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Pre-Retirement Seminars

Invitations for the 2019 pre-retirement seminars have been distributed to all eligible members who have a work email address on file at MPERS. Those eligible to attend can also view their invitation under the “correspondence” section of their *myMPERS* Secure Member Access account. However, it is not necessary to wait for an invitation to register. Registration begins as soon as the seminars are posted on our website.

Some of you recently received a pre-retirement seminar media packet via email. Please help us reach as many members as possible by posting the information you received throughout your district, division or troop. Not only will this help us to reach those without email who wish to attend, but it will also serve as a visible reminder to register for those who walk past the poster or slideshow. If you have any questions about the packet, please contact our Communications Specialist, Julie West at Julie.West@mpers.org or (573) 298-6027.

The seminars will begin on March 21st and will wrap up on September 25th. Invitations are only emailed to members who will be eligible to retire within the next five years. If there is room available, two weeks prior to each session the seminars will be opened up to anyone else who wishes to attend. All registrations for individual seminars will be closed one week prior to the seminar date.

We encourage any staff involved in the retirement process to attend these seminars as well. If you are interested in attending a pre-retirement seminar to enhance your knowledge about the benefits we administer, please contact a benefit specialist.

Pre-Retirement Seminars for March and April

March 21st	Jefferson City	MoDOT Central District Office
March 26th & 27th	St. Joseph	MoDOT Northwest District Office
March 28th	Macon	Comfort Inn
April 17th & 18th	Lee’s Summit	MoDOT Kansas City District Office

Board of Trustees Update

The MPERS Board of Trustees holds elections every year at their February meeting to name a chair and vice chair of the board. At the February 21st meeting, Bill Seibert was elected chair and Todd Tyler was elected vice-chair. For additional information about our Board of Trustees, including the current membership, meeting summaries & approved minutes please visit the Trustees section of our website.

Social Media

Along with our newly redesigned website, MPERS is making a concerted effort to reach our members via social media. Members can follow us on Facebook and Twitter for the latest news and information. Please remind your coworkers that they have these options available to receive important updates about MPERS and the benefits we provide.

2019 Board Meeting Schedule

April 25, 2019	September 26, 2019
June 20, 2019	November 21, 2019