula for General, Tier 1 members is 2.6 percent of final average compensation for each year of service credit at age 62. The formula for Safety, Tier 1 members is 3.0 percent of final average compensation for each year of service credit at age 50. Members who retired prior to April 1, 1982, with 15 years or more of County service, receive an additional $\$ 50$ monthly supplement commencing at age 65 . Members who retired on or after April 1, 1982, but before January 1, 2001, receive a supplemental monthly benefit of $\$ 10$ per year of service up to 30 years. This "Post 1982" supplemental benefit is payable if sufficient funds exist.

Federal law limits the annual compensation that may be used to calculate retirement benefits (applicable to persons who became SJCERA members on or after January 1, 1996, and the maximum annual benefit payable by SJCERA to any retired member. For 2018, the annual compensation limit under Internal Revenue Code Section 401 (a)(17) is $\$ 275,000$ and the annual benefit limit under Internal Revenue Code Section 415(b) is $\$ 220,000$. Retired members whose statutory benefits from SJCERA would exceed the annual benefit limitation are eligible for the County's Replacement Benefits Plan.

## TIER 2:

For Tier 2 members, final average compensation for purposes of computing a retirement allowance is the average monthly salary for the highest 36 consecutive months of employment. In addition to base salary, final average compensation may include other items defined as pensionable compensation.

The benefit formula for General, Tier 2 members is 2.5 percent of final compensation for each year of service credit at age 67. The formula for Safety, Tier 2 members is 2.7 percent of final compensation for each year of service credit at age 57. PEPRA specifies the maximum annual compensation that may be used to calculate retirement benefits. The limits are adjusted annually based on changes in the Consumer Price Index (CPI). For 2018, the Tier 2 annual compensation limit is $\$ 121,388$ for those included in the Federal Social Security System and \$145,666 for those not included.

## Cost-of-Living Adjustment (COLA)

For both Tier 1 and Tier 2 members, monthly allowances are eligible for an annual COLA based on the change in the CPI for the San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose area for the previous calendar year, up to a maximum of 3.0 percent. The Bureau of Labor Statistics does not publish a CPI for San Joaquin County. When the CPI exceeds 3.0 percent in any year, the difference between the actual change in CPI (rounded to the nearest one-half percent) and the 3.0 percent ceiling is "accumulated" for future years when the change is less than 3.0 percent. The plan's actuary has determined that the CPI increased by 3.22 percent in 2017 , resulting in the maximum COLA of 3.0 percent, effective in April 2018. Under the statutory requirements of the CERL, this change is rounded to the nearest half percent. Members received an increase in benefits of 3.0 percent in 2018, based on the changes in the CPI. Members' accumulated carry-over balances as of April 1, 2018, remain the same as they were on April 1, 2017.

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## Terminated Members Deferred Retirement Benefit and Withdrawal of Contributions

A member leaving employment with at least five years of service credit becomes eligible for a retirement benefit once they meet the minimum service retirement age and have not withdrawn their accumulated member contributions.

Members who terminate employment with fewer than five years of service credit may leave their accumulated contributions on deposit until they become eligible for a retirement benefit at age 70. Contributions left on deposit with SJCERA continue to accrue interest.

Upon termination of employment, members may withdraw their member contributions plus interest. Employer-paid contributions are not refundable. Members who take a refund of contributions become ineligible for future SJCERA retirement benefits.

## Death Benefits

The beneficiary of an actively employed member who dies prior to attaining five years of credited service is refunded the member's accumulated contributions, with interest, and receives one month's salary for each full year of service, up to a maximum of six months' salary.

If the death occurs after five years of credited service and is not the result of a service-related injury or disease, the surviving spouse or minor children may elect to receive a lump sum benefit of the retirement contributions including interest and one month's salary for each full year of service up to six months' salary; 60 percent of the retirement allowance the deceased member would have received if they had retired with a nonservice-connected disability retirement benefit on the date of death; or a lump sum payment of six months' salary and a reduced monthly retirement benefit. The monthly allowance to minor children is discontinued once they marry or reach age 18 (age 22 if a full-time student).

The beneficiary of a deferred member receives the member's contributions plus accumulated interest.

Upon the death of a retiree, the beneficiary receives a retirement benefit as determined by the benefit option elected by the member at the time of retirement. In addition, the beneficiary also receives a $\$ 5,000$ death benefit, which is paid from retirement reserves.

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## NOTE 2 - POST-EMPLOYMENT HEALTHCARE AGENCY FUND

The Post-Employment Healthcare Agency Fund is used as a clearing account for cash flows from employers to fund Sick Leave Bank Benefits for their eligible retired members on a pay-as-you-go basis, and for cash flows out for payment of Sick Leave Bank Benefits. The Sick Leave Bank Benefit allows accumulated unused and uncashed sick leave to be converted to a Sick Leave Bank upon retirement at a rate of $\$ 27.65$ per hour. Retired or deferred members who were employed prior to August 27, 2001, are eligible for Sick Leave Bank Benefits. In 2007, the San Joaquin Superior Court (Court) extended eligibility for Sick Leave Bank Benefits to Court employees hired on or after August 27, 2001. Employers fund the Sick Leave Bank Benefits and employees are not required to contribute to the plan.

Sick Leave Bank Benefits may be used to pay for employer-sponsored group health, dental, and vision care insurance premiums and/or reimbursement of Medicare Part B premiums for the eligible members, their spouses, and dependents. When a retiree's Sick Leave Bank is depleted, the retiree assumes responsibility for payment of health, dental, and vision care insurance premiums.

SJCERA allocates the investments held at December 31, 2018, between the Defined Benefit Pension Plan and the Post-Employment Healthcare Agency Fund based on the internal records of the respective accounts at December 31, 2018.

The Post-Employment Healthcare Agency Fund accounts for assets held as an agent on behalf of others. The funds held within the Post-Employment Healthcare Agency Fund do not meet the definition of a qualifying Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) Trust under GASB Statement No. 74. This fund is custodial in nature and does not measure the results of operations.

## NOTE 3 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - PENSION PLAN

## A. BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

SJCERA's financial statements are presented on the accrual basis of accounting. Employer and member contributions that should have been made in the calendar year based on the actuarially determined contribution rates or amounts are recognized as revenues of that calendar year. Contributions receivable pursuant to an installment contract are also recognized in full in the year in which the contract is made. Benefits and refunds are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the terms of the plan.

## B. REPORTING ENTITY

SJCERA, governed by the Board, an independent entity, is a blended component unit of the County. SJCERA's annual financial statements are included in the County's financial reports as a pension trust fund.

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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## C. CASH EQUIVALENTS

SJCERA's cash and short-term investments are managed by The Northern Trust Company (NT) and the County Treasurer.

## THE NORTHERN TRUST COMPANY

Cash not required for daily operations is deposited with NT, SJCERA's master custodian for investment securities. NT pools cash from its clients pending permanent investment in its Short-Term Investment Fund (STIF). The cash in the STIF account is invested in high-grade money market instruments with very short maturities, such as bonds, notes, and other evidence of indebtedness, in accordance with SJCERA's investment policy.

The cash collateral received under the securities lending program is invested by NT through its securities lending collateral fund, which is created solely for the investment of cash collateral.

## COUNTY TREASURER

Cash necessary for SJCERA's daily operations is pooled with other County funds for short-term investment by the County Treasurer. The County is responsible for the control and safekeeping of all instruments of title and for all investment of the pooled funds.

## D. METHOD USED TO VALUE INVESTMENTS

Investments are carried at fair value. Fair values for investments are derived by various methods as indicated in the following table.

| INVESTMENTS | SOURCE |
| :---: | :---: |
| Publicly traded stocks and bonds, and issues of the U.S. Government and its agencies | Most recent sales price as of the fiscal year-end. International securities reflect currency exchange rates in effect at December 31, 2018. |
| Mortgages | Equivalent pricing to comparable Government National Mortgage Association (GNMA). |
| Real estate equity funds | Fair market value as provided by real estate fund manager. |
| Real estate title holding corporations and limited liability companies | Fair market value of the investment as provided by fund managers, unless an alternative value has been determined by the Board per SJCERA's Real Estate Investment Policy and reviewed by SJCERA's Investment Consultant. |
| Private equity | Fair market value as provided by the investment manager and reviewed by SJCERA's Investment Consultant. |
| Private placement bonds | Face value of the security subject to designated conditions such as sales restrictions or limited marketability. |

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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## E. CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital assets, mainly leasehold improvements, furniture, and equipment, acquired by SJCERA are capitalized at cost. Depreciable capital assets are depreciated using the straightline method over estimated useful lives of three to seven years for computer equipment, furniture, and other equipment. Leasehold improvements are amortized over the life of the lease. Depreciation expenses of the capital assets are included in general administrative expenses.

The change in capital assets owned for the year ended December 31, 2018, is presented below.

|  | BALANCE JANUARY 1, 2018 |  | ADDITIONS |  | DELETIONS |  | BALANCE DECEMBER 31, 2018 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Original Cost | \$ | 1,536,863 | \$ | 201,298 | \$ | - | \$ | 1,738,161 |
| Accumulated Depreciation |  | $(1,463,093)$ |  | $(62,942)$ |  | - |  | $(1,526,035)$ |
| NET BOOK VALUE | \$ | 73,770 | \$ | 138,356 | \$ | - | \$ | 212,126 |

Depreciation expense for the year ended December 31, 2018, was $\$ 62,942$.

## F. OPERATING LEASE

SJCERA leases office facilities on the fourth floor of 6 S. El Dorado Street in Stockton. In June 2018 SJCERA signed a new 12 -year lease with significantly reduced rent. The lease specifies the rate for each year of the term. Total rent expense for the current year was $\$ 228,881$. The terms of the lease expire at the end of June 2030.

The table below presents SJCERA's future projected rent expense based on the remaining term of the lease agreement is $\$ 2,651,027$.

| YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31 | TOTAL |
| :---: | :---: |
| 2019 | $\$$ |
| 2020 | 203,827 |
| 2021 | 208,923 |
| 2022 | 214,019 |
| 2023 | 219,114 |
| Thereafter | 224,210 |
|  |  |

## G. RECEIVABLES

Receivables consist primarily of interest, dividends, investments in transition (traded but not yet settled), and contributions owed by participating employers. Contributions receivable pursuant to an installment contract between the member and SJCERA for purchase of service credit are recognized in full in the year in which the contract is made.

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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## H. USE OF ESTIMATES IN THE PREPARATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make certain estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

## NOTE 4 - CASH AND INVESTMENTS

## A. INVESTMENT SECURITIES LENDING

SJCERA participates in NT's pooled securities lending program. Under the agreement, NT is authorized to lend the SJCERA securities that it holds to certain SJCERA-approved borrowers. NT does not have the ability to pledge or sell collateral securities unless a borrower default occurs.

All loans are fully collateralized with either cash, securities issued or fully guaranteed by the U.S. government, or irrevocable bank letters of credit. All collateral is held or invested by NT. The term or maturity of the securities loaned is generally matched with the term or maturity of the investment of the cash collateral. U.S. securities are loaned with collateral valued at 102 percent of the fair value of the securities plus any accrued interest. Non-U.S. securities are loaned with collateral valued at 105 percent of the fair value of the securities plus any accrued interest.

As of December 31, 2018, SJCERA had the following securities out on loan.

|  | FAIR VALUE OF SECURITIES LENT |  | CASH COLLATERAL VALUE |  | NON-CASH COLLATERAL VALUE |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| U.S. Equities | \$ | 16,814,889 | \$ | 16,102,035 | \$ | 1,023,426 |
| U.S. Debt Securities |  | 129,349,266 |  | 64,961,490 |  | 66,795,644 |
| TOTAL U.S. SECURITIES | \$ | 146,164,155 | \$ | 81,063,525 | \$ | 67,819,070 |
| Non-U.S. Equities | \$ | 9,558,493 |  | - | \$ | 10,084,563 |
| Non-U.S. Debt Securities |  | 34,610,716 |  | - |  | 36,710,050 |
| TOTAL NON-U.S. SECURITIES | \$ | 44,169,209 |  | - | \$ | 46,794,613 |
| TOTAL | \$ | 190,333,364 | \$ | 81,063,525 | \$ | 114,613,683 |

The cash collateral is reported on the financial statements as an asset and as a liability of SJCERA. Securities lending transactions collateralized by letters of credit or by securities that SJCERA does not have the ability to pledge or sell unless the borrower defaults are not be reported as assets and liabilities in accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 28. The potential risks involved in the securities lending program include borrower bankruptcy, collateral deficiencies, settlement problems, corporate actions, dividends, and interest. SJCERA's pro-rata share of net income derived from NT's pooled securities lending transactions in 2018 was $\$ 1,743,726$. As of December 31, 2018, there was no credit risk exposure to borrowers because the collateral exceeded the amount borrowed. The securities on loan at year-end were $\$ 190$ million and the collateral received for those securities on loan was $\$ 196$ million.

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## B. CASH AND SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS

The carrying value of cash and short-term investments at December 31, 2018, consists of the following.

|  | AMOUNT |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents - Custodian | \$ | $128,901,165$ |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents - County Treasury |  | 921,416 |
|  | TOTAL CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS | $\$$ |
| Cash Collateral - Securities Lending - Custodian |  | $129,822,581$ |
|  | TOTAL CASH AND SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS | $\$$ |

## C. LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS

SJCERA owned the following long-term investments at December 31, 2018.

|  | FAIR VALUE |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| INVESTMENTS - CATEGORIZED |  |  |
| Stable Fixed Income | \$ | 295,492,803 |
| Credit |  | 317,627,170 |
| Global Public Equities |  | 822,935,436 |
| Private Appreciation |  | 387,844,390 |
| Risk Parity |  | 368,268,349 |
| Crisis Risk Offset (CRO) |  | 509,350,711 |
| TOTAL INVESTMENTS - CATEGORIZED | \$ | 2,701,518,859 |
| INVESTMENTS - NOT CATEGORIZED <br> Investments Held by Broker-Dealers Under Securities Loans |  |  |
| U.S. Equities | \$ | 16,102,035 |
| U.S. Debt Securities |  | 64,961,490 |
| TOTAL INVESTMENTS HELD BY BROKER-DEALERS UNDER SECURITIES LOANS | \$ | 81,063,525 |
| TOTAL INVESTMENTS | \$ | 2,782,582,384 |

GASB Statement No. 40, Deposits and Investments Risk Disclosures, establishes and modified disclosure requirements related to the following:

- Credit risk
- Custodial credit risk
- Concentration of credit risk
- Interest rate risk
- Foreign currency risk


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## Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk that an issuer or other counterparty to an investment will not fulfill its obligations. SJCERA's Investment Policy seeks to maintain a diversified portfolio of fixed income instruments in order to obtain the highest total return for the fund at an acceptable level of risk within the asset class. To control such risk, credit quality guidelines have been established for the separately managed accounts. The following table depicts the value of the investments exposed to those risks and the corresponding credit ratings from Standard \& Poor's (S\&P) as of December 31, 2018.

| QUALITY RATINGS | FAIR VALUE |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| AAA | \$ | 6,424,360 |
| AA |  | 8,579,014 |
| A |  | 13,565,736 |
| BBB |  | 48,641,610 |
| BB |  | 13,244,771 |
| B |  | 2,960,294 |
| CCC |  | 4,200,683 |
| CC |  | 5,496,326 |
| D |  | 857,293 |
| Not Rated |  | 207,667,072 |
| SUBTOTAL | \$ | 311,637,159 |
| U.S. Government Agencies - Implied AAA (FNMA, FHLB, FHLMC, FFCB, SLMA, Other) |  | 301,482,814 |
| TOTAL INVESTMENTS IN FIXED INCOME SECURITIES | \$ | 613,119,973 |

## Custodial Credit Risk

The custodial credit risk represents the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty of a transaction, SJCERA will not be able to recover the value of deposits and investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party.

## DEPOSITS

The deposits with the County Treasurer are uninsured but secured by public funds of the pledging banks. The pool's investments, all held in the County's name, are shortterm and include U.S. Treasury Bills, certain Federal agencies' instruments, bankers' acceptances, "prime" commercial paper, certificates of deposit, repurchase agreements, and the State Treasurer's Local Agency Investment Fund.

The cash deposits with NT are uninsured and uncollateralized. All underlying investments in the commingled STIF account are not registered in SJCERA's name.

## INVESTMENTS

Investment securities are exposed to custodial credit risk if the securities are uninsured, are not registered in SJCERA's name, and held by the counterparty. SJCERA's investment securities are not exposed to custodial credit risk because all securities are held by SJCERA's custodial bank in SJCERA's name, or by other qualified third party administrator trust accounts.

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## Concentration of Credit Risk

This risk represents the potential loss attributable to the magnitude of SJCERA's investments in a single issuer. As of December 31, 2018, for separately managed investment accounts, SJCERA did not hold any investments within any one issuer that would represent five percent (5\%) or more of plan fiduciary net position.

## Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. Duration is a measure of the price sensitivity of a fixed income portfolio to changes in interest rates. It is calculated as the weighted average time to receive a bond's coupon and principal payments. The longer the duration of a portfolio, the greater its price sensitivity to changes in interest rates. SJCERA does not have formal policy relating to interest rate risk.

As of December 31, 2018, SJCERA had the following interest rate sensitive investments.

| INVESTMENT TYPE | FAIR VALUE |  | WEIGHTED AVERAGE MATURITY - YEARS |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| U.S. GOVERNMENT AND AGENCY INSTRUMENTS |  |  |  |
| U.S. Government Mortgages | \$ | 71,289,672 | 25.45 |
| U.S. Government Bonds |  | 179,775,000 | 19.87 |
| Municipal / Revenue Bonds |  | 3,531,021 | 17.94 |
| Agency |  | 1,710,875 | 17.08 |
| Short-Term Bills and Notes |  | 69,748,432 | 0.06 |
| TOTAL U.S. GOVERNMENT AND AGENCY INSTRUMENTS | \$ | 326,055,000 |  |
| CORPORATE SECURITIES |  |  |  |
| Asset-Backed Securities | \$ | 24,773,777 | 20.65 |
| Collateralized Bonds |  | 4,180 | 27.53 |
| Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities |  | 16,707,164 | 19.00 |
| Corporate and Other Credit |  | 72,354,133 | 10.45 |
| Non-Government Backed Collateralized Mortgage Obligations (CMOs) |  | 40,434,044 | 20.07 |
| TOTAL CORPORATE SECURITIES | \$ | 154,273,298 |  |
| REAL ESTATE FINANCING |  | 132,791,675 |  |
| TOTAL FIXED INCOME SECURITIES | \$ | 613,119,973 |  |

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## Foreign Currency Risk

Foreign currency risk is the risk that changes in exchange rates may adversely affect the fair value of an investment. SJCERA's external non-U.S. equity and fixed income investment managers may invest in international securities in accordance with their investment guidelines pertaining to these types of investments.

Currency hedging on an unleveraged basis is permitted by non-U.S. equity managers as a strategy to protect against losses due to currency translations (defensive hedging). However, it is expected that the primary sources of added value for non-U.S. equity investment managers will be stock and country selection, with currency management focused on limiting losses due to fluctuations in currency values. Managers may purchase or sell currency on a spot basis to accommodate securities settlements.

Managers may invest in developed market currencies and emerging market currencies in accordance with their investment guidelines. Permitted derivative instruments are currency spots, currency forward contracts (deliverable or non-deliverable), currency futures, options on currency forwards or futures, and currency swaps. Other investments, contracts, or positions that, in the managers' judgment, are of similar purpose and character and equal credit quality and marketability to any of the investments above, are also permissible.

SJCERA's exposure to foreign currency risk in U.S. dollars as of December 31, 2018 is as follows.

| CURRENCY |  | FAIR VALUE |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Australian Dollar |  | \$ | (1) |
| British Pound Sterling |  |  | 3 |
| Canadian Dollar |  |  | 210,078 |
| Euro Currency |  |  | 61,043 |
| Swiss Franc |  |  | 11,286 |
|  | TOTAL | \$ | 282,409 |

## D. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENT

In accordance with GASB Statement No. 72, fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The statement establishes a fair value hierarchy based on three types of input to develop the fair value measurements for investments. The level is determined based on the lowest level of input significant to the measurement in its entirety.

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Assets and liabilities measured at fair value are classified into one of the following categories.

## Fair Value Hierarchy

Level 1 - reflects unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities accessible on the measurement date. Observable markets include exchange markets, dealer markets, and brokered markets.

Level 2 - reflects similar observable inputs other than quoted market prices. It includes quoted prices for similar assets in active markets or quoted prices for identical or similar assets in inactive markets.

Level 3 - reflects prices based on unobservable sources. They should be used only when relevant Level 1 and Level 2 inputs are unavailable.

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The following table presents fair value measurements as of December 31, 2018.

| INVESTMENTS BY FAIR VALUE LEVEL | TOTAL FAIR VALUE | QUOTED PRICES IN ACTIVE MARKETS FOR IDENTICAL ASSETS (LEVEL 1) | SIGNIFICANT OTHER OBSERVABLE INPUTS (LEVEL 2) | SIGNIFICANT UNOBSERVABLE INPUTS (LEVEL 3) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| EQUITIES |  |  |  |  |
| Common Stocks | \$ 128,201,428 | \$ 128,013,592 | \$ 5,844 | \$ 181,992 |
| Preferred Stocks | 985,839 | 985,839 | - | - |
| TOTAL EQUITIES | \$ 129,187,267 | \$ 128,999,431 | \$ 5,844 | \$ 181,992 |
| FIXED INCOME |  |  |  |  |
| Asset-Backed Securities | \$ 24,773,777 | - | \$ 24,773,777 | - |
| Collateralized Bonds | 4,180 | - | 4,180 | - |
| Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities | 16,707,164 | - | 16,707,164 | - |
| Corporate Bonds | 72,354,133 | - | 72,354,133 | - |
| Funds - Corporate Bonds | 6,236,346 | - | 6,236,346 | - |
| Funds - Government Bonds | 9,291,376 | - | 9,291,376 | - |
| Government Agencies Securities | 1,710,875 | - | 1,710,875 | - |
| Government Bonds | 179,775,000 | - | 179,775,000 | - |
| Government Mortgage-Backed Securities | 71,289,672 | - | 71,289,672 | - |
| Municipal/Provincial Bonds | 3,531,021 | - | 3,531,021 | - |
| Non-Government Backed CMOs | 40,434,044 | - | 40,434,044 | - |
| Other Fixed Income | 104,254,141 | - | - | 104,254,141 |
| TOTAL FIXED INCOME | \$ 530,361,729 | - | \$ 426,107,588 | \$ 104,254,141 |
| OTHER ASSETS |  |  |  |  |
| Short-Term Bills and Notes | \$ 66,534,596 | - | \$ 66,534,596 | - |
| Futures Contracts | 682,898 | - | 682,898 | - |
| Options Contracts | 226,060 | - | 226,060 | - |
| Rights and Warrants | 5 | - | 5 | - |
| Swaps | $(120,361)$ | - | - | $(120,361)$ |
| TOTAL OTHER ASSETS | \$ 67,323,198 | - | \$ 67,443,559 | \$ $(120,361)$ |
| Collateral from Securities Lending | 81,063,525 | - | 81,063,525 | - |
| TOTAL INVESTMENTS BY FAIR VALUE | \$ 807,935,719 | \$ 128,999,431 | \$ 574,620,516 | \$ 104,315,772 |
| INVESTMENTS MEASURED AT THE NET ASSET VALUE (NAV) |  |  |  |  |
| Global Equities Funds | \$ 751,693,880 |  |  |  |
| Fixed Income Funds | 135,361,374 |  |  |  |
| Risk Parity Funds | 368,268,349 |  |  |  |
| Multi-Strategy Hedge Funds | 272,676,733 |  |  |  |
| Hedge Funds - Fixed Income | 27,336,348 |  |  |  |
| Private Equity Funds | 139,578,691 |  |  |  |
| Private Real Estate Funds | 279,731,290 |  |  |  |
| TOTAL INVESTMENTS MEASURED AT NAV | \$ 1,974,646,665 |  |  |  |
| TOTAL INVESTMENTS | \$ 2,782,582,384 |  |  |  |

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## Investments Measured at Net Asset Value (NAV)

SJCERA measures certain investments that do not have a readily determinable fair value, such as hedge funds, commingled funds, and private equity funds, using NAV as a practical expedient. SJCERA's investments valued at NAV are the majority holdings in the portfolio. The following table presents the unfunded commitments, redemption frequency (if currently eligible), and the redemption notice period for SJCERA investments measured at NAV.

The following table presents the investments measured at NAV as December 31, 2018.

| INVESTMENTS MEASURED AT NAV | FAIR VALUE | UNFUNDED COMMITMENT | REDEMPTION FREQUENCY IF CURRENTLY ELIGIBLE | REDEMPTION NOTICE PERIOD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Global Equity Funds | \$ 751,693,880 | \$ - | Daily, Weekly, <br> Semi-Monthly, Monthly | 1-30 Days |
| Fixed Income Funds | 135,361,374 | 22,500,903 | Daily, Not Eligible | 1 Day |
| Risk Parity Funds | 368,268,349 | - | Monthly | 5-15 Days |
| Multi-Strategy Hedge Funds | 272,676,733 | - | Daily, Weekly, <br> Semi-Monthly, Monthly | 0-15 Days |
| Fixed Income Hedge Funds | 27,336,348 | 12,717,985 | Daily, Quarterly, Not Eligible | 0-60 Days |
| Private Equity Funds | 139,578,691 | 103,704,789 | Not Eligible | Not Applicable |
| Private Real Estate Funds | 279,731,290 | 146,048,273 | Quarterly, Not Eligible | Not Applicable |
| TOTAL INVESTMENTS MEASURED AT NAV | \$1,974,646,665 | \$ 284,971,950 |  |  |

Global Equity Funds - Assets within these funds represent shares of ownership in a U.S. headquartered corporation, including publicly traded common stocks, American and Global Depository Receipts, as well as Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs).

Fixed Income Funds - Funds within this segment represent debt instruments of corporations, government or agencies characterized by a fixed or variable interest rate and stated maturity date, including marketable bonds.

Risk Parity Funds - Funds within this segment represent portfolios that seek to balance the risk characteristics of assets across multiple segments. These portfolios generally invest in equities, bonds and commodities among other assets.

Multi-Strategy Hedge Funds - Funds within this segment can involve holding both long and short positions in securities instead of traditional long-only investments in publicly traded investments. Portfolios also may utilize derivatives or hedging strategies as well. Multi-Strategy managers utilized various investment segments to invest, including but not limited to, equities, bonds, currency, and commodities.

Fixed Income Hedge Funds - Funds within this segment can involve holding both long and short positions in securities instead of traditional long-only investments in publicly traded investments. Portfolios also may utilize derivatives or hedging strategies as well. These investment funds generally focus on opportunities within fixed income markets.

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Private Equity Funds - These funds are illiquid allocations that invest primarily in buyout funds, venture capital, and debt/special situations. These funds are not eligible for redemption and investment periods are generally between 5 and 15 years.

Private Real Estate Funds - These funds are defined as those investments that are unleveraged or leveraged positions in real property. The portfolios may pursue direct privately held partnership interests, fund-of-funds interests, and direct holdings for its real estate allocation.

## E. SUMMARY OF INVESTMENT POLICY

The CERL vests the Board with exclusive control over SJCERA's investment portfolio. The Board established Investment Policies in accordance with applicable local, State, and Federal laws. The Board members exercise authority and control over the management of SJCERA's assets by setting policy, which the staff executes either internally or through the use of external prudent experts. The Board provides oversight and guidance subject to the following basic fiduciary responsibilities:

- Solely in the interest of, and for the exclusive purpose of, providing economic benefits to participants and their beneficiaries.
- With the care, skill, prudence, and diligence under the circumstances then prevailing that a prudent person acting in a like capacity and familiar with these matters would use in the conduct of an enterprise of a like character with like objectives.
- Diversify the investments of the Plans so as to minimize the risk of loss and to maximize the rate of return, unless under the circumstances, it is clearly prudent not to do so. Diversification is applicable to the deployment of the assets as a whole.


## F. TARGET ASSET ALLOCATION

The Board completed an asset-liability study during 2015, facilitated by its investment consultant and its consulting actuary. A key aspect of the study was the Board's consensus on how it defines risk and determining its tolerance for risk, which plays a significant role in the selection of the policy mix of assets that comprise the strategic asset allocation for the investment program.

On October 23, 2015, the Board adopted a revised strategic asset allocation policy for SJCERA's investments. The portfolio was reorganized into more risk-aligned strategic asset classes, and a 20 percent allocation to the Crisis Risk Offset (CRO) strategic class was added. The purpose of the CRO class is to provide significant return during a growth crisis using liquid instruments available at scale for a reasonable cost. This would include strategies involving treasury rate duration, systematic trend following, and liquid alternative risk premia.

The strategic asset allocation is expected to improve the likelihood of the plan accomplishing its primary financial objective: to earn a long-term return that, coupled with projected contributions, is projected to be sufficient to attain full funding in the long term while avoiding substantial deterioration in funded status along the way.

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| CURRENT ASSET ALLOCATION POLICY |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ASSET CLASS | POLICY ALLOCATION PERCENTAGE | PURPOSE | MAIN RISK EXPOSURES |
| Global Public Equity ${ }^{1}$ | 30.00\% | Return | Growth, Currency |
| Stable Fixed Income | 10.00\% | Income, Stability | Interest Rates |
| Credit | 14.00\% | Income, Growth | Growth |
| Private Appreciation ${ }^{2}$ | 12.00\% | Return | Growth |
| Risk Parity | 14.00\% | Balanced Return | Growth, Interest Rates, Inflation |
| Crisis Risk Offset (CRO) <br> Long Duration <br> Systematic Trend Following <br> Alternative Risk Premia | 20.00\% | Return and Liquidity During a Growth Crisis | Interest Rates Variable Based on Trends Alternative Factor Risks |
|  | 100.00\% |  |  |

${ }^{1}$ Includes 3\% public real estate securities
${ }^{2}$ Includes 7\% private real estate equity investments

## NOTE 5 - DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Board has authorized certain investment managers to invest in, or otherwise enter into, transactions involving derivative financial instruments when such transactions are consistent with the investment objectives established for a specific investment manager's assignment. A professional investment consultant is employed to monitor and review each investment manager's securities and derivative position as well as the manager's performance relative to established benchmark rates of return and risk measures. Derivative activities must be evaluated within the context of the overall portfolio performance and cannot be evaluated in isolation.

Investment derivatives involve the following types of risks.
Market Risk: Market risk is the risk of change in value of an instrument in response to changes in a market price or index. While all investments are subject to market risk, derivatives often have a higher degree of market risk than other types of investment instruments. Values of cash securities containing derivative features are often more susceptible to market risk than other types of fixed income securities because the amounts and/or timing of their scheduled cash flows may fluctuate under changing market conditions, according to their contractual terms. For other types of derivatives, amounts of contractual cash flows may be either positive or negative depending upon prevailing market conditions relative to the reference prices or rates, and thus the values of such instruments may be positive or negative, despite the fact that little or no cash is initially exchanged to enter into such contacts.

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Credit Risk: Credit risk of cash securities containing derivative features is based upon the credit worthiness of the issuers of such securities. It includes the risk that counterparties to contracts will not perform and/or the public exchange will not meet its obligation to assume this counterparty risk. Exchange traded derivatives are generally considered to be of lower credit risk than over-the-counter derivatives due to the exchange's margin requirements. SJCERA's derivative investments are exchange traded, and credit risk is limited to the clearing corporation. As of December 31, 2018, collateral for derivatives was $\$ 11.0$ million. This represents the maximum loss that would be recognized at the reporting date if all counterparties failed to perform as contracted.

The following Credit Risk Analysis schedule discloses the counterparty credit ratings of SJCERA's derivative investments as December 31, 2018.

CREDIT RISK ANALYSIS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2018

|  | S \& P CREDIT RATING |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| DERIVATIVE TYPE |  | A | TOTAL FAIR VALUE |  |
| Future Contracts |  | $\$$ | 682,898 | $\$$ |
| Options Contracts |  |  | 682,898 |  |
|  | TOTAL | $\$$ | 926,060 | 226,060 |

Interest Rate Risk: Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. Interest rate swaps are an example of an investment that has a fair value that is highly sensitive to interest rate changes. SJCERA is exposed to interest rate risk in the form of futures contracts and options contracts in the following global government bond markets.

## INTEREST RATE RISK

AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2018

| GLOBAL BONDS | FUTURES CONTRACTS | OPTIONS CONTRACTS |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Canadian Government Bond | \$ | $19,754,163$ | \$ | - |
| :--- |
| Long Gilt |
| Japanese Government Bond |
| Euro Bond |
| U.S. Ten-Year Notes |
| Eurodollars |

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SJCERA measures derivative interest rate risk using duration with varying maturities of less than three months to more than 10 years. At December 31, 2018, SJCERA had the following investment derivative interest rate risks.

## INTEREST RATE RISK ANALYSIS

As of December 31, 2018
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

| DERIVATIVE TYPE | NOTIONAL VALUE | FAIR VALUE | $<3$ <br> MONTHS | 3 TO 6 MONTHS |  | 6 TO 12 <br> MONTHS |  | $1 \text { TO } 5$YEARS |  | 5 TO 10 YEARS |  | $\begin{gathered} 10+ \\ \text { YEARS } \end{gathered}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Futures Contracts | \$ $(58,030)$ | \$ | \$ $(58,030)$ | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | - |
| Swap Agreements | - | (120) | - |  | - |  | - |  | (120) |  | - |  | - |
| TOTAL | \$ $(58,030)$ | (120) | \$(58,030) | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | (120) | \$ | - | \$ | - |

Foreign Currency Risk: Foreign currency risk is the risk that changes in currency exchange rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. Currency forward contracts represent foreign exchange contracts that are used to control currency exposure and facilitate the settlement of international security purchase and sale transactions. At December 31, 2018, SJCERA had the derivative foreign currency exposures listed in the table below.

## FOREIGN CURRENCY RISK ANALYSIS

## As of December 31, 2018

| CURRENCY |  | FUTURES CONTRACTS |  | OPTIONS CONTRACTS |  | INTEREST RATE CONTRACTS |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Australian Dollar |  | \$ | $(12,129,440)$ | \$ | - | \$ | - |
| Canadian Dollar |  |  | $(12,276,170)$ |  | - |  | - |
| Euro Currency |  |  | $(12,674,750)$ |  | - |  | $(75,052)$ |
| British Pound Sterling |  |  | $(11,910,688)$ |  | 48,725 |  | - |
| Japanese Yen |  |  | $(12,954,038)$ |  | - |  | - |
| Swiss Franc |  |  | $(12,805,000)$ |  | - |  | - |
|  | TOTAL | \$ | $(74,750,086)$ | \$ | 48,725 | \$ | $(75,052)$ |

Derivatives are carried as assets when the fair value is positive, and as liabilities when the fair value is negative. Gains and losses from derivatives are included in net investment income (loss). For financial reporting purposes, all SJCERA derivatives are classified as investment derivatives.

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Derivative financial instruments held by SJCERA from time to time consist of the following:

## FUTURES CONTRACTS

A futures contract represents an agreement to buy (long position) or sell (short position) an underlying asset at a specified future date for a specified price. Payment for the transaction is delayed until a future date, which is referred to as the settlement or expiration date. Futures contracts are standardized contracts traded on organized exchanges.

## OPTIONS CONTRACTS

An options contract is a type of derivative security in which a buyer (purchaser) has the right, but not the obligation, to buy or sell a specified amount of an underlying security at a fixed price by exercising the option before its expiration date. The seller (writer) has an obligation to buy or sell the underlying security if the buyer decides to exercise the option.

## SWAP AGREEMENTS

A swap is an agreement between two or more parties to exchange a sequence of cash flows over a period of time in the future. No principal is exchanged at the beginning of the swap. The cash flows the counterparties exchange are tied to a notional amount. A swap agreement specifies the time period over which the periodic payments will be exchanged. The fair value represents the gains or losses as of the prior marking-to-market.

All investment derivative positions are included as part of investments at fair value on the Statement of Fiduciary Net Position. All changes in fair value are reported as part of net appreciation/(depreciation) in fair value of investments in the Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position. Investment information was provided either by SJCERA's investment managers or SJCERA's custodian bank. The Investment Derivatives schedule below is classified by type and reports the fair value balances and notional amounts of derivatives outstanding as of and for the year ended December 31, 2018.

## INVESTMENT DERIVATIVES

As of December 31, 2018

|  | DERIVATIVE TYPE | NOTIONAL AMOUNT | FAIR VALUE |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Futures Contracts |  | $\$$ | $(72,279,081)$ |
| Options Contracts | \$ | 682,898 |  |
| Rights / Warrants |  | $1,125,045$ | 226,060 |
| Swap Agreements | TOTAL | $\$$ | - |
|  | $(71,154,036)$ | $\$$ | 5 |

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## NOTE 6 - CONTRIBUTIONS REQUIRED AND CONTRIBUTIONS MADE DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN

The funding objective of the plan is to establish contribution rates that, over time, are likely to remain as a level percentage of payroll unless plan benefit provisions are changed. Actuarial valuations involve estimates and make assumptions about the probability of events far into the future, therefore actuarially determined rates are subject to continual revision as results are compared to past expectations and new estimates are made about the future.

Tier 1 member contribution rates are calculated by the actuary using the Entry Age Normal Funding Method (Cost Method). Most Tier 1 members pay one-half of the cost of prefunding post-retirement COLAs, and some pay an additional percentage of the basic member contribution rate, which reduces the employers' normal cost. Tier 2 members pay a single contribution rate adjusted annually. The required contribution rates are expressed as a percentage of covered payroll. The 2018 contribution rates were determined using the actuarial valuations performed as of January 1, 2017.

## EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS

For 2018, the required employer contribution rates including normal cost and amortization of the unfunded actuarial liability (UAL) were determined by using the valuation report as of January 1, 2017. In accordance with its Funding Policy, SJCERA amortizes any unexpected changes in UAL over a period of 15 years as a level percent of pay, with new amortization layers each year. The 2008 Extraordinary Actuarial Loss is amortized over a closed 30 -year period, with 21 years remaining as of January 1, 2018. The remaining UAL as of December 31, 2014, is amortized over a closed 19-year period with 15 years remaining as of January 1, 2018; new additions to the UAL on and after January 1, 2014, are being amortized over 15 years. The single amortization period for these streams of payments is 16 years as of January 1, 2018. The amortization period for each unfunded actuarial liability layer will decrease each year.

Effective January 1, 2017, the County began making additional annual contributions ranging from zero percent to five percent of payroll. These additional contributions, made for the next ten years, decrease only the County's share of the UAL and not the liability for other entities participating in SJCERA. In November 2018, SJC Mosquito and Vector Control District (MVCD) made an additional $\$ 80,000$ contribution to decrease its unfunded actuarial liability. The MVCD plans to contribute an additional \$70,000 per budget year from 2019 through 2024. These additional annual contributions decrease only the MVCD's share of the UAL and not the liability for other entities participating in SJCERA.

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| EMPLOYER RETIREMENT CONTRIBUTION RATES Expressed as a Percentage of Active Member Payroll | 2018(PER 1/1/2017 VALUATION) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | NORMAL COST | UAL AMORTIZATION | TOTAL |
| TIER 1 |  |  |  |
| For General Members |  |  |  |
| Paying Basic Rate Only (G.C. 31621.3) | 17.71\% | 24.25\% | 41.96\% |
| Paying Basic Rate with COLA Cost Share | 15.19\% | 24.25\% | 39.44\% |
| Paying 114\% of Basic Rate with COLA Cost Share | 14.69\% | 24.25\% | 38.94\% |
| For Safety Members |  |  |  |
| Paying Basic Rate Only (G.C. 31639.5) | 30.83\% | 49.25\% | 80.08\% |
| Paying Basic Rate with COLA Cost Share | 26.21\% | 49.25\% | 75.46\% |
| Paying 133\% of Basic Rate with COLA Cost Share | 24.75\% | 49.25\% | 74.00\% |
| Composite Total for General and Safety Combined |  |  |  |
| Paying Basic Rate Only (G.C. 31621.3) | 20.06\% | 28.69\% | 48.75\% |
| Paying Basic Rate with COLA Cost Share | 17.17\% | 28.69\% | 45.86\% |
| Paying 114\% / 133\% of Basic Rate with COLA Cost Share | 16.49\% | 28.69\% | 45.18\% |
| TIER 2 |  |  |  |
| For General Members | 8.90\% | 24.25\% | 33.15\% |
| For Safety Members | 14.33\% | 49.25\% | 63.58\% |
| COMPOSITE TOTAL FOR GENERAL AND SAFETY COMBINED | 9.39\% | 26.41\% | 35.80\% |

The composite employer contribution rates (for General and Safety members combined) expressed as a percentage, or range of percentages, of covered payroll for the past seven years are as follows:

| CONTRIBUTION YEAR | TIER 1 | TIER 2 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2018 | $45.18 \%-48.75 \%$ | $35.80 \%$ |
| 2017 | $44.31 \%-47.91 \%$ | $34.48 \%$ |
| 2016 | $42.06 \%-45.58 \%$ | $31.95 \%$ |
| 2015 | $39.84 \%-43.06 \%$ | $30.34 \%$ |
| 2014 | $36.59 \%-38.93 \%$ | $29.43 \%$ |
| 2013 | $32.66 \%-35.12 \%$ | $26.65 \%$ |
| 2012 | $29.30 \%-32.04 \%$ | - |

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## MEMBER CONTRIBUTIONS

Member contributions are deducted from the member's salary on a biweekly basis.
Tier 1 members pay contributions based upon their membership category, General or Safety, and age at entry into membership. General, Tier 1 members employed before March 7, 1973 and all Safety, Tier 1 members stop paying member contributions when they have 30 years of service, but continue to accrue retirement service credit for subsequent active employment subject to membership.

Tier 2 members pay contributions based upon their membership category equal to one-half of the normal cost of the applicable benefits

In 2018, member contributions totaled $\$ 35,377,951$, and employer contributions totaled $\$ 208,757,572$. Member contributions increased by $\$ 1.7$ million, or 5.2 percent, over the prior year, and employer contributions increased by $\$ 8.7$ million, or 4.4 percent, over the prior year.

## NOTE 7 - FIDUCIARY NET POSITION RESTRICTED FOR PENSION BENEFITS

As required by the CERL and the Board's policy, the following reserves from Fiduciary Net Position Restricted for Pension Benefits must be established and used to account for the members', employers', and retirees' contributions. The Unappropriated Earnings Reserves were not sufficient to fully credit interest earnings at the 7.25 percent assumption rate for all of the reserves except for the active and deferred members' reserves in 2018. In addition, there were no excess earnings to fund the Contingency Reserve in 2018.

## A. ACTIVE AND DEFERRED MEMBERS' RESERVE

This reserve represents the cumulative contributions made by active members, net of refunds to the members, plus the investment earnings credited to the reserve at assumption rates determined by the actuary.

## B. EMPLOYER ADVANCE RESERVES

This reserve represents the cumulative contributions made by the County and participating certain special districts for the active members. Interest earnings are credited semi-annually to the reserves at the assumption rate determined by the actuary if sufficient unappropriated earnings reserve funds exist.

## C. COUNTY ADDITIONAL 5\% CONTRIBUTIONS RESERVE

This reserve represents the additional contributions in excess of actuarially determined contributions paid by the County in order to decrease its share of the UAL.

## D. RETIRED MEMBERS' RESERVES

These reserves are established to account for the unpaid retirees' pension benefits. Upon a member's retirement, the member's accumulated contributions are transferred from the Active and Deferred Members' Reserve account to the Retired Members' Annuity Reserve account.

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In addition, the actuarially determined amount of the member's vested interest is transferred from the Employer Advance Reserves account to the Retired Members' Pension Reserve account.

The Retired Members' Reserve account at December 31, 2018, includes the authorized "Purchasing Power" benefit reserve and additional pension benefits specified in the preApril 1, 1982 class-action lawsuit settlement agreement. These benefits are explained in Note 1b. In accordance with the Statement of Reserve Policy, the post-April 1, 1982 Settlement Reserve is a Special Reserve, which is not included in valuation assets.

## E. CONTINGENCY RESERVE

Earnings of the retirement fund during any year in excess of the total interest credited to contributions and reserves during the year remain in the fund as a reserve against deficiencies in interest earnings in other years, losses on investments, and other contingencies. The CERL provides that when the contingency reserve exceeds one percent of total assets, the retirement board may transfer all or any part of the surplus as specified in Government Code Section 31592.2. In June 2017, the Board amended the Reserve Policy, lowering the Contingency Reserve target from three percent to one percent of total assets. The Contingency Reserve is zero percent of the fair value of total assets at December 31, 2018.

## F. MARKET STABILIZATION DESIGNATION RESERVE

This "designation" account is used to further minimize the impact of the fluctuations in the fair value of the investments owned by SJCERA. It represents the difference between the actuarial value of assets and the fair value of assets at year-end. It is the balance of deferred earnings and losses created by a five-year smoothing of actual gains and losses compared to the assumed investment rate of return.

## G. UNAPPROPRIATED EARNINGS RESERVE

The Unappropriated Earnings Reserve (UER) is used to accumulate investment income earned by SJCERA, net of the investment expenses and SJCERA's administration cost. From this unappropriated earnings account, interest is credited to various reserve accounts. In addition, at the Board's discretion and subject to the settlement agreement in 2001, this account may also be used, from time to time, to stabilize the County's and the special districts' actuarially determined contributions, and to fund the market stabilization and contingency reserves accounts.

## H. CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT - POST 4/1/82 RESERVE

The Class Action Settlement - Post 4/1/82 Reserve designates the fund that pays the Post-82 Class Action Settlement allowances for the lifetime of the members and beneficiaries, who retired between April 1, 1982, and December 31, 2000, to the extent sufficient funds are available.

## I. MOSQUITO AND VECTOR CONTROL DISTRICT ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS RESERVE

This reserve represents the additional contributions in excess of actuarially determined contributions paid by the MVCD in order to decrease its share of the UAL.

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## J. SUMMARY OF RESERVES

A summary of reserved and designated net position as of December 31, 2018 follows.

| RESERVES |  |
| :--- | :---: |
| Active and Deferred Members | S |
| Employer Advance | $374,294,622$ |
| County Additional 5\% Contribution | $1,372,139,555$ |
| MVCD Additional Contributions | $40,468,809$ |
| Retired Members |  |
| Class Action Settlement - Post-4/1/82 | 80,000 |
| Contingency |  |
| Market Stabilization Designation | TOTAL RESERVES |
|  | $\$, 257,914,705$ |

## NOTE 8 - NET PENSION LIABILITY AND SIGNIFICANT ASSUMPTIONS

## A. NET PENSION LIABILITY OF EMPLOYERS

SJCERA is a cost sharing, multiple-employer pension plan with a reporting date of December 31, 2018. Measurements as of the reporting date are based on the fair value of assets as of December 31, 2018, and the total pension liability as of the valuation date, January 1, 2018, projected to December 31, 2018. There were no significant events between the valuation date and the measurement date, so the updated procedures consisted of updated actuarial assumptions, plus the addition of service cost and interest cost offset by benefit payments.

The net pension liability was measured as of December 31, 2018, and determined based upon rolling forward the total pension liability from the actuarial valuation as of January 1, 2018. The net pension liability (i.e., the pension plan's liability determined in accordance with GASB Statement No. 67 less the fiduciary net position) is shown below.

Employers' Net Pension Liability (GASB Statement No. 67)
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2018
(Dollars in Millions)

| Total Pension Liability | $\$$ |
| :--- | :---: |
| Plan Fiduciary Net Position | 4,701 |
| Employers' Net Pension Liability | 2,841 |
| Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability | 1,860 |

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## B. ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND SIGNIFICANT ASSUMPTIONS

SJCERA retains an independent actuarial firm to conduct actuarial valuations of the pension plan, monitor SJCERA's funding status, and establish the contribution rate requirements for the pension plan. Actuarial valuations of an ongoing plan involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of occurrence of events into the future. Examples include assumptions about future employment, mortality, and cost trends. Actuarially determined amounts are subject to continual review or modification as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future. Projections of benefits for financial reporting purposes are based on the plan and include the types of benefits provided at the time of each valuation and the historical pattern of sharing of benefit costs between the employer and plan members to that point. The actuarial methods and assumptions used include techniques that are designed to reduce short-term volatility in accrued actuarial liabilities and the actuarial value of assets, consistent with the long-term perspective of the calculations. The total pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of January 1,2018 , using the following actuarial assumptions applied to all prior periods included in the measurement in accordance with the requirements of GASB Statement No. 67.

In the January 1, 2018 actuarial valuation, the Entry Age Normal Funding Method (Cost Method) was used. The actuarial assumptions include a 7.25 percent investment rate of return, annual inflation rate of 2.90 percent per year, and projected salary increases at 3.15 percent per year for the year ended 2018. The actuarial value of the plan's assets was based on a five-year smoothing of actual versus expected returns.

In 2015, the SJCERA Board changed the funding policy to amortize any unexpected changes in the UAL over a period of 15 years as a level percent of pay, with new amortization layers each year. The 2008 Extraordinary Actuarial Loss, which is amortized over a closed 30-year period, has 21 years remaining. The remaining UAL as of December 31, 2014, which is amortized over a closed 19 -year period, has 15 years remaining. The new additions to the UAL on and after January 1, 2014, are amortized over 15 years. The single amortization period for these streams of payments is 16 years as of January 1, 2018. The amortization period for each unfunded actuarial liability layer will decrease each year.

The total pension liability for the pension plan was determined by an actuarial valuation as of January 1, 2018, and accepted actuarial procedures were applied to project the total pension liability to December 31, 2018. Key methods and assumptions used in the latest actuarial valuations as of January 1, 2018, are presented in the table that follows.
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Key methods and assumptions used in the latest actuarial valuations are presented below.

| Valuation Date | January 1, 2018 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Actuarial Cost Method | Entry Age Normal |
| Amortization Method | Level Percentage of Payroll with Separate Amortization Periods for Extraordinary Actuarial Gains or Losses |
| Remaining Amortization Period | 2008 Extraordinary Actuarial Loss - 21 years <br> Remaining UAL as of January 1, 2014-15 years <br> Subsequent Unexpected Changes in UAL after January 1, 2014-15 years <br> Single Equivalent Period as of January 1, 2017-16 years |
| Asset Valuation Method | Smoothed Actuarial Value (5 years): 80\%-120\% Asset Corridor |
| ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS: |  |
| Discount Rate | 7.25\%, Net of Pension Plan Investment Expenses, Including Inflation |
| Projected Salary Increases | 3.15\%, Plus Service-Based Rates |
| General Inflation Rate | 2.90\% |
| Cost-of-Living Adjustments | 2.60\% Per Year Assumed |
| Healthy Mortality | Mortality rates for active members are based on the sex distinct CalPERS Preretirement Non-Industrial Mortality Table, with generational mortality improvements projected from 2009 using Projection Scale MP-2015, published by the Society of Actuaries. <br> Mortality rates for healthy annuitants are based on the sex distinct CalPERS Healthy Annuitant Mortality Table, with a partial credibility adjustment of 1.10 for Safety members, with generational mortality improvements projected from 2009 using Projection Scale MP-2015, published by the Society of Actuaries. <br> Mortality rates for active members who die in the line-of-duty are based on the sex distinct CaIPERS Preretirement Industrial Mortality Table, with generational mortality improvements projected from 2009 using Projection Scale MP-2015, published by the Society of Actuaries. |
| Disabled Mortality | Mortality rates for Safety disabled annuitants are based on the sex distinct CaIPERS Industrially Disabled Annuitant Mortality Table, with generational mortality improvements projected from 2009 using Projection Scale MP-2015, published by the Society of Actuaries. <br> Mortality rates for General disabled annuitants are based on the sex distinct CaIPERS Non-Industrially Disabled Annuitant Mortality Table, with a partial credibility adjustment of 1.05, with generational mortality improvements projected from 2009 using Projection Scale MP-2015, published by the Society of Actuaries. |

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## C. FUNDED STATUS AND FUNDING PROGRESS

The plan's funded status is determined from a long-term, ongoing perspective. The annual actuarial valuation determines the progress made in accumulating sufficient assets to pay benefits when due. As of January 1, 2018, the pension plan's accrued actuarial liabilities were $\$ 4.5$ billion and the actuarial value of assets was $\$ 2.9$ billion, resulting in UAL of $\$ 1.6$ billion. The funded status (ratio) of actuarial value of assets over accrued actuarial liabilities was 64.8 percent.

As of the January 1, 2018 actuarial valuation, the funded status increased to 64.8 percent from 64.6 percent. In addition, for January 1, 2018, the discount rate assumption was lowered from 7.4 percent to 7.25 percent since the prior valuation. No other assumption changes were made.

SJCERA's Funding Policy provides for regular employer and member contributions at actuarially determined rates, expressed as percentages of annual covered payroll. Contributions required and contributions made are explained in Note 6.

## D. ASSET ALLOCATION POLICY AND EXPECTED LONG-TERM RATE OF RETURN BY ASSET CLASS

The allocation of investment assets within SJCERA's portfolio is approved by the Board. Plan assets are managed on a total return basis with a long-term objective of achieving and maintaining a fully funded status for the benefits provided through the defined benefit pension plans. The long-term expected rate of return on defined benefit pension plan investment assets was determined using a building-block method in which best estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage, adjusted for inflation. The following table displays the Board-approved asset allocation policy for 2018 and the long-term expected real rates of return.

| ASSET CLASS |  | ARITHMETIC <br> LONG-TERM EXPECTED <br> REAL RATE OF RETURN |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Global Public Equities | TARGET ALLOCATION | $9.15 \%$ |
| Stable Fixed Income | $30.00 \%$ | $4.45 \%$ |
| Credit | $10.00 \%$ | $7.45 \%$ |
| Risk Parity | $14.00 \%$ | $6.55 \%$ |
| Private Appreciation | $14.00 \%$ | $9.75 \%$ |
| Crisis Risk Offset (CRO) | $12.00 \%$ | $5.50 \%$ |
| Short Term Investments / Cash / Cash Equivalents | $20.00 \%$ | $3.15 \%$ |
|  |  |  |

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## E. DISCOUNT RATE

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.25 percent as of December 31, 2018. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed plan member contributions will be made at the current contribution rate, and that employer contributions will be made at rates equal to the actuarially determined contribution rates. For this purpose, only employer contributions that are intended to fund benefits of current plan members and their beneficiaries are included. Projected employer contributions that are intended to fund the service costs of future plan members and their beneficiaries, as well as projected contributions from future plan members, are not included. Based on those assumptions, the fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments for current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability as of December 31, 2018.

## F. SENSITIVITY OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY TO CHANGES IN THE DISCOUNT RATE

The table below presents the net pension liability of SJCERA as of December 31, 2018, calculated using the discount rate of 7.25 percent, as well as what SJCERA's net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage point lower or one percentage point higher than the current rate.

|  | 1\% DECREASE (6.25\%) |  | CURRENT DISCOUNT RATE (7.25\%) |  | 1\% INCREASE (8.25\%) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Pension Liability | \$ | 5,337,558,782 | \$ | 4,700,655,459 | \$ | 4,177,696,831 |
| Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position |  | 2,841,042,076 |  | 2,841,042,076 |  | 2,841,042,076 |
| COLLECTIVE NET PENSION LIABILITY | \$ | 2,496,516,706 | \$ | 1,859,613,383 | \$ | 1,336,654,755 |
| Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability |  | 53.2\% |  | 60.4\% |  | 68.0\% |

## G. RATE OF RETURN

For the year ended December 31, 2018, the annual money-weighted rate of return on investments, net of investment expense, was -2.11 percent. The money-weighted rate of return expresses investment performance, net of investment expense, adjusted for the changing amounts actually invested.

## NOTE 9 - INVESTMENT EXPENSES

Investment expenses include fees paid for investment management services, investment consulting services, fund evaluation services, securities custodian services, and interest expense and other fees incurred in security lending transactions.

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## NOTE 10 - GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

General administrative expenses, including the depreciation and amortization of capital assets, are funded by investment income earnings and are limited, pursuant to Government Code Section 31580.2, to twenty-one-hundredths of one percent ( 0.21 percent) of SJCERA's accrued actuarial liability. The actual administration expense for the year ended December 31, 2018, was 0.09 percent of the accrued actuarial liability. SJCERA was in compliance with this requirement during 2018.

## NOTE 11 - PENDING LITIGATION

Allum, et al. v. SJCERA, et al.

SJCERA Retirees Edward Allum and Pauline Toy ("Plaintiff Retirees") have sued SJCERA and its Board of Retirement ("SJCERA Respondents") in San Joaquin County Superior Court, on behalf of a class of similarly situated retirees ("post-'82 Retirees"), alleging that SJCERA breached a 2001 class action settlement agreement and committed other alleged wrongdoing by taking a variety of actions, and allegedly failing to take a variety of actions, related to the reserving for, and payment of, supplemental retirement benefits ("post-' 82 Benefits") ("Allum Class Action"). Plaintiff Retirees claim over \$25 million in damages. The SJCERA Respondents have denied the post-' 82 Retirees' claims of wrongdoing with respect to the post-' 82 Benefits and are vigorously defending themselves in the Allum Class Action. SJCERA and cross-defendant County of San Joaquin have each filed Motions for Summary Judgment and/or Summary Adjudication, which are scheduled for hearing on June 14, 2019.

## SJCERA v. Travelers

SJCERA has sought coverage for its defense fees and costs incurred in the Allum Class Action under a fiduciary liability insurance policy issued by SJCERA's prior fiduciary insurance carrier, Travelers Casualty \& Surety Company of America ("Travelers"). Travelers declined to provide a defense to SJCERA, and SJCERA is pursuing it for coverage in a federal court action that alleges both that Travelers breached the insurance contract and acted in bad faith by failing to defend.

## NOTE 12 - COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

SJCERA participates in certain investments that require commitments of a specified amount of capital upfront that is then drawn down at a later time as the investment vehicle requires. The total unfunded capital commitment represents the amount of funds that SJCERA could potentially be required to contribute at a future date. SJCERA had unfunded capital commitments totaling \$284.9 million at December 31, 2018.

## NOTE 13 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

SJCERA has evaluated subsequent events through May 24, 2019, the date on which the financial statements were available to be issued. There are no pending subsequent events.

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## SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN NET PENSION LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS

For the Years Ended ${ }^{1}$

|  | DECEMBER 31, 2018 | DECEMBER 31, 2017 | DECEMBER 31, 2016 | DECEMBER 31, 2015 | DECEMBER 31, 2014 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| TOTAL PENSION LIABILITY |  |  |  |  |  |
| Service Cost | \$ 103,300,553 | \$ 98,438,144 | \$ 92,857,369 | \$ 94,377,630 | \$ 90,429,416 |
| Interest <br> (Includes Interest on Service Cost) | 325,161,265 | 308,566,601 | 295,197,992 | 280,581,484 | 266,668,435 |
| Change of Benefit Terms | - | - | - | - | - |
| Differences Between Expected and Actual Experience | $(49,383,683)$ | 37,219,673 | $(10,171,368)$ | $(25,752,670)$ | - |
| Changes of Assumptions | 81,854,664 | - | 87,601,669 | - | - |
| Benefit Payments, Including Refunds of Employee Contributions | $(221,443,668)$ | $(205,406,970)$ | $(194,719,177)$ | $(181,468,913)$ | $(165,870,971)$ |
| NET CHANGE IN TOTAL PENSION LIABILITY | 239,489,131 | 238,817,448 | 270,766,485 | 167,737,531 | 191,226,880 |
| TOTAL PENSION LIABILITY - BEGINNING | 4,461,166,328 | 4,222,348,880 | 3,951,582,395 | 3,783,844,864 | 3,592,617,984 |
| TOTAL PENSION LIABILITY - ENDING (A) | \$4,700,655,459 | \$4,461,166,328 | \$4,222,348,880 | \$3,951,582,395 | \$3,783,844,864 |

FIDUCIARY NET POSITION

| Contributions - Employer | \$ 208,757,572 | \$ 200,051,742 | \$ 159,122,523 | \$ 150,371,556 | \$ 136,686,133 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Contributions - Member | 35,377,951 | 33,634,906 | 30,117,408 | 29,026,901 | 27,367,908 |
| Transfer Between Plans | 324,269 | 364,714 | 293,779 | 378,969 | 19,968,779 |
| Net Investment Income (Loss) | $(56,397,598)$ | 299,960,693 | 151,114,788 | $(47,339,750)$ | 110,728,303 |
| Benefit Payments, Including Refunds of Member Contributions | $(221,443,668)$ | $(205,406,970)$ | $(194,719,177)$ | $(181,468,913)$ | $(165,870,971)$ |
| Administrative Expenses | $(4,865,082)$ | $(4,118,578)$ | $(4,369,744)$ | $(4,075,745)$ | $(4,042,986)$ |
| NET CHANGE IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION | $(38,246,555)$ | 324,486,507 | 141,559,577 | $(53,106,982)$ | 124,837,166 |
| FIDUCIARY NET POSITION - BEGINNING | 2,879,288,631 | 2,554,802,124 | 2,413,242,547 | 2,466,349,529 | 2,341,512,363 |
| FIDUCIARY NET POSITION - ENDING (B) | \$2,841,042,076 | \$2,879,288,631 | \$2,554,802,124 | \$2,413,242,547 | \$2,466,349,529 |
| NET PENSION LIABILITY - ENDING (A)-(B) | \$1,859,613,383 | \$1,581,877,697 | \$1,667,546,756 | \$1,538,339,848 | \$1,317,495,335 |
| FIDUCIARY NET POSITION AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE TOTAL PENSION LIABILITY | 60.44\% | 64.54\% | 60.51\% | 61.07\% | 65.18\% |
| COVERED PAYROLL ${ }^{2}$ | \$ 436,763,447 | \$ 425,886,951 | \$ 392,227,314 | \$ 396,136,470 | \$ 376,030,944 |
| NET PENSION LIABILITY AS A PERCENTAGE OF COVERED PAYROLL | 425.77\% | 371.43\% | 425.15\% | 388.34\% | 350.37\% |

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## REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

## SCHEDULE OF CONTRIBUTIONS FROM THE EMPLOYERS AND OTHER CONTRIBUTING SOURCES - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN

For the Ten Years Ended December 31

| 2018-2014 | 2018 |  | 2017 |  | 2016 |  | 2015 |  | 2014 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Actuarially Determined Contributions | \$ | 188,322,653 | \$ | 179,824,882 | \$ | 159,122,523 | \$ | 150,371,556 | \$ | 136,686,133 |
| Contributions in Relation to the Actuarially Determined Contribution |  | 208,757,572 |  | 200,051,742 |  | 159,122,523 |  | 150,371,556 |  | 136,686,133 |
| Contribution Deficiency / (Excess) ${ }^{1}$ | \$ | $(20,434,919)$ | \$ | $(20,226,860)$ | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | - |
| Covered Payroll ${ }^{2}$ | \$ | 436,763,447 | \$ | 425,886,951 | \$ | 392,227,314 | \$ | 396,136,470 | \$ | 376,030,944 |
| Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll |  | 47.80\% |  | 46.97\% |  | 40.57\% |  | 37.96\% |  | 36.35\% |

## 2013-2009

|  | 2013 | 2012 | 2011 | 2010 | 2009 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Actuarially Determined Contributions | \$ 119,494,319 | \$ 108,062,510 | \$ 112,891,701 | \$ 104,451,673 | \$ 97,805,585 |
| Contributions in Relation to the Actuarially Determined Contribution | 119,494,319 | 108,062,510 | 112,891,701 | 104,451,673 | 97,805,585 |
| Contribution Deficiency / (Excess) ${ }^{1}$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| Covered Payroll ${ }^{2}$ | \$ 362,650,568 | \$ 356,419,000 | \$ 367,344,000 | \$ 384,442,000 | \$ 377,559,000 |
| Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll | 32.95\% | 30.32\% | 30.73\% | 27.10\% | 25.90\% |

${ }^{1}$ The contributions in excess of Actuarially Determined Contributions are due to the County's additional 5\% contributions and MVCD's additional contributions.
${ }^{2}$ Covered Payroll reported by plan sponsors for 2018, 2017, 2016, 2015, and 2014. Previous years' amounts are based on projected payroll from the actuarial valuation reports.

## REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

## SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENT RETURNS

## For the Years Ended ${ }^{1}$

| DECEMBER 31, <br> 2018 | DECEMBER 31, <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 7}$ | DECEMBER 31, <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | DECEMBER 31, <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ | DECEMBER 31, <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Annual Money-Weighted Rate of <br> Return, Net of Investment Expense | $-2.11 \%$ | $11.85 \%$ | $6.20 \%$ | $-2.06 \%$ | $4.29 \%$ |

${ }^{1}$ Schedule is intended to show information for 10 years. Additional years will be displayed as they become available.
The money-weighted rate of return expresses investment performance, net of investment expense, adjusted for the changing amounts actually invested. It is calculated by finding the rate of return that will set the present values of all cash flows and terminal values equal to the value of the initial investment. The money-weighted rate of return is equivalent to the internal rate of return (IRR).

A time-weighted rate of return assumes that all cash distributions are reinvested in the portfolio and the exact same periods are used for comparisons. When calculating the time-weighted rate of return, the effect of varying cash inflows is eliminated by assuming a single investment at the beginning of a period and measuring the growth or loss of fair value to the end of that period.

## NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

## NOTE 1 - KEY METHODS AND ASSUMPTIONS USED TO DETERMINE CONTRIBUTION RATES

The following actuarial methods and assumptions were used to determine contribution rates for the year ended December 31, 2018, in the Schedule of Contributions from the Employers and Other Contributing Sources.

| Valuation Date | January 1,2017 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Actuarial Cost Method | Entry Age Normal |
| Amortization Method | Level Percentage of Payroll with Separate Amortization Periods <br> for Extraordinary Actuarial Gains or Losses. |
| Remaining Amortization Period | 2008 Extraordinary Actuarial Loss - 22 years <br> Remaining UAL as of January 1, 2014 - 16 years <br> Subsequent Unexpected Changes in UAL after January 1, 2014-15 years <br> Single Equivalent Period as of January 1, 2016-17 years |
| Asset Valuation Method | Smoothed Actuarial Value (5 years) <br> $80 \%-120 \%$ Asset Corridor |

## ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS:

$\left.\left.\begin{array}{|l|l|}\hline \text { Discount Rate } & 7.4 \%, \text { Net of Pension Plan Investment Expenses, Including Inflation } \\ \hline \text { Projected Salary Increases } & 3.15 \%, \text { Plus Service-Based Rates } \\ \hline \text { General Inflation Rate } & 2.90 \% \\ \hline \text { Cost-of-Living Adjustments } & 2.6 \% \text { Per Year Assumed } \\ \hline \text { Healthy Mortality } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Mortality rates for active members are based on the sex distinct CaIPERS } \\ \text { Preretirement Non-Industrial Mortality Table, with generational mortality } \\ \text { improvements projected from 2009 using Projection Scale MP-2015, } \\ \text { published by the Society of Actuaries. }\end{array} \\ \hline \begin{array}{l}\text { Mortality rates for healthy members are based on the sex distinct } \\ \text { CalPERS Healthy Annuitant Mortality Table, with a partial credibility } \\ \text { adjustment of 1.10 for Safety members, with generational mortality } \\ \text { improvements projected from 2009 using Projection Scale MP-2015, } \\ \text { published by the Society of Actuaries. }\end{array} \\ \hline \text { Disabled Mortality } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Mortality rates for active members who die in the line-of-duty are based } \\ \text { on the sex distinct CalPERS Preretirement Industrial Mortality Table, } \\ \text { with generational mortality improvements projected from 2009 using } \\ \text { Projection Scale MP-2015, published by the Society of Actuaries. }\end{array} \\ \hline & \begin{array}{l}\text { Mortality rates for Safety disabled annuitants are based on the sex } \\ \text { distinct CalPERS Industrially Disabled Annuitant Mortality Table, } \\ \text { with generational mortality improvements projected from 2009 using } \\ \text { Projection Scale MP-2015, published by the Society of Actuaries. }\end{array} \\ \text { Mortality rates for General disabled annuitants are based on the sex }\end{array}\right\} \begin{array}{l}\text { distinct CalPERS Non-Industrially Disabled Annuitant Mortality Table, } \\ \text { with a partial credibility adjustment of 1.05, with generational mortality } \\ \text { improvements projected from 2009 using Projection Scale MP-2015, } \\ \text { published by the Society of Actuaries. }\end{array}\right\}$

A complete description of the methods and assumptions used to determine contribution rates for the year ending December 31, 2018, can be found in the January 1, 2017 actuarial valuation report.

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## NOTE 2 - CHANGES OF ASSUMPTIONS

The most recent Actuarial Experience Study was performed in 2016, covering experience from January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2015, leading to changes in demographic and economic assumptions. This experience study specifically analyzed and made the following recommendations for the demographic and economic assumptions. The merit salary rates increased at lower service levels and decreased at higher service levels for all members. The retirement rates reduced at younger ages for General members. The termination rates had minor increases to General members with less than 20 years of service, and modest increases for Safety members with less than five years of service and decreased after five years of service. Disability rates decreased in Safety members over age 50. Mortality rates adjusted California Public Employees Retirement System (CaIPERS) base tables, with generational improvement for all members.

On November 18, 2016, the Board of Retirement adopted new economic assumptions effective with the January 1, 2016 valuation. To reflect changes in market conditions, the long-term rate of return on plan assets was adjusted from 7.5 percent to 7.4 percent, the long-term inflation rate measured by the Consumer Price Index (CPI) was adjusted from 3.00 percent to 2.9 percent, the annual wage was adjusted from 3.25 percent to 3.15 percent, and a post-retirement COLA average growth rate was 2.60 percent.

In 2018, the assumptions and methods used in the most current valuation as of January 1, 2018, are based on the Actuarial Experience Study performed in 2016. The discount rate assumption was lowered from 7.4 percent to 7.25 percent since the prior valuation. No other changes in assumptions or methods were made.

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SCHEDULE OF ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES
For the Year Ended December 31, 2018

|  |  | 2018 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES (Expenses Subject to the Statutory Limit) |  |  |  |
| Personnel Services |  |  |  |
| Staff Salaries |  | \$ | 1,703,447 |
| Cafeteria Benefits |  |  | 21,532 |
| Insurance |  |  | 247,543 |
| Social Security |  |  | 111,298 |
| Retirement |  |  | 630,498 |
|  | TOTAL PERSONNEL SERVICES | \$ | 2,714,318 |
| Professional Services |  |  |  |
| Professional and Specialized Services |  | \$ | 365,098 |
| Allocated Department Costs |  |  | 64,164 |
|  | TOTAL PROFESSIONAL SERVICES | \$ | 429,262 |
| Communications |  |  |  |
| Postage |  | \$ | 13,631 |
| Telephone |  |  | 18,800 |
| Travel |  |  | 55,404 |
|  | TOTAL COMMUNICATIONS | \$ | 87,835 |
| Rentals / Equipment |  |  |  |
| Office Space and Equipment |  | \$ | 235,800 |
| Depreciation-Equipment |  |  | 34,949 |
| Equipment Leasing |  |  | 10,184 |
|  | TOTAL RENTALS/EQUIPMENT | \$ | 280,933 |
| Miscellaneous |  |  |  |
| Office Supplies / Expense |  | \$ | 31,721 |
| Subscriptions and Periodicals |  |  | 5,055 |
| Memberships |  |  | 7,536 |
| Maintenance |  |  | 17,693 |
| Insurance |  |  | 75,797 |
|  | TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS | \$ | 137,802 |
|  | TOTAL GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES | \$ | 3,650,150 |
| OTHER EXPENSES (Expenses Not Subject to the Statutory Limit) |  |  |  |
| Information Technology Expenses |  | \$ | 194,498 |
| Actuary Fees |  |  | 120,122 |
| Fund Legal Fees |  |  | 900,312 |
|  | TOTAL OTHER EXPENSES | \$ | 1,214,932 |
|  | total general administrative and other expenses | \$ | 4,865,082 |

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## SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENT EXPENSES

For the Year Ended December 31, 2018

|  | 2018 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT FEES |  |  |
| Global Public Equities | \$ | 1,719,517 |
| Stable Fixed Income |  | 1,026,460 |
| Credit |  | 3,985,460 |
| Risk Parity |  | 1,442,587 |
| Private Appreciation |  | 5,796,818 |
| Credit Risk Offset |  | 5,340,242 |
| Short-Term Investments / Cash / Cash Equivalents |  | 137,169 |
| TOTAL INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT FEES | \$ | 19,448,253 |
| OTHER INVESTMENT FEES AND EXPENSES |  |  |
| Custodian Fees | \$ | 176,581 |
| Investment Consultant Fees |  | 320,417 |
| Investment Legal Fees |  | 60,555 |
| Miscellaneous Investment Expense |  | 507,619 |
| TOTAL OTHER INVESTMENT FEES AND EXPENSES | \$ | 1,065,172 |
| TOTAL INVESTMENT EXPENSE | \$ | 20,513,425 |
| SECURITIES LENDING FEES |  |  |
| Securities Lending Fees and Interest Expense | \$ | 1,417,907 |
| TOTAL INVESTMENT FEES AND EXPENSES | \$ | 21,931,332 |

## SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS TO CONSULTANTS

For the Year Ended December 31, 2018

| NATURE OF SERVICE | 2018 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Actuarial-Retainer and Valuation |  |  |
| Audit |  | 120,122 |
| Fund Legal Fees | TOTAL PAYMENTS TO CONSULTANTS | $\$$ |
| Business Technology Services | $1,141,754$ |  |
|  | 60,670 |  |

## FINANCIAL

## OTHER SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN ASSETS AND LIABILITIES POST-EMPLOYMENT HEALTHCARE AGENCY FUND

For the Year Ended December 31, 2018

|  | BALANCE JANUARY 1, 2018 |  | ADDITIONS |  | DELETIONS |  | BALANCE <br> DECEMBER 31, 2018 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ASSETS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents | \$ | 7,707 | \$ | 4,295,486 | \$ | $(4,292,919)$ | \$ | 10,274 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | \$ | 7,707 | \$ | 4,295,486 | \$ | $(4,292,919)$ | \$ | 10,274 |
| LIABILITIES |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Retiree Sick Leave Bank Benefits Payable | \$ | 7,707 | \$ | 4,295,486 | \$ | $(4,292,919)$ | \$ | 10,274 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | \$ | 7,707 | \$ | 4,295,486 | \$ | $(4,292,919)$ | \$ | 10,274 |

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## FINANCIAL

## OTHER INFORMATION

## SCHEDULE OF COST SHARING EMPLOYER ALLOCATIONS

For the Year Ended December 31, 2018

| EMPLOYER | PROPORTIONATE SHARE ${ }^{1}$ | NET PENSION LIABILITY ${ }^{2}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| County of San Joaquin | 93.3689\% | \$ | 1,736,300,650 |
| Superior Court | 3.9003\% |  | 72,531,091 |
| Lathrop-Manteca Rural Fire Protection District | 1.3047\% |  | 24,263,171 |
| SJC Mosquito and Vector Control District | 0.4860\% |  | 9,036,978 |
| Waterloo-Morada Rural Fire Protection District | 0.4421\% |  | 8,222,002 |
| Mountain House Community Services District | 0.4017\% |  | 7,469,538 |
| Tracy Public Cemetery District | 0.0547\% |  | 1,016,587 |
| SJC Historical Society and Museum | 0.0275\% |  | 511,144 |
| San Joaquin County Law Library | 0.0141\% |  | 262,222 |
| Local Agency Formation Commission | 0.0000\% |  | - |
|  | 100.0000\% | \$ | 1,859,613,383 |

[^1]
## OTHER INFORMATION

SCHEDULE OF EMPLOYER PENSION AMOUNTS ALLOCATED BY COST SHARING PLAN
For the Year Ended December 31, 2018

|  |  | DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES |  |  |  |  | DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES |  |  | PENSION EXPENSE |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| EmPLoyer | net pension LIABILITY | differences BETWEEN EXPECTED AND ACTUAL EXPERIENCE | $\stackrel{\mathrm{NET}}{\mathrm{NE}}$ <br> DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PROUCCTE and Actual INvESTMENT EARNINGS ON PENVION PLAN INVESTMENTS INVESTMENTS | Changes of ASSUMPTION | CHANGES IN PROPORTION AND DIFFERENCES BETWEN CONTRIBUTIONS AND PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF CONTRIBUTIONS | TOTAL <br> DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCE | DIFFERENCES BETWEEN EXPECTED AND ACTUAL ECONOMIC EXPERIENCE | CHANGES IN PROPORTION AND DIIFRERENES BETWEEN EMTEOER CONTRIUETIONS PROPADTIONATE PHARE OF CONTRIEUTIONS | OF RESOURCES | SHARE OF alocable plan PENSION EXPENSE |  | $\underset{\substack{\text { TOTAL PENSION } \\ \text { EXPNSE }}}{ }$ |
| County of San Joaquin | \$1,736,300,650 | \$20,850,960 | \$190,373,068 | \$93,858,530 | \$ 2,727,254 | \$307,809,812 | \$ 45,494,957 | \$ 7,099,725 | \$ 52,594,682 | \$ 288,121,843 | \$ $(2,161,548)$ | \$ 285,960,295 |
| Superior Court | 72,531,091 | 871,014 | 7,952,520 | 3,920,785 | 3,771,178 | 16,515,497 | 1,900,477 | 2,037,375 | 3,937,852 | 12,035,814 | 1,341,534 | 13,377,348 |
| LathropManteca Rural Fire Protection District | 24,263,171 | 291,373 | 2,660,285 | 1,311,585 | 2,732,994 | 6,996,237 | 635,749 | 669,451 | 1,305,200 | 4,026,232 | 677,575 | 4,703,807 |
| SJC Mosquito and Vector Control District | 9,036,978 | 108,524 | 990,841 | 488,508 | 16,759 | 1,604,632 | 236,789 | 441,447 | 678,236 | 1,499,597 | $(118,617)$ | 1,380,980 |
| WaterlooMorada Rural Fire Protection District | 8,222,002 | 98,737 | 901,484 | 444,454 | 208,551 | 1,653,226 | 215,435 | 275,777 | 491,212 | 1,364,360 | (3,770) | 1,360,590 |
| Mountain House Community Services District | 7,469,538 | 89,700 | 818,982 | 403,778 | 959,175 | 2,271,635 | 195,719 | 208,323 | 404,042 | 1,239,496 | 201,083 | 1,440,579 |
| Tracy Public Cemetery District | 1,016,587 | 12,208 | 111,462 | 54,953 | 101,784 | 280,407 | 26,637 | 32,026 | 58,663 | 168,692 | 35,452 | 204,144 |
| SJC Historical Society and Museum | 511,144 | 6,138 | 56,043 | 27,631 | 233,961 | 323,773 | 13,393 | 28,256 | 41,649 | 84,819 | 50,369 | 135,188 |
| San Joaquin County Law Library | 262,222 | 3,149 | 28,751 | 14,175 | 120,309 | 166,384 | 6,871 | 60,599 | 67,470 | 43,513 | 17,592 | 61,105 |
| Local Agency Formation Commission | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 18,976 | 18,976 | - | $(39,670)$ | $(39,670)$ |
| TOTALS | \$ 1,859,613,383 | \$ 22,331,803 | \$203,893,436 | \$100,524,398 | \$ 10,871,965 | \$ 337,621,603 | \$48,726,026 | \$ 10,871,956 | \$ 59,597,983 | \$ 308,584,366 | \$ | \$ 308,584,366 |

Numbers may not sum to total due to rounding.

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## NOTES TO THE OTHER INFORMATION

For the Year Ended December 31, 2018

## NOTE 1 - BASIS OF PRESENTATION AND BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

Because San Joaquin County Employees' Retirement Association (SJCERA) is a cost sharing multiple-employer pension plan, employers participating in SJCERA are required to report a portion of the collective Net Pension Liability, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows and Inflows of Resources in their financial statements for fiscal periods beginning on or after June 15, 2014, in accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions - an Amendment of GASB Statement No. 27. GASB Statement No. 68 requires that the proportionate share for each employer be determined based on the employer's projected long-term contribution effort to the pension plan.

SJCERA's actuary prepared the following documents, (1) the Schedule of Cost Sharing Employer Allocations and (2) the Schedule of Employer Pension Amounts Allocated by Cost Sharing Plan, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as applicable to governmental organizations based on information provided by SJCERA. These documents provide the required information for financial reporting related to SJCERA that employers may use in their financial statements. The measurement date for SJCERA is December 31, 2018. Measurements are based on the fair value of assets as of December 31, 2018, and the Total Pension Liability, $\$ 4,700,655,459$, as of December 31, 2018, was measured as of a valuation date of January 1, 2018, and projected to December 31, 2018.

## NOTE 2 - AMORTIZATION OF DEFERRED OUTFLOWS AND DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES

The difference between projected and actual investment earnings on pension plan investments is amortized over five years on a straight-line basis. One-fifth is recognized in Total Pension Expense for each of the five years. The changes in assumptions and differences between expected and actual experience are recognized over the average of the expected remaining service lives of all active and inactive members of SJCERA, which is also five years. The net effect of the change in the employer's proportionate share of the collective net pension liability and collective deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources is recognized over the average expected remaining service lives of all active and inactive members of SJCERA.


## MEMORANDUM

April 15, 2019
Board of Trustees
San Joaquin County Employees' Retirement Association
6 South El Dorado Street
Suite 400
Stockton, CA 95202
Dear Trustees:
Enclosed is our report on the investment activity for the San Joaquin County Employees' Retirement Association (SJCERA) for the period ending December 31, 2018.

SJCERA - Total Fund Performance
As of December 31, 2018, the SJCERA Portfolio had approximately $\$ 2.8$ billion in total as sets, a decrease of roughly $\$ 48.4$ million for the calendar year due to cash flows and investment results. The SJCERA Total Fund generated a gross of fees return of $(1.4 \%)$ for the year, underperforming its policy benchmark but was in the top quartile of public plans greater than $\$ 1$ billion. Private Appreciation provided strong double-digit returns, matching its benchmark over the one-year period, net of fees. Stable Fixed income was the lone class to provide meaningful relative performance in 2018. Global Equity and Risk Parity, experienced a challenging year as both portfolios had mid to high negative single digit returns. Performance from the remaining strategic classes were positive, but trailed their respective benchmarks over the 1-year period. Each quarter, the Pension Plan reviews the performance of the total fund along with the underlying strategic classes and individual managers versus their appropriate benchmarks. In 2018, SJCERA met its primary goal of ensuring sufficient funds were available to make scheduled benefit payments.

## Market Review

After a very strong 2017, global equities experienced a sharp reversal in the last quarter of 2018 as the MSCI ACWI was down nearly ( $13.0 \%$ ) for the quarter, and down ( $8.9 \%$ ) for the year. Despite global equities producing their worst calendar year returns since 2008, U.S. equity valuations are still in the top decile relative to history, and non-U.S. equity valuations are in-line with historical levels. Broad U.S. and international bond markets were generally flat, and the more equity-like bonds (high yield and emerging market debt) produced negative returns in 2018 as credit spreads rose above their historical average late in the year. As of year-end, the market sentiment towards taking on growth risk turned negative for the first time since 2016. The Fed increased the federal fund rate three times in 2018 and ended the year between $2.25 \%$ and $2.50 \%$,Fiscal policy, monetary policy, and economic fundamentals were all drivers of returns within the global capital markets during the year, and these various aspects will continue to be interrelated. Throughout the complicated market conditions of the past few years, with its constant review and oversight, the Board continues to position SJCERA for competitive long-term performance consistent with its objectives.

## Strategic Asset Allocation

In 2015, SJCERA completed an extensive review of its strategic allocation. The 2015 asset allocation was designed to reduce the dependency on the global public equity risk premium through the addition of a risk reducing class that is expected to correlate negatively with public equities during crisis periods. The 2015 strategic allocation was fully implemented by 2016, and as a result, SCJERA's portfolio was appropriately positioned for the fourth quarter of 2018 as the

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## MEMORANDUM

Global Equity portfolio declined by (12.9\%), net of fees, while the Crisis Risk Offset portfolio appreciated $2.8 \%$ over that period. Going into 2019, Meketa and SJCERA are going to conduct a asset-liability study with the intention of adopting a Functional Framework to structuring the portfolio that make the portfolio more transparent and the underlying risks that drive the behavior of the portfolio more easily understood. Periodic reviews of the strategic asset allocation and investment policies are performed on a regular basis. The move to the new strategic asset allocation should improve the likelihood of the plan accomplishing its primary financial objective: to earn a long-term return that, coupled with projected contributions, is projected to be sufficient to attain full funding in the long term while avoiding substantial deterioration in funded status along the way.

Gross of Fees Investment Performance as of December 31, 2018:

| Asset Class | Annualized |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1-Year | 3-Year | 5-Year | 10-Year |
| Global Equity | -9.1 | 7.6 | 4.0 | 9.2 |
| MSCI World Index | -8.9 | 7.2 | 4.8 | 10.0 |
| Private Appreciation | 14.8 | 11.9 | 13.2 | 4.5 |
| MSCI ACWI +2\% (lagged) | 12.5 | 16.3 | 11.4 | 10.9 |
| Stable Fixed Income | 2.3 | 3.8 | 4.2 | 6.5 |
| Bloomberg BC US Aggregate Index | 0.0 | 2.1 | 2.5 | 3.5 |
| Credit | 3.0 | 5.4 | 4.8 | 5.7 |
| Custom Credit Benchmark ${ }^{1}$ | 4.1 | 6.7 | 4.8 | 7.8 |
| Risk Parity | -6.0 | 5.6 | 1.9 | -- |
| ICE BofA Merrill Lynch 3 Month T-Bill $+4 \%$ | 5.9 | 5.1 | 4.6 | - |
| CROSM | 0.2 | 0.0 | 7.6 | 12.2 |
| CROsM Benchmark ${ }^{2}$ | -0.4 | 1.5 | 3.8 | 3.1 |
| Cash | 1.1 | 0.9 | 0.5 | 0.3 |
| ICE BofA Merrill Lynch 3 Month T-Bill | 1.9 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 0.4 |
| Total Fund, Gross of Fees | -1.4 | 6.0 | 4.5 | 7.1 |
| Total Fund, Net of Fees | -2.1 | 5.2 | 3.6 | 6.3 |
| Policy Benchmark ${ }^{3}$ | 0.2 | 6.4 | 5.1 | 7.3 |

${ }_{2}^{1}$ Asset Class performance is lagged one quarter
${ }^{2} 50 \%$ Bloomberg Barclays High Yield, 50\% S\&P Leveraged Loan
${ }^{3}$ ( $1 / 3$ ) BB Long Duration Treasuries, ( $1 / 3$ ) BTOP50 Index, ( $1 / 3$ ) 5\% Annual
$14 \%$ Custom Credit, 14\% BofA Merrill I of $36 \%$ MSCI ACWI, 11\% MSCI ACWI $+2 \%$ (lagged), $10 \%$ Bloomberg Barclays US Aggregated 14\% Custom Credit, 14\% BofA Merrill Lynch 3 Month US T-Bills $+4 \%, 15 \%$ CRO ${ }^{\text {sM }}$ Benchmark

Sincerely,
Meketa Investment Group

|  | INVESTMENT |  | ACTUAL ALLOCATION | TARGET <br> ALLOCATION |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Global Public Equities | \$ | 822,935,436 | 29.0\% | 30.0\% |
| Stable Fixed Income |  | 295,492,803 | 10.4\% | 10.0\% |
| Credit |  | 317,627,170 | 11.3\% | 14.0\% |
| Risk Parity |  | 368,268,349 | 13.1\% | 14.0\% |
| Private Appreciation |  | 387,844,390 | 13.6\% | 12.0\% |
| Crisis Risk Offset (CRO) |  | 509,350,711 | 18.0\% | 20.0\% |
| Short Term Investments / Cash / Cash Equivalents |  | 129,822,581 | 4.6\% | 0.0\% |
| TOTAL | \$ | 2,831,341,440 | 100.0\% | 100.0\% |

## LIST OF LARGEST ASSETS HELD

LARGEST STOCK HOLDINGS (BY FAIR VALUE)
December 31, 2018

| SHARES | STOCKS | FAIR VALUE |  |
| :---: | ---: | :--- | :---: |
| 1 | $1,798,201$ | CF Blackrock Russell 1000 Index Fund | \$ |
| 2 | $1,687,187$ | CF Panagora Diversified Ltd Ser III Sub-Ser 6 | $344,450,056$ |
| 3 | $6,790,385$ | CF Blackrock MSCI World Ex-US Index A Fund | $185,574,511$ |
| 4 | 25,025 | CF Bridgewater Pure Alpha II LLC FD | $122,769,758$ |
| 5 | 59,873 | Stone Harbor Leveraged Loan B Shr | $88,554,214$ |
| 6 | 773,503 | CF Blackrock Russell 2000 Growth Fund | $69,665,803$ |
| 7 | $2,287,396$ | CF Blackrock Developed Ex-US Real Estate Index Fund | $31,698,885$ |
| 8 | 15,234 | American Tower Corp | $26,744,538$ |
| 9 | 10,678 | Simon Property Group Inc Com | $2,409,866$ |
| 10 | 16,494 | Crown Castle Intl Corp New Com | $1,793,797$ |

A complete list of the stock holdings is available upon request.

## LARGEST BOND HOLDINGS (BY FAIR VALUE)

December 31, 2018

|  | PAR | BONDS | FAIR VALUE |
| :---: | ---: | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 1 | $25,000,000$ | United States Treas Bds Dtd 00246 3\% Due 11-15-2045 Reg | \$ |
| 2 | $25,500,000$ | United States Treas Bds Dtd 00247 2.5\% Due 02-15-2046 Reg | 248,250 |
| 3 | $20,100,000$ | United States Treas Nts Dtd 683 1.625\% Due 02-15-2026 Reg | $18,815,489$ |
| 4 | $37,700,000$ | United States Treas Bd Stripped Prin Pmt 02-15-2044 Reg | $17,498,493$ |
| 5 | $15,900,000$ | United States Treas Bds 3.125\% Due 11-15-2041 Reg | $16,279,485$ |
| 6 | $9,850,000$ | United States Treas Bds 5.500 Due 08-15-2028 Reg | $12,168,601$ |
| 7 | $9,100,000$ | United States Treas Bds Dtd 05-16-2011 4.375 Due 05-15-2041 Reg | $11,200,107$ |
| 8 | $7,500,000$ | United States Treas Bds 00202 4.75\% Due 02-15-2037 Reg | $9,558,690$ |
| 9 | $18,000,000$ | United States Gov Natl Treas Bd Stripped Prin Pmt 4.375 05-15-2040 | $9,557,352$ |
| 10 | $1,013,236$ | MFO Stone Hbr Invt Fds Emerging Mkts Debt Fd Instl Cl | $9,291,376$ |

A complete list of the bond holdings is available upon request.

SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENT FEES


## SCHEDULE OF FEES AND COMMISSIONS

For the year ended December 31, 2018

| RANK | BROKER | COMMISSIONS <br> PAID |  |
| ---: | :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1 | Tourmaline Partners, LLC | PERCENTAGE <br> OF TOTAL <br> COMMISSIONS |  |
| 2 | J.P. Morgan Securities, LLC / JPMC | $\mathbf{\$ , 5 0 5 . 1 4}$ | $11.05 \%$ |
| 3 | Goldman, Sachs \& Co. | $4,092.16$ | $6.95 \%$ |
| 4 | Jones Trading Institutional Services, LLC | $3,457.65$ | $5.87 \%$ |
| 5 | Northern Trust Securities, Inc. | $3,074.49$ | $5.22 \%$ |
| 6 | Citigroup Global Markets, Inc. | $2,443.40$ | $4.15 \%$ |
| 7 | Liquidnet, Inc. | $2,234.84$ | $3.80 \%$ |
| 8 | UBS Securities, LLC | $1,974.91$ | $3.35 \%$ |
| 9 | Cantor Fitzgerald \& Co. | $1,805.06$ | $3.07 \%$ |
| 10 | Green Street Trading, LLC | $1,754.00$ | $2.98 \%$ |
| 11 | Others ${ }^{1}$ | $1,357.68$ | $2.31 \%$ |
|  |  | $30,173.67$ | $51.25 \%$ |

[^2]|  | FAIR VALUE DECEMBER 31, 2018 | PERCENTAGE OF MARKET VALUE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| GLOBAL PUBLIC EQUITIES |  |  |
| BlackRock MSCI World Ex-US | \$ 122,769,759 | 4.3\% |
| BlackRock R1000 Index-Large Cap Core | 344,450,056 | 12.2\% |
| BlackRock R2000 Growth Index | 31,698,885 | 1.1\% |
| Blackrock RE Dev EX US | 26,744,538 | 0.9\% |
| Capital Prospects - Small Cap Value | 36,516,581 | 1.3\% |
| Invesco REIT | 34,724,975 | 1.2\% |
| PIMCO RAE FUNDAMENTAL (Research Affiliates) Emerging | 93,070,726 | 3.3\% |
| PIMCO RAE FUNDAMENTAL (Resarch Affiliates) International | 132,959,916 | 4.7\% |
| TOTAL GLOBAL PUBLIC EQUITIES | \$ 822,935,436 | 29.0\% |
| STABLE FIXED INCOME |  |  |
| Dodge \& Cox - Fixed | \$ 99,094,213 | 3.5\% |
| Double Line - MBS | 92,144,449 | 3.3\% |
| Prima - Mortgage Inv. Trust | 104,254,141 | 3.6\% |
| TOTAL STABLE FIXED INCOME | \$ 295,492,803 | 10.4\% |
| CREDIT |  |  |
| Crestline - Opportunity Fund II | \$ 27,336,349 | 1.0\% |
| Medley Capital - Opportunity Fund II | 25,084,274 | 0.9\% |
| Mesa West III | 7,343,703 | 0.3\% |
| Mesa West IV | 24,121,888 | 0.9\% |
| Raven Capital - Fund II | 15,674,659 | 0.6\% |
| Raven Capital - Fund III | 34,553,233 | 1.2\% |
| Stone Harbor Bank Loan | 56,954,028 | 2.0\% |
| Stone Harbor - Absolute Return | 79,221,603 | 2.7\% |
| White Oak Summit | 47,337,433 | 1.7\% |
| TOTAL CREDIT | \$ 317,627,170 | 11.3\% |
| RISK PARITY |  |  |
| Bridgewater All-Weather | \$ 182,693,838 | 6.5\% |
| PanAgora Diversified Risk | 185,574,511 | 6.6\% |
| TOTAL RISK PARITY | \$ 368,268,349 | 13.1\% |
| PRIVATE APPRECIATION |  |  |
| Almanac Realty | \$ 8,513,823 | 0.3\% |
| Angelo Gordon \& Co. | 16,640,553 | 0.6\% |
| Colony Realty Parners III | 13,079,940 | 0.5\% |
| Colony Realty Parners IV | 20,274,955 | 0.7\% |
| Greenfield V | 460,102 | 0.0\% |
| Greenfield VI | 2,466,857 | 0.1\% |
| Greenfield VII | 18,909,826 | 0.7\% |
| Greenfield VIII | 8,087,110 | 0.3\% |
| Miller Global Fund V | 479,363 | 0.0\% |

## INVESTMENT

INVESTMENT SUMMARY

|  | FAIR VALUE DECEMBER 31, 2018 | PERCENTAGE OF MARKET VALUE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| PRIVATE APPRECIATION |  |  |
| Miller Global Fund VI | 1,444,128 | 0.1\% |
| Miller Global Fund VII | 890,555 | 0.0\% |
| Morgan Creek III | 11,295,387 | 0.4\% |
| Morgan Creek V | 10,719,487 | 0.4\% |
| Morgan Creek VI | 18,802,997 | 0.7\% |
| Oaktree Middle Market | 11,141,759 | 0.4\% |
| Ocean Avenue II | 38,921,090 | 1.4\% |
| Ocean Avenue III | 35,561,776 | 1.3\% |
| Principal US Property | 32,188,260 | 1.1\% |
| Prologis / AMB Propery | 61,718,760 | 2.1\% |
| RREEF America II | 50,008,625 | 1.7\% |
| Stockbridge Value Fund II | 13,136,195 | 0.4\% |
| Walton Street Fund V | 6,868,799 | 0.2\% |
| Walton Street Fund VI | 6,234,042 | 0.2\% |
| TOTAL PRIVATE APPRECIATION | \$ 387,844,390 | 13.6\% |
| CRISIS RISK OFFSET (CRO) |  |  |
| AQR Style Premia | \$ 36,740,956 | 1.2\% |
| Bridgewater Pure Alpha | 88,554,214 | 3.1\% |
| Dodge \& Cox Long Duration | 169,230,426 | 6.0\% |
| Graham Tactical Trend | 69,408,937 | 2.5\% |
| Mount Lucas - Managed Futures | 77,534,602 | 2.8\% |
| PE Diversified Global Macro / Almond Global | 67,881,576 | 2.4\% |
| TOTAL CRISIS RISK OFFSET (CRO) | \$ 509,350,711 | 18.0\% |
| TOTAL INVESTMENT AT FAIR VALUE | \$ 2,701,518,859 |  |
| SHORT TERM INVESTMENTS / CASH / CASH EQUIVALENTS |  |  |
| Parametric PIOS | \$ 4,750,547 | 0.2\% |
| STIF - Northern Trust | 125,072,034 | 4.4\% |
| TOTAL SHORT TERM INVESTMENTS | \$ 129,822,581 | 4.6\% |
| TOTAL | \$ 2,831,341,440 | 100.0\% |

## LIST OF INVESTMENT MANAGERS

## CREDIT

Crestline Associates
Medley Capital
Mesa West Capital
Raven Capital Management
Stone Harbor Investment Partners
White Oak Global Advisors

## CRISIS RISK OFFSET

AQR Capital Management
Bridgewater Associates (Pure Alpha)
Dodge \& Cox Investment Managers (Long Duration)
Graham Capital Management
Mount Lucas Management
PE Global, LLC

## GLOBAL PUBLIC EQUITIES

BlackRock Institutional Trust Co.
Capital Prospects
Invesco Advisers Inc.
PIMCO RAE Fundamental Funds

## PRIVATE APPRECIATION

Almanac Realty Investors
Angelo Gordon \& Co.
Colony Realty Partners

PRIVATE APPRECIATION (CONT.)
Deutsche Asset \& Wealth Management (RREEF)
Greenfield Acquistion Partners
Miller Global Properties
Morgan Creek Capital Management
Oaktree Middle Market
Ocean Avenue Capital Partners
Principal Financial Group
Prologis
Stockbridge Value Fund
Walton Street Capital

RISK PARITY
Bridgewater Associates (All Weather)
PanAgora Asset Management Inc.
SHORT TERM INVESTMENTS / CASH / CASH EQUIVALENTS

Parametric Portfolio Associates, LLC
STIF - Northern Trust Company

STABLE FIXED INCOME
Dodge \& Cox Investment Managers (Fixed Income)
DoubleLine Capital
Prima Capital Advisors



## Actuarial Valuation Report as of January 1, 2018

The purpose of the annual Actuarial Valuation Report as of January 1, 2018 is to determine the actuarial funding status of the Plan on that date and to calculate recommended contribution rates for the participating employers and Plan members for the year 2019. The prior review was conducted as of January 1, 2017, and included recommended contribution rates for the year 2018.

Actuarial funding is based on the Entry Age Normal Cost Method. Under this method, the employer contribution rate provides for current cost (normal cost and expected administrative expenses) plus a level percentage of payroll to amortize the unfunded actuarial liability (UAL). As of the valuation date (January 1, 2018), the amortization period is 21 years for half of the 2008 investment loss and 15 years for the remaining UAL as of January 1, 2014. Any unexpected change in the UAL occurring after January 1, 2014 is amortized over a closed 15year period.

The funding objective of the Plan is to accumulate sufficient assets over each Member's working life to provide for Plan benefits after termination of employment or retirement. For actuarial valuation purposes, Plan assets are valued at Actuarial Value, with adjustments for certain Special Reserves. Under this method, the assets used to determine employer contribution rates take into account market value by spreading all investment gains and losses (returns above or below expected returns) over a period of five years, limited by a corridor that restrains the Actuarial Value to within $20 \%$ of the market value of assets.

The Board of Retirement is responsible for establishing and maintaining the funding policy of the Plan.

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We prepared the following schedules, which we understand will be included in the Actuarial Section of the CAFR, based on the January 1, 2018 actuarial valuation. All historical information prior to the January 1, 2013 actuarial valuation shown in these schedules is based on information reported by EFI Actuaries, which was acquired by Cheiron in January 2013.

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We reviewed the actuarial assumptions shown in the schedules and found them to be reasonably appropriate for use under the Plan. The assumptions used in this report reflect the results of an Experience Study performed by Cheiron covering the period from January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2015, and approved by the Board. The assumptions used in the most recent valuation are intended to produce results that, in the aggregate, reasonably approximate the anticipated future experience of the Plan. The next experience analysis is expected to cover the years through 2018.

This actuarial valuation report and its contents have been prepared in accordance with generally recognized and accepted actuarial principles and practices and our understanding of the Code of Professional Conduct and applicable Actuarial Standards of Practice set out by the Actuarial Standards Board as well as applicable laws and regulations. Furthermore, as credentialed actuaries, we meet the Qualification Standards of the American Academy of Actuaries to render the opinion contained in this report. This report does not address any contractual or legal issues. We are not attorneys and our firm does not provide any legal services or advice. In particular, the assumptions and methods used for funding purposes meet the requirements of the Actuarial Standards of Practice, in particular Standards No. 4, 27, 35, and 44.

GASB 67/68 Report as of December 31, 2018
The purpose of GASB 67/68 Report as of December 31, 2018, is to provide accounting and financial reporting information under GASB 67 for the Plan and under GASB 68 for the County of San Joaquin and other participating employers. This report is not appropriate for other purposes, including the measurement of funding requirements for the Plan.

For financial reporting purposes, the Total Pension Liability is based on the January 1, 2018, actuarial valuation updated to the measurement date of December 31, 2018. There were no significant events between the valuation date and the measurement date so the update procedures only included the addition of service cost and interest cost offset by actual benefit payments.

Beginning of year measurements are based on the actuarial valuation as of January 1, 2017. The December 31, 2017, Total Pension Liability presented in the GASB 67/68 Report was based

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upon the same data, plan provisions, actuarial methods, and assumptions as were used in the Actuarial Valuation Report as of January 1, 2017. The December 31, 2018, Total Pension Liability presented in the GASB 67/68 Report was based upon the same data, plan provisions, actuarial methods, and assumptions as were used in the Actuarial Valuation Report as of January 1, 2018.

Please refer to our GASB 67 report as of December 31, 2018, for additional information related to the financial reporting of the System. We prepared the following schedules for inclusion in the Financial Section of the CAFR based on the December 31, 2018, GASB $67 / 68$ report:

- Change in Net Pension Liability
- Sensitivity of Net Pension Liability to Changes in Discount Rate
- Schedule of Changes in Net Pension Liability and Related Ratios
- Schedule of Employer Contributions
- Notes to the Schedule of Employer Contributions

The GASB 67 report and its contents have been prepared in accordance with generally recognized and accepted actuarial principles and practices and our understanding of the Code of Professional Conduct and applicable Actuarial Standards of Practice set out by the Actuarial Standards Board as well as applicable laws and regulations. Furthermore, as credentialed actuaries, we meet the Qualification Standards of the American Academy of Actuaries to render the opinion contained in the GASB 67 report. The report does not address any contractual or legal issues. We are not attorneys and our firm does not provide any legal services or advice. In particular, the assumptions and methods used for disclosure purposes have been prepared in accordance with our understanding of generally accepted accounting principles as promulgated by the GASB.

## Disclaimers

In preparing our reports, we relied on information (some oral and some written) supplied by the San Joaquin County Employees' Retirement Association. This information includes, but is not limited to, the plan provisions, employee data, and financial information. We performed an informal examination of the obvious characteristics of the data for reasonableness and consistency in accordance with Actuarial Standard of Practice No. 23.

Future actuarial measurements may differ significantly from the current measurements due to such factors as the following: plan experience differing from that anticipated by the economic or demographic assumptions; changes in economic or demographic assumptions; and, changes in plan provisions or applicable law.

Cheiron's reports were prepared solely for the Plan for the purposes described herein, except that the Plan and participating employers' auditors may rely on these reports solely for the purpose of completing an audit related to the matters herein. Other users of these reports are not intended users as defined in the Actuarial Standards of Practice, and Cheiron assumes no duty or liability to such other users.

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We are members of the American Academy of Actuaries and meet the Qualification Standards to render the actuarial opinion contained herein. These reports do not address any contractual or legal issues. We are not attorneys, and our firm does not provide any legal services or advice.

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## SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Actuarial assumptions and methods are both recommended by our actuaries, Cheiron, and adopted by the Board of Retirement on an annual basis. The most current Actuarial Valuation was conducted on January 1, 2018 for the period ending December 31, 2017.

An Experience Analysis is completed once every three years. The most recent Experience Analysis was conducted on November 1, 2016 for the years 2013 through 2015.

| ACTUARIAL COST METHOD | Entry Age Normal Cost Method |
| :---: | :---: |
| UNFUNDED LIABILITY | The excess of the Actuarial Liability over Plan assets is the Unfunded Actuarial Liability (UAL). Half the actuarial loss experienced in 2008 was deemed to be an Extraordinary Actuarial Loss. Thus, $50 \%$ of the loss is separately amortized as a level percentage of pay over a closed 30 -year period, with 21 years remaining as of January 1, 2018. The remainder of the Plan's UAL as of January 1, 2014 is being amortized over a closed 19 year period ( 15 years remaining as of January 1, 2018), decreasing by one year in each annual valuation report. All subsequent unexpected change in the UAL after January 1,2014 is amortized over a 15 year closed period, beginning from the date the change is measured. |
| VALUATION INTEREST RATE | The annual rate of return on all Plan assets is assumed to be $7.25 \%$, net of investment expenses. |
| INFLATION ASSUMPTION | 2.90\% per annum |
| ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES | Administrative expenses are assumed to be $\$ 4,628,096$ for the next year, to be split between employees and employers based on their share of the overall contributions. Expenses are expected to growth with the cost of living (by $2.90 \%$ per year). |
| POST RETIREMENT COLA | Benefits are assumed to increase after retirement at the rate of 2.6\% per year. |
| INCREASES IN PAY | Assumed pay increases for active members consist of increases due to base salary adjustments plus service-based increases due to longevity and promotion. Rates vary by age and classification (See Salary Scale Schedule). |
| ASSET VALUATION METHOD | The Plan uses a modified market-related value method called the Actuarial Value of Plan Assets. The fair value of assets is adjusted to recognize, over a five-year period, differences between actual investment earnings and the assumed investment return. Accordingly, only $20 \%$ of this difference is being recognized in any one year (See Actuarial Value of Assets Schedule). The actuarial value of assets is limited to no less than $80 \%$ and no more than $120 \%$ of the fair value. |
| HEALTHY MEMBER MORTALITY | Mortality rates for active members are based on the sex distinct CALPERS Preretirement Non-Industrial Mortality Table, with generational mortality improvements projected from 2009 using Projection Scale MP-2015, published by the Society of Actuaries. |

HEALTHY MEMBER MORTALITY (CONT.)

DISABLED MEMBER

Mortality rates for healthy annuitants are based on the sex distinct CALPERS Healthy Annuitant Mortality Table, with a partial credibility adjustment of 1.10 for Safety members, with generational mortality improvements projected from 2009 using Projection Scale MP-2015, published by the Society of Actuaries.
Mortality rates for active members who die in the line-of-duty are based on the sex distinct CALPERS Preretirement Industrial Mortality Table, with generational mortality improvements projected from 2009 using Projection Scale MP-2015, published by the Society of Actuaries.
Mortality rates for Safety disabled annuitants are based on the sex distinct CALPERS Industrially Disabled Annuitant Mortality Table, with generational mortality improvements projected from 2009 using Projection Scale MP-2015, published by the Society of Actuaries.
Mortality rates for General disabled annuitants are based on the sex distinct CALPERS Non-Industrially Disabled Annuitant Mortality Table, with a partial credibility adjustment of 1.05, with generational mortality improvements projected from 2009 using Projection Scale MP-2015, published by the Society of Actuaries.

| VESTED TERMINATION RATES | Rates vary by service and classification (See Probabilities of Separation Schedule). |
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| withdrawal RATES | Rates vary by service and classification (See Probabilities of Separation Schedule). |
| DISABILITY RATES | Rates vary by age, gender and classification (See Probabilities of Separation Schedule). |
| DUTY DISABILITY RATES | Rates vary by age, gender and classification (See Probabilities of Separation Schedule). |
| SERVICE retirement rates | Rates vary by age, service, gender and classification (See Probabilities of Separation Schedule). |
| FAMILY COMPOSITION | $55 \%$ of female members and $75 \%$ of male members are assumed to be married. Male members are assumed to be four years older than their spouses. Female members are assumed to be two years younger than their spouses. |
|  | No terminations are assumed for participants who are eligible for retirement. $60 \%$ of all General Member terminations with less than five years of service are a assumed to take a refund of contributions, as well as $30 \%$ of those with five to fourteen years of service. |
| VESTED TERMINATIONS | $60 \%$ of all Safety Member terminations with less than five years of service are assumed to take a refund of contributions and $10 \%$ of those between five and fourteen years are assumed to take a refund. |
|  | For General Members who terminate with a deferred benefit, $25 \%$ are assumed to go to work with a reciprocal employer. This rate is $50 \%$ for Safety Members. |
| DEFERRAL AGE FOR VESTED TERMINATORS | Vested terminated General Members are assumed to begin receiving benefits at age 58 terminated. Safety Members are assumed to begin receiving benefits at age 50 . |
| EMPLOYMENT STATUS | No future transfers among member groups are assumed. |

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## SCHEDULE OF ACTIVE MEMBER VALUATION DATA



Payroll figures represent year end monthly retirement benefits annualized and exclude Post-Employment Healthcare benefit and benefits under the Class Action Settlement. The most current Actuarial Valuation was conducted on January 1, 2018 for the period ending December 31, 2017. The information in subsequent years is currently not available.

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SCHEDULE OF RETIREES AND BENEFICIARIES VALUATION DATA

| ACTUARIAL VALUATION DATE | $\begin{aligned} & \text { PLAN } \\ & \text { TYPE } \end{aligned}$ | MEMBER RETIREMENTS | BENEFICIARY CONTINUANCE | MEMBERS AND BENEFICIARIES REMOVED | TOTAL RETIREES ON PAYROLL | ANNUAL REtiREMENT PAYROLL |  | AVERAGE <br> ANNUAL <br> ALLOWANCE | AVERAGE <br> ALLOWANCE <br> \% INCREASE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 01/01/2009 | General | 203 | 30 | 83 | 3,388 | \$ 71,488,335 |  | \$ 21,100 | 4.8\% |
|  | Safety | 50 | 10 | 18 | 710 | \$ 30,575,540 |  | S 43,064 | 5.0\% |
|  | TOTAL | 253 | 40 | 101 | 4,098 | \$ 102,063,875 |  | \$ 24,906 | 5.0\% |
| 01/01/2010 | General | 207 | 31 | 104 | 3,522 | 78,988,070 |  | 22,427 | 6.3\% |
|  | Safety | 24 | 7 | 11 | 730 | 32,575,964 |  | 44,625 | 3.6\% |
|  | TOTAL | 231 | 38 | 115 | 4,252 | 111,564,034 |  | 26,238 | 5.3\% |
| 01/01/2011 | General | 242 | 35 | 102 | 3,697 | 85,931,078 |  | 23,243 | 3.6\% |
|  | Safety | 65 | 5 | 8 | 792 | 36,354,738 |  | 45,902 | 2.9\% |
|  | TOTAL | 307 | 40 | 110 | 4,489 | 122,285,816 |  | 27,241 | 3.8\% |
| 01/01/2012 | General | 240 | 42 | 108 | 3,871 | 92,938,361 |  | 24,009 | 3.3\% |
|  | Safety | 32 | 4 | 14 | 814 | 38,098,866 |  | 46,805 | 2.0\% |
|  | TOTAL | 272 | 46 | 122 | 4,685 | 131,037,227 |  | 27,970 | 2.7\% |
| 01/01/2013 | General | 278 | 27 | 135 | 4,041 | 102,025,575 |  | 25,248 | 5.2\% |
|  | Safety | 52 | 12 | 20 | 856 | 42,008,598 |  | 49,075 | 4.9\% |
|  | TOTAL | 330 | 39 | 155 | 4,897 | 144,034,173 |  | 29,413 | 5.2\% |
| 01/01/2014 | General | 213 | 52 | 134 | 4,172 | 109,864,971 |  | 26,334 | 4.3\% |
|  | Safety | 22 | 11 | 20 | 869 | 43,546,661 |  | 50,111 | 2.1\% |
|  | TOTAL | 235 | 63 | 154 | 5,041 | 153,411,632 |  | 30,433 | 3.5\% |
| 01/01/2015 | General | 247 | 51 | 112 | 4,358 | 120,722,240 |  | 27,701 | 5.2\% |
|  | Safety | 29 | 14 | 21 | 891 | 45,889,472 |  | 51,503 | 2.8\% |
|  | TOTAL | 276 | 65 | 133 | 5,249 | 166,611,712 |  | 31,742 | 4.3\% |
| 01/01/2016 | General | 228 | 45 | 136 | 4,494 | 129,928,957 |  | 28,912 | 4.4\% |
|  | Safety | 54 | 15 | 19 | 941 | 50,813,875 |  | 54,000 | 4.9\% |
|  | TOTAL | 282 | 60 | 155 | 5,435 | 180,742,832 |  | 33,255 | 4.8\% |
| 01/01/2017 | General | 251 | 40 | 128 | 4,657 | 139,511,334 |  | 29,957 | 3.6\% |
|  | Safety | 40 | 12 | 22 | 971 | 54,508,607 |  | 56,137 | 4.0\% |
|  | TOTAL | 291 | 52 | 150 | 5,628 | 194,019,941 |  | 34,474 | 3.7\% |
| 01/01/2018 | General | 249 | 49 | 149 | 4,806 | 149,183,295 |  | 31,041 | 3.6\% |
|  | Safety | 46 | 12 | 13 | 1,016 | 57,837,517 |  | 56,927 | 1.4\% |
|  | TOTAL | 295 | 61 | 162 | 5,822 | \$ 207,020,812 |  | S 35,558 | 3.1\% |

Payroll figures represent year end monthly retirement benefits annualized and exclude Post-Employment. Healthcare benefit and benefits under the Class Action Settlement. The most current Actuarial Valuation was conducted on January 1, 2018 for the period ending December 31, 2017. The information in subsequent years is currently not available.

|  | ADDED TO ROLLS |  | REMOVED FROM ROLLS |  | ROLLS AT YEAR END |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| FISCAL YEAR | MEMBER COUNT | ANNUAL ALLOWANCE (IN 000'S)' | MEMBER COUNT | ANNUAL ALLOWANCE (IN 000'S) | MEMBER COUNT |  | \% INCREASE IN RETIREE ALLOWANCE | AVERAGE ANNUAL ALLOWANCE |
| 2012 | 361 | \$ 16,400 | (149) | \$ $(3,403)$ | 4,897 | \$ 144,034 | 5.16\% | \$ 29,413 |
| 2013 | 297 | 12,908 | (153) | $(3,530)$ | 5,041 | 153,412 | 3.47\% | 30,433 |
| 2014 | 340 | 16,230 | (132) | $(3,030)$ | 5,249 | 166,612 | 4.30\% | 31,742 |
| 2015 | 341 | 17,766 | (155) | $(3,651)$ | 5,435 | 180,737 | 4.77\% | 33,255 |
| 2016 | 343 | 17,151 | (150) | $(3,868)$ | 5,628 | 194,020 | 3.66\% | 34,474 |
| 2017 | 355 | 17,288 | (161) | $(4,287)$ | 5,822 | 207,021 | 3.15\% | 35,558 |
| 2018 | 382 | \$ 19,839 | (151) | \$ $(3,893)$ | 6,053 | \$ 222,967 | 3.59\% | \$ 36,836 |

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## SOLVENCY TEST



This schedule excludes Post 4/1/82 Retiree Class Action Settlement Reserve and Unapportioned Earnings Reserve. The most current Actuarial Valuation was conducted on January 1, 2018 for the period ending December 31, 2017. The information in subsequent years is currently not available.

## SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN

FOR THE LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31

| (DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ACTUARIAL VALUATION DATE |  | RIAL VALUE ASSETS' <br> (A) |  | TUARIAL ILITY (AL) <br> (B) |  | UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL LIABILITY <br> (UAL) <br> (B-A) | FUNDED RATIO (A/B) |  | COVERED PAYROLL² <br> (C) | UAL AS A PERCENTAGE OF ANNUAL COVERED PAYROLL ( $(\mathrm{B}-\mathrm{A}) / \mathrm{C})$ |
| 1/1/2018 | \$ | 2,913,161 | \$ | 4,496,976 | \$ | 1,583,815 | 64.8\% | \$ | 458,991 | 345.1\% |
| 1/1/2017 |  | 2,733,852 |  | 4,235,094 |  | 1,501,242 | 64.6\% |  | 447,685 | 335.3\% |
| 1/1/2016 |  | 2,604,473 |  | 4,006,390 |  | 1,401,917 | 65.0\% |  | 413,552 | 339.0\% |
| 1/1/2015 |  | 2,471,291 |  | 3,731,634 |  | 1,260,343 | 66.2\% |  | 397,636 | 317.0\% |
| 1/1/2014 |  | 2,285,166 |  | 3,561,859 |  | 1,276,693 | 64.2\% |  | 388,691 | 328.5\% |
| 1/1/2013 |  | 2,125,700 |  | 3,353,294 |  | 1,227,594 | 63.4\% |  | 365,892 | 335.5\% |
| 1/1/2012 |  | 2,130,053 |  | 3,048,321 |  | 918,268 | 69.9\% |  | 356,419 | 257.6\% |
| 1/1/2011 |  | 2,120,384 |  | 2,917,688 |  | 797,304 | 72.7\% |  | 367,344 | 217.0\% |
| 1/1/2010 |  | 1,949,011 |  | 2,769,612 |  | 820,601 | 70.4\% |  | 385,442 | 212.9\% |
| 1/1/2009 | \$ | 1,821,357 | \$ | 2,510,925 | \$ | 689,568 | 72.5\% | \$ | 377,559 | 182.6\% |

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ASSUMED PROBABILITIES OF SEPARATION FROM ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP (GENERAL)

| AGE | NON-DUTY DEATH | ORDINARY DISABILITY | $\begin{gathered} \text { SERVICE } \\ \text { RETIREMENT }{ }^{1} \end{gathered}$ | DUTY DEATH | $\begin{gathered} \text { DUTY } \\ \text { DISABILITY } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| GENERAL MEMBERS - MALE |  |  |  |  |  |
| 20 | 0.0002 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 |
| 25 | 0.0003 | 0.001 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 |
| 30 | 0.0005 | 0.001 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 |
| 35 | 0.0005 | 0.001 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 |
| 40 | 0.0007 | 0.001 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.004 |
| 45 | 0.0009 | 0.002 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.004 |
| 50 | 0.0014 | 0.002 | 0.040 | 0.000 | 0.002 |
| 55 | 0.0022 | 0.003 | 0.085 | 0.000 | 0.002 |
| 60 | 0.0034 | 0.003 | 0.150 | 0.000 | 0.002 |
| 65 | 0.0046 | 0.004 | 0.250 | 0.000 | 0.002 |
| GENERAL MEMBERS - FEMALE |  |  |  |  |  |
| 20 | 0.0002 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 |
| 25 | 0.0002 | 0.001 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 |
| 30 | 0.0003 | 0.001 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 |
| 35 | 0.0004 | 0.001 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 |
| 40 | 0.0005 | 0.001 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 |
| 45 | 0.0006 | 0.002 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 |
| 50 | 0.0010 | 0.002 | 0.035 | 0.000 | 0.001 |
| 55 | 0.0015 | 0.003 | 0.035 | 0.000 | 0.002 |
| 60 | 0.0021 | 0.004 | 0.125 | 0.000 | 0.002 |
| 65 | 0.0029 | 0.005 | 0.250 | 0.000 | 0.003 |

${ }^{1}$ Lower rates assumed for members with less than 10 years of service, and higher rates assumed for members with at least 30 years of service.

The probabilities for each cause of separation represent the likelihood that a given member will separate at a particular age for the indicated reason. As an example, if the probability of separation of a male General member at age 50 is 0.040 , that indicates that $4.0 \%$ of active General members are expected to separate from service during the year. Rates of Duty and Non-Duty Death are for active members who reach the given age during 2017.

| AGE | NON-DUTY DEATH | ORDINARY DISABILITY | SERVICE RETIREMENT ${ }^{1}$ | DUTY DEATH | $\begin{gathered} \text { DUTY } \\ \text { DISABILITY } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| SAFETY MEMBERS - MALE |  |  |  |  |  |
| 20 | 0.0002 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 |
| 25 | 0.0003 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| 30 | 0.0005 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| 35 | 0.0005 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 | 0.002 |
| 40 | 0.0007 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 | 0.004 |
| 45 | 0.0009 | 0.000 | 0.050 | 0.001 | 0.008 |
| 50 | 0.0014 | 0.001 | 0.150 | 0.001 | 0.014 |
| 55 | 0.0022 | 0.001 | 0.300 | 0.001 | 0.014 |
| SAFETY MEMBERS - FEMALE |  |  |  |  |  |
| 20 | 0.0002 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 |
| 25 | 0.0002 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| 30 | 0.0003 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| 35 | 0.0004 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 | 0.002 |
| 40 | 0.0005 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 | 0.004 |
| 45 | 0.0006 | 0.000 | 0.050 | 0.001 | 0.009 |
| 50 | 0.0010 | 0.001 | 0.150 | 0.001 | 0.014 |
| 55 | 0.0015 | 0.001 | 0.300 | 0.002 | 0.014 |

${ }^{1}$ Lower rates assumed for members with less than 20 years of service.
The probabilities for each cause of separation represent the likelihood that a given member will separate at a particular age for the indicated reason. As an example, if the probability of separation of a male Safety member at age 50 is 0.150 , that indicates that $15.0 \%$ of active Safety members are expected to separate from service during the year.

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SALARY INCREASE, TERMINATION, AND WITHDRAWAL ASSUMPTIONS

|  | SALARY INCREASE |  | WITHDRAWAL |  | TERMINATION |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| SERVICE | GENERAL | SAFETY | GENERAL | SAFETY | GENERAL ${ }^{1}$ | SAFETY ${ }^{2}$ |
| 0 | 0.0934 | 0.1037 | 0.105 | 0.060 | 0.070 | 0.040 |
| 1 | 0.0831 | 0.0934 | 0.066 | 0.047 | 0.044 | 0.031 |
| 2 | 0.0728 | 0.0831 | 0.060 | 0.035 | 0.040 | 0.023 |
| 3 | 0.0624 | 0.0728 | 0.047 | 0.030 | 0.031 | 0.020 |
| 4 | 0.0521 | 0.0624 | 0.041 | 0.027 | 0.027 | 0.018 |
| 5 | 0.0470 | 0.0547 | 0.019 | 0.002 | 0.044 | 0.018 |
| 6 | 0.0418 | 0.0444 | 0.018 | 0.002 | 0.042 | 0.016 |
| 7 | 0.0392 | 0.0444 | 0.014 | 0.002 | 0.032 | 0.014 |
| 8 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.014 | 0.002 | 0.032 | 0.014 |
| 9 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.011 | 0.002 | 0.026 | 0.014 |
| 10 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.011 | 0.001 | 0.026 | 0.007 |
| 11 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.008 | 0.001 | 0.019 | 0.007 |
| 12 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.008 | 0.001 | 0.019 | 0.007 |
| 13 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.008 | 0.001 | 0.018 | 0.007 |
| 14 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.008 | 0.001 | 0.018 | 0.007 |
| 15 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.003 | 0.000 | 0.023 | 0.008 |
| 16 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.003 | 0.000 | 0.023 | 0.008 |
| 17 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.003 | 0.000 | 0.023 | 0.008 |
| 18 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.003 | 0.000 | 0.023 | 0.008 |
| 19 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.003 | 0.000 | 0.023 | 0.008 |
| 20 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.001 | 0.000 | 0.009 | 0.000 |
| 21 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.001 | 0.000 | 0.009 | 0.000 |
| 22 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.001 | 0.000 | 0.009 | 0.000 |
| 23 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.001 | 0.000 | 0.009 | 0.000 |
| 24 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.001 | 0.000 | 0.009 | 0.000 |
| 25 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.001 | 0.000 | 0.009 | 0.000 |
| 26 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.001 | 0.000 | 0.009 | 0.000 |
| 27 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.001 | 0.000 | 0.009 | 0.000 |
| 28 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.001 | 0.000 | 0.009 | 0.000 |
| 29 | 0.0367 | 0.0444 | 0.001 | 0.000 | 0.009 | 0.000 |
| 30+ | 0.0315 | 0.0444 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 |

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## ACTUARIAL VALUE OF ASSETS AND RESERVES

The Actuarial Value of Assets represents a "smoothed" value developed by the actuary to reduce contribution volatility, which could develop due to short-term fluctuations in the Market Value of Assets. For this System, the Actuarial Value of Assets is calculated by recognizing the deviation of actual investment returns compared to the expected return over a five-year period.

The dollar amount of the expected return on the Market Value of Assets is determined using the actual contributions, administrative expense, and benefit payments during the year. Any difference between this amount and the actual investment earnings is considered a gain or loss. However, in no event will the Actuarial Value of Assets be less than $80 \%$ or more than $120 \%$ of market value on the valuation date. The following table shows the development of the actuarial asset value.


## SUMMARY OF MAJOR PLAN PROVISIONS

## MEMBERSHIP

Membership is mandatory upon appointment to a full-time, permanent position with the County or other participating employer. Persons who commence covered employment at age 60 or older may irrevocably elect to waive membership in SJCERA.

Tier 1 - Employees who established and maintain membership in SJCERA prior to January 1, 2013, and other eligible employees as defined by law, participate in the defined benefit formula that was in place before January 1, 2013, termed "SJCERA Tier 1."

Tier 2 - Employees who establish membership in SJCERA on or after January 1, 2013, who are subject to the provisions of the Public Employees' Pension Reform Act of 2013 (Article 4 (commencing with Section 7522, et seq.) of Chapter 21 of Division 7 of Title 1 of the Government Code), also known as "PEPRA," participate in the defined benefit formula prescribed by PEPRA for these employees, termed "SJCERA Tier 2."

## FINAL AVERAGE SALARY

For Tier 1 members, final compensation for purposes of computing a retirement allowance is the average monthly salary for the highest twelve consecutive months of employment. In addition to base salary, final compensation may include other items defined as compensation earnable for retirement purposes. Overtime pay is excluded.

For Tier 2 members, final compensation for purposes of computing a retirement allowance is the average monthly salary for the highest thirty-six consecutive months of employment. In addition to base salary, final compensation may include other items defined as pensionable compensation. Allowances, incentives, employer contributions to deferred compensation, annual leave cash outs and overtime pay are excluded.

## CONTRIBUTIONS

Member contributions are based upon membership category, General or Safety, are expressed as a percentage of covered payroll, and are deducted from employees' earnings on a biweekly basis. Collective bargaining agreements and employment resolutions may also specify terms that affect members' retirement contributions.

Tier 1 members pay contributions also based upon the age at which the employee entered SJCERA membership. General members of Tier 1 employed prior to March 7, 1973, and all Safety members of Tier 1 stop paying member contributions when they have 30 years of service credit, but continue to accrue retirement service credit for subsequent active employment subject to membership.

Tier 2 members pay contributions equal to one-half of the normal cost of their applicable benefits.

Member contributions are credited with interest semi-annually. Upon termination of employment prior to retirement, a member may elect to withdraw his or her accumulated member contributions and interest, terminating SJCERA membership and forfeiting all related rights and benefits.

## VESTING

A member with five years of retirement service credit is vested in the plan as long as accumulated member contributions remain on deposit with SJCERA.

## SERVICE RETIREMENT

## TIER 1 MEMBERS:

For retirements effective January 1, 2001 and later, retirement benefits are as provided under Sections 31676.14 and 31664.1 of the County Employees' Retirement Law.

A Tier 1 member may retire for service at age 50 or older with five years of service credit, and at least ten years has elapsed since the date of membership. A General Member may retire at any age with 30 or more years of service. A Safety Member may retire at any age with 20 or more years of service.

Tier 1 provides a 2.6 percent of final compensation for each year of service credit at age 62 benefit formula for General Members, and a 3.0 percent of final compensation for each year of service credit at age 50 benefit formula for safety members of Tier 1 . Social Security integration reduces benefits by one-third on the first $\$ 350$ of monthly final average salary. The maximum benefit payable is the lesser of 100 percent of final average salary or the federal annual compensation limit under Internal Revenue Code Section 401(a)(17), if applicable.

## TIER 2 MEMBERS:

Tier 2 Members - Retirement benefits are as provided under Sections 7522.20 and 7522.25(d) of PEPRA.

A Tier 2 member may retire for service with five years of service credit upon attaining the minimum retirement age: Age 52 for General Members, and Age 50 for Safety Members.

Tier 2 provides a 2 percent of final compensation for each year of service credit at age 62 benefit formula for General Members, and a 2.7 percent of final compensation for each year of service credit at age 57 benefit formula for Safety Members. PEPRA specifies the maximum annual compensation that may be used to calculate retirement benefits. A lower limit applies to members whose service under SJCERA is also covered by Social Security, and a higher limit applies to members whose service under SJCERA is not covered by Social Security. These limits are adjusted annually based on changes in the Consumer Price Index.

Any member of SJCERA, regardless of benefit tier, may retire at age 70 with no minimum service credit requirement.

## SUMMARY OF MAJOR PLAN PROVISIONS

## DISABILITY RETIREMENT

Members with five years of service credit, regardless of age, are eligible to apply for a non-service connected disability retirement. If granted, the benefit is the greater of:

1) $1.5 \%$ of final average salary for General Members, or $1.8 \%$ for final average salary for Safety Members, for each year of service, not to exceed $331 / 3 \%$ of final average salary, or
2) the amount of the member's service retirement benefit, if the member is eligible to retire for service.

Any active member, regardless of years of service credit, is eligible to apply for a service-connected disability retirement. If granted, the benefit is the greater of:

1) $50 \%$ of the member's final average salary, or
2) the amount of the member's service retirement benefit, if the member is eligible to retire for service.

## DEATH BENEFITS

Basic Death Benefit - The beneficiary of a member who dies prior to attaining five years of credited service receives a refund of the member's accumulated contributions and interest plus one month's salary for each full year of service, up to a maximum of six months' salary.

If the death occurs after the member attained five years of credited service and is not the result of a service-related injury or disease, the surviving spouse or minor children may elect to receive, in lieu of the Basic Death Benefit, either $60 \%$ of the retirement allowance to which the deceased member would have been entitled had the member retired for service or non-service-connected disability on the date of death, or a lump sum payment of six months' salary and a reduced monthly retirement benefit. The monthly allowance payable to a minor child is discontinued when the child marries or attains age 18, or age 22 if a full-time student.

Upon the death of a retiree, the beneficiary may receive a continuance of $100 \%, 60 \%$, or $50 \%$ of the deceased member's retirement benefit as determined by the type of retirement and benefit option elected by the member. The beneficiary also receives a $\$ 5,000$ lump-sum death benefit.

## COST-OF-LIVING BENEFITS

All monthly allowances are eligible for an annual cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) based on the change in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for the San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose area for the previous calendar year, up to a maximum of $3.0 \%$. When the CPI exceeds $3.0 \%$ in any year, the difference between the actual change in CPI (rounded to the nearest one-half percent) and the $3.0 \%$ ceiling is "accumulated" for future years when the change is less than 3.0\%.


This section of the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report provides additional historical perspective, context, and detail in order to provide a more comprehensive understanding of this year's financial statements, note disclosures, and supplementary information.

This section provides supplementary information according to Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 44, which establishes and modifies required data by providing multi-year trend information to provide an understanding of how the organization's financial activities and positions have changed over time. The Statistical Information is presented to include two main categories required by pension plans: Financial Trends Information and Operating Information.

## FINANCIAL TRENDS

Ten-year Trend Information is presented to assist users in understanding how the Plan's financial position has changed over time and provides historical information as to total plan net position and total changes in plan net position, the Plan's additions by source, deductions by type, benefits and refunds by type (service retirement, disability retirement, survivors/beneficiaries benefits, refunds and death benefits).

- Schedule of Fiduciary Net Position (page 90)
- Schedule of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position (page 91)
- Schedule of Revenues by Source and Expenses by Type (page 92)
- Schedule of Benefit Expenses by Type (page 93)
- Schedule of Retired Members by Type (page 94)


## OPERATING INFORMATION

Operating Information is intended to provide information about operations and resources to assist readers in using financial statement information to understand and assess a government's economic condition. The following schedules present the average monthly benefit, average final salary, organized in five-year increments of credit service and since retirement, as well as the participating employers and their corresponding covered employees.

- Schedule of Average Monthly Benefit Payments by Number of Years of Credited Service (pages 95-98)
- Schedule of Average Monthly Benefit Payments by Number of Years since Retirement (pages 99-101)
- Schedule of Participating Employers for Last Ten Years (page 102)


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SCHEDULE OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION
For the last ten fiscal years ended December 31

|  |  |  |  |  | OOLLARS IN | THOUSAND |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 | 2014 | 2013 | 2012 | 2011 | 2010 | 2009 |
| ASSETS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents | \$ 210,876 | \$ 185,216 | \$ 225,343 | \$ 226,912 | \$ 250,500 | \$ 169,701 | \$ 208,032 | \$ 195,648 | \$ 183,531 | \$ 233,929 |
| Receivables | 13,747 | 8,862 | 10,524 | 8,930 | 12,081 | 28,491 | 11,152 | 9,587 | 34,581 | 14,516 |
| Investments | 2,701,519 | 2,773,701 | 2,463,816 | 2,328,265 | 2,371,380 | 2,256,908 | 2,054,715 | 1,851,212 | 1,842,483 | 1,588,186 |
| Prepaid Expenses | 85 | 90 | 127 | 112 | 86 | 82 | 101 | 91 | 75 | 70 |
| Equipment and Fixtures, Net | 212 | 74 | 116 | 192 | 315 | 427 | 487 | 572 | 635 | 729 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | \$2,926,439 | \$2,967,943 | \$2,699,926 | \$2,564,411 | \$2,634,362 | \$2,455,610 | \$2,274,487 | \$2,057,110 | \$2,061,305 | \$1,837,430 |
| LIABILITIES |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Securitites Lending Cash Collateral | \$ 81,063 | \$ 86,901 | \$ 141,349 | \$ 147,106 | \$ 164,195 | \$ 107,127 | \$ 108,958 | \$ 104,691 | \$ 113,171 | \$ 108,791 |
| Securities <br> Purchased, Not Paid | 2,418 | 173 | 2,542 | 2,739 | 1,671 | 5,433 | 3,783 | 1,455 | 16,858 | 5,878 |
| Accrued <br> Expenses and Other Payables | 1,723 | 1,475 | 1,170 | 1,306 | 2,138 | 1,538 | 1,329 | 1,019 | 1,278 | 1,080 |
| Securities <br> Lending Interest and Other Expense | 193 | 105 | 63 | 17 | 8 | - | 2 | - | 12 | 7 |
| TOTAL <br> LIABILITIES | \$ 85,397 | \$ 88,654 | \$ 145,124 | \$ 151,168 | \$ 168,012 | \$ 114,097 | \$ 114,072 | \$ 107,165 | \$ 131,319 | \$ 115,756 |
| FIDUCIARY NET POSITION RESTRICTED FOR PENSION BENEFITS | \$2,841,042 | \$2,879,289 | \$2,554,802 | \$2,413,243 | \$2,466,350 | \$2,341,513 | \$2,160,415 | \$1,949,945 | \$1,929,986 | \$1,721,674 |

For the last ten fiscal years ended December 31

|  |  |  |  |  | OLLARS IN | THOUSAN |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 | 2014 | 2013 | 2012 | 2011 | 2010 | 2009 |
| ADDITIONS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Member Contributions | \$ 35,378 | \$ 33,635 | \$ 30,117 | \$ 29,027 | \$ 27,368 | \$ 22,690 | \$ 19,900 | \$ 14,041 | \$ 13,098 | \$ 13,013 |
| Employer Contributions: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Retirement Plan | 208,758 | 200,052 | 159,123 | 150,372 | 136,686 | 119,494 | 108,063 | 112,892 | 104,452 | 97,806 |
| Post-Employment Health Plan | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 4,202 |
| Investment Income | $(56,466)$ | 299,882 | 151,031 | $(47,449)$ | 110,651 | 198,173 | 230,954 | 29,262 | 217,123 | 182,006 |
| Miscellaneous | 68 | 78 | 84 | 109 | 77 | 72 | 62 | 68 | 46 | 12 |
| Transfers Between Plan | 324 | 365 | 294 | 379 | 19,969 | 204 | 339 | 154 | 166 | 84 |
| TOTAL ADDITIONS | \$188,062 | \$534,012 | \$340,649 | \$132,438 | \$294,751 | \$340,633 | \$359,317 | \$156,417 | \$ 334,885 | \$ 297,123 |
| DEDUCTIONS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Benefits | \$ 219,079 | \$ 203,109 | \$ 192,732 | \$ 179,585 | \$ 164,335 | \$ 154,233 | \$ 143,669 | \$ 131,642 | \$ 121,641 | \$ 112,647 |
| Post-Employment Health Benefits | - | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3,431 |
| Administrative Expenses | 4,865 | 4,119 | 4,370 | 4,076 | 4,043 | 4,135 | 3,869 | 3,749 | 3,682 | 3,527 |
| Refunds | 2,365 | 2,298 | 1,987 | 1,884 | 1,536 | 1,169 | 1,309 | 1,068 | 1,251 | 1,038 |
| Miscellaneous | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Transfers Between Plan | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - | 84 |
| TOTAL DEDUCTIONS | \$226,309 | \$209,526 | \$199,089 | \$185,545 | \$169,914 | \$159,537 | \$148,848 | \$136,459 | \$ 126,573 | \$ 120,727 |
| CHANGE IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION | \$ $(38,247)$ | \$ 324,486 | \$ 141,560 | \$ $(53,107)$ | \$ 124,837 | \$ 181,096 | \$ 210,469 | \$ 19,958 | \$ 208,312 | \$ 176,396 |

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SCHEDULE OF REVENUE BY SOURCE AND EXPENSES BY TYPE

SCHEDULE OF REVENUE BY SOURCE


SCHEDULE OF EXPENSES BY TYPE


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SCHEDULE OF BENEFIT EXPENSES BY TYPE

| YEAR END | PLAN TYPE | SERVICE RETIREMENT PAYROLL | DISABILITY RETIREMENT PAYROLL | $\begin{gathered} \text { SURVIVORS } \\ \text { AND } \\ \text { BENEFICIARIES } \end{gathered}$ |  | EFUNDS OF MEMBERS TTRIBUTIONS |  | DEATH BENEFITS | TOTAL |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2009 | General | \$ 65,145,084 | \$ 6,712,540 | \$ 7,129,980 | \$ | 914,476 | \$ | 517,085 | \$ 80,419,165 |
|  | Safety | 21,763,980 | 7,311,808 | 3,500,406 |  | 123,289 |  | 45,000 | 32,744,483 |
|  | TOTAL | \$ 86,909,064 | \$ 14,024,348 | \$ 10,630,386 | \$ | 1,037,765 | \$ | 562,085 | \$ 113,163,648 |
| 2010 | General | \$ 71,097,399 | \$ 7,044,294 | \$ 7,789,890 | \$ | 1,159,876 | \$ | 511,293 | \$ 87,602,752 |
|  | Safety | 24,861,690 | 7,618,760 | 3,874,365 |  | 90,768 |  | 0 | 36,445,583 |
|  | TOTAL | \$ 95,959,089 | \$ 14,663,054 | \$ 11,664,255 | \$ | 1,250,644 | \$ | 511,293 | \$ 124,048,335 |
| 2011 | General | \$ 77,067,730 | \$ 7,136,889 | \$ 8,549,504 | \$ | 1,016,661 | \$ | 537,007 | \$ 94,307,791 |
|  | Safety | 26,462,625 | 7,889,616 | 3,963,168 |  | 51,073 |  | 35,000 | 38,401,482 |
|  | TOTAL | \$ 103,530,355 | \$ 15,026,505 | \$ 12,512,672 | \$ | 1,067,734 | \$ | 572,007 | \$ 132,709,273 |
| 2012 | General | \$ 82,676,254 | \$ 9,694,257 | \$ 8,823,169 | \$ | 1,150,943 | \$ | 503,221 | \$ 102,847,844 |
|  | Safety | 27,151,058 | 10,311,212 | 4,405,737 |  | 157,957 |  | 104,232 | 42,130,196 |
|  | TOTAL | \$ 109,827,312 | \$ 20,005,469 | \$ 13,228,906 | \$ | 1,308,900 | \$ | 607,453 | \$ 144,978,040 |
| 2013 | General | \$ 95,109,549 | \$ 5,667,332 | \$ 8,876,109 | \$ | 900,756 | \$ | 572,733 | \$ 111,126,479 |
|  | Safety | 31,116,346 | 8,938,667 | 3,912,149 |  | 268,178 |  | 40,000 | 44,275,339 |
|  | TOTAL | \$ 126,225,895 | \$ 14,605,999 | \$ 12,788,257 | \$ | 1,168,934 | \$ | 612,733 | \$ 155,401,817 |
| 2014 | General | \$ 100,668,155 | \$ 8,493,931 | \$ 9,401,576 | \$ | 1,427,885 | \$ | 548,606 | \$ 120,540,152 |
|  | Safety | 31,407,516 | 9,555,857 | 4,184,681 |  | 107,813 |  | 74,951 | 45,330,819 |
|  | TOTAL | \$ 132,075,671 | \$ 18,049,788 | \$ 13,586,257 | \$ | 1,535,698 | \$ | 623,557 | \$ 165,870,971 |
| 2015 | General | \$ 110,694,430 | \$ 8,608,271 | \$ 9,864,262 | \$ | 1,584,403 | \$ | 449,742 | \$ 131,201,108 |
|  | Safety | 35,096,063 | 10,179,970 | 4,580,169 |  | 299,374 |  | 112,229 | 50,267,805 |
|  | TOTAL | \$ 145,790,493 | \$ 18,788,241 | \$ 14,444,431 | \$ | 1,883,777 | \$ | 561,971 | \$ 181,468,913 |
| 2016 | General | \$ 118,912,565 | \$ 8,650,277 | \$ 10,544,504 | \$ | 1,840,117 | \$ | 563,769 | \$ 140,511,232 |
|  | Safety | 38,262,562 | 10,660,155 | 5,083,479 |  | 146,749 |  | 55,000 | 54,207,945 |
|  | TOTAL | \$ 157,175,127 | \$ 19,310,432 | \$ 15,627,983 | \$ | 1,986,866 | \$ | 618,769 | \$ 194,719,177 |
| 2017 | General | \$ 126,046,097 | \$ 8,807,111 | \$ 10,729,415 | \$ | 2,108,790 | \$ | 656,206 | \$ 148,347,619 |
|  | Safety | 40,336,132 | 11,088,325 | 5,401,180 |  | 188,714 |  | 45,000 | 57,059,351 |
|  | TOTAL | \$ 166,382,229 | \$ 19,895,436 | \$ 16,130,595 | \$ | 2,297,504 | \$ | 701,206 | \$ 205,406,970 |
| 2018 | General | \$ 137,812,569 | \$ 9,134,223 | \$ 11,265,536 | \$ | 1,975,078 | \$ | 565,401 | \$ 160,752,807 |
|  | Safety | 42,762,050 | 11,814,374 | 5,667,301 |  | 389,635 |  | 57,500 | 60,690,860 |
|  | TOTAL | \$ 180,574,619 | \$ 20,948,597 | \$ 16,932,837 | \$ | 2,364,713 | \$ | 622,901 | \$ 221,443,667 |

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SCHEDULE OF RETIRED MEMBERS BY TYPE

|  |  | MEMBERS | MEMBERS |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ACTUARIAL <br> VALUATION DATE | PLAN TYPE | WITH <br> SERVICE <br> RETIREMENTS | DISABILITY <br> RETIREMENTS | SURVIVORS <br> AND <br> BENEFICIARIES | TOTAL |


| 01/01/2009 | General | 2,547 | 355 | 486 | 3,388 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Safety | 409 | 183 | 118 | 710 |
|  | TOTAL | 2,956 | 538 | 604 | 4,098 |
| 01/01/2010 | General | 2,654 | 373 | 495 | 3,522 |
|  | Safety | 420 | 184 | 126 | 730 |
|  | TOTAL | 3,074 | 557 | 621 | 4,252 |
| 01/01/2011 | General | 2,799 | 383 | 515 | 3,697 |
|  | Safety | 469 | 188 | 135 | 792 |
|  | TOTAL | 3,268 | 571 | 650 | 4,489 |
| 01/01/2012 | General | 2,946 | 381 | 544 | 3,871 |
|  | Safety | 485 | 190 | 139 | 814 |
|  | TOTAL | 3,431 | 571 | 683 | 4,685 |
| 01/01/2013 | General | 3,113 | 387 | 541 | 4,041 |
|  | Safety | 514 | 195 | 147 | 856 |
|  | TOTAL | 3,627 | 582 | 688 | 4,897 |
| 01/01/2014 | General | 3,227 | 388 | 557 | 4,172 |
|  | Safety | 516 | 199 | 154 | 869 |
|  | TOTAL | 3,743 | 587 | 711 | 5,041 |
| 01/01/2015 | General | 3,385 | 393 | 580 | 4,358 |
|  | Safety | 524 | 205 | 162 | 891 |
|  | TOTAL | 3,909 | 598 | 742 | 5,249 |
| 01/01/2016 | General | 3,506 | 390 | 598 | 4,494 |
|  | Safety | 554 | 210 | 177 | 941 |
|  | TOTAL | 4,060 | 600 | 775 | 5,435 |
| 01/01/2017 | General | 3,655 | 399 | 603 | 4,657 |
|  | Safety | 572 | 215 | 184 | 971 |
|  | TOTAL | 4,227 | 614 | 787 | 5,628 |
| 01/01/2018 | General | 3,789 | 402 | 615 | 4,806 |
|  | Safety | 600 | 221 | 195 | 1,016 |
|  | TOTAL | 4,389 | 623 | 810 | 5,822 |

Figures are extracted from actuarial reports which include individuals receiving divorce settlement payments.
The most current Actuarial Valuation was conducted as of January 1, 2018 for the period ending December 31, 2017.
The information in subsequent years is currently not available.

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## SCHEDULE OF AVERAGE MONTHLY BENEFIT PAYMENTS BY NUMBER OF YEARS OF CREDITED SERVICE

| RETIREMENT EFFECTIVE DATE | NUMBER OF YEARS OF COUNTY SERVICE CREDIT |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 0-4 |  | 5-9 |  | 10-14 |  | 15-19 |  | 20-24 |  | 25-29 |  | 30 \& OVER |  |
| 2012 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Retirees |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GENERAL MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 517 | \$ | 1,077 | \$ | 1,481 | \$ | 2,129 | \$ | 2,729 | \$ | 4,198 | \$ | 6,317 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 7,532 | \$ | 5,925 | \$ | 5,233 | \$ | 4,900 | \$ | 5,338 | \$ | 6,449 | \$ | 7,295 |
| Count |  | 19 |  | 31 |  | 56 |  | 36 |  | 42 |  | 30 |  | 44 |
| SAFETY MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 429 | \$ | 2,194 | \$ | 3,026 | \$ | 4,186 | \$ | 5,302 | \$ | 9,183 |  | 13,206 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 6,793 | \$ | 5,812 | \$ | 6,636 | \$ | 8,124 | \$ | 7,306 |  | 13,360 |  | 13,606 |
| Count |  | 4 |  | 5 |  | 7 |  | 3 |  | 14 |  | 11 |  | 5 |
| Survivors / DROs |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GENERAL MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 331 | \$ | 1,189 | \$ | 1,017 | \$ | 1,525 | \$ | 1,274 | \$ | 3,105 |  | 2,783 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 4,482 | \$ | 3,558 | \$ | 2,664 | \$ | 2,604 | \$ | 3,639 | \$ | 4,794 | \$ | 3,940 |
| Count |  | 4 |  | 4 |  | 8 |  | 3 |  | 1 |  | 2 |  | 4 |
| SAFETY MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 0 | \$ | 1,039 | \$ | 2,423 | \$ | 3,450 | \$ | 3,573 | \$ | 3,206 | \$ | 4,887 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 0 | \$ | 6,972 | \$ | 7,561 | \$ | 1,358 | \$ | 1,776 | \$ | 3,836 | \$ | 6,169 |
| Count |  | 0 |  | 2 |  | 2 |  | 2 |  | 1 |  | 3 |  | 2 |
| 2013 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Retirees |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GENERAL MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 433 | \$ | 1,410 | \$ | 1,589 | \$ | 2,556 | \$ | 3,149 | \$ | 4,241 | \$ | 5,837 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 7,695 | \$ | 7,279 | \$ | 5,787 | \$ | 6,125 | \$ | 6,132 | \$ | 6,467 | \$ | 6,718 |
| Count |  | 10 |  | 25 |  | 40 |  | 35 |  | 35 |  | 26 |  | 29 |
| SAFETY MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits |  | 1,165 | \$ | 1,435 |  | 2,621 | \$ | 3,501 | \$ | 4,260 |  | 11,134 | \$ | 9,279 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 9,478 | \$ | 7,434 | \$ | 6,316 | \$ | 7,044 | \$ | 5,599 |  | 13,945 | \$ | 9,670 |
| Count |  | 3 |  | 2 |  | 7 |  | 4 |  | 1 |  | 2 |  | 2 |
| Survivors / DROs |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GENERAL MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 687 | \$ | 1,000 | \$ | 883 | \$ | 1,182 | \$ | 2,063 | \$ | 1,572 | \$ | 2,985 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 3,804 | \$ | 4,531 | \$ | 3,953 | \$ | 3,163 | \$ | 3,722 | \$ | 1,821 | \$ | 3,681 |
| Count |  | 6 |  | 9 |  | 15 |  | 7 |  | 5 |  | 2 |  | 5 |
| SAFETY MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 650 | \$ | 3,101 | \$ | 1,385 | \$ | 2,012 | \$ | 1,918 | \$ | 3,745 | \$ | 4,936 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 4,955 |  | 10,868 | \$ | 2,506 | \$ | 3,966 | \$ | 2,525 | \$ | 6,184 | \$ | 5,381 |
| Count |  | 3 |  | 1 |  | 2 |  | 1 |  | 2 |  | 1 |  | 1 |

## SCHEDULE OF AVERAGE MONTHLY BENEFIT PAYMENTS BY NUMBER OF YEARS OF CREDITED SERVICE

| RETIREMENT EFFECTIVE DATE | NUMBER OF YEARS OF COUNTY SERVICE CREDIT |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 0-4 |  | 5-9 |  | 10-14 |  | 15-19 |  | 20-24 |  | 25-29 |  | 30 \& OVER |  |
| 2014 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Retirees |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GENERAL MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 461 | \$ | 1,237 |  | 1,775 |  | 2,567 |  | 4,363 |  | 4,570 | \$ | 6,392 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 8,494 | \$ | 6,593 | \$ | 5,772 |  | 6,380 |  | 7,652 |  | 6,782 | \$ | 7,760 |
| Count |  | 13 |  | 28 |  | 50 |  | 46 |  | 26 |  | 43 |  | 39 |
| SAFETY MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 1,715 | \$ | 2,429 |  | 3,207 |  | 4,546 |  | 3,993 |  | 7,239 |  | 11,302 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 7,439 | \$ | 6,281 |  | 6,826 |  | 8,863 |  | 6,031 |  | 8,897 |  | 11,762 |
| Count |  | 2 |  | 3 |  | 5 |  | 5 |  | 4 |  | 7 |  | 1 |
| Survivors / DROs |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GENERAL MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 478 | \$ | 1,016 |  | 1,007 |  | 935 |  | 2,002 |  | 1,153 | \$ | 2,941 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 5,752 | \$ | 4,218 |  | 2,698 |  | 2,835 |  | 4,914 |  | 2,966 | \$ | 8,069 |
| Count |  | 12 |  | 6 |  | 13 |  | 4 |  | 6 |  | 1 |  | 5 |
| SAFETY MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 2,030 | \$ | 2,464 |  | 2,890 |  | 3,326 |  | 3,002 |  | 3,282 | \$ | 0 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 9,251 | \$ | 8,582 |  | 5,516 |  | 4,818 |  | 2,992 |  | 4,429 | \$ | 0 |
| Count |  | 2 |  | 3 |  | 4 |  | 1 |  | 2 |  | 2 |  | 0 |
| 2015 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Retirees |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GENERAL MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 319 | \$ | 969 |  | 1,877 |  | 2,334 |  | 3,290 |  | 4,418 | \$ | 5,705 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 5,983 | \$ | 5,857 | \$ | 6,166 | \$ | 5,409 |  | 5,854 |  | 6,614 | \$ | 6,691 |
| Count |  | 14 |  | 26 |  | 40 |  | 43 |  | 26 |  | 27 |  | 38 |
| SAFETY MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 585 | \$ | 2,212 |  | 3,041 |  | 3,959 |  | 6,341 |  | 8,438 |  | 10,290 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 7,403 | \$ | 6,103 |  | 6,469 | \$ | 6,943 |  | 8,580 |  | 9,869 |  | 11,511 |
| Count |  | 2 |  | 3 |  | 6 |  | 3 |  | 11 |  | 23 |  | 2 |
| Survivors / DROs |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GENERAL MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 576 |  | 989 |  | 1,002 | \$ | 1,803 |  | 3,042 |  | 2,827 | \$ | 5,276 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 3,420 | \$ | 6,179 | \$ | 3,344 | \$ | 4,974 |  | 7,108 |  | 6,234 | \$ | 5,851 |
| Count |  | 6 |  | 10 |  | 11 |  | 3 |  | 5 |  | 2 |  | 5 |
| SAFETY MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 530 | \$ | 2,019 |  | 2,184 | \$ | 1,970 |  | 2,767 |  | 5,547 | \$ | 5,026 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 6,053 |  | 11,396 | \$ | 9,909 | \$ | 3,888 |  | 3,983 | \$ | 8,256 | \$ | 5,406 |
| Count |  | 2 |  | 1 |  | 2 |  | 1 |  | 3 |  | 3 |  | 3 |

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SCHEDULE OF AVERAGE MONTHLY BENEFIT PAYMENTS BY NUMBER OF YEARS OF CREDITED SERVICE

| RETIREMENT EFFECTIVE DATE | NUMBER OF YEARS OF COUNTY SERVICE CREDIT |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 0-4 |  | 5-9 |  | 10-14 |  | 15-19 |  | 20-24 |  | 25-29 |  | 30 \& OVER |  |
| 2016 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Retirees |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GENERAL MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 310 | \$ | 1,410 |  | 1,816 | \$ | 2,607 | \$ | 3,457 | \$ | 4,047 |  | 5,986 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 6,616 | \$ | 6,159 |  | 6,368 | \$ | 6,088 | \$ | 6,269 | \$ | 5,888 |  | 7,069 |
| Count |  | 21 |  | 27 |  | 52 |  | 50 |  | 22 |  | 31 |  | 41 |
| SAFETY MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 3,817 | \$ | 1,759 |  | 2,546 | \$ | 6,290 | \$ | 5,510 |  | 10,275 |  | 10,494 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 7,634 | \$ | 5,986 |  | 6,353 |  | 11,453 | \$ | 8,566 |  | 12,432 |  | 11,081 |
| Count |  | 1 |  | 6 |  | 6 |  | 3 |  | 7 |  | 14 |  | 2 |
| Survivors / DROs |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GENERAL MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 313 | \$ | 858 |  | 1,065 | \$ | 1,877 | \$ | 2,207 | \$ | 1,763 | \$ | 2,769 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 5,727 | \$ | 4,674 |  | 4,527 | \$ | 3,984 | \$ | 7,223 | \$ | 4,176 | \$ | 3,314 |
| Count |  | 5 |  | 7 |  | 11 |  | 7 |  | 2 |  | 4 |  | 1 |
| SAFETY MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 495 | \$ | 2,235 |  | 1,253 | \$ | 1,661 | \$ | 4,086 | \$ | 5,943 |  | 4,712 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 7,339 | \$ | 9,643 |  | 3,843 | \$ | 2,755 | \$ | 5,646 | \$ | 8,004 | \$ | 4,804 |
| Count |  | 2 |  | 4 |  | 1 |  | 1 |  | 1 |  | 1 |  | 2 |
| 2017 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Retirees |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GENERAL MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ |  | \$ | 1,420 |  | 2,070 | \$ | 2,325 | \$ | 3,951 | \$ | 4,678 | \$ | 6,187 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 9,793 | \$ | 6,878 |  | 6,534 | \$ | 5,719 | \$ | 6,851 | \$ | 6,763 | \$ | 7,391 |
| Count |  | 23 |  | 36 |  | 42 |  | 48 |  | 22 |  | 31 |  | 33 |
| SAFETY MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 787 | \$ | 1,223 |  | 2,529 | \$ | 3,318 | \$ | 5,973 | \$ | 7,370 |  | 9,169 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 9,859 | \$ | 5,688 |  | 6,385 | \$ | 6,311 | \$ | 9,021 | \$ | 9,265 | \$ | 9,050 |
| Count |  | 5 |  | 4 |  | 7 |  | 8 |  | 6 |  | 8 |  | 1 |
| Survivors / DROs |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GENERAL MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 678 | \$ | 1,055 |  | 1,622 | \$ | 1,126 | \$ | 1,850 | \$ | 1,779 | \$ | 5,139 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 5,110 | \$ | 4,344 |  | 4,225 | \$ | 3,696 | \$ | 4,288 | \$ | 1,841 | \$ | 6,188 |
| Count |  | 12 |  | 9 |  | 10 |  | 6 |  | 5 |  | 2 |  | 3 |
| SAFETY MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 667 | \$ | 2,413 |  | 1,292 | \$ | 0 | \$ | 0 | \$ | 3,922 | \$ | 6,511 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 5,605 | \$ | 6,311 |  | 3,454 | \$ | 0 | \$ | 0 | \$ | 4,565 | \$ | 2,765 |
| Count |  | 2 |  | 3 |  | 2 |  | 0 |  | 0 |  | 2 |  | 2 |

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## SCHEDULE OF AVERAGE MONTHLY BENEFIT PAYMENTS BY NUMBER OF YEARS OF CREDITED SERVICE

| RETIREMENT EFFECTIVE DATE | NUMBER OF YEARS OF COUNTY SERVICE CREDIT |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 0-4 |  | 5-9 |  | 10-14 |  | 15-19 |  | 20-24 |  | 25-29 |  | 30 \& OVER |  |
| 2018 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Retirees |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GENERAL MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ |  | \$ | 1,166 | \$ | 1,759 | \$ | 2,671 | \$ | 3,522 | \$ | 5,202 |  | 6,036 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 9,601 | \$ | 6,704 | \$ | 5,920 | \$ | 6,603 | \$ | 6,555 | \$ | 7,633 |  | 6,975 |
| Count |  | 21 |  | 45 |  | 47 |  | 55 |  | 25 |  | 33 |  | 39 |
| SAFETY MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 2,721 | \$ | 2,622 | \$ | 2,166 | \$ | 3,313 | \$ | 3,997 | \$ | 7,453 |  | 10,935 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 5,485 | \$ | 8,987 | \$ | 6,168 | \$ | 6,135 | \$ | 6,442 | \$ | 9,615 |  | 11,725 |
| Count |  | 1 |  | 3 |  | 5 |  | 5 |  | 8 |  | 7 |  | 4 |
| Survivors / DROs |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GENERAL MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ |  | \$ |  | \$ | 1,201 | \$ | 1,204 | \$ | 2,150 | \$ | 2,590 |  | 2,759 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 4,220 | \$ | 3,482 | \$ | 5,324 | \$ | 4,292 | \$ | 3,513 | \$ | 3,538 |  | 4,382 |
| Count |  | 3 |  | 5 |  | 10 |  | 10 |  | 1 |  | 5 |  | 9 |
| SAFETY MEMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average Benefits | \$ | 0 | \$ | 1,724 |  | 3,203 | \$ | 0 | \$ | 1,201 | \$ | 0 |  | 6,213 |
| Average Final Compensation | \$ | 0 | \$ | 6,376 | \$ | 4,065 | \$ | 0 | \$ | 3,140 | \$ | 0 |  | 4,768 |
| Count |  | 0 |  | 3 |  | 1 |  | 0 |  | 1 |  | 0 |  | 3 |

## SCHEDULE OF AVERAGE MONTHLY BENEFIT PAYMENTS BY NUMBER OF YEARS SINCE RETIREMENT

GENERAL AND SAFETY MEMBERS

| YEAR ENDED |  | NUMBER OF YEARS SINCE RETIREMENT |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 0-4 |  | 5-9 |  | 10-14 |  | 15-19 |  | 20-24 |  | 25-29 |  | 30 \& OVER |  |
| 2009 | Average Benefit | \$ | 2,549 | \$ | 2,408 | \$ | 1,959 | \$ | 1,846 | \$ | 1,723 | \$ | 1,527 | \$ | 1,339 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,312 |  | 1,083 |  | 729 |  | 506 |  | 307 |  | 170 |  | 145 |
| 2010 | Average Benefit | \$ | 2,569 | \$ | 2,565 | \$ | 2,052 | \$ | 1,972 | \$ | 1,764 | \$ | 1,602 | \$ | 1,329 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,384 |  | 1,153 |  | 790 |  | 502 |  | 319 |  | 185 |  | 156 |
| 2011 | Average Benefit | \$ | 2,639 | \$ | 2,564 | \$ | 2,199 | \$ | 2,006 | \$ | 1,870 | \$ | 1,743 | \$ | 1,364 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,430 |  | 1,190 |  | 838 |  | 522 |  | 333 |  | 196 | \$ | 176 |
| 2012 | Average Benefit | \$ | 2,798 | \$ | 2,591 | \$ | 2,473 | \$ | 2,075 | \$ | 1,839 | \$ | 1,874 | \$ | 1,376 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,515 |  | 1,185 |  | 947 |  | 545 |  | 334 |  | 194 |  | 177 |
| 2013 | Average Benefit | \$ | 2,840 | \$ | 2,755 | \$ | 2,609 | \$ | 2,049 | \$ | 2,029 | \$ | 1,881 | \$ | 1,348 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,520 |  | 1,211 |  | 990 |  | 577 |  | 372 |  | 208 |  | 163 |
| 2014 | Average Benefit | \$ | 2,961 | \$ | 2,873 | \$ | 2,706 | \$ | 2,223 | \$ | 2,106 | \$ | 1,899 | \$ | 1,477 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,609 |  | 1,224 |  | 987 |  | 642 |  | 404 |  | 209 |  | 174 |
| 2015 | Average Benefit | \$ | 3,139 | \$ | 2,918 | \$ | 2,921 | \$ | 2,333 | \$ | 2,221 | \$ | 1,995 | \$ | 1,566 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,587 |  | 1,291 |  | 1,046 |  | 692 |  | 412 |  | 212 |  | 194 |
| 2016 | Average Benefit | \$ | 3,254 | \$ | 3,057 | \$ | 2,960 | \$ | 2,532 | \$ | 2,285 | \$ | 2,022 | \$ | 1,765 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,606 |  | 1,351 |  | 1,073 |  | 742 |  | 428 |  | 234 |  | 194 |
| 2017 | Average Benefit | \$ | 3,178 | \$ | 3,236 | \$ | 3,023 | \$ | 2,874 | \$ | 2,350 | \$ | 2,084 | \$ | 1,750 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,605 |  | 1,434 |  | 1,067 |  | 831 |  | 452 |  | 245 |  | 188 |
| 2018 | Average Benefit | \$ | 3,259 | \$ | 3,283 | \$ | 3,235 | \$ | 3,050 | \$ | 2,353 | \$ | 2,314 | \$ | 1,838 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,694 |  | 1,441 |  | 1,101 |  | 873 |  | 466 |  | 271 |  | 207 |

## SCHEDULE OF AVERAGE MONTHLY BENEFIT PAYMENTS BY NUMBER OF YEARS SINCE RETIREMENT

GENERAL MEMBERS

| YEAR ENDED |  | NUMBER OF YEARS SINCE RETIREMENT |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 0-4 |  | 5-9 |  | 10-14 |  | 15-19 |  | 20-24 |  | 25-29 |  | 30 \& OVER |  |
| 2009 | Average Benefit | \$ | 2,278 | \$ | 1,923 | \$ | 1,632 | \$ | 1,683 | \$ | 1,524 | \$ | 1,250 | \$ | 1,073 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,108 |  | 850 |  | 598 |  | 433 |  | 271 |  | 143 |  | 119 |
| 2010 | Average Benefit | \$ | 2,269 | \$ | 2,093 | \$ | 1,696 | \$ | 1,806 | \$ | 1,549 | \$ | 1,379 | \$ | 1,015 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,149 |  | 912 |  | 640 |  | 428 |  | 285 |  | 157 |  | 126 |
| 2011 | Average Benefit | \$ | 2,349 | \$ | 2,168 | \$ | 1,737 | \$ | 1,799 | \$ | 1,649 | \$ | 1,506 | \$ | 1,050 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,198 |  | 976 |  | 654 |  | 444 |  | 289 |  | 169 |  | 141 |
| 2012 | Average Benefit | \$ | 2,456 | \$ | 2,285 | \$ | 1,893 | \$ | 1,868 | \$ | 1,614 | \$ | 1,617 | \$ | 1,108 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,267 |  | 992 |  | 721 |  | 467 |  | 283 |  | 166 |  | 145 |
| 2013 | Average Benefit | \$ | 2,572 | \$ | 2,370 | \$ | 2,062 | \$ | 1,787 | \$ | 1,855 | \$ | 1,623 | \$ | 1,003 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,297 |  | 1,000 |  | 762 |  | 485 |  | 319 |  | 177 |  | 132 |
| 2014 | Average Benefit | \$ | 2,689 | \$ | 2,566 | \$ | 2,133 | \$ | 1,847 | \$ | 1,950 | \$ | 1,628 | \$ | 1,158 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,371 |  | 1,030 |  | 767 |  | 524 |  | 342 |  | 180 |  | 144 |
| 2015 | Average Benefit | \$ | 2,821 | \$ | 2,577 | \$ | 2,359 | \$ | 1,942 | \$ | 2,036 | \$ | 1,763 | \$ | 1,269 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,353 |  | 1,066 |  | 821 |  | 560 |  | 345 |  | 188 |  | 160 |
| 2016 | Average Benefit | \$ | 2,887 | \$ | 2,721 | \$ | 2,483 | \$ | 2,005 | \$ | 2,085 | \$ | 1,778 | \$ | 1,428 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,358 |  | 1,125 |  | 878 |  | 576 |  | 360 |  | 201 |  | 159 |
| 2017 | Average Benefit | \$ | 2,884 | \$ | 2,836 | \$ | 2,659 | \$ | 2,201 | \$ | 2,112 | \$ | 1,872 | \$ | 1,331 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,357 |  | 1,195 |  | 887 |  | 628 |  | 384 |  | 204 |  | 151 |
| 2018 | Average Benefit | \$ | 2,937 | \$ | 2,967 | \$ | 2,767 | \$ | 2,402 | \$ | 2,081 | \$ | 2,103 | \$ | 1,422 |
|  | Number of Retirees |  | 1,434 |  | 1,222 |  | 903 |  | 667 |  | 392 |  | 227 |  | 165 |

## SCHEDULE OF AVERAGE MONTHLY BENEFIT PAYMENTS BY NUMBER OF YEARS SINCE RETIREMENT

## SAFETY MEMBERS



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SCHEDULE OF PARTICIPATING EMPLOYERS
For the Last Ten Fiscal Years ended December 31

|  | 2018 |  | 2017 |  | 2016 |  | 2015 |  | 2014 |  | 2013 |  | 2012 | 2011 | 2010 | 2009 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | TIER 1 | TIER 2 | TIER 1 | TIER 2 | TIER 1 | TIER 2 | TIER 1 | TIER 2 | TIER 1 | TIER 2 | TIER 1 | TIER 2 |  |  |  |  |
| COUNTY OF SAN JOAQUIN |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General Members | 2,750 | 2,473 | 2,962 | 2,050 | 3,205 | 1,717 | 4,614 | 1,416 | 4,864 | 918 | 5,138 | 507 | 5,379 | 5,308 | 5,476 | 5,712 |
| Safety Members | 563 | 235 | 596 | 204 | 622 | 138 | 800 | 85 | 861 | 59 | 881 | 12 | 901 | 920 | 945 | 1,026 |
| TOTAL | 3,313 | 2,708 | 3,558 | 2,254 | 3,827 | 1,855 | 5,414 | 1,501 | 5,725 | 977 | 6,019 | 519 | 6,280 | 6,228 | 6,421 | 6,738 |
| SUPERIOR COURT |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General Members | 184 | 114 | 194 | 105 | 202 | 101 | 255 | 66 | 263 | 38 | 269 | 20 | 289 | 326 | 357 | 375 |
| Safety Members | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL | 184 | 114 | 194 | 105 | 202 | 101 | 255 | 66 | 263 | 38 | 269 | 20 | 289 | 326 | 357 | 375 |
| LATHROP-MANTECA RURAL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General Members | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Safety Members | 21 | 19 | 25 | 7 | 25 | 8 | 41 | 8 | 42 | 7 | 43 | 3 | 45 | 39 | 41 | 43 |
| TOTAL | 22 | 22 | 26 | 9 | 26 | 10 | 42 | 9 | 43 | 8 | 44 | 3 | 46 | 39 | 41 | 44 |
| WATERLOO-MORADA RURAL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General Members | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Safety Members | 10 | 6 | 11 | 6 | 12 | 6 | 14 | 7 | 12 | 6 | 13 | 5 | 15 | 15 | 17 | 17 |
| TOTAL | 10 | 6 | 11 | 6 | 12 | 6 | 14 | 7 | 12 | 6 | 13 | 5 | 15 | 15 | 18 | 18 |
| OTHER SPECIAL DISTRICTS (GENERAL MEMBERS) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tracy Public Cemetery District | 2 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 6 | 8 | 7 | 8 |
| SJC Mosquito \& Vector Control District | 21 | 15 | 23 | 11 | 26 | 9 | 30 | 8 | 32 | 7 | 38 | 2 | 38 | 38 | 37 | 39 |
| SJC Historical <br>  <br> Museum | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Mountain House Community Services District | 4 | 23 | 6 | 17 | 6 | 13 | 10 | 11 | 9 | 9 | 13 | 5 | 16 | 14 | 14 | 16 |
| Local Agency <br> Formation Commission | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| San Joaquin County Law Library | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| TOTALS | 29 | 47 | 33 | 33 | 37 | 26 | 48 | 24 | 49 | 20 | 62 | 10 | 65 | 64 | 63 | 68 |
| GRAND TOTAL | 3,558 | 2,897 | 3,822 | 2,407 | 4,104 | 1,998 | 5,773 | 1,607 | 6,092 | 1,049 | 6,407 | 557 | 6,695 | 6,672 | 6,900 | 7,243 |

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[^0]:    ${ }^{1}$ Schedule is intended to show information for 10 years. Additional years will be displayed as they become available.
    ${ }^{2}$ Covered Payroll reported by plan sponsors is the payroll on which contributions are based in accordance with GASB Statement No. 82.

[^1]:    ${ }^{1}$ As SJCERA is a cost sharing multiple-employer pension plan, each employer participating in SJCERA must reflect a portion of the collective net pension liability and pension expense in their financial statements. The calculation for the proportionate share for each employer allocates net pension liability and pension expense based on each employer's share of the unfunded liability amortization payment. The proportionate shares are then adjusted to account for the additional contributions made by the County of San Joaquin and the Mosquito and Vector Control District for the year ended December 31, 2018.
    ${ }^{2}$ Proportionate share of net pension liability is based on the actuarial valuation.

[^2]:    ${ }^{1}$ Includes approximately 70 additional firms each with less than $2.3 \%$ of total commissions.

[^3]:    ${ }^{1}$ Includes COLA amounts not included in previous year's Annual Allowance totals.

[^4]:    'The actuarial value of assets reflects the smoothing method that adjusts fair value differences between the assumed and the actual investment return over a 5 -year period.
    ${ }^{2}$ Represents the annualization of active members' pay rates on December 31 as determined by the actuarial study.

[^5]:    ${ }^{1} 25 \%$ of General Terminations are assumed to be reciprocal.
    ${ }^{2} 50 \%$ of Safety Terminations are assumed to be reciprocal.

