# oregon PERS

PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM

### 2019-2021 Budget Presentation

Ways and Means General Government Subcommittee Phase 1 – Day 3

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- Senate Bill 1566 (2018) Reports:
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  - Distribution of SDULF

### **PERS:** Day Three

**Budget Overview** 



### **PERS:** System Refresher

The Oregon Legislative Assembly is the "Plan Sponsor" for the Oregon Public Employees Retirement System. The legislature determines the benefit structure for participating public employees. Those benefits have been modified over time, generally with benefit enhancements through 1995, but then reducing benefits since, including the creation of the Tier Two program for employees starting in 1996 and then the Oregon Public Service Retirement Program (OPSRP) for employees that started after August 28, 2003.

The legislature established PERS, the agency, to administer the retirement system in partnership with more than 900 public employers, including school districts, special districts, cities, counties, community colleges, universities, and state agencies. PERS collects records and maintains relationships with over 367,000 current and former public employees or their beneficiaries.



# **PERS:** System Refresher

- The Oregon Public Employees Retirement System was created by the Oregon Legislative Assembly in 1945.
- Operations commenced on July 1, 1946

Statutory References for the Agency	
Statute & Chapter	Program
ORS 237 & 238	Tier 1/Tier 2
ORS 238A	Oregon Public Service Retirement Program (OPSRP)
ORS 238A.300 to ORS 238A.457	Individual Account Program (IAP)
ORS 238.500 to 238.585	Judge Member Retirement Program
ORS 238.485 to 238.492	Public Employees Benefit Equalization Fund
ORS 243.410 to 238.420	Retiree Health Insurance Program
ORS 243.401 to 243.507	Deferred Compensation Program: Oregon Savings Growth Plan (OSGP)
ORS 237.414 and 237.470	Social Security Administration Program

Oregon Administrative Rules (Ch. 459) govern the implementation of PERS' statutory responsibilities.



# **PERS:** Agency Budget

Agency Legislatively Approved Budget 2017-19: \$101,537,470

Agency Governor's Budget 2019-21: **\$110,852,846** 





### PERS: Major Budget Drivers 2019-21

### **Agency Strategic Plan**

#### **State Government Mandates**

- Information Security Centralization
- Continuity of Operations Program (COOP)
  - Disaster Recovery

#### **Technology Modernization**

Business Innovation Program

#### **Legislative Changes**

- Senate Bill 1566 (2018)
  - Establishing the Employer Incentive Fund (EIF), School Districts Unfunded Liability Fund, and the Unfunded Actuarial Liability Resolution Program



# **PERS:** Budget Risks & Environmental Factors

### **Budget Risks**

### **Agency Risks:**

- Data Safety and Security
- Outdated technology
- Manual Processes that impede efficiency
- Facility Maintenance
- Professional development
- Employee Retirement
- Labor attraction and retention

### System Risks:

- Investment returns
- Increasing employer contribution rates
- Potential change in Assumed Rate
- Increased complexity
- Liquidity concerns
- Data Safety and Security
- Operational continuity

### **Environmental Factors**

### Agency Environmental Factors:

- Outdated technology
- Changes in Executive Leadership
- Increasing health care cost
- Increased complexity
- Retirement
- Labor attraction and retention

### System Environmental Factors:

- Secretary of State Information Technology
  Audit
- COOP Continuity of Operations Planning
- Increased fiscal pressure on employers
- Outdated technology
- Economic instability
- Potential increase in plan and financing complexity due to legislative changes



### **PERS:** Agency Changes – Past 6 Years

### Biennium 2013-2015:

- Senate Bill 822(2013) and Senate Bill 861 (2013 SS) Established a reduction in COLA to current and future benefit payments – project to initiate system change
- IAP Administration Project Budget approval for the agency to assume responsibility of all aspects of the Individual Account Program
- New Executive Director

### Biennium 2015-2017:

- Post-2013 Reform 2015 *Moro* Court Decision to overturn COLA reductions to benefit payments
  - Project to re-program system and correct 136,000 benefit payments
- Agency Reorganization
- Establishment of Compliance, Audit and Risk Division
- Development of first Agency Strategic Plan 2015-2020

### Biennium 2017-2019:

- New Director and Chief Financial Officer
- New Board Chair
- Continuation of IAP Administration Project
- Oregon Investment Council transition to Target Date Fund investment model for IAP
- Continued conversation and reporting about Information Security and Continuity Management
- Revision of Agency Strategic Plan 2018-2023



### **PERS:** Agency Changes Program & Service Delivery 2017-19

### 2017-19 Program Changes:

- New Director New to Oregon and state government will review agency operations to ensure appropriate focus and alignment to the agency mission
- New Chief Financial Officer New to state government will add a level of fiscal discipline and rigor to the agency's multi-billion dollar activities
- Facilitation of new Target Date Fund investment model for IAP beginning 1/1/18
- Implementation of SB 1566(2018) Established the Employer Incentive Fund and School Districts Unfunded Liability Fund which may provide rate relief in future biennia
- Oregon Investment Council transition to Target Date Fund investment model for IAP
- IAP pause

### 2017-19 Service Delivery Changes:

- OSGP administrative expense recognition change
- IAP pause
- Streamlined member and employer communication with transition to GovDelivery
- PERS website transitioned to a more user friendly platform
- Creation of the Employer Rate Projection Tool Created to help employers understand the potential impact of establishing or adding funds to side accounts



### **PERS:** Agency Changes Cost Containing Measures

#### **Cost Containing Measures 2017-19**

- Streamlined member and employer communication with transition to GovDelivery
- Continued focus on Employer Data Submission and Reconciliation
- Creation of the Employer Rate Projection Tool Created to help employers understand the potential impact of establishing or adding funds to side accounts

#### Planned Cost Containing Measures 2019-21

- Agency re-organization to align to Centers of Excellence
- Implementation of Enterprise Portfolio Management
- Relaunch of IAP technology platform project as IAP Integration Project
- Business Innovation Program sets technology modernization roadmap



### **PERS:** System & Agency Funding

#### Example FY 2018

Category	Amount Received
Charges For Agency Services	\$2,108,608.
Investment Income	\$7,228,270,634.
PERS Contributions	\$2,220,514,256.
Insurance Premiums	\$137,827,233.
Other Revenue	\$41,899,543.
Total	\$9,630,620,274.



# **PERS:** Summary of Policy Option Packages 2019-21

### Package 102 – PERS Production Data Center Migration \$1,715,318 FTE 0.00

One time request. This request relocates the PERS' data center to the state data center using a colocation model. Increases technical readiness in alignment with LFO and OSCIO memorandum.

### Package 103 – Financial & Administrative Services Strategic Fulfillment \$357,679 FTE 1.00

Request maintains one limited duration FTE for collections from Strunk and Eugene Oregon Supreme Court Cases & allows for Target Date Fund accounting.

### Package 104 – Maintaining Current Service Levels \$1,289,416 FTE 7.00

This request includes maintains current service level needs. Includes creation of a communications officer position, two ISD positions, and 4 operations positions.

### Package 106 – Risk & Security Management \$1,282,475 FTE 3.00

This request provides for three positions & contracted resources to administer Information Security, Business Continuity & Disaster Recovery programs.

### Package 107 – Deferred Maintenance Requirement of SB 1067 (2017) \$625,000 FTE 0.00

This request addresses deferred maintenance needs for the PERS owned headquarters building in Tigard, including an HVAC system and roof repairs.

### Package 109 – Business Innovation Program (BIP) Architecture & Planning \$512,265 FTE 0.00

Request is to perform architecture and planning of ORION (the Agency's data system) to create a roadmap to modernization including enhancement and sustainability of communications and technology foundations.



# **PERS:** Central Administration





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#### **Budget to Actuals**



\*Projected Actuals



## **PERS:** Central Administration

	Amount	FTE
Policy Packages		
Pkg. 90-92 CFO Analyst Adjustments	(\$7,408)	
Pkg. 104 Current Services	\$244,231	1.00
Subtotal Policy Packages	\$236,823	1.00
2019-21 Total Governor's Budget	\$4,692,802	16.00

Package 104 – Maintaining Current Service Levels \$1,289,416 FTE 7.00

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This request includes maintains current service level needs. Includes creation of a communications officer position, two ISD positions, and 4 operations positions.

In this Division, this request adds a communications officer and associated costs.

10% Reductions Options (ORS 291.216) - \$445,598







#### **Budget to Actuals**



\*Projected Actuals



#### **Performance Information**

Transaction	Calendar Year 2015	Calendar Year 2016	Calendar Year 2017	
Retirements*	15,058	14,257	17,435	
Withdrawals	4,808	4,344	3,883	
Eligibility reviews	49,279	43,822	44,910	
Telephone calls (incoming/outgoing)	208,931	222,450	266,644	
Emails (incoming)	208,437	126,314	128,501	
Written benefit estimates**	11,434	12,191	11,018	
Online benefit estimates***	50,382	52,036	59,671	

\* Including IAP

\*\* Including Tier One/Tier Two and OPSRP

\*\*\* Previously this number tracked all online estimates. This now only tracks online estimates in Calculated status on an annual basis. 2015 & 2016 data have also been updated.



	Amount	FTE
Policy Packages		
Pkg. 90-92 CFO Analyst Adjustments	(\$461,098)	
Pkg. 104 Current Services	\$641,818	4.00
Subtotal Policy Packages	\$180,720	4.00
2019-21 Total Governor's Budget	\$40,466,650	212.00

Package 104 – Maintaining Current Service Levels \$1,289,416 FTE 7.00

This request includes maintains current service level needs. Includes creation of a communications officer position, two ISD positions, and 4 operations positions.

In this Division, this request adds 4 operations positions.

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10% Reductions Options (ORS 291.216) - \$4,028,593







#### **Budget to Actuals**



\*Projected Actuals



#### **Performance Information**

#### **Certificate of Achievement**

The Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting is applicable for the year ended June 30, 2017. The System has received a Certificate of Achievement for the last 27 consecutive years.

#### **Public Pension Standards Award**

The Public Pension Coordinating Council (PPCC) awarded the 2018 Public Pension Standards Award to PERS for its plan design and administration.

The PPCC is a coalition of three associations representing public pension funds covering the vast majority of public employees in the United States. The associations are as follows: the National Association of State Retirement Administrators (NASRA), the National Conference on Public Employee Retirement Systems (NCPERS), and the National Council on Teacher Retirement (NCTR).

Public pension standards are intended to reflect minimum expectations for public retirement system management and administration, and to serve as benchmarks by which all defined benefit public plans are measured.

This is the  $16_{th}$  year the PPCC has offered the award to public retirement systems and the  $15_{th}$  consecutive year PERS has applied for, and received, the award.





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For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2018

	Amount	FTE
Policy Packages		
Pkg. 90-92 CFO Analyst Adjustments	(\$187,996)	-
Pkg. 103 FASD Strategic Planning	\$357,679	1.00
Pkg. 107 Deferred Maintenance	\$625,000	-
Subtotal Policy Packages	\$794,683	1.00
2019-21 Total Governor's Budget	\$30,318,851	60.00

Package 103 – Financial & Administrative Services Strategic Fulfillment \$357,679 FTE 1.00 Request maintains one limited duration FTE for collections from Strunk and Eugene Oregon Supreme Court Cases & allows for Target Date Fund accounting and associated costs.

Aligns with Financial Management | Technology Upgrades & System Integration | Financial Management Resource Development

**Package 107 – Deferred Maintenance Requirement of SB 1067 (2017) \$625,000 FTE 0.00** This request addresses deferred maintenance needs for the PERS owned headquarters building in Tigard, including an HVAC system and roof repairs.

Aligns with Organizational Management and Development | PERS Outcome-Based Management System

10% Reductions Options (ORS 291.216) - \$2,952,417







### **Budget to Actuals**



\*Projected Actuals





#### **Performance Information**

#### **Batch incidents**





	Amount	FTE		
Policy Packages				
Pkg. 90-92 CFO Analyst Adjustments	(\$121,311)	(1.00)		
Pkg. 102 Data Center Migration	\$1,715,318	-		
Pkg. 104 Current Services	\$403,367	2.00		
Pkg. 109 Business Innovation	\$512,265			
Subtotal Policy Packages	\$2,509,639	1.00		
2019-21 Total Governor's Budget	\$26,711,780	70.00		
<b>Package 102 – PERS Production Data Center Migration \$1,715,318 FTE 0.00</b> One time request. This request relocates the PERS' data center to the state data center using a colocation model. Increases technical readiness in alignment with LFO and OSCIO memorandum.				

Aligns with Information Governance & Technology | Information Governance Practices

#### Package 104 – Maintaining Current Service Levels \$1,289,416 FTE 7.00

This request includes maintains current service level needs. Includes creation of a communications officer position, two ISD positions, and 4 operations positions.

In this Division, this request adds two ISD positions.

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#### Package 109 – Business Innovation Program (BIP) Architecture & Planning \$512,265 FTE 0.00

Request is to perform architecture and planning of ORION (the Agency's data system) to create a roadmap to modernization including enhancement and sustainability of communications and technology foundations.

Aligns with Information Governance & Technology | ORION Business Modernization | IT Digital Transformation

10% Reductions Options (ORS 291.216) - \$2,420,214





### **Budget to Actuals**



\*Projected Actuals



#### **Performance Information**

#### Internal Audit Section

The PERS Internal Audit Section issues reports on audit subjects that span the entire agency. These reports include recommendations for management to improve operations and are monitored until they are implemented.

The table below shows the number of reports and recommendations issued for the past five years.

Year	# Reports Issued	# Recommendations
2018	7	28
2017	8	29
2016	3	37
2015	5	21
2014	4	13

#### Policy Analysis and Compliance Section

Within the Division, the Policy Analysis and Compliance Section administers the agency's appeals and contested cases. The following table shows the volume of appeals and contested cases filed.

# Appeals	# Contested Cases
118	16
170	34
221	31
225	58
863	80
	118 170 221 225



	Amount	FTE
Policy Packages		
Pkg. 90-92 CFO Analyst Adjustments	(63,764)	0.00
Pkg. 106 Risk and Security	1,282,475	3.00
Subtotal Policy Packages	1,218,711	3.00
2019-21 Total Governor's Budget	\$8,662,763	21.00

#### Package 106 – Risk & Security Management \$1,282,475 FTE 3.00

This request provides for three positions & contracted resources to administer Information Security, Business Continuity & Disaster Recovery programs.

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10% Reductions Options (ORS 291.216) - \$744,405



# **PERS:** Legislatively Approved Budget Historical Comparison

	2007-09	2009-11	2011-13	2013-15	2015-17	2017-19	2019-21 GB
Limited:							
Other Funds- Personal Srvcs	\$50,682,707	\$52,751,494	\$56,744,618	\$64,362,688	\$69,524,819	\$73,391,547	\$77,950,180
Other Funds - Srvcs/Supplies	29,620,738	29,916,870	21,660,024	21,009,989	35,302,823	26,851,571	30,729,335
Other Funds - Capital Outlay	947,701	593,588	927,588	1,478,453	2,121,807	1,294,352	2,173,331
Other Funds - Spc Payments							
Other Funds	81,251,146	83,261,952	79,332,230	86,851,130	106,949,449	101,537,470	110,852,846
Other Funds Debt Srvc	5,709,200	1,423,075	1,418,600	1,302,850	1,290,750		
Total	86,960,346	84,685,027	80,750,830	88,153,980	108,240,199	101,537,470	110,852,846
Permanent Positions	294	327	332	362	372	371	378
Limited Positions	100	41	33	5	8	6	1
Total Positions	394	368	365	367	380	377	379
Non-Limited:							
Other Funds	6,286,947,122	6,781,885,664	7,434,035,699	9,277,875,000	9,723,458,062	10,994,171,000	12,493,087,721
General Funds							100,000,000
Total	6,286,947,122	6,781,885,664	7,437,176,025	9,277,875,000	9,723,458,062	10,944,171,000	12,593,087,721
Total Expenditures	\$6,373,907,468	\$6,866,570,691	\$7,517,926,855	\$9,366,028,980	\$9,831,698,261	\$11,045,708,470	\$12,703,940,567
% Limited Budget	1.36%	1.23%	1.07%	0.94%	1.09%		

### **PERS:** Key Legislation 2019 Session

#### Senate Bill 75

The agency requested introduction of Senate Bill 75 which proposes to refine provisions of Senate Bill 1566(2018).

The earlier measure established the Employer Incentive Fund, School Districts Unfunded Liability Fund, and the Unfunded Actuarial Liability Resolution Program. Ultimately, employers may receive some rate relief through participation in these programs.

#### **Additional Information**

The agency will monitor and participate in conversations about a variety of proposals including concepts which:

- Redirect contributions from the Individual Account Program
- Redefine Final Average Salary for benefit calculations
- Establish new benefit programs
- Expand the definition of "police"
- Address retiree work after retirement



## **PERS:** 10% Budget Reduction Options

- In compliance with ORS 291.216, PERS' 10% Reduction Options are included in the Governor's Budget in the Agency Summary Section.
- PERS administers a single, integrated system of retirement, death, and disability benefit programs for public employees. This system is protected under the Contracts Clause of the Oregon Constitution. As such, budget reductions are based on a strategy that would result in decreased service levels and performance, rather that eliminating programs or functions.
- The identified reduction options total 36 positions and \$10,673,783 against the Current Service Level of \$105,912,270 (10.0%).



# APPENDIX

- Audit Response Reports
- Recent Changes to Agency
  Budget & Management
- 2017-19 Long-Term Vacancies
- Supervisory Span of Control
- Statewide Policy Packages
- 2019-21 Proposed Tech Projects
- Other Funds Ending Balances
  - Additional Resources


# **PERS:** Audit Response Reports

The following external audits were completed in the 2017-2019 biennium:

Report # 2017-31: Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

No significant deficiencies or material weaknesses.

Report # 2018-12: Audit of Schedule of Employer Allocations and Pension Amounts by Employer for the Year Ended June 30, 2017 No significant deficiencies or material weaknesses.

Report # 2018-13: Audit of RHIA Schedule of Employer Allocations and OPEB Amounts by Employer for the Year Ended June 30, 2017 No significant deficiencies or material weaknesses.

<u>Report # 2018-14: Audit of RHIPA Schedule of OPEB Amounts for the Year Ended June 30, 2017</u> No significant deficiencies or material weaknesses.



# **PERS:** Audit Response Reports (continued)

The following external audits were completed in the 2017-2019 biennium:

Report # 2018-25: Opportunities Exist to Increase the Impact of State Agency Internal Audit Functions

PERS was included in this review of internal audit functions throughout the state. The report's 16 recommendations were assigned to DAS.

Report # 2018-32: Severe Deficiencies in Disaster Recovery Program and Insufficient Information Technology Planning Pose Substantial Risks to Beneficiaries and the State The report includes 16 recommendations for PERS to address deficiencies in IT strategic planning and the disaster recovery program. Most of the recommendations were already in process of being addressed through the Continuity Management and Information Security projects and are expected to be completed by June 30, 2019.

Audit Report and Agency Response - https://sos.oregon.gov/audits/Documents/2018-32.pdf

Report # 2018-41: Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2018

No significant deficiencies or material weaknesses.



# **PERS:** Recent Changes to Agency Budget & Management

#### 2017-2019 Changes in Management, Major Programs, Service Delivery, and Budget:

- New Director New to Oregon and state government will review agency operations to ensure appropriate focus and alignment to the agency mission
- New Chief Financial Officer New to state government will add a level of fiscal discipline and rigor to the agency's multi-billion dollar activities
- New Board Chair with background in technology projects and management
- Implementation of SB 1566(2018) Established the Employer Incentive Fund and School Districts Unfunded Liability Fund which may provide rate relief in future biennia
- Creation of the Employer Rate Projection Tool Created to help employers understand the potential impact of establishing or adding funds to side accounts
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- PERS website transitioned to a more user friendly platform
- Revision of Agency Strategic Plan 2018-2023

#### 2019- 21 Planned Cost Containing Measures

- Agency re-organization to align to Centers of Excellence
- Implementation of Enterprise Portfolio Management
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- Business Innovation Program sets technology modernization roadmap



## PERS: 2017-19 Long Term Vacancies

DIVISION	Position #	FTE	Туре	Vacant Months 7 - 11	Vacant Months 12+
Financial & Admin Services Division	0137340	1	PF	1	
Information Services Division	0911417	1	PF		1
Information Services Division	0911420	1	PF		1
Operations Division	9300009	1	PF		1
TOTAL		4		1	3



## **PERS:** Supervisory Span of Control Report



### PROPOSED SUPERVISORY SPAN OF CONTROL REPORT

In accordance with the requirements of ORS 291.227, the Public Employee Retirement System (PERS) presents this report to the Joint Ways and Means Committee regarding the agency's Proposed Maximum Supervisory Ratio for the 2019-2021 biennium.

#### Supervisory Ratio for the last guarter of 2017-2019 biennium

The agency actual supervisory ratio as of 1/29/19 is 1: 10

When determining an agency maximum supervisory ratio all agencies shall begin of a baseline supervisory ratio of 1:11, and based upon some or all of the following factors may adjust the ratio up or down to fit the needs of the agency.





# **PERS:** Summary of Statewide Policy Packages for PERS

Package	Package Description	Adjustment Amount	
Pkg. 090 Analyst Adj.	Reduced \$461,098 in Operations; \$183,430 reduction in FASD; \$129,751 reduction in ISD: eliminated a long-term vacant PS1 position in ECM	(\$774,279)	
Pkg. 091 Statewide Adj. DAS Charges	Statewide adjustment of DAS charges to Agency.	\$12,757	
	\$4,317 increase in FASD; \$8,440 increase in ISD	φ+2 <i>μ</i> στ	
Pkg. 092 Statewide AG Adj. Charges	Statewide adjustment of DAS charges to Agency. \$63,764 reduction made in CARD; \$7,408 reduction in Central Admin.; \$8,883 reduction in FASD	(\$80,055)	



## **PERS:** 2019-21 Proposed Technology Projects

#### **Risk and Security Management**

As identified in PERS 2015-2020 Strategic Plan and subsequently called out in a Senate Bill 5534(2017) budget note, PERS was "directed to develop and implement an industry standard Cyber Security Program, including defining the long-term maintenance, operation and funding plans for the program". Two additional budget notes require PERS to develop and implement a Business Continuity and a Disaster Recovery Programs respectively. Lastly, on February 21, 2018, Governor Brown published a policy (no. 107-001-010) requiring all agencies to develop Continuity of Operations Programs (COOP). Throughout the 2017-2019 biennium, PERS has worked with the Enterprise Security Office (ESO) on the development of an Information Security Program and ongoing remediation efforts. PERS and the OSCIO are jointly reporting the progress of program development and remediation efforts to the Legislative Financial Office (LFO), which are estimated to be completed by June 30, 2019.

PERS has also been developing its Business Continuity Program, called the Continuity Management Program, which encompasses its Continuity, and Disaster Recovery Programs. PERS is also reporting progress of program development efforts to the Legislative Fiscal Office (LFO), which are estimated to be completed by June 30, 2019. To ensure PERS' limited resources are focused on meeting the agency mission of "*serving the people of Oregon by administering public employee benefits trusts to pay the right person the right benefit at the right time*", PERS is seeking to develop and implement a Risk Management Program, whereby agency risk will be the governing factor when evaluating Information Security, Technology, and business processes investments and services.



# **PERS:** 2019-21 Proposed Technology Projects (continued)

#### **Business Innovation Program**

The Public Employee Retirement System (PERS) administers public employee benefit trusts providing members with retirement benefits and services. PERS strategic priorities align services needed by our more than 925 employers and 345,000 members, to ensure we "*pay the right person, the right benefit, at the right time*". Our shifting demographics mean we now have more OPSRP members than Tier One and Tier Two members. We need to modernize, enhance, and sustain our communication and technological foundation to better align with the needs of these younger members as we strive to engage them in their career-long retirement planning. To implement industry standards in line with member expectations, we need to establish a technology platform that is flexible, secure, and aligned with today's service-driven technology standards.

To adapt, PERS is planning to initiate the **Business Innovation Program (BIP)** that will improve and resolve functionality and deficiencies that affect system administration, performance, and sustainability.



# **PERS:** Other Funds Ending Balances

	2017-19 Ending Balance		2019-21 Ending Balance			
Treasury Fund #/Name	In LAB	Revised	In CSL	Revised	Comments	
Public Employees Retirement Fund. 4091/4791/7651	73,769,700,395	64,040,669,770	63,261,504,538	63,334,347,939	Lower than expected investment income and increased benefit payments reduced 17-19 ending balance forecast and this continues for 19-21 Balances more closely reflect actual fund balances and investment returns.	
Retiree Health Insurance Trust Fund 5171	659,202,557	624,370,387	731,270,066	731,620,057	Strong investment returns combined with employer contributions continues to outpace benefit payments. Results in increasing fund balance. No change to forecast.	
Retiree Health Insurance Premium Account Trust Fund 6111	9,175,885	42,036,843	69,970,212	70,615,769	Co-mingled funds with PERS trust fund. Employer contributions increase as more members qualify for RHIPA combined with solid investment returns. No change to forecast.	
Standard Retiree Health Insurance Account Trust Fund 8921	110,870,044	41,528,842	25,688,426	114,227,019	Ending balance forecasts are based on member participation rates and forecasted administrative costs. Updated contract reduces administrative expense and estimated claim expense increasing expected ending balance.	
OPSRP Pension Account Trust Fund 1971	5,342,360,793	5,519,571,254	7,878,277,898	7,898,594,740	Plan is funded by employer contributions and investment earnings for employees hired after 08/29/2003. Increased contribution payments and low eligibility for retirement payments results in continued increases in ending balance.	
OPSRP IAP Account Trust Fund 1961	9,648,671,118	9,677,454,776	10,744,809,187	10,772,301,446		



## **PERS:** Other Funds Ending Balances (continued)

Treasury Fund #/Name	2017-19 Ending Balance		2019-21 Ending Balance			
	In LAB	Revised	In CSL	Revised	Comments	
Public Employees Retirement Fund. 4091/4791/7651					Except for timing of accrued cost allocation transfers, the balance in the limitation should be zero.	
Deferred Compensation Fund 7661	2,313,144	1,193,897	1,800,000	1,800,000	Fees are based on fluctuating member participation. The 489.2K decrease is based on current trends and an increase in cost allocation percentages to the fund.	
Public Employees Retirement Fund. 4091/4791/7651					Except for timing of accrued cost allocation transfers, the balance in the limitation should be zero.	
Public Employee Benefit Equalization Fund 7652	283,026	98,122	94,444	94,444	Less than anticipated cash receipts and timing of cost allocation adjusted the forecasted ending balance by 102.7K. Fee increase will be discussed.	
Social Security Revolving Account 1088	136,524	264,117	394,146	394,146	Administrative fees are reviewed and adjusted based on expected number of participating employers and projected administrative expenses. The \$34.4K decrease is based on less than anticipated cash receipts. Reduced cost allocation percentage to the fund.	

# **PERS:** Additional Resources

## Milliman December 31, 2017 System Valuation

Annual actuarial report of the system assets and liabilities

https://www.oregon.gov/pers/Documents/Financials/Actuarial/2018/Actuarial-Valuation.pdf

## Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) – Fiscal Year End June 30, 2018

• Report of all funds over which the PERS Board exercises authority https://www.oregon.gov/pers/Documents/Financials/CAFR/2018-CAFR.pdf

## PERS by the Numbers – Updated October 2018

• Summary of information about system demographics, benefits, funding, revenue, and history

https://www.oregon.gov/pers/Documents/General-Information/PERS-by-the-Numbers.pdf

## PERS Agency Strategic Plan – 2018-2023

• Agency-established priorities and plan to achieve the core mission https://www.oregon.gov/pers/Documents/Strategic-Plan.pdf

## **PERS Agency Website**

 PERS external website https://www.oregon.gov/pers/Pages/index.aspx



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