CITY OF LOS ANGELES
WATER AND POWER EMPLOYEES'
RETIREMENT PLAN
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AND SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
For the Years Ended June 30, 2017 and 2016



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Administration City of Los Angeles Water and Power Employees' Retirement Plan Los Angeles, California

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Retirement Fund, Disability Fund, Death Benefit Fund, and Retiree Health Benefits Fund (individually referred to as the Funds), administered by the City of Los Angeles Water and Power Employees' Retirement Plan (WPERP), which comprise the statements of fiduciary net position as of June 30, 2017 and 2016, and the related statements of changes in fiduciary net position for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements for each fund.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on the respective financial statements for each fund mentioned in the first paragraph, based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not





for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the fiduciary net position of the Retirement Fund, Disability Fund, Death Benefit Fund, and Retiree Health Benefits Fund as of June 30, 2017 and 2016, and the respective changes in fiduciary net position for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis on pages 4 through 18; the Schedule of Changes in Net Pension Liability and Related Ratios on page 57; the Schedule of Changes in Net Other Postemployment Benefit and Related Ratios on pages 61 and 65; the Schedule of Employer Contributions and related notes on pages 58, 59, 62, 63, 66, and 67; and the Schedule of Investment Returns on pages 60, 64, and 68 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audits of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note 2 to the financial statements, effective July 1, 2016, WPERP adopted the provisions of Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 74, Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefit Plans Other Than Pension Plans. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.



Other Information

Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements of the Retirement Fund, Disability Fund, Death Benefit Fund, and Retiree Health Benefits Fund. The supplementary information as listed in the accompanying table of contents are presented for the purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The Retirement Fund - Schedule of Contribution Accounts and Estimated Liability for Retirement Allowances, Death Benefit Fund – Schedule of Contribution Accounts and Estimated Liability for Family Allowances, and Retirement Fund – Schedule of Revenues by Source and Expenses by Type are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the Retirement Fund - Schedule of Contribution Accounts and Estimated Liability for Retirement Allowances, Death Benefit Fund – Schedule of Contribution Accounts and Estimated Liability for Family Allowances, and Retirement Fund - Schedule of Revenues by Source and Expenses by Type are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Los Angeles, California

Simpson & Simpson

October 12, 2017, except for Note 11, as to which the date is October 30, 2017.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Unaudited)

We are pleased to provide this overview and analysis of the financial activities of the City of Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (Department) Employees' Retirement Plan (WPERP) for the years ended June 30, 2017 and 2016.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- At June 30, 2017, the fiduciary net position was \$11.3 billion, \$47.2 million, \$27.6 million, and \$1.9 billion for the Retirement, Disability, Death Benefit, and Retiree Health Benefits Funds, respectively. All of the fiduciary net positions were available to meet the obligations to participants and their beneficiaries.
- Total fiduciary net position increased by \$1.2 billion or 12.04%, and \$219.0 million or 12.93% for the Retirement and the Retiree Health Benefits Fund respectively. Total fiduciary net position decreased by \$0.3 million or 0.61%, and \$0.6 million or 2.13% for the Disability and the Death Benefit Fund respectively.
- Additions to the Retirement Fund's fiduciary net position increased \$1.2 billion from \$0.6 billion to \$1.8 billion in the current year or approximately 226.78%, due mainly to investments' market value appreciation in 2017.
- Deductions from the Retirement Fund's fiduciary net position increased \$30.1 million from \$515.6 million to \$545.7 million over the prior year or approximately 5.85%, due mostly to the increase in total number of retirees.
- Additions to the Retiree Health Benefit Fund's fiduciary net position increased \$214.8 million from \$95.1 million to \$309.9 million in the current year or approximately 225.93%, due mostly to investments' market value appreciation in 2017.
- At June 30, 2017, the fiduciary net position as a percentage of total pension liability of the Retirement Fund was 89.39%.
- At June 30, 2017, the Department's net pension liability under the Retirement Fund was \$1.3 billion.
- At June 30, 2017, the fiduciary net position as a percentage of total other postemployment benefits liability of the Retiree Health Benefits Fund and Death Benefit Fund was 81.44% and 18.79%, respectively.
- At June 30, 2017, the Department's net other postemployment benefits liability under the Retiree Health Benefits Fund and Death Benefit Fund was \$435.6 million and \$119.2 million, respectively.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Unaudited)

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The following discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the financial statements of the WPERP, which are:

- 1. Statements of Fiduciary Net Position
- 2. Statements of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position
- 3. Notes to the Financial Statements

The Statements of Fiduciary Net Position is a snapshot of account balances at year end. It indicates the amount of assets available for payment to retirees, beneficiaries, and any current liabilities owed at this time.

The Statements of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position reports additions to and deductions from the fiduciary net position during the year.

The above statements are on a full accrual basis of accounting. Investment gains and losses are shown at trade date, and account balances are based on market values recognizing both realized and unrealized gains and losses on investments.

Notes to the Financial Statements provide additional information essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the financial statements. These notes are presented in pages 22 to 56 of this report.

Required Supplementary Information: This report presents certain required supplementary information concerning the Retirement Fund, the Retiree Health Benefits Fund, and the Death Benefit Fund's progress in funding to provide pension, health benefits, and insured life benefits to members. The report also provides summary information on employer contributions. The required supplementary information is on pages 57 to 68 of this report.

Supplementary Information: The supplementary information is also available in this report for a better understanding of the WPERP's financial activities. The supplementary information is on pages 69 to 71 of this report.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Unaudited)

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

Retirement Fund

Fiduciary Net Position

A summary of the Retirement Fund's fiduciary net position is presented below:

	Co	ondensed Sta						
		2017		2016		2015	2016-17 % Change	2015-16 % Change
Cash	\$	8,803	\$	15,849	\$	9,685	-44.46%	63.64%
Prepaid expense		8		1		3	700.00%	-66.67%
Receivables		287,125		325,716		264,632	-11.85%	23.08%
Investments	12,033,013		10,751,335		10,674,486		11.92%	0.72%
Total assets	12	,328,949	11	1,092,901	1	0,948,806	11.14%	1.32%
Liabilities	1	,015,050		995,058		874,506	2.01%	13.79%
Fiduciary net position	\$ 11	,313,899	\$ 10),097,843	\$ 1	0,074,300	12.04%	0.23%

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2017

Fiduciary net position increased \$1.2 billion or 12.04% over the prior fiscal year to \$11.3 billion. Investments were up \$1.3 billion or 11.92% due to strong market performance. Cash decreased by \$7.0 million or 44.46% from prior fiscal year based on projected liquidity needs. Total receivables decreased by \$38.6 million or 11.85% to \$287.1 million due to the lower pending investment sales at fiscal year-end.

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2016

Fiduciary net position increased slightly by \$23.5 million or 0.23% to \$10.1 billion over the prior fiscal year. Cash increased by \$6.2 million or 63.64% from prior fiscal year based on projected liquidity needs. Investments ended largely unchanged for the fiscal year. Total liabilities

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Unaudited)

increased by \$120.6 million or 13.79% to \$995.1 million due to the higher pending investment purchases and securities lending collateral held at fiscal year-end.

Retirement Fund (Continued)

Changes in Fiduciary Net Position

Condensed Statements	of Changes	in Fiduciary	Net Position

(In Thousands)

			2016-17	2015-16	
	2017	2016	2015	% Change	% Change
Additions		-			
Members' contributions	\$ 83,239	\$ 75,069	\$ 68,552	10.88%	9.51%
Employer contributions	397,748	368,259	382,232	8.01%	-3.66%
Net investment income	1,280,806	95,808	410,778	1236.85%	-76.68%
Total additions	1,761,793	539,136	861,562	226.78%	-37.42%
Deductions					
Benefit payment	535,915	505,592	480,465	6.00%	5.23%
Refund	4,447	4,893	5,502	-9.12%	-11.07%
Administrative expenses	5,375	5,108	4,612	5.23%	10.75%
Total deductions	545,737	515,593	490,579	5.85%	5.10%
Net increase					
in fiduciary net position	1,216,056	23,543	370,983	5065.26%	-93.65%
Fiduciary net position beginning	10,097,843	10,074,300	9,703,317	0.23%	3.82%
Fiduciary net position ending	\$ 11,313,899	\$ 10,097,843	\$ 10,074,300	12.04%	0.23%

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Unaudited)

Retirement Fund (Continued)

Additions to Fiduciary Net Position

Additions needed to fund benefit payments are accumulated through contributions from the employees and the employer, and from income generated from the Retirement Fund's investing activities.

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2017

Net investment income increased \$1.2 billion from \$95.8 million to \$1.3 billion in fiscal year 2017. The increase was attributed to the net appreciation in the fair value of investments. Member contributions and employer contributions for fiscal year 2017 were up 10.88% and 8.01% respectively over the prior fiscal year. The increase in contributions was due primarily to the increase in the number of active Plan members.

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2016

Net investment income decreased \$315.0 million from \$410.8 million to \$95.8 million in fiscal year 2016 as there was minimal capital markets appreciation in 2016. Member contributions for fiscal year 2016 were up \$6.5 million or 9.51% over the prior fiscal year. The increase in contributions was due primarily to the new Tier 2 employees with higher contribution percentage.

Deductions from Fiduciary Net Position

Costs associated with the Retirement Fund include benefit payments as designated by the Plan document, refund of contributions due to terminations and member deaths, and administrative expenses.

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2017

Deductions for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2017 totaled \$545.7 million, up \$30.1 million or 5.85% over the prior fiscal year. Benefit payments increased by \$30.3 million or 6.00% over the prior fiscal year. The increase was due to the rise in the total number of retirees.

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2016

Deductions for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016 totaled \$515.6 million, up \$25.0 million or 5.10% over the prior fiscal year. Benefit payments increased by \$25.1 million or 5.23% over the prior fiscal year. The increase was due to the rise in the total number of retirees.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Unaudited)

Disability Fund

Fiduciary Net Position

The Disability Fund's fiduciary net position is summarized below:

Condensed Statements of Fiduciary Net Position

		2017	2016	2015	2016-17 % Change	2015-16 % Change
Cash	\$	3,139	\$ 2,662	\$ 2,514	17.92%	5.89%
Receivables		6,804	7,469	6,997	-8.90%	6.75%
Investments	,	37,688	 37,724	 35,607	-0.10%	5.95%
Total assets		47,631	47,855	45,118	-0.47%	6.07%
Liabilities		436	368	371	18.48%	-0.81%
Fiduciary net position	\$	47,195	\$ 47,487	\$ 44,747	-0.61%	6.12%

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2017

The Disability Fund's fiduciary net position decreased by approximately \$0.3 million, or 0.61% in fiscal year 2017. The decrease in net position was the result of declining return of fixed income investments during fiscal year 2017.

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2016

The Disability Fund's fiduciary net position increased by \$2.7 million, or 6.12% in fiscal year 2016. The increase in net position was the result of higher contributions and positive investment performance.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Unaudited)

Disability Fund (continued)

Changes in Fiduciary Net Position

Condensed	Statements of	f Changes in
Fiduciary N	let Position (Ir	Thousands)

	 Fiduciary I					
				_	2016-17	2015-16
	 2017	2016		 2015	% Change	% Change
Additions						
Members' contributions	\$ 473	\$	458	\$ 442	3.28%	3.62%
Employer contributions	16,365		17,067	15,945	-4.11%	7.04%
Net investment income	 (80)		2,068	 779	-103.87%	165.47%
Total additions	 16,758		19,593	 17,166	-14.47%	14.14%
Deductions						
Benefit payment	16,185		15,945	16,615	1.51%	-4.03%
Administrative expenses	 865		908	 881	-4.74%	3.06%
Total deductions	17,050		16,853	17,496	1.17%	-3.68%
Net increase (decrease)						
in fiduciary net position	(292)		2,740	(330)	-110.66%	930.30%
Fiduciary net position beginning	 47,487		44,747	 45,077	6.12%	-0.73%
Fiduciary net position ending	\$ 47,195	\$	47,487	\$ 44,747	-0.61%	6.12%

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Unaudited)

Disability Fund (continued)

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2017

Employer contributions for fiscal year 2017 totaled \$16.4 million, down approximately \$0.7 million or 4.11% from a year ago. The decrease was due to the decrease in the Department's actuarial contribution rate for temporary disability benefits. The Department's actuarial contribution rate for fiscal year 2017 was \$1.52 per \$100 of covered compensation, while the rate was \$1.71 per \$100 of covered compensation in fiscal year 2016.

Net investment income decreased by \$2.1 million, or 103.87%, from fiscal year 2016. The decreased is mainly attributed to the declining return of fixed income investments during fiscal year 2017.

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2016

Employer contributions for fiscal year 2016 totaled \$17.1 million, up approximately \$1.1 million or 7.04% from a year ago. The increase was due to the increase in the Department's actuarial contribution rate for temporary disability benefits. The Department's actuarial contribution rate for fiscal year 2016 was \$1.71 per \$100 of covered compensation, while the rate was \$1.65 per \$100 of covered compensation in fiscal year 2015.

Net investment income increased by \$1.3 million, or 165.47%, from fiscal year 2015. The increase is mainly attributed to the favorable performance of fixed income investments.

Deductions from Fiduciary Net Position

The costs associated with the Disability Fund include disability benefit payments and administrative expenses.

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2017

Total deductions were consistent with prior fiscal year; it was only up by \$0.2 million or 1.17% versus fiscal year 2016.

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2016

Fiscal year 2016 benefit payments decreased by \$0.7 million, down 4.03% from a year ago. The decrease was primarily due to a decrease in the temporary disability benefits paid.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Unaudited)

Death Benefit Fund

The Death Benefit Fund's fiduciary net position is summarized below:

Condensed Statements of Fiduciary

	 Net P					
	 2017	2016		2016-17	2015-16 % Change	
	 2017	 2010	2015		% Change	70 Change
Cash	\$ 960	\$ 1,048	\$	726	-8.40%	44.35%
Receivables	1,023	944		1,006	8.37%	-6.16%
Investments	 29,533	 29,557		27,926	-0.08%	5.84%
Total assets	31,516	31,549		29,658	-0.10%	6.38%
Liabilities	 3,932	3,364		3,084	16.88%	9.08%
Total fiduciary net position	\$ 27,584	\$ 28,185	\$	26,574	-2.13%	6.06%

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2017

The Fund's fiduciary net position decreased by \$0.6 million or 2.13% when compared to prior year's fiduciary net position of \$28.2 million. Liabilities at June 30, 2017 were up \$0.6 million, or 16.88% against last year. This is mostly attributable to the higher expenses payable outstanding at fiscal year-end.

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2016

The Death Benefit Fund's fiduciary net position ended \$28.2 million, an increase of \$1.6 million or 6.06%. Cash increased by \$0.3 million or 44.35% from prior fiscal year based on projected liquidity needs. Liabilities at June 30, 2016 were up \$0.3 million, or 9.08% against last year. This is mostly attributable to the higher death benefit claims outstanding at fiscal year-end.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Unaudited)

Death Benefit Fund (continued)

Changes in Fiduciary Net Position

Condensed Statements of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position (In Thousands) 2016-17 2015-16 2017 2016 2015 % Change % Change **Additions** Members' contributions \$ \$ 336 326 \$ 318 3.07% 2.52% Employer contributions 8,207 8,230 7,970 -0.28% 3.26% Net investment income (57)1,594 599 -103.58% 166.11% Total additions 8,486 10,150 8,887 -16.39% 14.21% **Deductions** Benefit payment 7,968 7,519 5.97% 0.95% 7,448 Administrative expenses 1,119 1,020 935 9.71% 9.09% Total deductions 9,087 8,539 8,383 6.42% 1.86% Net increase in fiduciary net position (601)1,611 504 -137.31% 219.64% Fiduciary net position beginning 28,185 26,574 6.06% 1.93% 26,070 Fiduciary net position ending 27,584 28,185 26,574 6.06% -2.13%

Additions to Fiduciary Net Position

Additions to fund the benefits are accumulated through contributions and investment income from invested funds.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Unaudited)

Death Benefit Fund (continued)

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2017

Net investment income decreased by \$1.7 million, or 103.58%, from fiscal year 2016. The decrease is attributed to the decline in the fair value of fixed income investments during fiscal year 2017.

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2016

Net investment income increased by \$1.0 million, or 166.11%, from fiscal year 2015. The increase is mainly attributed to the favorable performance of fixed income investments.

Deductions from Fiduciary Net Position

The costs associated with the Death Benefit Fund include the benefits payments and administrative expenses.

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2017

Fiscal year 2017 benefit payments increased by \$0.4 million, up 5.97% from prior year. The increase was due to the rise in the number of death benefits claimed.

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2016

Total deductions were consistent with prior fiscal year; it was only up by \$0.2 million or 1.86% versus fiscal year 2015.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Unaudited)

Retiree Health Benefits Fund

The DWP Board of Water and Power commissioners (DWP Board) approved the creation of the Retiree Health Benefits Fund in September 2006 to defray current and future retiree health benefit liabilities and related costs. The Retirement Board has the fiduciary responsibility for investing the assets of the RHBF and administering payments from it, while the DWP Board continues to have the responsibility to set the funding policy and the funding levels of the RHBF. The RHBF assets amounting to \$642.0 million were transferred to the WPERP to establish the fund during fiscal year 2007.

As of June 30, 2017 the fiduciary net position of the fund totaled approximately \$1.9 billion. A condensed statements of the fund's fiduciary net position and a condensed statements of changes in fiduciary net position are as follow:

Fiduciary Net Position

Condensed Statements of Fiduciary
Net Position (In Thousands)

		Net P	osiu					
							2016-17	2015-16
	2017		2016			2015	% Change	% Change
Cash	\$	518	\$	1,075	\$	932	-51.81%	15.34%
Receivables		34,786		49,303		35,349	-29.44%	39.47%
Investments		2,071,771		1,864,644		1,849,752	11.11%	0.81%
Total assets		2,107,075		1,915,022		1,886,033	10.03%	1.54%
Liabilities		195,194		222,105	_	207,712	-12.12%	6.93%
Total fiduciary net position	\$	1,911,881	\$	1,692,917	\$	1,678,321	12.93%	0.87%

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2017

Fiduciary net position increased \$219.0 million or 12.93% over the prior fiscal year to \$1.9 billion. Investments were up \$207.1 million or 11.11% due to elevated market performance. Cash decreased by \$0.6 million or 51.81% from prior fiscal year based on projected liquidity needs. Total receivables decreased by \$14.5 million or 29.44% to \$34.8 million due to the lower pending investment sales at fiscal year-end.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Unaudited)

Retiree Health Benefits Fund (continued)

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2016

Fiduciary net position remained approximately \$1.7 billion at fiscal year-end. Receivables were up \$14.0 million or 39.47% from fiscal year 2015 mainly because of an increase in pending trades at year-end.

Changes in Fiduciary Net Position

		Condense				
		Fiduciary 1				
	•				2016-17	2015-16
		2017	2016	2015	% Change	% Change
Additions						
Employer contributions	\$	91,024	\$ 80,607	\$ 79,161	12.92%	1.83%
Net investment income		218,836	 14,463	 66,052	1413.07%	-78.10%
Total additions		309,860	95,070	145,213	225.93%	-34.53%
Deductions						
Benefit payment		90,311	79,896	78,497	13.04%	1.78%
Administrative expenses	_	585	 578	 543	1.21%	6.45%
Total deductions		90,896	 80,474	79,040	12.95%	1.81%
Net increase						
in fiduciary net position		218,964	14,596	66,173	1400.16%	-77.94%
Fiduciary net position beginning		1,692,917	 1,678,321	 1,612,148	0.87%	4.10%
Fiduciary net position ending	\$	1,911,881	\$ 1,692,917	\$ 1,678,321	12.93%	0.87%

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Unaudited)

Retiree Health Benefits Fund (continued)

Additions to Fiduciary Net Position

Additions to fund the benefits are accumulated through contributions from the Department and investment income derived from invested funds.

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2017

Net investment income increased \$204.3 million from \$14.5 million to \$218.8 million in fiscal year 2017. The increase was attributed to the net appreciation in the fair value of investments.

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2016

Net investment income decreased \$51.6 million from \$66.1 million to \$14.5 million in fiscal year 2016 as there was nominal capital markets appreciation in 2016.

Deductions from Fiduciary Net Position

Deductions represent medical and dental insurance premiums paid for the benefit of retirees and operating costs.

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2017

Insurance premiums paid for the benefit of retirees increased \$10.4 million or 13.04% in fiscal year 2017 when compared to fiscal year 2016.

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2016

Insurance premiums paid for the benefit of retirees experienced a moderate increase \$1.4 million or 1.78% in fiscal year 2016 when compared to fiscal year 2015.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Unaudited)

Request for Information

This financial report is designed to provide the Retirement Board, members, investment managers and creditors with a general overview of the WPERP's finances. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional information should be addressed to:

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CITY OF LOS ANGELES WATER AND POWER EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT PLAN STATEMENTS OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION **AS OF JUNE 30, 2017 AND 2016**

	Pension Plan		Other Be	enefits Plan		Other Postemplo	oyment Benefits Plans		
	Retirem	ent Fund	Disabi	lity Fund	Death Ber	nefit Fund	Retiree Health	Benefits Fund	
	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	
ASSETS									
Cash (Notes 2 and 3)	\$ 8,802,584	\$ 15,849,37	8 \$ 3,139,543	\$ 2,662,105	\$ 960,417	\$ 1,047,950	\$ 517,754	\$ 1,075,084	
Prepaid expense	8,320	1,00	0 -	-	-	-	-	-	
Receivables									
Accrued investment income	31,270,415	24,092,17	4 79,650	69,382	61,779	53,592	5,082,987	4,574,256	
Department of Water and Power	54,944,775	47,994,95	7 2,558,855	2,782,617	940,753	870,805	-	-	
Pending investment sales	194,450,263	249,937,16		-	-	-	29,702,767	44,729,077	
Other	6,460,102	3,691,41	8 855,379	1,306,121	20,044	20,044	-	-	
Contingent disability benefit advance	-		- 3,310,339	3,310,339	-	-	-	-	
Total receivables	287,125,555	325,715,71	5 6,804,223	7,468,459	1,022,576	944,441	34,785,754	49,303,333	
Investments, at fair value (Notes 2, 3, and 4)									
Fixed income	2,890,372,785	2,805,273,64	1 37,446,312	37,484,499	28,789,442	28,818,818	490,306,092	479,862,167	
Equity	6,366,019,664	5,455,575,81		-	-	-	1,099,466,674	937,685,399	
Short-term investments	295,916,861	349,347,23		239,730	743,931	738,140	56,039,761	51,274,529	
Alternative investments	1,066,184,581	962,088,53		_	-	_	180,124,322	158,223,959	
Real estate	656,782,077	561,966,47	9 -	-	_	_	98,213,306	81,595,263	
Securities lending - short-term collateral investment pool	757,736,926	617,083,49	8 -	-	-	_	147,620,446	156,002,379	
Total investments	12,033,012,894	10,751,335,21		37,724,229	29,533,373	29,556,958	2,071,770,601	1,864,643,696	
Total assets	12,328,949,353	11,092,901,30	6 47,631,613	47,854,793	31,516,366	31,549,349	2,107,074,109	1,915,022,113	
LIABILITIES									
Payables									
Pending investment purchases	246,375,692	364,777,00	0 79,415	69,274	61,056	53,259	41,642,210	63,005,132	
Department of Water and Power	240,373,072	30-1,777,00	0 75,415	02,274	01,030	33,237	2,690	18,883	
Other	10,937,400	13,198,08	0 356,795	298,589	932,325	487,886	5,928,227	3,079,172	
Securities lending - collateral payable (Note 4)	757,736,926	617,083,49		270,507	732,323		147,620,446	156,002,379	
Death claims in process - insured lives	-	017,003,13	-	_	2,938,851	2,823,445	-	-	
Death Calling in process and area			_ ,	·	2,,,,,,,,,	2,020,110			
Total liabilities	1,015,050,018	995,058,57	8 436,210	367,863	3,932,232	3,364,590	195,193,573	222,105,566	
Fiduciary net position restricted for pension,									
other postemployment, and disability benefits	\$ 11,313,899,335	\$10,097,842,72	8_ \$47,195,403_	\$ 47,486,930	\$ 27,584,134	\$ 28,184,759	\$ 1,911,880,536	\$ 1,692,916,547	

CITY OF LOS ANGELES WATER AND POWER EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT PLAN STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2017 AND 2016

	Pensior	ı Plan	Other Be	nefits Plan		Other Postemployment Benefits Plans				
	Retireme			lity Fund	Death Be		Retiree Health			
	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016		
ADDITIONS										
Members' contributions										
Retirement benefit	\$ 83,239,105	\$ 75,068,523	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -		
Temporary disability benefit	-	-	238,341	232,160	-	-	-	-		
Permanent total disability	_	-	234,419	226,156	_	-	_	-		
Insured lives death benefit	_	-		-	235,031	226,156	_	-		
Supplemental family death benefit	_	-		=	101,599	100,029	-	=		
Total members' contributions	83,239,105	75,068,523	472,760	458,316	336,630	326,185				
Department of Water and Power contributions towards:										
Retirement benefit (net of reversions)	391,717,359	362,359,894	-	_	-	_	-	-		
Insurance premiums	· -	· -	=	-	=	=	90,310,419	79,895,671		
Temporary disability benefits	_	-	14,265,345	14,560,007	-	-	-	=		
Supplemental disability benefits	_	-	1,233,786	1,595,611	-	-	-	=		
Active members	-	-	-	-	2,000,073	2,041,215	_	-		
Retired members (non-contributing)	_	-	-	_	4,943,984	4,954,565	_	-		
Family death benefit	_	-	-	-	193,896	211,000	_			
Administrative expenses	6,030,419	5,899,162	866,534	911,214	1,068,654	1,022,714	713,507	711,055		
Total Department of Water and Power contributions	397,747,778	368,259,056	16,365,665	17,066,832	8,206,607	8,229,494	91,023,926	80,606,726		
Total contributions	480,986,883	443,327,579	16,838,425	17,525,148	8,543,237	8,555,679	91,023,926	80,606,726		
Investment income										
Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments	1,107,153,958	(62,475,946)	(823,457)	1,252,258	(633,088)	962,758	190,298,244	(10,364,748)		
Interest	101,281,516	86,397,427	787,201	865,140	609,893	668,698	17,088,400	13,561,952		
Dividends	69,165,701	70,001,976	-	=	-	-	11,531,477	12,404,373		
Income from real estate investments	30,084,952	22,471,225	-	_	-	_	4,528,433	2,622,139		
Income from alternative investments	3,299,642	2,743,377	_	_	-	_	307,317	264,155		
Securities lending (Note 4)	7,820,872	4,507,588	_	-	_	-	1,721,823	1,065,134		
Total investment income	1,318,806,641	123,645,647	(36,256)	2,117,398	(23,195)	1,631,456	225,475,694	19,553,005		
Less: Securities lending expenses (Note 4)	(3,034,878)	(1,291,836)		-	_	-	(715,863)	(380,822)		
Less: Investment expenses	(35,268,327)	(28,699,153)	(43,481)	(49,191)	(33,467)	(37,862)	(5,944,569)	(4,753,925)		
Net investment income	1,280,503,436	93,654,658	(79,737)	2,068,207	(56,662)	1,593,594	218,815,262	14,418,258		
Other income	302,852	2,153,323					20,572	44,618		
Total additions	1,761,793,171	539,135,560	16,758,688	19,593,355	8,486,575	10,149,273	309,859,760	95,069,602		
								Continued		

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

CITY OF LOS ANGELES WATER AND POWER EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT PLAN STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2017 AND 2016

	Pensio	Pension Plan		efits Plan		Other Postemployment Benefits Plan			
	Retirem	ent Fund	Disabili	ty Fund	Death Be	nefit Fund	Retiree Health	Benefits Fund	
	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	
DEDUCTIONS									
Benefits paid									
Retirement	535,914,984	505,591,726	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Temporary disability	-	-	12,766,755	12,235,381	-	-	-	-	
Extended temporary disability	_	-	484,247	379,035	-	-	-	-	
Permanent total disability	-	-	1,700,103	1,734,775	-	-	-	-	
Supplemental	-	-	1,233,786	1,595,611	-	-	-	-	
Death benefits (active/retired members)	-	-	-	-	7,427,860	7,023,426	-	-	
Family allowances	-	-	-	-	540,150	495,378	-	-	
Retiree health benefits paid (insurance premiums)	-	-	-	-	-	-	90,310,419	79,895,671	
Total benefits paid	535,914,984	505,591,726	16,184,891	15,944,802	7,968,010	7,518,804	90,310,419	79,895,671	
Refund of members' contributions	4,446,351	4,893,260	-	_	-	-	-	-	
Administrative expenses	5,375,229	5,108,115	865,322	908,307	1,119,190	1,020,212	585,352	578,174	
Total deductions	545,736,564	515,593,101	17,050,213	16,853,109	9,087,200	8,539,016	90,895,771	80,473,845	
Net increase (decrease) in fiduciary net position	1,216,056,607	23,542,459	(291,527)	2,740,246	(600,625)	1,610,257	218,963,989	14,595,757	
Fiduciary net position restricted for pension, other postemployment, and disability benefits									
Beginning of year	10,097,842,728	10,074,300,269	47,486,930	44,746,684	28,184,759	26,574,502	1,692,916,547	1,678,320,790	
End of year	\$ 11,313,899,335	\$ 10,097,842,728	\$ 47,195,403	\$ 47,486,930	\$ 27,584,134	\$ 28,184,759	\$ 1,911,880,536	\$ 1,692,916,547	

NOTE 1 – PLAN DESCRIPTIONS

The Water and Power Employees' Retirement Plan of the City of Los Angeles (WPERP) was established by the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (Department) in 1938. The WPERP is a single employer public employee retirement system whose main function is to provide pension, death and disability benefits, to eligible employees of the Department.

Under the provisions of the Charter of the City of Los Angeles (City Charter), the Retirement Board of Administration (Retirement Board) has the responsibility and authority to administer the WPERP and to invest its assets. The Retirement Board members serve as trustees and must act in the exclusive interest of the WPERP's members and beneficiaries. The Retirement Board has seven members: a member of the Board of Water and Power Commissioners (DWP Board), the Department's General Manager, the Department's Chief Accounting Employee, three employee members who are elected for a three-year term by active members of the WPERP, and a retiree who is appointed by the DWP Board for a three-year term.

In 1986, DWP Board adopted the Department Health Plans Board Resolution. This resolution established provisions for the health, dental and other medical plans of the Department and its subsidies. This resolution and subsequent amendments have created the Department's Postretirement Health Care Benefit Plan (Retiree Health Benefits Plan), a single-employer postemployment healthcare benefit plan. The DWP Board establishes the benefit terms and funding policy of the Retiree Health Benefits Plan. The DWP Board has five members. The members are appointed by the Mayor of the City of Los Angeles, subject to the approval of City Council. On September 6, 2006, the Retirement Board approved the creation and establishment of the Retiree Health Benefits Fund (RHBF) as an independent trust fund to discharge the benefits provided under the Retiree Health Benefits Plan. The Retirement Board has investment oversight of the RHBF.

The WPERP has four separate funds – Retirement Fund, Disability Fund, Death Benefit Fund, and RHBF. Each fund is considered a separate plan and an independent trust fund of the Department. The Retirement Fund is a single employer defined benefit pension plan. The Death Benefit Fund and Retiree Health Benefit Fund are single employer defined benefit other postemployment benefits (OPEB) plans. The Disability Fund is for the payment of temporary disability and permanent total disability of the Department's employees, and is considered neither a pension plan nor an OPEB plan.

NOTE 1 – PLAN DESCRIPTIONS (Continued)

Retirement Fund, Disability Fund, and Death Benefit Fund

<u>Membership</u>

The Retirement Fund's and Death Benefit Fund's membership consisted of the following at June 30, 2017 and 2016:

	20)17	2016			
	Retirement	Death Benefit	Retirement	Death Benefit		
Retirees, beneficiaries	9,272	7,206	9,265	7,205		
Terminated vested	1,648	726	1,612	701		
Active	9,806	9,806	9,348	9,348		
Total	20,726	17,738	20,225	17,254		

Benefit Provisions

Retirement Fund

The Retirement Fund consists of both defined contribution and defined benefit elements. Certain members vest in the defined contribution element (annuity) after one year of service. Members vest in the defined benefit element (pension) only after qualifying for retirement and meeting the criteria for the formula pension. Generally, new and returning employees of the Department become eligible for Plan membership on the first day of the payroll period following entry into Department service. New eligible employees must complete 26 weeks of continuous service before becoming entitled to disability and/or death benefits. During the fiscal year 2014, the City of Los Angeles (City) and the Department agreed to a new tier of retirement benefits for new hires to the Department. On December 11, 2013, the Retirement Board adopted a Plan amendment to create a new tier for the Department's new-hires on or after January 1, 2014. Major benefit provisions for each tier are described below.

Tier 1 members are eligible for normal retirement at age 60. Early retirement at age 55 is generally available if the member has been with the Department for 10 or more years of the last 12 years before retirement. Members with 30 or more years may retire at any age and receive unreduced benefits within a certain limited period (this option expired on October 31, 2005). Upon qualifying for retirement, Tier 1 members will also qualify for a formula pension if they have been employed by the Department for at least five years before retirement and have been a contributing member of the Plan for at least four of five years immediately preceding retirement or while eligible to retire (or during any of those four years if they were receiving either

NOTE 1 – PLAN DESCRIPTIONS (Continued)

disability benefits under the Disability Benefit Plan or payments under any Workers' Compensation Law).

Eligible Tier 1 members are entitled to an annual retirement benefit, payable monthly for life currently in an amount equal to a retirement factor of 2.1% of their highest average salary, for each year of credited service. Members who have at least 30 years of service credit and are at least 55 years of age (and represented by a bargaining unit that has negotiated this benefit) are entitled to a retirement factor of 2.3% in the calculation of their retirement allowance. "Highest average salary" is defined as the employee's average salary, excluding overtime, over the highest 26 consecutive contributing payroll periods. Retirees who are receiving a formula pension are entitled to annual cost of living adjustment (COLA). Adjustments are applied each July 1 based on the Consumer Price Index (Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County, CA – All Items) as published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the United States Department of Labor (CPI) for each of the two immediately preceding calendar years. The maximum adjustment, positive or negative, is 3% in any one year.

Tier 2 members are eligible for normal retirement at age 60 with at least ten years of service (5 year must be as a contributing member and/or receiving either disability benefits under the Disability Benefit Plan or payments under any Workers' Compensation Law). A reduced benefit for early retirement at any age is generally available if the member has at least thirty years of service. Members with 30 or more years of credited service may retire at age 55 and receive unreduced benefits.

Eligible Tier 2 members are entitled to an annual retirement benefit, payable monthly for life currently in an amount equal to a retirement factor multiplying each year of credited service, and then multiplying their highest average salary. The specific retirement factor is based on the combination of member's age and credited service as follows:

- 1.5% at age 60 with 10 years
- 2.0% at age 55 with 30 years
- 2.0% at age 63 with 10 years
- 2.1% at age 63 with 30 years

"Final average salary" is defined as the employee's average salary, excluding overtime, over the highest 78 consecutive payroll periods. A member's monthly pension amount is capped at 80% of one's highest average salary. Retirees who are receiving a formula pension are entitled to annual COLA. Adjustments are applied each July 1 based on the CPI for each of the two immediately preceding calendar years. The maximum adjustment, positive or negative, is 2% in

NOTE 1 – PLAN DESCRIPTIONS (Continued)

any one year. Members may purchase additional post-retirement COLA coverage, not to exceed an additional 1% per year, at full actuarial cost to the Plan.

Death Benefit Fund

The Death Benefit Fund consists of the insured lives death benefit (IDB), family death benefit (FDB), and supplemental family death benefit (SFDB).

• Insured Lives Death Benefit

For contributing active members, death benefit coverage begins after completion of 26 weeks of continuous Department service. If the death occurs while an active member of the Plan, the benefit includes a single lump sum distribution equal to fourteen times the member's monthly salary, and the Retirement Fund contributions plus accrued interest, payable to the beneficiary.

For retired members, the benefits include a single lump sum distribution equal to fourteen times the member's full retirement allowance not to exceed \$20,000, plus any unpaid retirement allowances due, and the unused portion of the Retirement Fund contributions upon death (if elected at retirement) payable to the beneficiary.

• Family Death Benefit

Coverage begins after completion of 26 weeks of continuous Department service. The Plan provides a monthly FDB allowance of \$416 to each qualified surviving child plus \$416 to the spouse, if the spouse has the care of one or more of the member's eligible children. The maximum monthly FDB allowance cannot exceed \$1,170.

• Supplemental Family Death Benefit

The SFDB program supplements the FDB. Coverage begins after enrollment and payment of premiums for 39 consecutive biweekly payroll deductions. The Plan provides for an additional monthly SFDB allowance of \$520 to each qualified surviving child plus \$520 to the spouse, if the spouse has the care of one or more of the member's eligible children. The maximum SFDB allowance cannot exceed \$1,066.

NOTE 1 – PLAN DESCRIPTIONS (Continued)

Contributions

Retirement Fund

Retirement contributions are determined by a member's Tier designation. Covered Tier 1 employees continue to contribute 6% of their annual covered payroll upon becoming a Plan member on or after June 1, 1984. Employees entering the Plan before June 1, 1984 contribute an amount based upon an entry-age percentage rate. If an employee leaves or dies while employed, employee contribution plus credited interest is refundable. After one year of membership, the employee may leave his or her contribution on account with the Plan along with the Department's matching contributions and receive a money purchase allowance at retirement age. A surviving spouse of an employee who dies while eligible to retire or with at least 25 years of service may elect to receive a monthly allowance from the Retirement Fund for life rather than a refund of the employee's contributions and interest.

Covered Tier 2 employees are required to contribute 10% of their annual covered payroll upon becoming a Plan member. A Tier 2 member has the same benefits as a Tier 1 member upon termination or death while employed with a single exception. A Tier 2 member will not receive a money purchase allowance with vesting after one year. Instead a Tier 2 member will only receive a formula pension if one is at age 60 and has at least 15 years of credited service.

The Department contributes \$1.10 for each \$1.00 contributed by Tier 1 members, plus an actuarially determined percentage of covered payroll. The Department solely contributes an actuarially determined percentage of covered payroll for Tier 2 members. Contribution provisions are established and amended by the Retirement Board upon the advice of the Plan actuary. The average employer contribution rates for fiscal years 2017 and 2016 (based on the July 1, 2016 and 2015 valuations) were 45.25% and 42.77% of compensation, respectively.

Disability Fund

Each bi-weekly payroll period, both eligible Tiers 1 and 2 members contribute \$1.00 each for temporary disability and permanent total disability. The Department contribution rate for fiscal years 2017 and 2016 for the temporary disability (based on the July 1, 2016 and 2015 valuations) were \$1.52 and \$1.71 per \$100 of covered payroll, respectively. Department contribution for permanent total disability continues to be suspended, as current reserve significantly exceeds the target reserve amount.

NOTE 1 – PLAN DESCRIPTIONS (Continued)

Death Benefit Fund

• Insured Lives Death Benefit

Contributing active Tiers 1 and 2 members contribute \$1.00 per bi-weekly payroll period. The Department contributions for the IDB for contributing active members are at \$0.22 and \$0.23 per \$100 of covered payroll for fiscal years 2017 and 2016 respectively. In addition, the Department contributions for the IDB for non-contributing members were at \$1.05 and \$1.14 per \$100 of retirement benefits paid for fiscal years 2017 and 2016, respectively.

• Family Death Benefit

The Department contribution rate was \$1.62 and \$1.91 per active member per month for fiscal years 2017 and 2016, respectively.

• Supplemental Family Death Benefit

Active members contribute \$2.25 per bi-weekly payroll period, and retired members contribute \$4.90 per month. Member contributions plus earnings from investments are intended to cover the cost of the benefits.

Retiree Health Benefits Fund

<u>Membership</u>

The Retiree Health Benefits Plan's membership consisted of the following at June 30, 2017 and 2016:

	2017	2016
Current retirees and beneficiaries	8,038	7,980
Current active members	9,806	9,264
Total	17,844	17,244

NOTE 1 – PLAN DESCRIPTIONS (Continued)

Benefit Provisions

Retired members of the Plan are eligible to receive a medical and dental subsidy based on their age and years of service at retirement. The retirees pay any health and dental plan premiums in excess of Department subsidy limits that they are eligible for.

Contributions

The DWP Board establishes the funding policy and funding levels of the RHBF. The Department retains the responsibility and obligation to fund the RHBF to the extent necessary and appropriate as recommended by the Department's actuary, based on funding parameters set by the Department on advice of the actuary. During fiscal years 2017 and 2016, the Department contributed \$91.0 million and \$80.6 million, respectively, to fund current and future retiree health benefits liabilities and related costs.

NOTE 2 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting and Presentation

The financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting and reflect the overall financial operations of each fund of the WPERP. Member and Department contributions are recognized as revenues in the period in which the employee services are performed and when due, and benefits and refunds are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the terms of each benefit fund.

Other expenses are recognized when incurred. The net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments is recorded as an increase (decrease) to investment income based on the valuation of investments.

Investments

Investments are reported at fair value. Investments that do not have a readily determinable fair value may be valued at Net Asset Value (NAV), such as member units or an ownership interest in partners' capital to which a proportionate share of net assets is attributed. Short-term investments are reported at cost, which approximates fair value.

NOTE 2 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

The fair value of securities is determined by the published market prices and quotations from major investment dealers. Securities traded on a national or international exchange are valued at the last reported sales price at current currency exchange rates in effect. Mortgages are valued on the basis of future principal and interest payments, and are discounted at prevailing interest rates for similar investments. Hedge funds are initially recorded at cost and subsequently valued at fair value, and these are reported as "Alternative Investments" on the statements of fiduciary net position. The WPERP has investments in commingled real estate funds in which real property is its primary underlying investment. These are reported as "Real Estate" at fair value on the statements of fiduciary net position. Fair values of real estate investments are estimated by fund managers based upon property appraisal reports both internally and externally.

Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Unsettled investment trades as of year-end are reported in the financial statements as receivable for pending sales or payable for pending purchases.

Cash

Cash consists primarily of cash on deposits in the City Treasury under the City's investment pool program.

Derivatives

To the extent permitted by policy and individual agreements, investment managers are authorized to use derivatives for risk management purposes. Accordingly, derivatives held are not held for trading purposes. Derivative securities are instruments whose value is derived from an underlying security or index. They include options, futures, swaps, forwards, structured notes, and stripped securities. These instruments offer unique characteristics and risks that assist the investment managers with meeting their investment strategies.

Use of Estimates

The preparation financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain financial statement amounts and disclosures. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Adoption of New Accounting Standards

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) issued Statement No. 74, Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefit Plans Other Than Pension Plans, which is a replacement

NOTE 2 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

of Statement No. 43. It becomes effective for financial statements with fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2016. The applicable Plan benefits included under GASB Statement No. 74 are the Retirees Health Benefit and the Death Benefit. WPERP have adopted the provisions of GASB Statement No. 74 in the financial statements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2017.

NOTE 3 – CASH AND INVESTMENTS

Investment Policy

Investment authority is granted to the WPERP by the City Charter and is exercised in accordance with the Retirement Board's investment policy. The City Charter authorizes the form and type of investment vehicles that may be purchased. The Retirement Board may invest in common and preferred stocks (including both domestic and international equities), convertible debt, fixed income, alternative investments, and real estate; and it may utilize stock covered call options and securities lending. The following is the asset allocation policy as of June 2017 and 2016:

Asset Class	Target Allocation
Domestic equity	29.00%
Broad international equity	19.00%
Fixed income	25.00%
Real estate	8.00%
Real return	5.00%
Private equity	8.00%
Hedge funds	5.00%
Cash and cash equivalents	1.00%
Total	100.00%

Cash

As of June 30, 2017 and 2016, the cash balances consist primarily of cash deposits in the City Treasury. The WPERP's participation in the program is less than 1% at June 30, 2017 and 2016. Interest earned on the City's investment pool is allocated by the City Treasury to the WPERP based on its average daily cash balance during the allocation period.

NOTE 3 – CASH AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

<u>Investments</u>

As of June 30, 2017, and 2016, the WPERP had the following investments:

Investment Type	June 30, 2017 Fair Value			June 30, 2016 Fair Value	
Domestic equities	\$	4,906,224,287	\$	4,242,711,486	
International equities		2,538,027,836		2,140,109,037	
U.S. Treasuries		936,151,383		907,986,221	
U.S. agencies		869,598,674		866,995,037	
Preferred securities/convertible bonds/other		21,234,215		16,119,034	
Mortgage and asset backed securities		199,303,886		247,491,970	
Corporate debt - domestic		1,020,548,609		990,695,647	
Corporate debt - international		226,684,122		181,472,503	
Government debt - international		123,825,882		84,816,087	
Municipal/provincial bonds		4,566,320		-	
Mutual funds		419,177,843		467,902,956	
Private equity & hedge funds		1,246,308,903		1,120,312,498	
Real estate		754,995,383		643,561,743	
Securities lending short-term collateral investment pool		905,357,372		773,085,877	
Total investments	\$	14,172,004,715	\$	12,683,260,096	

Fair Value of Investments

The WPERP categorizes its fair value measurements within the fair value hierarchy established by generally accepted accounting principles. The hierarchy is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of an asset or liability as follows:

- Level 1 Inputs utilized are unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 Inputs include quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities, and inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability, including quoted prices in markets that are not active.
- Level 3 Inputs are unobservable for an asset or liability.

NOTE 3 – CASH AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

Investments that do not have a readily determinable fair value may be valued at the NAV, such as member units or an ownership interest in partners' capital to which a proportionate share of net assets is attributed. Investments whose fair value is measured at NAV are excluded from the fair value hierarchy.

The WPERP has the following recurring fair value measurement as of June 30, 2017:

		Fair Value Measurement at June 30, 2017*						
	_	Level 1	Level 2			Level 3	Total	
Equity securities:								
Domestic equities	\$	4,906,224,287	\$	-	\$	- :	\$ 4,906,224,287	
International equities		2,538,027,836		-		-	2,538,027,836	
Preferred securities		21,234,215		-		-	21,234,215	
Fixed income securities:								
U.S. Treasuries		-		936,151,383		-	936,151,383	
U.S. agencies		-		869,598,674		-	869,598,674	
Mortgage and asset backed secur	ities	-		199,303,886		-	199,303,886	
Corporate debt - domestic		-		1,020,548,609		-	1,020,548,609	
Corporate debt - international		-		226,684,122		-	226,684,122	
Government debt -international		-		123,825,882		-	123,825,882	
Municipal/provincial bonds		-		4,566,320		-	4,566,320	
Alternative investments								
GILS		-		434,889,776		-	434,889,776	
Hedge funds		-		99,156,600		-	99,156,600	
Real estate	_	57,440,400		330			57,440,730	
Total investments by fair value	\$	7,522,926,738	\$	3,914,725,582	\$	- :	\$ 11,437,652,320	

^{*} Investments in mutual funds in the amount of \$419.2 million are not included within the fair value hierarchy. These mutual funds include money market funds and short-term investment funds, which costs approximate fair value. Securities lending short-term investment pool balance of \$905.4 million, which costs approximate fair value, are not included within the fair value hierarchy. Investments measured at NAV are also not included within the fair value hierarchy. See description of investments measured at the NAV on page 33.

Equity securities, preferred securities, and certain real estate funds classified in level 1 of the fair value hierarchy are valued using prices quoted in active markets for those securities and real estate funds. Debt securities classified in level 2 of the fair value hierarchy are valued based on evaluated quotes provided by independent pricing services and matrix pricing technique. Matrix pricing is used to value securities based on the securities' relationship to benchmark quoted prices. Mortgage and asset backed securities classified in level 2 are valued on the basis of discounted future principal and interest payments.

NOTE 3 – CASH AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

Alternative investments classified under level 2 include global inflation linked securities (GILS) managed by Western Assets Management Company with total fair value of \$434.9 million. The fair value determination techniques may include, but not be limited to, matrix pricing, modeled securities. Examples of these models include but are not limited to: a) bespoke total return swaps that are priced using the change in relevant indices, and b) certain restructured securities that can be mapped to prices of other securities; and other valuation techniques. These other valuation techniques include, but are not limited to, discounted cash flow methods using comparable index yields, comparable bond spreads applied to treasuries or comparable prepayment speeds and yields, asset based valuations using the values from securities underlying the security being priced, and relative valuation techniques including total enterprise value/EBITDA for multiple companies and applied to the capital structure of the security being priced. Also classified under level 2 is a hedge fund managed by GAM USA with total fair value of \$99.2 million. Investments held within this fund are valued based on the fund's valuation policy described in the fund's audited annual financial statements.

Fair Value of Investments Measured at the Net Asset Value (NAV) — Below is a summary of the WPERP's investments at June 30, 2017 for which fair value is measured based on the NAV.

					Redemption Frequency	Redemption
				Unfunded	(if Currently	Notice
Investments Measured at the NAV	,	Fair Value		Commitment	Eligible)	Period
Private Equity						
Direct partnerships	\$	349,767,053	\$	332,573,189	Not Eligible	Not Eligible
Fund of funds		90,209,054		230,575,139	Not Eligible	Not Eligible
Real Estate						
Open ended		417,811,582		-	Quarterly	45-90 days
Close ended		279,743,071		277,783,590	Not Eligible	Not Eligible
Real Return						
Commodities		143,195,033		-	Daily	2 days
Timberland		34,099,562		16,710,488	Not Eligible	Not Eligible
Hedge Fund						
Fund of funds	_	94,991,825	_	-	Monthly	Monthly
Total investments measured at the NAV	\$_	1,409,817,180	\$	857,642,406		

NOTE 3 – CASH AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

WPERP's private equity portfolio consists of ventured capital, leveraged buyouts, distressed debt, and other special equity funds. WPERP's participation is either through direct partnership or fund of funds. Both structures are not eligible for redemption. Instead, distributions are received as underlying investments within the partnerships and funds are liquidated, which on average can occur over the span of 10 to 15 years.

The real estate portfolio consists of investments in domestic and international commercial and industrial real property. WPERP is invested in both open ended and close ended funds/partnerships. Open ended funds/partnerships can be redeemed subject to the redemption schedule as listed above. Close ended funds/partnerships are not eligible for redemption. Instead, distributions are received as underlying investments within the funds/partnerships are liquidated, which on average can occur over the span of 10 to 15 years.

Real return investments include a commingled commodities fund and two timberland direct partnerships. The timberland partnerships are not eligible for redemption. The estimated duration of these partnerships ranges from 10 to 15 years.

One hedge fund investment is executed through fund of funds. The underlying third party hedge fund managers' strategies could include, but is not limited to convertible arbitrage, distressed securities, fixed income arbitrage, merger arbitrage, long/short credit, long/short equity, etc.

NOTE 3 – CASH AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

Rate of Return

The money-weighted rate of return expresses investment performance, net of investment expense, adjusted for changing amounts actually invested. For the years ended June 30, 2017 and 2016, the annual money-weighted rate of return on the Retirement Fund investments, net of investment expense, was 12.79% and 0.96%, respectively.

For the year ended June 30, 2017, the annual money-weighted rate of return on the Retiree Health Benefits Fund investments, net of investment expense, was 12.92%. The annual money-weighted rate of return on the Death Benefit Fund investments, net of investment expense, was -0.18%.

Credit Risk

The WPERP's investment policy is to apply the "prudent person" standards. Investments are made with care, skill, prudence, and diligence under the circumstances then prevailing that a prudent person acting in a like capacity and familiar with such matters would use in the conduct of an enterprise of a like character and with like aims. The WPERP's investment policy has been designed to produce the most favorable long-term total portfolio return consistent with reasonable levels of risks. Prudent risk-taking is warranted within the context of overall portfolio diversification.

According to the WPERP's investment policy for fixed income, the WPERP can invest in both investment grade and high yield fixed income securities. Investment grade fixed income securities that are rated by Moody's, Standard & Poor's, and Fitch, should have a minimum rating of BBB- or Baa3 by two or more rating agencies. Investment managers for investment grade fixed income securities will notify the WPERP's management of subsequent decline in ratings and will develop an investment strategy for investments rated below Baa3 or BBB-. Active high yield fixed income investment is composed primarily of non-investment grade securities as rated by Moody's, Standard & Poor's or Fitch.

NOTE 3 – CASH AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

The credit ratings of the WPERP's investments at June 30, 2017 are as follows:

U.S. Treasuries	AAA AAA	\$ 936,151,383	24.50%
	ΔΔΔ		21.3070
U.S. Agency notes	11111	869,598,674	22.76%
Preferred securities/convertible bonds/other	B or better	375,656	0.01%
	Not rated	20,858,559	0.55%
Mortgage and asset backed securities	AAA	91,990,201	2.41%
	A or better	16,946,334	0.44%
	B or better	55,848,733	1.46%
	C or better	28,772,964	0.75%
	Not rated	5,745,654	0.15%
Corporate debt - domestic	AAA	22,138,694	0.58%
•	A or better	108,692,701	2.84%
	B or better	724,014,619	18.95%
	C or better	87,918,151	2.30%
	D/Not rated	77,784,444	2.04%
Corporate debt - international	A or better	38,530,861	1.01%
•	B or better	175,296,824	4.59%
	C or better	2,772,869	0.07%
	WR/Not Rated	10,083,568	0.26%
Government debt - international	AAA	28,782,284	0.75%
	A or better	12,734,088	0.33%
	B or better	63,007,233	1.65%
	C or better	10,694,675	0.28%
	Not Rated	8,607,602	0.23%
Municipal/provincial bonds	C or better	1,947,720	0.05%
	Not Rated	2,618,600	0.07%
Mutual funds	Not rated	 419,177,843 *	10.97%
Total		\$ 3,821,090,934	100.00%

^{*} Consist of money market fund or short-term investment fund investing in the fixed income securities.

NOTE 3 – CASH AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

Credit Risks (Continued)

The credit ratings of the WPERP's investments at June 30, 2016 are as follows:

Investment Type	Credit Rating	Fair	Value	% of Portfolio
U.S. Treasuries	AAA	\$ 9	07,986,221	24.13%
U.S. Agency notes	AAA	8	666,995,037	23.04%
Preferred securities/convertible bonds/other	B or better		355,869	0.01%
	Not rated		15,763,165	0.42%
Mortgage and asset backed securities	AAA	1	26,691,483	3.37%
	A or better		15,385,691	0.41%
	B or better		47,493,296	1.26%
	C or better		55,252,595	1.47%
	Not rated		2,668,905	0.07%
Corporate debt - domestic	AAA		6,728,896	0.18%
	A or better		73,611,217	1.96%
	B or better	8	35,704,337	22.21%
	C or better		42,441,433	1.13%
	D/Not rated		32,209,764	0.86%
Corporate debt - international	AAA		874,733	0.02%
	A or better		19,434,302	0.52%
	B or better	1	58,084,386	4.20%
	C or better		792,759	0.02%
	WR/Not Rated		2,286,323	0.06%
Goverment debt - international	AAA		10,403,373	0.28%
	A or better		10,375,763	0.28%
	B or better		48,584,139	1.29%
	C or better		3,199,658	0.09%
	Not Rated		12,253,154	0.33%
Mutual funds	Not rated	4	67,902,956 *	12.43%
Total		\$ 3,7	63,479,455	100.00%

^{*} Consist of money market fund or short-term investment fund investing in the fixed income securities.

NOTE 3 – CASH AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

Custodial Credit Risks

For deposits, custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the WPERP's deposits may not be returned. As of June 30, 2017 and 2016, the WPERP's cash balances consist primarily of cash deposits in the City Treasury.

Collateral received in securities lending transactions are cash collateral and marketable securities. See Note 4 for further disclosure on securities lending transactions.

Concentration of Credit Risk

According to the WPERP's investment policy, no more than 5% of investments shall be invested in any one issue, except for investment in the fixed income asset class where no more than 10% of investment shall be invested in any one issue. United States Treasury or United States Agency issues are exempted from this limitation. As of June 30, 2017, and 2016, there were no investments holdings of more than 5% in any one issue of each fund's net position or in the WPERP's aggregate net position, except investments issued or guaranteed by the U.S. Government and investments in commingled funds.

Interest Rate Risk

As of June 30, 2017, the WPERP's exposure to interest rate risk is as follows:

Investment Type	Fair Value	Weighted Average Maturity (Years)
U.S. Treasuries	\$ 936,151,383	3.88
U.S. agencies	869,598,674	20.16
Preferred securities/convertible bonds/other	21,234,215	0.00
Mortgage and asset backed securities	199,303,886	19.11
Corporate debt - domestic	1,020,548,609	9.68
Corporate debt - international	226,684,122	12.37
Government debt - international	123,825,882	10.36
Municipal / Provincial Bonds	4,566,320	17.94
Mutual funds	 419,177,843	0.00
Total	\$ 3,821,090,934	10.21

NOTE 3 – CASH AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

As of June 30, 2016, the WPERP's exposure to interest rate risk is as follows:

Investment Type	 Fair Value	Weighted Average Maturity (Years)
U.S. Treasuries	\$ 907,986,221	3.20
U.S. Agency notes	866,995,037	16.02
Preferred securities/convertible bonds/other	16,119,034	0.00
Mortgage and asset backed securities	247,491,970	17.36
Corporate debt - domestic	990,695,647	10.42
Corporate debt - international	181,472,503	12.38
Mutual funds	84,816,087	12.10
	467,902,956	0.00
Total	\$ 3,763,479,455	9.22

The WPERP has a long-term investment horizon and it utilizes an asset allocation that encompasses a long-run perspective of capital markets. The WPERP maintains an interest rate risk consistent with its long-term investment horizon.

NOTE 3 – CASH AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

Foreign Currency Risk

As of June 30, 2017 and 2016, the WPERP's exposure to foreign currency risk is as follows:

Currency	Investment Type	2017	2016
Australian Dollar	Cash & cash equivalents	\$ 38,578	\$ 381,726
	Equities	66,307,930	57,623,648
	Fixed Income	2,444,859	2,464,887
Brazil Real	Cash & cash equivalents	3,026	103,919
	Equities	16,339,013	14,687,087
	Fixed Income	-	1,741,483
Canadian Dollar	Cash & cash equivalents	167,054	1,476,298
	Equities	60,284,843	57,635,527
	Fixed Income	10,013,435	5,541,337
Danish Krone	Cash & cash equivalents	(11)	2,537
	Equities	17,454,551	6,964,338
Euro Currency Unit	Cash & cash equivalents	23,359,338	19,384,534
•	Equities	407,906,377	355,122,434
	Fixed Income	103,053,514	106,297,945
Hong Kong Dollar	Cash & cash equivalents	77,207	122,851
	Equities	10,168,198	35,375,422
Hungarian Forint	Equities	975,924	-
Indonesian Rupiah	Cash & cash equivalents	_	33,338
•	Equities	9,598,386	20,776,407
Japanese Yen	Cash & cash equivalents	1,686,198	1,885,452
•	Equities	299,940,908	265,719,159
	Fixed Income	6,157,475	3,256,978
South Korea Won	Equities	63,731,094	17,408,135
Malaysian Ringgit	Equities	8,871,245	3,726,019
Mexican New Peso	Cash & cash equivalents	5,541	116
	Equities	6,835,952	6,930,448
New Taiwan Dollar	Equities	49,458,219	5,669,640
New Zealand Dollar	Cash & cash equivalents	38,730	127,868
	Fixed Income	4,515,656	7,839,920
	Equities	4,425,692	6,180,611
Norwegian Krone	Cash & cash equivalents	89	1,600
<u>C</u>	Equities	15,666,591	8,152,344
Philippine Peso	Cash & cash equivalents	556	· -
11	Equities	1,297,713	-
Polish Zloty	Cash & cash equivalents	863	_
,	Equities	6,447,688	-
Pound Sterling	Cash & cash equivalents	4,098,061	2,324,858
<i>6</i>	Equities	207,283,874	192,566,316
	Fixed Income	89,591,887	91,345,671
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NOTE 3 – CASH AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

Currency	Investment Type	2017	2016
S. African Comm Rand	Cash & cash equivalents	348	-
	Equities	14,192,890	46,756,775
Singapore Dollar	Cash & cash equivalents		34,804
	Equities	3,438,950	8,928,052
Swedish Krona	Cash & cash equivalents	8,886	8,907
	Equities	22,317,452	29,449,799
Swiss Franc	Cash & cash equivalents	103	114
	Equities	127,830,666	109,711,161
Thailand Baht	Equities	15,730,217	6,418,344
Turkish Lira	Cash & cash equivalents	12	-
	Equities	9,549,267	
Total		\$ 1,787,315,043	\$ 1,500,178,809

The WPERP's investment policy permits it to invest up to 19.00 % of total investments of the WPERP in non-U.S. investments. The WPERP's position is 12.61% and 11.83% as of June 30, 2017 and 2016, respectively.

NOTE 3 – CASH AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

Derivative Instruments

The fair value balances and notional amounts of derivatives instruments outstanding at June 30, 2017 and 2016, classified by type, and the changes in fair values of such derivative instruments for the years then ended as reported in the 2017 and 2016 financial statements are as follows:

			2017		
	Changes in	Fair Value	Fair Va	ılue	
Type	Classification	Amount	Classification	Amount	Notional Amount
Forward Contracts	Investment Income / (Loss)	\$ 2,548,910	Investment	\$ (4,303,817)	\$1,129,442,220
	- Cl	C ' W 1	2016	1	
	Changes in	Fair Value	Fair Va	ilue	
Туре	Classification	Amount	Classification	Amount	Notional Amount
Forward Contracts	Investment Income / (Loss)	\$ (7,451,575)	Investment	\$ (6,852,727)	\$ 856,271,958

At June 30, 2017 and 2016, the WPERP had direct commitments to purchase and/or sell foreign currency in the forms of forward contracts as part of the strategy of hedging its currency risk. The fair values of forward contracts were based on the market price.

NOTE 4 – SECURITIES LENDING PROGRAM

The WPERP is authorized by the City Charter and the Retirement Board's investment policy to lend its investment securities to various brokers, without limit. The lending is managed by the WPERP's custodial bank. The WPERP or the borrowers can terminate the contract with advance notice. Prior to August 2013, the lending arrangements are collateralized by cash and marketable securities (guaranteed by the full faith and credit of the U.S. Government) at (i) 102% with respect to U.S. Securities; (ii) 105% with respect to foreign securities; or (iii) a percentage mutually agreed of the underlying securities' market value. In August 2013, the Retirement Board adopted an amendment to the securities lending program to expand the acceptance of equities as non-cash collateral. Equities received are required to be collateralized at 110% with respect to loaned securities' value. The custodial bank will assume the equity risk and indemnify

NOTE 4 – SECURITIES LENDING PROGRAM (Continued)

the WPERP 100% for any shortfall if a loan position is not returned, and proceeds from the sale of equity collateral were insufficient to replace the loan position.

These arrangements provide for the return of the investments and a share of the interest earned on the collateral. The securities on loan to brokers remain the property of the WPERP and continue to be included in their respective accounts on the statements of fiduciary net position. The WPERP does not have the ability to pledge or sell collateral assets unless the borrower is in default of its obligation. As of June 30, 2017, and 2016, the WPERP has no credit risk exposure because the value of the collateral received exceeded the value of the securities on loan.

The WPERP's custodian is the authorized agent to handle the WPERP's securities lending activity. The WPERP's custodian may invest the cash collateral received in connection with securities on loan in investments permitted by the WPERP. The WPERP bears sole risk of all losses of the invested collateral, including losses incurred in the event of liquidation of the permitted investments. The custodian bank is responsible for the return of loaned securities from borrowers. In lending domestic securities, cash collateral is invested in the lending agent's short-term investment pool, which has an average maturity of 66 days and 87 days as of June 30, 2017 and 2016, respectively.

The fair values of the underlying securities on loan, collateralized by cash and securities as of June 30, 2017 and 2016 are:

Securities on loan		2017	2016
Global agencies	\$	943,374	\$ 879,290
Global equities		101,234,043	131,235,104
Global corporate fixed		210,396	2,823,391
Global government fixed		266,488,847	138,969,075
U.S. Agency notes		4,700,159	8,832,118
U.S. corporate fixed		184,976,651	122,765,833
U.S. equities		439,571,304	413,603,376
U.S. government fixed		438,780,577	 226,650,682
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Total	\$ 1	1,436,905,351	\$ 1,045,758,869

NOTE 5 – NET PENSION LIABILITY OF THE DEPARTMENT

Retirement Fund

The components of the net pension liability (NPL) of the Retirement Fund as of June 30, 2017 and 2016 are as follows:

				Fiduciary
				Net Position
				as % of
		Retirement Fund		Total
	Total Pension	Fiduciary Net	Net Pension	Pension
	Liability	Position	Liability	Liability
As of June 30, 2017	\$12,657,109,576	\$11,313,899,335	\$1,343,210,241	89.39%
As of June 30, 2016	\$12,289,237,311	\$10,097,842,728	\$2,191,394,583	82.17%

The WPERP engages an independent actuarial firm to conduct annual actuarial valuation to determine the total pension liability of the Department as of June 30, 2017 and 2016. The NPL as of June 30, 2017 and 2016 was determined by actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2017 and July 1, 2016, respectively. The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2017 and 2016 measurements were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period from July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2015. In particular, the following assumptions were applied in the measurements:

Inflation rate	3.00%
Projected salary increases	4.50% to 10.00%, includes inflation at 3.00%, "across the board" increases of 0.50% plus merit and promotional increases
Cost-of-living adjustments (COLA)	Contingent upon Consumer Price Index (CPI) increases with a 3.00% maximum for Tier 1 members and 2.00% maximum for Tier 2 members.
Investment rate of return	7.25% net of investment expense, including inflation
Mortality	Head count-weighted RP-2014 Healthy Annuitant Mortality Table with no age adjustment for males and set back one year for females, projected generationally with the two-dimensional MP-2015 projection scale.

NOTE 5 – NET PENSION LIABILITY OF THE DEPARTMENT (Continued)

Investment rate of return: The long-term expected rate of return on Retirement Fund's investments was determined using a building-block method in which expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These returns are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage, adding expected inflation and subtracting expected investment expenses and a risk margin.

The Retirement Fund's target asset allocation and projected arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class, after deducting inflation but before deducting investment expenses, used in the derivation of the long-term expected investment rate of return assumptions are summarized in the following table:

	Target	Long-Term Expected
Asset Class	Allocation	Real Rate of Return
Domestic equity	29.00%	5.76%
Broad international equity	19.00%	7.25%
Fixed income	25.00%	1.74%
Real estate	8.00%	4.37%
Real return	5.00%	2.39%
Private equity	8.00%	7.75%
Hedge funds	5.00%	3.50%
Cash and cash equivalents	1.00%	-0.46%
Total	100.00%	

Discount rate: The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.25% as of June 30, 2017 and June 30, 2016. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed plan member contributions will be made at the current contribution rate and that Department contributions will be made at rates equal to the actuarially determined contribution rates. For this purpose, only Department contributions that are intended to fund benefits for current plan members and their beneficiaries are included. Projected Department contributions that are intended to fund the service costs for future plan members and their beneficiaries, as well as projected contributions from future plan members, are not included. Based on those assumptions, the Retirement Fund's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments for current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on Retirement Fund's investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability as of June 30, 2017 and 2016.

NOTE 5 – NET PENSION LIABILITY OF THE DEPARTMENT (Continued)

Sensitivity of the net pension liability to changes in the discount rate: The following presents the Retirement Fund's NPL as of June 30, 2017 and 2016, calculated using the discount rate of 7.25%, as well as what the NPL would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (6.25%) or 1-percentage-point higher (8.25%) than the current rate:

	1% Decrease (6.25%)	Current Discount Rate (7.25%)	1% Increase (8.25%)
NPL as of June 30, 2017		\$1,343,210,241	\$(77,418,597)
NPL as of June 30, 2016	\$3,865,667,257	\$2,191,394,583	\$808,178,835

NOTE 6 – NET OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS LIABILITY OF THE DEPARTMENT

The WPERP benefits and funds included within the definition of Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB) are the RHBF and the Death Benefit Fund.

Retiree Health Benefits Fund

The components of the net OPEB liability (NOL) of the RHBF as of June 30, 2017 and 2016 are as follows:

Total OPEB Liability		RHBF Fiduciary Net Position	Net OPEB Liability	Fiduciary Net Position as % of Total OPEB Liability
As of June 30, 2017	\$2,347,483,631	\$1,911,880,536	\$435,603,095	81.44%
As of June 30, 2016	\$2,334,042,813	\$1,692,916,547	\$641,126,266	72.53%

An independent actuarial firm conducts annual actuarial valuation to determine the total OPEB liability of the Department. The NOL as of June 30, 2017 and 2016 was determined by the actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2017 and 2016. The non-healthcare cost actuarial assumptions used in both measurements were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period from July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2015. In particular, the following assumptions were applied in the measurements:

Inflation rate	3.00%				
Projected salary increases	4.50% to 10.00%, includes inflation at 3.00%, "across the board" increases of 0.50% plus merit and promotional increases				
Cost-of-living adjustments (COLA)	Contingent upon Consumer Price Index (CPI) increases with a 3.00% maximum for Tier 1 members and 2.00% maximum for Tier 2 members.				
Investment rate of return	7.25% net of investment expense, including inflation				
Mortality	Head count-weighted RP-2014 Healthy Annuitant Mortality Table with no age adjustment for males and set back one year for females, projected generationally with the two-dimensional MP-2015 projection scale.				

NOTE 6 – NET OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS LIABILITY OF THE DEPARTMENT (Continued)

Healthcare cost assumptions are separately developed by the actuary annually. They are based on annual cost trend survey of the healthcare industry and plan specific information. Specifically, the following assumptions were applied in the June 30, 2017 and 2016 measurements:

	June 30, 2017	June 30, 2016					
Non-Medicare medical plan	7.00%, graded down to an ultimate of 4.50% over 10 years	6.50%, graded down to an ultimate of 5.00% over 6 years					
Medicare medical plans	6.50%, graded down to an ultimate of 4.50% over 8 years	6.50%, graded down to an ultimate of 5.00% over 6 years					
Dental and Medicare Part B	4.50%	5.00%					

Investment rate of return: The long-term expected rate of return on RHBF's investments was determined using a building-block method in which expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These returns are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage, adding expected inflation and subtracting expected investment expenses and a risk margin.

The RHBF's target asset allocation and projected arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class, after deducting inflation but before deducting investment expenses, used in the derivation of the long-term expected investment rate of return assumptions are summarized in the following table:

	Target	Long-Term Expected
Asset Class	Allocation	Real Rate of Return
Domestic equity	29.00%	5.76%
Broad international equity	19.00%	7.25%
Fixed income	25.00%	1.74%
Real estate	8.00%	4.37%
Real return	5.00%	2.39%
Private equity	8.00%	7.75%
Hedge funds	5.00%	3.50%
Cash and cash equivalents	1.00%	-0.46%
Total	100.00%	

NOTE 6 – NET OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS LIABILITY OF THE DEPARTMENT (Continued)

Discount rate: The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability was 7.25% as of June 30, 2017 and 2016. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed Department contributions will be made at rates equal to the actuarially determined contribution rates. For this purpose, only Department contributions that are intended to fund benefits for current plan members and their beneficiaries are included. Projected Department contributions that are intended to fund the service costs for future plan members and their beneficiaries are not included. Based on those assumptions, the RHBF's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments for current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on RHBF's investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total OPEB liability as of June 30, 2017 and 2016.

Sensitivity of the net OPEB liability to changes in the discount rate: The following presents the RHBF's NOL as of June 30, 2017, calculated using the discount rate of 7.25%, as well as what the NOL would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (6.25%) or 1-percentage-point higher (8.25%) than the current rate:

	1% Decrease	Current Discount	1% Increase
	(6.25%)	Rate (7.25%)	(8.25%)
NOL as of June 30, 2017	\$756,185,506	\$435,603,095	\$170,513,190

Sensitivity of the net OPEB liability to changes in the healthcare cost trend rate: The following presents the RHBF's NOL as of June 30, 2017, calculated using the healthcare cost trend rates assumed in the June 30, 2017 actuarial valuation, as well as what the NOL would be if it were calculated using trend rates that are 1-percentage-point lower or 1-percentage-point higher than the assumed rates:

	Assumed Trend					
	1% Decrease	1% Decrease Rates				
NOL as of June 30, 2017	\$134,636,277	\$435,603,095	\$837,749,274			

NOTE 6 – NET OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS LIABILITY OF THE DEPARTMENT (Continued)

Death Benefit Fund

The components of the NOL of the Death Benefit Fund as of June 30, 2017 are as follows:

				Fiduciary
				Net Position
		Death Benefit		as % of
	Total OPEB	Fund Fiduciary	Net OPEB	Total OPEB
	Liability	Net Position	Liability	Liability
As of June 30, 2017	\$146,808,572	\$27,584,134	\$119,224,438	18.79%

The WPERP engages an independent actuarial firm to conduct annual actuarial valuation to determine the total OPEB liability of the Department. The NOL as of June 30, 2017 was determined by the actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2017. The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2017 measurements were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period from July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2015, with the exception of a 3.50% investment return assumption and additional assumptions regarding family composition for the Family Death Benefit and Supplemental Family Death Benefit. In particular, the following assumptions were applied in the measurements:

Inflation rate	3.00%
Projected salary increases	4.50% to 10.00%, includes inflation at 3.00%, "across the board" increases of 0.50% plus merit and promotional increases
Investment rate of return	3.50% net of investment expense, including inflation

Investment rate of return: The long-term expected rate of return on the Death Benefit Fund's investments was determined using a building-block method in which expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These returns are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage, adding expected inflation and subtracting expected investment expenses and a risk margin.

NOTE 6 – NET OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS LIABILITY OF THE DEPARTMENT (Continued)

The Death Benefit Fund's target asset allocation and projected arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class, after deducting inflation but before deducting investment expenses, used in the derivation of the long-term expected investment rate of return assumptions valuation are summarized in the following table:

	Target	Long-Term Expected
Asset Class	Allocation	Real Rate of Return
Fixed income	96.00%	0.82%
Cash and cash equivalents	4.00%	-0.46%
Total	100.00%	

Discount rate: The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability was 3.50% as of June 30, 2017. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed Department contributions will be made at rates equal to the actuarially determined contribution rates based on the Death Benefit Fund's funding policy. For this purpose, only Department contributions that are intended to fund benefits for current plan members and their beneficiaries are included. Projected Department contributions that are intended to fund the service costs for future plan members and their beneficiaries are not included. The actuarial projection reflects the Death Benefit Fund's funding policy where contributions will at least equal expected benefit payments over the long-term. Based on those assumptions, the Death Benefit Fund's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments for current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on Death Benefit Fund's investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total OPEB liability as of June 30, 2017.

Sensitivity of the net OPEB liability to changes in the discount rate: The following presents the Death Benefit Fund's NOL as of June 30, 2017, calculated using the discount rate of 3.50%, as well as what the NOL would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (2.50%) or 1-percentage-point higher (4.50%) than the current rate:

	1% Decrease	Current Discount	1% Increase
	(2.50%)	Rate (3.50%)	(4.50%)
NOL as of June 30, 2017	\$140,751,137	\$119,224,438	\$102,000,459

Sensitivity of the net OPEB liability to changes in the cost trend rate: Since there is no trend rate assumption used in valuing these benefits, the net OPEB liability is unaffected by any changes in trend rates.

NOTE 7 – ACTUARIAL VALUATION – DISABILITY FUND

Actuarial studies are performed annually on the Disability Fund to determine and recommend the appropriate contribution rates and the benefit reserves levels needed to fund the current and future benefit liabilities. The results of the most recent annual actuarial reviews (as of July 1, 2016 and July 1, 2015) for the Disability Fund found that the Fund's accumulated reserves had met the recommended reserve level. The actuarial recommendations for the contribution rates, reserve levels, and general reserve transfers were approved by the Retirement Board.

For permanent total disability, the Department's contribution rate remains at \$0 per \$100 of covered payroll. As for temporary disability, the Department's contribution rate was decreased from \$1.71 per to \$1.52 per \$100 of covered payroll. The rate change was approved by the Retirement Board in January 2017 and was implemented the same month.

NOTE 8 – RESERVES AND DESIGNATED BALANCES

Reserve accounts are established to cover all deferred liabilities as they accrue. Reserves are established from members and Department contributions and the accumulation of investment income after satisfying investment and administrative expenses. There are four major classes of reserves and designated accounts.

<u>Member contribution accounts</u> represent the balance of member contributions. Additions include member contributions and interest. Deductions include refunds of member contributions and transfers to the reserve for retirement allowances, the reserve for death benefit and the members' account at the City Employees' Retirement System under the WPERP's reciprocity provision.

<u>Department contribution accounts</u> represent the balance of Department contributions for future retirement payments to current active members. Additions include contributions from the Department and related earnings. Deductions include transfers to the reserve for retirement allowances and reserve for death benefit.

<u>Estimated benefit liabilities reserves</u> represent the balance of transfers from member contribution and/or Department contribution accounts and related earnings less payments to retired members, members on disability and beneficiaries.

<u>General reserves</u> represent reserves accumulated for future earnings deficiencies, investment losses and other contingencies. Additions include investment income and other revenue. Deductions include investment expense, interest allocated to member and Department contribution accounts, and interest allocated to the estimated benefits liabilities reserves accounts.

NOTE 8 – RESERVES AND DESIGNATED BALANCES (Continued)

The WPERP's reserves and designated balances at June 30, 2017 and 2016 are as follows:

	2017	2016
Retirement Fund - Reserves and Designated Balances Reserve for retirement allowances	\$ 6,942,830,729	\$ 6,609,724,302
Contributions: Members' contributions Department contributions	1,592,237,219 (1,335,629,737)	1,495,226,521 (1,343,612,617)
Total contributions	256,607,482	151,613,904
Reserve for investments gains and losses		5,484,082
General reserve	2,118,011,960	2,116,968,101
Total reserves and designated balances Unrealized appreciation in the fair value of investments	9,317,450,171 1,996,449,164	8,883,790,389 1,214,052,339
Total reserves and designated balances at fair value	\$ 11,313,899,335	\$ 10,097,842,728
<u>Disability Fund - Reserves and Designated Balances</u> Estimated liability for temporary and permanent disability cases General reserve	\$ 16,697,388 25,366,403	\$ 14,351,975 27,179,886
Total reserves and designated balances Unrealized appreciation in the fair value of investments	42,063,791 5,131,612	41,531,861 5,955,069
Total reserves and designated balances at fair value	\$ 47,195,403	\$ 47,486,930
Death Benefit Fund - Reserves and Designated Balances Estimated liability for family allowances Contribution account - family allowances General reserve	\$ 4,192,337 6,861,583 13,252,783	\$ 4,150,245 6,764,503 13,359,491
Total reserves and designated balances Unrealized appreciation in the fair value of investments	24,306,703 3,277,431	24,274,239 3,910,520
Total reserves and designated balances at fair value	\$ 27,584,134	\$ 28,184,759
Retiree Health Benefits Fund - Reserves and Designated Balances Department contributions (net of insurance premiums payment) General reserve	\$ 1,037,604,927 521,256,877	\$ 1,037,604,927 440,380,854
Total reserves and designated balances Unrealized appreciation in the fair value of investments	1,558,861,804 353,018,732	1,477,985,781 214,930,766
Total reserves and designated balances at fair value	\$ 1,911,880,536	\$ 1,692,916,547

NOTE 9 – PLAN AMENDMENTS

The Plan is periodically amended to meet changes in economic conditions and sound business practices. The following is a summary of the more significant Plan amendments taken effect during the fiscal years ended June 30, 2017 and 2016:

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2017

Effective for fiscal years beginning after June 30, 2016, the Reserve for Investment Gains and Losses within the Retirement Fund is eliminated. Realized investment gains and losses are recorded and accumulated within the Retirement Fund's General Reserve instead.

Fiscal year ended June 30, 2016

Plan amendments were adopted to align interest rate and mortality table specified in the Plan with those found in recent Plan actuarial experience studies. Effective July 1, 2015 and thereafter, regular interest rate credited to the members' contribution accounts are decreased from 7.75% to 7.50%. Furthermore, prior to April 30, 2016, members' retirement allowances and the conversions to optional benefits amounts were calculated using an 8.00% interest rate and the 1983 Group Annuity Mortality Table. Effective May 1, 2016 and thereafter, members' retirement allowances and the conversions to optional benefits amounts are calculated using a 7.50% interest rate and the RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Table converted to a unisex basis with adjustments.

NOTE 10 – RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The WPERP invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the statements of fiduciary net position. Department contributions and actuarial valuations are reported based on certain assumptions pertaining to interest rates and employee demographics, all of which are subject to change. Due to uncertainties inherent in the estimations and assumptions process, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in these estimates and assumptions in the near term would be material to the financial statements.

NOTE 11 – SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

According to GASB Statement No. 74, other postemployment benefits include all postemployment benefits other than retirement income (such as death benefits, life insurance, disability, and long-term care) that are provided separately from a pension plan, as well as postemployment healthcare benefits, regardless of the manner in which they are provided. During the implementation of GASB Statement No. 67, the WPERP's management obtained guidance from GASB that death benefits provided to both active and retired members from a trust fund separate from the retirement trust fund is considered an OPEB Plan because no benefits are paid prior to separation from employment. Based on this guidance, when implementing GASB Statement No. 74, the Death Benefit Fund remains an OPEB Plan.

Subsequent to the issuance with GASB Statement No. 74 Implementation Guide, GASB has received additional inquiries related to a Retirement System which administers the death benefits of both retired and active members via an irrevocable trust other than pension and whether the death benefit trust which holds assets dedicated to providing death benefits to both retired and active members would meet the dedication criterion of paragraph 3(b) of GASB Statement 74.

Based on the guidance from GASB for the implementation of GASB Statement No. 67, WPERP's management has taken the position that the Death Benefit Fund remains an OPEB Plan until further written guidance from GASB on Statement No. 74.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION RETIREMENT FUND SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN NET PENSION LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS (Unaudited)

	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
Total pension liability		 			
Service cost	\$ 217,276,778	\$ 209,832,859	\$ 214,735,027	\$ 193,661,118	\$ 189,950,104
Interest	887,133,571	837,977,383	821,047,664	779,396,615	748,904,919
Change of benefit terms	-	-	(144,007,904)	-	-
Differences between expected and actual experience	(196,176,749)	(189,461,173)	(162,912,927)	(154,221,968)	(98,062,638)
Change of assumptions	-	722,927,661	-	525,443,921	-
Benefit payments, including refund of					
member contributions	 (540,361,335)	 (510,484,986)	 (485,966,910)	 (463,596,940)	 (438,527,366)
Net change in total pension liability	367,872,265	1,070,791,744	242,894,950	880,682,746	402,265,019
Total pension liability - beginning	 12,289,237,311	11,218,445,567	 10,975,550,617	 10,094,867,871	 9,692,602,852
Total pension liability - ending	\$ 12,657,109,576	\$ 12,289,237,311	\$ 11,218,445,567	\$ 10,975,550,617	\$ 10,094,867,871
Fiduciary net position					
Contributions - employer,					
including administrative expenses	\$ 397,747,778	\$ 368,259,056	\$ 382,231,868	\$ 389,138,324	\$ 372,819,194
Contributions - employees	83,239,105	75,068,523	68,552,375	72,299,526	69,633,449
Net investment income	1,280,806,288	95,807,981	410,778,109	1,405,686,199	919,679,147
Benefit payments, incluidng refund of					
member contribution	(540,361,335)	(510,484,986)	(485,966,910)	(463,596,941)	(438,527,366)
Administrative expense	 (5,375,229)	 (5,108,115)	 (4,612,476)	 (4,221,234)	 (3,736,871)
Net change in fiduciary net position	1,216,056,607	23,542,459	370,982,966	1,399,305,874	919,867,553
Fiduciary net position - beginning	10,097,842,728	10,074,300,269	9,703,317,303	8,304,011,429	7,384,143,876
Fiduciary net position - ending	\$ 11,313,899,335	\$ 10,097,842,728	\$ 10,074,300,269	\$ 9,703,317,303	\$ 8,304,011,429
Net pension liability	\$ 1,343,210,241	\$ 2,191,394,583	\$ 1,144,145,298	\$ 1,272,233,314	\$ 1,790,856,442
Fiduciary net position as % of	89.39%	82.17%	89.80%	88.41%	82.26%
total pension liabilitiy Covered employee payroll	\$ 892,332,196	\$ 861,818,854	\$ 839,213,254	\$ 819,923,866	\$ 817,421,028
Net pension liability as % of covered employee payroll	150.53%	254.28%	136.34%	155.16%	219.09%

Note to Schedule:

This schedule is presented for those years for which information is available.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION RETIREMENT FUND SCHEDULE OF EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS (Unaudited)

Plan Year Ended June 30	D	actuarially etermined ontributions	(Actual Contributions	Contribution Deficiency/ (Excess)	Covered Employee Payroll	Contribution as Percentage of Covered Payroll
2017	\$	403,780,319	\$	391,717,359	\$ 12,062,960	\$ 892,332,196	43.90%
2016		368,599,924		362,359,894	6,240,030	861,818,854	42.05%
2015		387,464,759		376,902,022	10,562,737	839,213,254	44.91%
2014		387,823,989		384,265,892	3,558,097	819,923,866	46.87%
2013		376,667,610		368,426,348	8,241,262	817,421,028	45.07%
2012		336,874,865		321,688,919	15,185,946	805,607,436	39.93%
2011		304,431,910		286,699,384	17,732,526	791,760,493	36.21%
2010		200,578,278		201,034,807	(456,529)	767,912,436	26.18%
2009		141,291,589		145,941,276	(4,649,687)	696,704,083	20.95%
2008		134,651,427		141,862,126	(7,210,699)	623,674,973	22.75%

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION RETIREMENT FUND NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS (Unaudited)

Valuation date Actuarially determined contribution rates are calculated as of June 30, one year prior to

the end of the fiscal year in which contributions are reported.

Actuarial cost method Entry age actuarial cost method

Amortization method Level dollar amortization

Remaining amortization period The July 1, 2004 Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability is amortized over a 15-year

period commencing July 1, 2004. Any subsequent changes in Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability are amortized over separate 15-year periods effective with that

valuation.

Asset valuation method The market value of assets less unrecognized returns in each of the last five years.

Unrecognized return is equal to the difference between the actual market returns and the expected returns on a market value basis, and is recognized over a five-year period. As directed by the Retirement Office, the actuarial valuation of assets may be reduced by an

amount classified as a non-valuation reserve.

Other information All members hired on or after January 1, 2014 enter Tier 2.

Actuarial assumptions:

Investment rate of return 7.25% Inflation rate 3.00%

Projected salary increases 4.50% to 10.00%

Cost of living adjustments 3.00% (actual increases are contingent upon CPI increases with a 3.00% maximum for

Tier 1, 2.00% maximum for Tier 2)

Mortality Head count-weighted RP-2014 Health Annuitant Mortality Table with no age

adjustment for males and set back one year for females, projected generationally with

the two-dimensional MP-2015 projected scale.

Other assumptions Same as those used in the July 1, 2017 funding actuarial valuation

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION RETIREMENT FUND SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENT RETURNS (Unaudited)

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>	2014
Annual money-weighted rate of return,				
net of investment expense	12.79%	0.96%	4.27%	17.05%

Note to schedule:

This schedule is presented for the year for which information is available.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION RETIREE HEALTH BENEFITS FUND SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN NET OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS

(Unaudited)

	2017	2016
Total OPEB liability		
Service cost	\$ 49,295,168	\$ 38,342,912
Interest	169,518,251	146,596,915
Differences between expected and actual experience	(23,652,714)	87,184,567
Change of assumptions	(91,409,468)	185,583,627
Benefit payments	 (90,310,419)	 (79,895,671)
Net change in total OPEB liability	13,440,818	377,812,350
Total OPEB liability - beginning	 2,334,042,813	1,956,230,463
Total OPEB liability - ending	\$ 2,347,483,631	\$ 2,334,042,813
Fiduciary net position		
Contributions - employer, including administrative expenses	\$ 91,023,926	\$ 80,606,726
Net investment income	218,835,834	14,462,876
Benefit payments	(90,310,419)	(79,895,671)
Administrative expense	 (585,352)	 (578,174)
Net change in fiduciary net position	218,963,989	14,595,757
Fiduciary net position - beginning	 1,692,916,547	1,678,320,790
Fiduciary net position - ending	\$ 1,911,880,536	\$ 1,692,916,547
Net OPEB liability	\$ 435,603,095	\$ 641,126,266
Fiduciary net position as % of total OPEB liability	81.44%	72.53%
Covered employee payroll	\$ 892,332,196	\$ 861,818,854
Net OPEB liability as % of covered employee payroll	48.82%	74.39%

Note to Schedule:

This schedule is presented for those years for which information is available.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION RETIREE HEALTH BENEFITS FUND SCHEDULE OF EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS (Unaudited)

Plan Year Ended June 30	I	Actuarially Determined ontributions	C	Actual ontributions	Contribution Deficiency/ (Excess)	Covered Employee Payroll	Contribution as Percentage of Covered Payroll
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2017	\$	93,920,143	\$	90,310,419	\$ 3,609,724	\$ 892,332,196	10.12%
2016		61,971,138		79,895,671	(17,924,533)	861,818,854	9.27%
2015		70,748,429		78,496,618	(7,748,189)	839,213,254	9.35%
2014		58,453,215		74,105,548	(15,652,333)	819,923,866	9.04%
2013		36,907,715		67,562,881	(30,655,166)	817,421,028	8.27%
2012		40,094,940		101,720,586	(61,625,646)	805,607,436	12.63%
2011		66,188,311		140,132,520	(73,944,209)	791,760,493	17.70%
2010		56,294,335		160,236,897	(103,942,562)	767,912,436	20.87%
2009		58,717,975		159,412,621	(100,694,646)	696,704,083	22.88%
2008		38,657,791		157,359,628	(118,701,837)	623,674,973	25.23%

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION RETIREE HEALTH BENEFITS FUND NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS (Unaudited)

Valuation date Actuarially determined contribution rates are calculated as of June 30, one year prior to

the end of the fiscal year in which contributions are reported.

Actuarial cost method Entry age, Level Percent of Pay

Amortization method Single Closed amortization period, level percent of pay; 19 years remaining as of June

30, 2016

Asset valuation method Total market value of the Retiree Health Benefits Fund at valuation date

Actuarial assumptions:

Investment rate of return 7.25%, net of investment expense

Inflation rate 3.00%

Projected salary increase 4.50% to 10.00%

Healthcare cost trend rates:

Non-Medicare medical plan
7.00%, graded down to an ultimate of 4.50% over 10 years
Medicare medical plans
6.50%, graded down to an ultimate of 4.50% over 8 years

Dental and Medicare Part B 4.50%

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION RETIREE HEALTH BENEFITS FUND SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENT RETURNS (Unaudited)

2017

Annual money-weighted rate of return, net of investment expense

12.92%

Note to schedule:

This schedule is presented for the year for which information is available.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION DEATH BENEFIT FUND SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN NET OTHER POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFIT LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS

(Unaudited)

	2017
Total OPEB liability	
Service cost	\$ 3,656,610
Interest	5,095,026
Change of benefit terms	-
Differences between expected and actual experience	125,381
Change of assumptions	-
Benefit payments	 (7,968,010)
Net change in total OPEB liability	909,007
Total OPEB liability - beginning	 145,899,565
Total OPEB liability - ending	\$ 146,808,572
Fiduciary net position	
Contributions - employer, including administrative expenses	\$ 8,206,607
Contributions - employees	336,630
Net investment income	(56,662)
Benefit payments	(7,968,010)
Administrative expense	 (1,119,190)
Net change in fiduciary net position	(600,625)
Fiduciary net position - beginning	 28,184,759
Fiduciary net position - ending	\$ 27,584,134
Net OPEB liability	\$ 119,224,438
Fiduciary net position as % of total OPEB liability	18.79%
Covered employee payroll	\$ 892,332,196
Net OPEB liability as % of covered employee payroll	13.36%

Note to Schedule:

This schedule is presented for those years for which information is available.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION DEATH BENEFIT FUND SCHEDULE OF EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS (Unaudited)

									Contribution
	A	Actuarially			(Contribution		Covered	as Percentage
Plan Year	Γ	Determined		Actual]	Deficiency/		Employee	of Covered
Ended June 30	C	ontributions	C	ontributions	(Excess)		Payroll		Payroll
		_		_		_		_	
2017	\$	7,137,953	\$	7,137,953	\$	-	\$	892,332,196	0.80%
2016		7,206,780		7,206,780		-		861,818,854	0.84%

Note to schedule:

This schedule is presented for the years for which information is available.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION DEATH BENEFIT FUND NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS (Unaudited)

Valuation date Actuarially determined contribution rates are calculated as of June 30, one year

prior to the end of the fiscal year in which contributions are reported.

Actuarial cost method Pay as you go, subject to modifications by the Board's funding policy

Funding policy Varies by component of the Death Benefit Fund as follows:

Family Death Benefit: Recommend a contribution rate that maintains assets at a target level equal to the reserve for benefits granted plus an additional 20%

Supplemental Family Death Benefit: Establish once stable annual costs are

achieved

Insured Lives Death Benefit (Both): Recommend a contribution rate that maintains the general reserve at a target level of the average of the benefits paid for the last

five years

Asset valuation method Total market value of the Death Benefit Fund at valuation date

Actuarial assumptions:

Investment rate of return 3.50%, net of investment expense

Inflation rate 3.00%

Projected salary increase 4.50% to 10.00%

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION DEATH BENEFIT FUND SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENT RETURNS (Unaudited)

2017

Annual money-weighted rate of return, net of investment expense -0.18%

Note to schedule:

This schedule is presented for the year for which information is available.

CITY OF LOS ANGELES WATER AND POWER EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT PLAN SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

RETIREMENT FUND SCHEDULE OF CONTRIBUTION ACCOUNTS AND ESTIMATED LIABILITY FOR RETIREMENT ALLOWANCES (Unaudited)

	Curro		Minimum Pension	Cost of Living Adjustments		Departi ontinuance to Water an igible Spouse To		d Power Members'		rs' Combined Total		Estimated Liabilities for Retirement Allowances	
Balance at June 30, 2015	\$ 1,487	,309,383	\$ (813,875,953)	\$ (1,776,640,816	\$ (85,94	3,597)	\$ (1,189,150,983)	\$ 1,49	07,404,562	\$ 308,253	,579_	\$	6,052,694,436
Contributions received Contributions refunded		,625,474 ,585,997)	313,320,416	-		- 	365,945,890 (3,585,997)		75,068,523 (4,893,260)	441,014 (8,479			-
Net Contributions	49	,039,477	313,320,416		_		362,359,893	7	70,175,263	432,535	,156		-
Transfers from contribution accounts for retiring members	(178	,394,542)	(85,316,484)	(142,929,178) (22,05	6,489)	(428,696,693)	(18	31,766,762)	(610,463	,455)		610,463,455
Retirement allowances paid													(505,591,726)
Interest at 7.50% per annum	108	,067,148	(52,341,668)	(136,869,789	(6,98	0,525)	(88,124,834)	10	9,413,458	21,288	,624		452,158,137
Balance at June 30, 2016	1,466	,021,466	(638,213,689)	(2,056,439,783	(144,98	0,612)	(1,343,612,617)	1,49	95,226,521	151,613	,904		6,609,724,302
Contributions received Contributions refunded Net Contributions	(3	,464,871 ,379,512) ,085,359	342,632,000	- - -		- - -	395,096,871 (3,379,512) 391,717,359		33,239,105 (4,446,351) 78,792,754	478,335 (7,825 470,510	,863)		- - -
Transfers from contribution accounts for retiring members	(91	,469,038)	(87,162,493)	(98,411,500) (10,14	1,949)	(287,184,980)	(9	93,261,776)	(380,446	,756)		380,446,756
Retirement allowances paid		-	-	-		-	-		-		-		(535,914,984)
Interest at 7.50% per annum	108	,318,729	(38,818,397)	(157,133,790	(8,91	5,041)	(96,549,499)	11	1,479,720	14,930	,221		488,574,655
Balance at June 30, 2017	\$ 1,531	,956,516 \$	(421,562,579) \$	(2,311,985,073	\$ (164,03	8,602) \$	(1,335,629,737)	\$ 1,59	2,237,219	\$ 256,607	,482 \$		6,942,830,729

EXHIBIT XI

CITY OF LOS ANGELES WATER AND POWER EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT PLAN SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

DEATH BENEFIT FUND SCHEDULE OF CONTRIBUTION ACCOUNTS AND ESTIMATED LIABILITY FOR FAMILY ALLOWANCES

For the Years Ended June 30, 2017 and 2016

	Members'	Department of Water and Power	Combined Total	Estimated Liability for Family Allowances
Balances at June 30, 2015	\$ 5,474,759	\$ 913,473	\$ 6,388,232	\$ 4,281,741
Contributions received	100,029	211,000	311,029	-
Transfers to estimated liability for family allowances from contribution accounts for member deceased during the year Family allowances paid	- -	(193,371)	(193,371)	193,371 (495,378)
Interest transferred from general reserve at 4% per annum	224,943	33,670	258,613	170,510
Balances at June 30, 2016	\$ 5,799,731	\$ 964,772	\$ 6,764,503	\$ 4,150,244
Contributions received Transfers to estimated liability for family allowances from contribution accounts for	101,599	193,896	295,495	-
members deceased during the year Family allowances paid	(70,951)	(361,272)	(432,223)	432,223 (540,150)
Interest transferred from general reserve at 3.5% per annum	206,033	27,775	233,808	150,020
Balances at June 30, 2017	\$ 6,036,412	\$ 825,171	\$ 6,861,583	\$ 4,192,337

CITY OF LOS ANGELES WATER AND POWER EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT PLAN SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

RETIREMENT FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES BY SOURCE AND EXPENSES BY TYPES June 30, 2017

Revenues by Source

Fiscal Year	Members' Contributions		Department ontributions*	Investment Income**	Total		
2017	\$	83,239,105	\$ 401,127,290	\$ 208,617,806	\$	692,984,201	
2016	\$	75,068,523	\$ 371,845,053	\$ 184,829,756	\$	631,743,332	
2015	\$	68,552,375	\$ 386,286,580	\$ 175,987,770	\$	630,826,725	
2014	\$	72,299,526	\$ 394,811,381	\$ 191,737,068	\$	658,847,975	
2013	\$	69,633,449	\$ 378,115,576	\$ 191,561,805	\$	639,310,830	
2012	\$	60,088,614	\$ 331,276,047	\$ 193,927,979	\$	585,292,640	
2011	\$	65,954,329	\$ 293,311,870	\$ 201,657,143	\$	560,923,342	
2010	\$	71,240,553	\$ 208,518,237	\$ 180,881,790	\$	460,640,580	
2009	\$	59,394,076	\$ 154,140,202	\$ 192,121,861	\$	405,656,139	
2008	\$	48,683,048	\$ 148,295,728	\$ 206,722,244	\$	403,701,020	

Expenses by Type

Fiscal Year	Benefits	 lministrative xpenses***	R	efunds****	Total		
	 	•			-		
2017	\$ 535,914,984	\$ 40,643,556	\$	7,825,863	\$	584,384,403	
2016	\$ 505,591,726	\$ 33,807,268	\$	8,479,257	\$	547,878,251	
2015	\$ 480,465,024	\$ 35,470,631	\$	9,556,598	\$	525,492,253	
2014	\$ 457,558,214	\$ 32,227,775	\$	11,711,783	\$	501,497,772	
2013	\$ 432,708,113	\$ 27,233,363	\$	11,115,635	\$	471,057,111	
2012	\$ 410,814,067	\$ 24,147,076	\$	10,805,587	\$	445,766,730	
2011	\$ 396,124,862	\$ 25,146,053	\$	4,425,116	\$	425,696,031	
2010	\$ 377,051,650	\$ 20,790,611	\$	6,028,583	\$	403,870,844	
2009	\$ 363,691,635	\$ 17,842,282	\$	8,062,235	\$	389,596,152	
2008	\$ 353,178,785	\$ 22,960,041	\$	12,666,556	\$	388,805,382	

^{*} Represents Department contributions before reversions and includes contributions towards administrative expenses.

^{**} Represents "booked" investment income and excludes "net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investment."

^{***} Represents investment and administrative expenses.

^{****} Represents both refunds on members' contributions and reversions on Department contributions.