

FIRE
REQUIRED REPORTING TO MUNICIPALITY BY PENSION BOARD
As of April 30, 2009 fiscal year end

(40 ILCS 5/4-134) (from Ch. 108 1/2, par. 4-134)

Sec. 4-134. Report by pension board.

The board shall report annually to the city council or board of trustees of the municipality on the condition of the pension fund at the end of its most recently completed fiscal year. The report shall be made prior to the council or board meeting held for appropriating and levying taxes for the year for which the report is made.

1.

Total Trust Assets (see attachment 1 for complete listing)

Total Assets (market value):	\$15,530,531
Actuarial Value of Assets (see item 8 for explanation):	\$17,892,725

2.

Estimated receipts during the next succeeding fiscal year from:

Participant Contributions deducted from payroll:	\$340,125
Employer Contributions and all other sources:	\$2,015,168

3.

Estimated amount required during the next succeeding fiscal year to:

(a) pay all pensions and other obligations provided in this Article:	\$2,392,516
(b) meet the annual requirements of the fund as provided in Sections 4-118 and 4-120:	\$2,355,293

4.

Total Net Income received from investment of net assets:	\$ (2,308,129)
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Assumed Investment Return:	7.00%
Actual Investment Return:	(13.01)%

Total Net Income received from investment of net assets (FYE April 30, 2008):	\$743,439
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Assumed Investment Return (FYE April 30, 2008):	7.00%
Actual Investment Return (FYE April 30, 2008):	3.50%

5.

Total number of Active Employees that are financially contributing to the fund:	58
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6.

Disbursements to:

(i) Annuitants in receipt of a regular retirement pension:

Total number of annuitants:	30
Total amount that was disbursed in benefits:	\$1,333,319

(ii) Recipients being paid a disability pension:

Total number of annuitants:	19
Total amount that was disbursed in benefits:	\$631,295

(iii) Survivors and children in receipt of benefits:

Total number of annuitants:	19
Total amount that was disbursed in benefits:	\$257,242

7.

Funded ratio of the fund:

42.35%

8.

Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability:

\$24,358,493

The Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability is the excess of the Actuarial Accrued Liability over the Actuarial Value of Assets.

The Actuarial Accrued Liability is the portion of the present value of future plan benefits reflecting projected credited service and salaries determined by the actuarial cost method based upon the plan's actuarial assumptions and not provided for at a valuation date by the actuarial present value of future normal costs. The normal cost is the portion of this present value which is allocated to the current valuation year.

The Actuarial Value of Assets is the asset value derived by using the plan's asset valuation method which is a method designed to smooth random fluctuations in asset values. The objective underlying the use of an asset valuation method is to provide for the long-term stability of municipal contributions.

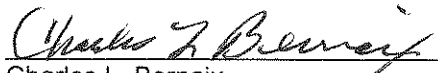
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Investment Policy of the pension board under the statutory investment restrictions imposed on the fund.
(See attachment 2)

Certification

I, Charles L. Bernaix, President of the Granite City Fire Pension Board, City of Granite City, Madison County, Illinois, do hereby certify that this document is a true and correct copy of: "Required Reporting to Municipality By Pension Board" as outlined in 40 ILCS 5/4-134.

Witness my hand this 9 day of SEPT, 2009.


Charles L. Bernaix
President of Granite City Fire Pension Board

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