

THE RETIREMENT BOARD
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In addition to the benefits granted to members and spouses each month, the Secretary will also be presenting, for informational purposes only, items of interest that may affect our members. Questions regarding any member's specific situation should be addressed directly to the Fund Office.

MONTHLY NEWS AND INFORMATION FROM YOUR RETIREMENT BOARD

Virtual Pre-Retirement Seminar Series

The FABF is very excited to announce the first speaker, presenting in our virtual pre-retirement seminar series, is Dan Ryan. Dan will be presenting important information regarding how your retirement benefits provided by the FABF may potentially interrelate with the benefits you may be eligible to receive from the Social Security Administration.

Dan is an accomplished author of such books as Retirement Income for Illinois Fire and Police and Social Security for State and Local Government Employees. Dan presents the material in clear and understandable manner.

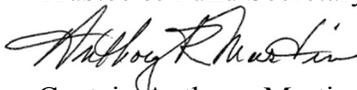
The seminar will begin at 10:00 am Central Time on November 24th and is expected to be one hour in length. Please use the following link to attend the seminar:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82242050772?pwd=bERXdEd3UnZrcmRiRDdzRmZuQndhUT09>
Passcode: 600650

Or, use the following dial-in information: (833) 548-0276 (Toll Free)
Webinar ID: 822 4205 0772

Please call the Fund office at 312-726-5823 with any questions or concerns.

Trustee & Fund Secretary,


Captain Anthony Martin

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First Deputy Fire Commissioner, ANNETTE NANCE-HOLT

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To All Members:

Listed below are the names of individuals who have applied for a 75% Duty Disability benefit from the Pension Board. Their applications will be presented before this Board at the 11/18/2020 meeting.

<u>Rank, Name, Assignment:</u>	<u>Date of Injury:</u>
EMT/FF ADETOLA BEY, TRUCK 24	09/24/2019
EMT/FF VINCENT P INIGUEZ, ENGINE 32	10/28/2019
JOSEPH M POLANCO, AMBULANCE 62	10/25/2019

Please contact the Pension Fund's Secretary, in writing, using the attached form, if you have any information could assist the Board in its investigation of whether or not it should grant a 75% disability benefit to any of the above individuals.

The Board can subpoena witnesses (Illinois Revised Statutes, Article 6-189) and compel them to attend and before it upon any matter concerning the Fund. Your cooperation will help maintain the integrity of this Fund.
Anthony Martin
Secretary

NAME _____ ADDRESS _____
 PHONE _____ COMPANY ASSIGNMENT _____
 NAME OF APPLICANT _____
 NAME(S) OF WITNESS(ES) _____
 FORWARD TO: Secretary
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MINIMUM FORMULA ANNUITIES:

013424 PAUL R GESIAKOWSKI, BATTALION CHIEF, BATTALION 2
 Ent CFD: 08/03/1987 **\$9,030.17** beginning 09/21/2020
 Retired: 09/21/2020 based on 75% of Final Average Salary
\$270.91 annuity increment, 3%, begins 10/01/2021

014353 JOHN G GESLICKI, FIREFIGHTER, TRUCK 9, Occupational Disability since 03/20/2015.
 Ent CFD: 10/01/1991 **\$6,309.11** beginning 10/02/2020
 Retired: 10/02/2020 based on 75% of Final Average Salary
\$189.27 annuity increment, 3%, begins 11/01/2021

- COLLECT \$78.02 FOR 2015 EID
- REFUND \$22.89 FOR 2006 EID

014954 DEAN A HOEFLER, EMT FIRE ENGINEER, ENGINE 115
 Ent CFD: 05/16/1996 **\$5,762.48** beginning 09/22/2020
 Retired: 09/22/2020 based on 62.5% of Final Average Salary
\$172.87 annuity increment, 3%, begins 10/01/2021

016652 DAVID E KOCH, FIREFIGHTER, ENGINE 34
 Ent CFD: 02/01/2005 **\$3,186.93** beginning 09/19/2020
 Retired: 09/19/2020 based on 42% of Final Average Salary
\$95.61 annuity increment, 3%, begins 10/01/2021

014581 EDWARD MCCARTY JR, FIRE ENGINEER, ENGINE 60
 Ent CFD: 09/01/1993 **\$6,186.54** beginning 09/29/2020
 Retired: 09/29/2020 based on 70% of Final Average Salary
\$185.60 annuity increment, 3%, begins 10/01/2021

- REFUND \$41,786.02 FOR SPOUSE CONTRIBUTIONS

014219 DENNIS J MCGRATH, FIREFIGHTER, TRUCK 17
 Ent CFD: 12/03/1990 **\$6,307.85** beginning 09/21/2020
 Retired: 09/21/2020 based on 75% of Final Average Salary
\$189.24 annuity increment, 3%, begins 10/01/2021

- REFUND \$45,335.89 FOR SPOUSE CONTRIBUTIONS

016689 RORY A WILLIAMS, FIREFIGHTER, COMMAND 2-7-3
 Ent CFD: 02/01/2005 **\$3,186.93** beginning 09/02/2020
 Retired: 09/02/2020 based on 42% of Final Average Salary
\$95.61 annuity increment, 3%, begins 10/01/2021

- REFUND \$149.12 FOR 2006 EID

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WIDOW'S ANNUITIES:

909305 SALLY ARBOUR, widow of EDWARD F BURGESS, Retired since 07/02/1999.
Ent CFD: 04/01/1967 **\$3,147.34** beginning 09/08/2020
Deceased: 07/28/2020

912310 PEGGY BURNS, widow of JEREMY P BURNS, Retired since 03/12/2008.
Ent CFD: 02/04/1980 **\$3,667.31** beginning 09/23/2020
Deceased: 09/22/2020

906643 DOLORES F CARAVELLO, widow of RALPH CARAVELLO, Retired since 07/29/1989.
BY SUSAN C CAARAVELLO WATSON
Ent CFD: 10/18/1954 **\$2,412.48** beginning 08/28/2020
Deceased: 08/27/2020

909382 JOAN COSCO, widow of LOUIS R COSCO, Retired since 11/26/1995.
Ent CFD: 08/16/1967 **\$2,385.48** beginning 09/03/2020
Deceased: 09/02/2020

906791 MARION HAYS, widow of EMMITT D HAYS, Retired since 06/22/1980.
Ent CFD: 02/07/1955 **\$1,470.54** beginning 09/04/2020
Deceased: 09/03/2020

908438 MARY ANN MALONE, widow of WILLIAM J MALONE, Retired since 11/24/1996.
Ent CFD: 05/16/1962 **\$4,376.11** beginning 08/22/2020
Deceased: 08/21/2020

908201 DIANE NELSON, widow of EDWIN H NELSON, Retired since 11/30/2000.
Ent CFD: 04/07/1961 **\$4,602.85** beginning 08/16/2020
Deceased: 08/15/2020

908203 ANNIE P OUTERBRIDGE, widow of LESLIE OUTERBRIDGE, Retired since 11/16/1995.
Ent CFD: 04/07/1961 **\$2,942.76** beginning 09/18/2020
Deceased: 09/17/2020

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REFUNDS:

013880 ROBERT C GONZALEZ, EMT LIEUTENANT, 3RD DISTRICT RELIEF, Retired since 06/30/2020.

Ent CFD: 11/01/1989 **\$49,508.45** Refund of Spouse Contributions
Retired: 06/30/2020

019755 JENNIFER L BANASZAK, PARAMEDIC, ACADEMY

Ent CFD: 03/03/2020 **\$1,317.82** Refund of Contributions
RESIGNED 06/04/2020

015061 DAVID A OWSIANIAK, EMT LIEUTENANT, TRUCK 51, Retired since 11/12/2018.

BY DOREEN SPAGNOLO

Ent CFD: 06/17/1996 **\$119,393.90** Refund of Unpaid Contributions in Account of Deceased FF
to ESTATE OF DAVID ALAN OWSIANIAK, DOREEN
SPAGNOLO, PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

Deceased: 03/26/2020

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DEATH BENEFITS:

009305 EDWARD F BURGESS, LIEUTENANT, FIRE PREVENTION BUREAU, Retired since 07/02/1999.
 Ent CFD: 04/01/1967 **\$6,000.00** \$3,000.00 to SALLY ARBOUR, WIFE
 \$3,000.00 to JOHN E BURGESS, SON
 Deceased: 07/27/2020

012310 JEREMY P BURNS, FIREFIGHTER PARAMEDIC (PER ARBITRATORS AWARD), ENGINE 129, Retired since 03/12/2008.
 Ent CFD: 02/04/1980 **\$6,000.00** to PEGGY ANN BURNS, WIFE
 Deceased: 09/21/2020

006643 RALPH CARAVELLO, FIRE ENGINEER, ENGINE 127, Retired since 07/29/1989.
 Ent CFD: 10/18/1954 **\$6,000.00** to DOLORES CARAVELLO, WIFE
 Deceased: 08/26/2020

009145 WILLIAM P COLBERT, FIRE ENGINEER, ENGINE 96, Retired since 07/22/1987.
 Ent CFD: 10/16/1966 **\$6,000.00** to RENEE D SEXTON, DAUGHTER
 Deceased: 08/28/2020

009382 LOUIS R COSCO, FIREFIGHTER, AIR MASK, Retired since 11/26/1995.
 Ent CFD: 08/16/1967 **\$6,000.00** to JOAN F COSCO, WIFE
 Deceased: 09/01/2020

006791 EMMITT D HAYS, BATTALION CHIEF, BATTALION 26, Retired since 06/22/1980.
 Ent CFD: 02/07/1955 **\$6,000.00** to MARION HAYS, WIFE
 Deceased: 09/02/2020

008438 WILLIAM J MALONE, DEPUTY DISTRICT CHIEF, 1ST DISTRICT, Retired since 11/24/1996.
 Ent CFD: 05/16/1962 **\$6,000.00** to, CO-TRUSTEE
 Deceased: 08/20/2020

008201 EDWIN H NELSON, BATTALION CHIEF, 2ND BATTALION, Retired since 11/30/2000.
 Ent CFD: 04/07/1961 **\$6,000.00** to DIANE NELSON, WIFE
 Deceased: 08/14/2020

008203 LESLIE OUTERBRIDGE, FIRE ENGINEER, ENGINE 122, Retired since 11/16/1995.
 Ent CFD: 04/07/1961 **\$6,000.00** to ANNIE P OUTERBRIDGE, WIFE
 Deceased: 09/16/2020

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DEATH BENEFITS:

009848 JOHN A STENDER, FIREFIGHTER, ENGINE 92, Retired since 07/19/1992.

Ent CFD: 04/16/1970 **\$6,000.00** to, SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE

Deceased: 09/03/2020

006806 STANLEY SZABLEWSKI, BATTALION CHIEF, BATTALION 24, Retired since 05/01/1984.

Ent CFD: 04/04/1955 **\$6,000.00** to BERNADETTE KURECKI, WIFE

Deceased: 06/21/2020

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BENEFIT RECALCULATIONS:

CHILD'S ANNUITY TO FULL ORPHAN:

707315 ANNA M HULL SPECIAL NEEDS TRUST, child of FRANK J HULL, Retired since 03/21/1979.
Ent CFD: 02/16/1956 **\$1,259.78** beginning
Deceased: 08/23/2019
08/23/2019

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HEARINGS:

THE FOLLOWING APPLICATION FOR ORDINARY DISABILITY WAS GRANTED:

018638 KARLA N HARKNESS, PARAMEDIC, ABULANCE 60
Ent CFD: 04/01/2015 **\$2,994.85** beginning 09/27/2020

The vote was:

Nays: (None)

Yeas: CONYEARS-ERVIN FORTUNA MARTIN MCPHILLIPS MURPHY NANCE-HOLT SONI VALENCIA

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The following annuitants have passed away since the last regular meeting of the Board:

DONNA C HERRITY	Widow's Annuity	Died 09/04/2020
LILLIAN E ROBERT	Widow's Annuity	Died 09/06/2020
JOHN A STENDER	Annuity	Died 09/04/2020
LESLIE OUTERBRIDGE	Annuity	Died 09/17/2020
JEREMY P BURNS	Annuity	Died 09/22/2020
ROBERT G FITZPATRICK	Annuity	Died 09/20/2020
ROBERT J RAHN	Annuity	Died 09/12/2020
WILLIAM P COLBERT	Annuity	Died 08/29/2020
MARY F SCHULZ	Widow's Annuity	Died 09/20/2020
MICHAEL J STOLLE	Annuity	Died 09/05/2020
RONALD L MALONEY	Annuity	Died 09/29/2020
ROBERT E SMITH	Annuity	Died 09/29/2020
JOHN M STEINMETZ	Annuity	Died 09/28/2020
DOUGLAS T STOLAR	Annuity	Died 09/15/2020
ISRAEL D GARCIA	Occupational Disease Disability	Died 09/28/2020
EDWIN L NOVAK	Annuity	Died 10/02/2020
MARY C OBRIEN	Widow's Annuity	Died 10/05/2020
IRMA M HILBRING	Widow's Annuity	Died 07/08/2020
THOMAS H COOK	Annuity	Died 10/09/2020
PEARL C KINNEBREW	Widow's Annuity	Died 10/09/2020
ROBERT M ZOLNA	Annuity	Died 10/13/2020
LEROY J KOWALSKI	Annuity	Died 10/11/2020
ESTELLE A RABBITT	Widow's Annuity	Died 10/12/2020
THOMAS P GIBBONS	Annuity	Died 10/15/2020

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ANNUITIES GRANTED

<u>Resigned From:</u>	<u>Month:</u>	<u>Year to Date:</u>
Active Duty	6	73
Duty Disability	0	7
Occupational Disease Disability	1	6
Ordinary Disability	0	0
Total Minimum Formula Annuities Granted	7	86
Total Earned Annuities Granted	0	0
Total Annuities Granted	7	86

DISABILITIES GRANTED

<u>Type:</u>	<u>Month:</u>	<u>Year to Date:</u>
Duty Disability	0	13
Occupational Disease Disability	0	13
Ordinary Disability	1	4
Total Disabilities Granted	1	30
Total Disabilities Denied	0	1

WIDOW'S ANNUITIES GRANTED

<u>Type:</u>	<u>Month:</u>	<u>Year to Date:</u>
Regular Widow's Annuity	8	68
Compensation Widow's Annuity	0	1
Total Widow's Annuities Granted	8	69

CHILD'S ANNUITIES GRANTED

<u>Type:</u>	<u>Month:</u>	<u>Year to Date:</u>
Full Child's Annuity	0	1
Child of Duty Death Annuity	0	0
Child of Ordinary Death Annuity	0	8
Total Children Annuities Granted	0	9

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RETIREES', WIDOWS', AND CHILDREN'S ASSISTANCE FUND
DONATIONS RECEIVED SEPTEMBER 2020

Brian Kehoe	\$ 10.00
MaryRose McNamee	\$ 20.00
Mary Rose McNamee IMO William J. Malone	\$ 25.00
Derek Brewer	\$ 25.00
Frank Pressel	\$ 25.00
William Suther	\$ 25.00
Raymond Cullen	\$ 25.00
Frank Pressel	\$ 25.00
Chicago Fellowship of Christian Firefighters - April	\$ 30.00
Chicago Fellowship of Christian Firefighters - May	\$ 30.00
Mary Ann Deveau	\$ 30.00
Thomas and Margaret Hlousek IMO William J. Malone	\$ 40.00
Richard and Margaret Bouse IMO William J. Malone	\$ 50.00
Walter and Roberta Sebuck IMO Vera Cullen	\$ 50.00
Laura and Gary Schulze IMO Vera Cullen	\$ 50.00
Helen Heisner IMO Robert G. Fitzpatrick	\$ 50.00
Patrick and Donna Delaney IMO Louis Cosco	\$ 100.00
William and Kathleen Norris IMO William J. Malone	\$ 100.00
John and Cherlene Busa IMO William J. Malone	\$ 100.00
Janice Kimbro IMO Sandy & Raymond Kratz	\$ 100.00
George Cruz IMO William J. Malone	\$ 100.00
John Madden	\$ 100.00
John Hermann IMO Robert Fitzpatrick	\$ 150.00
James and Janice Colwell IMO William J. Malone	\$ 200.00
Mark Balcunas IMO William J. Malone	\$ 200.00
Shannon McKeown IMO William J. Malone	\$ 300.00
Raymond Cullen IMO Vera Cullen	\$ 400.00
Active Member Contributions	\$ 8,319.52
Retired Member Contributions	\$ 9,326.44
Total for September:	\$ 20,005.96

Anthony Martin, EMWQ President, Daniel Fortuna, EMWQ Secretary, and the entire EMWQ Board of Directors would also like to thank all Active, Retired, Disabled and Widowed members that support the neediest Retirees', Widow's & Children on a monthly basis through payroll deductions