



The Pensioner: *Looking Forward*

Welcome to the digital MPERS newsletter! *The Pensioner: Looking Forward* contains news, updates, and important information for active employees of the Missouri Department of Transportation, the Missouri State Highway Patrol, and MPERS.



Happy New Year!
We look forward to serving you this year!!

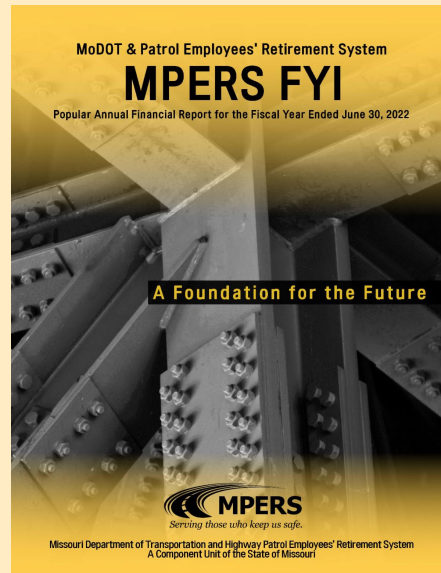
Did You Miss the 2022 State of the System?

No worries, you can watch the recording of MPERS' first State of the System at your convenience. Thank you to those who took the time to attend. For those who missed the opportunity to join us this year, we hope to see you in 2023!



The FY 2022 MPERS FYI Is Now Available

Are you interested in learning more about the funding, investment, and membership of MPERS but don't have the time to read the entire FY 2022 Annual Comprehensive Financial Report? The MPERS FYI is a short, 10-page summary that is quick, easy, and informative!



2023 Pre-Retirement Seminar Update

We are excited to announce that we are offering a combination of in-person and virtual seminars in 2023. We are diligently working on securing a few more locations before we release the full schedule. Keep an eye out for the official schedule in the February newsletter!

Retirement Deadlines

Intended Date of Retirement	Step 1 <i>Notice of Retirement</i> Due at MPERS	Step 2 <i>Retirement Election Form</i> Due at MPERS
January 1	September 1 - November 30	December 31
February 1	October 1 - December 31	January 31
March 1	November 1 - January 31	February 28
April 1	December 1 - February 28	March 31
May 1	January 1 - March 31	April 30
June 1	February 1 - April 30	May 31
July 1	March 1 - May 31	June 30
August 1	April 1 - June 30	July 31
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JANUARY

Upcoming Events

- 2 - New Year's Day observed, office closed
- 16 - Martin Luther King Day, office closed
- 31 - Deadline to submit step 1 -*Notice of Retirement* for March 1 retirement



We value your feedback!

What would you like to see in ***The Pensioner: Looking Forward?***

Send comments and suggestions to Julie.West@mpers.org.