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### Ekkklcp'Go rm{gguø Retirement System of the Police Department of Kansas City, Missouri

Actuarial Valuation Report as of April 30, 2020



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August 27, 2020

The Board of Trustees Civilian Go r m{gguø'Tgvktgo gpv'U{uvgo of the Police Department of Kansas City, Missouri 9701 Marion Park Drive, B Kansas City, MO 64137

Dear Members of the Board:

At your request, we have performed the cppwcn'cewctkcn'xcnwckqp"qh'y g'Ekkklcp'Go r m{gguø'Tgktgo gpv' System of the Police Department of Kansas City, Missouri as of April 30, 2020 for the purpose of determining the actuarial required contribution for the fiscal year beginning May 1, 2021 and ending April 30, 2022. The major findings of the valuation are contained in this report, which reflects the benefit provisions in effect as of April 30, 2020. There were no changes in the benefit provisions or actuarial methods since the prior valuation, but there was one change to the actuarial assumptions used in this valuation. The investment return assumption was decreased from 7.45% to 7.40% as scheduled. The net impact of this change was an increase in both the unfunded actuarial accrued liability and the actuarial required contribution.

In preparing this report, we relied, without audit, on information (some oral and some written) supplied by yi g"U{uxgo øu"uxcht) This information includes, but is not limited to, plan provisions, member data and financial information. Although we found this information to be reasonably consistent and comparable with information reported in prior years, the data has not been audited by Cavanaugh Macdonald Consulting. The valuation results depend on the integrity of this information. If any of this information is inaccurate or incomplete, our results may be different and our calculations may need to be revised.

All costs, liabilities, rates of interest, and other factors for the System have been determined on the basis of actuarial assumptions and methods which are individually reasonable (taking into account the experience of the System and reasonable expectations); and which, in combination, offer our best estimate of anticipated experience affecting the System.

Future actuarial measurements may differ significantly from the current measurements presented in this report due to such factors as the following: plan experience differing from that anticipated by the economic or demographic assumptions; changes in economic or demographic assumptions; increases or decreases expected as part of the natural operation of the methodology used for these measurements (such as the end of an amortization periqf 'qt'cf f kkqpcn'equv'qt'eqpvkdwkqp'tgs wtgo gpw'dcugf 'qp'y g'r rcp@u'hwpf gf 'lwcwu+=' and changes in plan provisions or applicable law. Due to the limited scope of our assignment, we did not perform an analysis of the potential range of future measurements. While we find the actuarial assumptions to be reasonable, the Board of Trustees has the final decision regarding the appropriateness of the assumptions and adopted them as indicated in Appendix C.

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As this report was being prepared, the world was in the midst of a pandemic that has led to disruption in the financial markets, the global economy, public activity and governmental activities. While the full extent of this event is still unknown, it is our professional judgment that the actuarial assumptions and methods used in this report are still the best available long-term assumptions and methods.

Actuarial computations presented in this report are for purposes of determining the recommended funding amounts for the System. The calculations in the enclosed report have been made on a basis consistent with qwt 'wpf gtuxpf kpi 'qh'y g'U{uyo øu'hwpf kpi 'tgs wktgo gpw'cpf 'i qcn0' Determinations for purposes other than meeting these requirements may be significantly different from the results contained in this report. Accordingly, additional determinations may be needed for other purposes. For example, actuarial computations for purposes of fulfilling financial accounting requirements for the System under Governmental Accounting Standards No. 67 and No. 68 are provided in separate reports.

On the basis of the foregoing, we hereby certify that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, this report is complete and accurate and has been prepared in accordance with generally recognized and accepted actuarial principles and practices. We are members of the American Academy of Actuaries and meet the Qualification Standards to render the actuarial opinion contained herein.

We would like to  $exrtguu''qwt''crrtgekcvkqp''vq''vjg''U\{uvgo \emptyset u''uvchh''yjq''icxg''uwduvcpvkcn''cuukuvcpeg''kp'' supplying the data on which this report is based.$ 

We herewith submit the following report and look forward to discussing it with you.

Respectfully submitted,

Patrice A. Beckham, FSA, EA, FCA, MAAA Principal and Consulting Actuary Bryan K. Hoge, FSA, EA, FCA, MAAA Consulting Actuary



#### **OVERVIEW**

This report presents the results of the cewctlcrlxcrwclqp"qh"yj g"Ekxlrlcp"Go r rq { gguø'Tgyltgo gpv'U{uvgo "qh" the Police Department of Kansas City, Missouri as of April 30, 2020. The primary purposes of performing a valuation are to:

- Determine the city contribution required to fund the System on an actuarial basis,
- Disclose asset and liability measures as of the valuation date,
- Assess and disclose the key risks associated with funding the System,
- Determine the experience of the System since the last valuation date, and
- Analyze and report on trends in System contributions, assets, and liabilities over the past several years.

The benefit provisions and actuarial methods are unchanged from the last actuarial valuation. However, there was one change to the actuarial assumptions used in this valuation. As a result of the last experience uwf {."ȳ g"Dqctf @u"kpwgpkqp"ku"vq"f getgcug"ȳ g"kpxguvo gpv"tgwtp"cuwo r kqp"d{"2027' "r gt"{gct"wpkd" reaching 7.25% in the April 30, 2023 valuation. As a result, the investment return assumption decreased from 7.45% in the 2019 valuation to 7.40% in the 2020 valuation. This change increased the actuarial accrued liability by \$1.2 million and the city contribution amount for the fiscal year ending April 30, 2022 by \$0.1 million.

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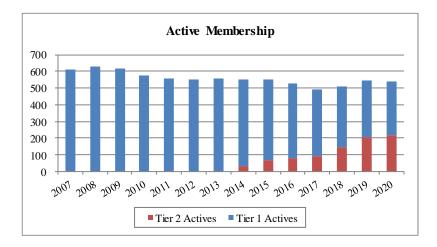
#### **MEMBERSHIP**

As the graph on the following page shows, over this period, the number of active members in the valuation has generally decreased. When the number of active members declines, the actuarial contribution rate is negatively impacted. While the normal cost rate is unaffected, the contribution rate for the amortization of the unfunded actuarial accrued liability assumes that covered payroll will increase 3.00% each year. A decline in the number of active members usually results in lower covered payroll than the assumed increase. As a result, the UAAL amortization payment is divided by a smaller payroll amount and the UAAL contribution rate increases. However, the dollar amount of the UAAL payment is unchanged. The number of active members decreased from 543 in the 2019 valuation to 537 in the 2020 valuation, a decrease of 1.1%. Covered payroll increased 1.4% compared to the prior year, which had a negative impact on the UAAL contribution rate, as the actual payroll increase was below the assumed growth rate of 3.0%.

The 2013 session of the Missouri General Assembly passed legislation that modified the benefit provisions for members hired on or after August 28, 2013 (called Tier II). As a result, the normal cost rate for this group of members is lower than the normal cost rate for members hired before that date. As of April 30, 2020, there were 216 members in Tier II out of a total of 537 active members (about 40% of total actives). The Tier II portion of total estimated payroll is lower at about 32% of total payroll. Over time, as Tier I



members retire or leave covered employment and are replaced by members covered by the Tier II benefit structure, the normal cost rate for the System is expected to decline. How quickly the decrease unfolds depends on the turnover in the active group and the number of active members. To the extent the size of the group declines, it will take longer for the cost savings to materialize. With a stable size group, it will likely take another ten to fifteen years before a noticeable difference is observed in the valuation results.



#### **ASSETS**

As of April 30, 2020, the System had total assets, when measured on a market value basis, of \$145.4 million. This was a decrease of \$0.8 million from the April 30, 2019 figure of \$146.2 million. The market value of assets is not used directly in the calculation of the actuarial contribution and funded status. An asset valuation method which smoothes the effect of market fluctuations is used to determine the value of assets used in the valuation, called y g'ocewctkcn'xcnvg'qh'cuugvu.ö'The current smoothing method recognizes the dollar amount of the difference between the actual and expected return on the market value of assets evenly over a five-year period.

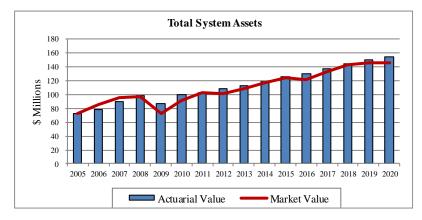
A summary of the asset experience follows:

	Market Value (\$M)	Actuarial Value (\$M)
Assets, April 30, 2019	\$146.2	\$150.1
City and Member Contributions	6.3	6.3
Benefit Payments and Refunds	(8.4)	(8.4)
Administrative Expenses	(0.1)	(0.1)
( Investment Income (net of expenses)	1.4	6.7
Assets, April 30, 2020	\$145.4	\$154.6
Estimated Net Rate of Return	1.1%	4.6%

The annualized dollar-weighted rate of return, measured on the market value of assets, was 1.1%. However, due to the use of an asset smoothing method, the rate of return on the actuarial value of assets was 4.6%. Since this return was less than 7.45% (the assumed rate of return for the twelve month period beginning

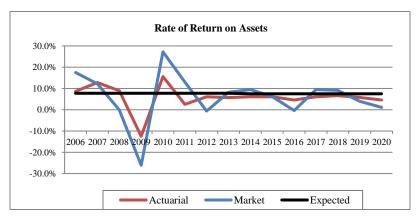


May 1, 2019), there was an actuarial loss of about \$4.3 million, which increased the unfunded actuarial accrued liability. Historical asset information is shown in the following two graphs:



The actuarial value of assets has been both above and below the market value during this period. This is to be expected when using an asset smoothing method.

Note: Results for years before 2011 were prepared by the prior actuary



Rates of return on the market value of assets have been very volatile. The return on the actuarial value of assets has lagged the assumption in the last decade.

Note: Results for years before 2011 were prepared by the prior actuary

#### LIABILITIES

The actuarial accrued liability is that portion of the present value of future benefits that will not be paid by future employer normal costs or member contributions. The difference between this liability and the asset value at the same date is referred to as the unfunded actuarial accrued liability (UAAL) if the actuarial accrued liability exceeds the asset value. The unfunded actuarial accrued liability will be reduced if the cityøu'eqpvkdwkqpu'gzeggf 'kj g'go r m{gt'pqto cnequvhqt'kj g'{gct.'chter allowing for interest on the previous balance of the unfunded actuarial accrued liability. Benefit improvements, experience gains and losses, and changes in actuarial assumptions and methods will also impact the total actuarial accrued liability and the unfunded portion thereof.

The Actuarial Accrued Liability and Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability for the System as of April 30, 2020 are:

Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$197,399,029
Actuarial Value of Assets	(154,613,128)
Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$ 42,785,901

### SECTION 1 ó BOARD SUMMARY

Between April 30, 2019 and April 30, 2020, the change in the unfunded actuarial accrued liability for the System was as follows (in millions):

	\$ millions
UAAL, April 30, 2019	38.4
effect of contributions less than actuarial rate	0.0
expected change due to amortization method	0.4
loss from investment return on actuarial assets	4.3
demographic experience <sup>1</sup>	(1.7)
assumption changes	1.2
all other experience	<u>0.2</u>
UAAL, April 30, 2020	42.8

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Liability gain is about 0.87% of total actuarial liability

The net experience for the plan year was a loss of \$2.6 million, the net result of an actuarial loss of \$4.3 million on System assets (actuarial value) and an actuarial gain of \$1.7 million on System liabilities. The liability gain was primarily the result of cost of living increases that were lower than expected, based on the assumption, and lower than assumed salary increases.

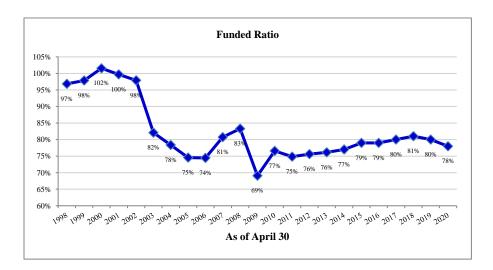
Analysis of the unfunded actuarial accrued liability strictly as a dollar amount can be misleading. Another way to evaluate the unfunded actuarial accrued liability and the progress made in its funding is to track the funded status, the ratio of the actuarial value of assets to the actuarial accrued liability. This information for recent years is shown in the following table (in millions). Historical information is shown in the graph on the following page.

	4/30/2016	4/30/2017	4/30/2018	4/30/2019	4/30/2020
Actuarial Value of Assets (\$M)	\$130.6	\$137.2	\$144.2	\$150.1	\$154.6
Actuarial Accrued Liability (\$M)	\$165.1	\$171.2	\$177.1	\$188.5	\$197.4
Funded Ratio (Assets/Liability)	79%	80%	81%	80%	78%

The funded ratio does not indicate whether or not the System could settle current liabilities, nor does it, by itself, indicate what the future funding requirements will be. In addition, if the market value of assets was used, the funded ratios would be different.

The following graph uj qy u''y g''U{ uvgo ou''j kuvqtkecn'hwpf gf 'tckq. The funded ratio was near 100% in the early years of this period, but has declined due to benefit changes, assumption changes, actual experience that was less favorable than expected based on the actuarial assumptions, and contributions below the actuarial rate for many years. Over the more recent past, the funded ratio has stabilized around 80%.





The decline in the funded ratio since 2000 is a reflection of actual contributions significantly below the actuarial required contributions, coupled with investment returns that were lower than the actuarial assumed to "Vj g"U{uvgo &i'hvpf gf "uvcwu'y km'eqpvkpwg"\q"dg"j gcxkn{"f gr gpf gpv'qp"actual investment returns in the future as well as the City&u"eqpvkdwkqp"rqrke{0 Plan changes passed by the 2013 Missouri General Assembly, which included changes to both the benefit structure and contributions, are expected to improve y g"U{uvgo &i'hvpf gf "uvcwu'qxgt" y g"long term, if all actuarial assumptions are met. While these changes have improved the outlook for the long-term financial health of the System, the actual investment returns will continue to be a critical factor in the health of the System over time. Given the volatility inherent in the investments of the portfolio, there is a wide range of potential expected returns in any given year so the funded ratio and the actuarial contribution should be expected to change, perhaps significantly from year to year.

### **CONTRIBUTION RATES**

Generally, contributions to the System consist of:

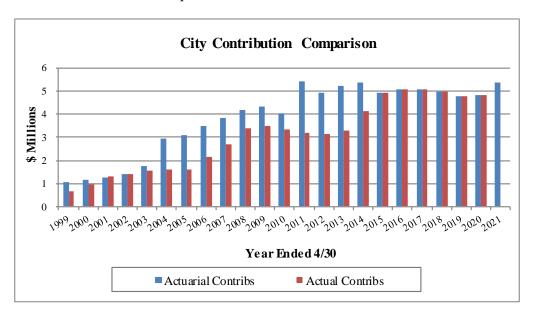
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- Ap"owphwpf gf "cewctlcn'ceetwgf "rkcdkrkv{ "eqpvtkdwkqpö"hqt" yj g"excess of the portion of projected liabilities allocated to service to date over the actuarial value of assets.

Contribution rates are computed with the objective of developing costs that are level as a percentage of covered payroll over time. The actuarial contribution rate for fiscal year beginning May 1, 2021 and ending April 30, 2022 is computed based on the results of the April 30, 2020 actuarial valuation. The Cityøu" actuarial contribution rate equals the employer normal cost, including administrative expenses, and an amortization payment on the unfunded actuarial accrued liability. The Ekv[øu'actuarial contribution rate for May 1, 2021 through April 30, 2022 is 19.27% of payroll (employer normal cost rate of 9.91% and an UAAL payment of 9.36%) or \$5,800,468.

The following graph shows the actuarial contributions for the City compared to the amount actually contributed by the City in each year. With the legislative changes in 2013, the City has been contributing the full amount of the actuarially determined contribution. Effective with the April 30, 2017 valuation, the UAAL at April 30, 2017 is amortized over a closed 30-year period (27 years remaining as of April 30,



2020). Any new unfunded actuarial accrued liability generated as a result of actuarial experience in subsequent years will be layered and amortized over a closed 20-year period. Under this funding policy, y g"U{uvgo øu"hwpf gf "tcukq"ku"gzr gevgf "vq"uvqy n{ "ko r tqxg"htqo "ku"ewttgpv"rgxgn and ultimately reach full funding at the end of the amortization period.

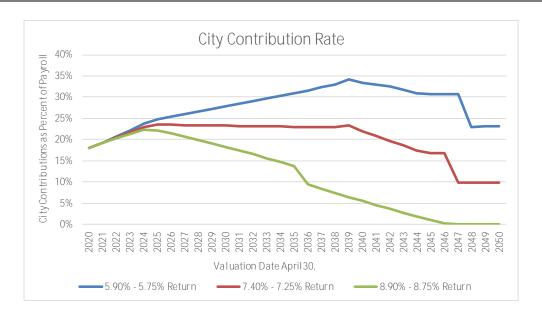


#### FINANCIAL PROJECTIONS

The April 30, 2020 xcmcvqp"tguwnu"lpf lecvg"y g"U{usgo øu"hlpcpelcn"ucwu"cva single point in time, but do not provide any insight into future trends in contributions or funded status. In addition, the investment return assumption is expected to decrease 0.05% per year until reaching 7.25% with the April 30, 2023 valuation. In order to assist the Board in understanding the dynamics of pension funding and the potential impact of deferred investment experience and the anticipated decrease in the investment return assumption, a projection model was prepared in conjunction with the 2020 valuation.

Projections that model a change in one key variable can provide insight and understanding into the longer term trend of that experience on projected City contributions, the funded status (ratio of actuarial assets over liabilities), and the unfunded actuarial accrued liability (actuarial accrued liability minus actuarial assets). Certain projections, using investment return scenarios selected for purposes of sensitivity analysis, are included in Section 6 of this report. To illustrate the importance of actual investment returns on city contributions as a percentage of payroll, the following graph is included here. Please note that the baseline rtalgevlapu'tghnev'yi g'õuver 'f qy pö'kp'yi g'kpxguvo gpv'tgwtp'cuuwo rvlap''va'9047' "qxgt''yi g''pgzv'yi tgg''{ gctu" and reflect actual returns equal to the assumed return in each year (7.40% for the twelve month period beginning May 1, 2020, 7.35% for the twelve month period beginning May 1, 2021, 7.30% for the twelve month period beginning May 1, 2022 and 7.25% thereafter). The alternate scenarios (actual returns that are 1.5% higher and 1.5% lower than assumed) also reflect the step down in the assumed rates so the actual rates modeled are 5.90% grading down to 5.75% over three years and 8.90% grading down to 8.75% over three years. Note that a 1.50% variance in actual versus expected returns over a 30 year period is a material f kthgtgpeg"cpf "vj g"uki pkthecpv"ko r cev'qp"vj g"Ekv[øu"eqpvtkdwkqp"tcvg"ku"pqv'wpgzr gevgf 0 These alternate projections do not reflect any change to the plan provisions or assumptions that might occur if either of these scenarios were to actually occur.





#### **COMMENTS**

As of April 30, 2020, the actuarial accrued liability was \$197.4 million and the actuarial value of assets was \$154.6 million, resulting in an unfunded actuarial accrued liability (UAAL) of \$42.8 million. The funded ratio decreased slightly from 80% in the 2019 valuation to 78% in the 2020 valuation and the UAAL increased by \$4.4 million as a result of actual experience during the period May 1, 2019 to April 30, 2020, as well as the assumption change.

Retirement plans use several mechanisms to create stability in the contribution rates. These mechanisms include an asset smoothing method, which averages the peaks and valleys of investment returns, and the amortization of actuarial gains and losses, including investment experience, over a number of years. The System utilizes an asset smoothing method that recognizes the difference between the actual and expected return on the market value of assets evenly over a five-year period. The return on the market value of assets was 1.1%, but due to the asset smoothing method only part of the investment experience for the year ended April 30, 2020 is recognized in the current valuation along with a portion of the investment experience in the prior four years. As a result, the return on the actuarial value of assets was 4.6%, which resulted in an increase in the UAAL since it was less than the assumed rate of return for the twelve month period beginning May 1, 2019 and ending April 30, 2020 of 7.45%. There was an actuarial gain from actual demographic experience that was more favorable than expected, based on the actuarial assumptions, largely due to actual cost of living increases that were lower than assumed and lower than assumed salary increases.

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The long-term financial health of this retirement system is heavily dependent on two key items: (1) investment returns and (2) contributions to the System. Over the last ten years, the actual investment returns on the market value of assets have been lower than the assumed rate of return and actual contributions to the System were below the actuarial contributions for part of that period. Beginning September 1, 2013, the City began to contribute the full dollar amount of the Actuarial Required Contribution as shown on Table 12. Based on the funding policy adopted by the Board in November 2016, the UAAL at April 30, 2017 is amortized over a closed 30-year period (27 years remaining as of April 30, 2020). Any new unfunded actuarial accrued liability generated as a result of actuarial experience or assumption changes in subsequent years are layered and amortized over a new, closed 20-year period. As a result, City contributions to the System will be sufficient to fully fund the UAAL over time and the U{urgo out hwpf kpi "status over the long-term is expected to improve.

The Board is currently evaluating the current Cost of Living Adjustment (COLA) Policy to determine if cp{'ej cpi gu'ctg'pggf gf 0'Dcugf 'qp'\'y g'Dqctf \( \phi\) u'ewttgp\'r qr\\ e{.'cp'cf' j qe'Equ\'qh'Living Adjustment (COLA) o c{'dg'\'i tcp\'y g'f gh\pk\\qp'\qh'\\"ocewct\cn\'uq\ppf pguu.\"o'\y j \\ kj \"tgs \w\tgu'\cv\'rgcu\'qpg'\qh'\'y g'\'y tgg'\qmqy \\ \lpi \" conditions, is met:

- (1) Vj g'r rcpøu'hwpf gf 'tcvkq'\*cewctkcn'xcnwg''qh'cuugwulcewctkcn'ceetwgf 'tkcdkrkv{ +.'tqwpf gf ''vq''y g''nearest whole percentage, is 75% or greater.
- (2) For each of the three most recently completed plan years, the plan has received a combination of city and employee contributions that in total are, rounded to the nearest whole percentage, 90% or greater of the r report total Actuarial Required Contributions.
- (3) For at least three out of the last five completed plan years, the plan has received city contributions y cv'gs wen'gt "gzeggf" y g'r repøu'Cctuarial Required Contribution Amount.

Based upon the results of the April 30, 2020 valuation (which indicates the funded ratio is 75% or greater), cpf 'ÿ g'Dqctf øu'ewtgpv'r qrle{."cp"ad hoc COLA may be granted. However, there are other considerations the Board may want to evaluate before granting the COLA. These include:

- The scheduled decline in the investment return assumption will decrease the funded ratio over the next three years.
- Expected asset returns in the short-term (next 5 to 10 years) are expected to be significantly lower than the assumed rate of return which would cause the funded ratio to decline.
- The market value of assets is lower than the actuarial value of assets used to calculate the funded ratio. On a market value basis, the funded ratio is 74%.
- The ultimate impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the global economy is still unknown at this time.

We have not reviewed any legal aspects related to granting the ad hoc COLA. We are not attorneys and cannot give legal advice on such issues. Therefore, we suggest that you review this policy with your legal counsel.

We conclude this Board Summary with the following exhibit which compares the principal results of the current and prior actuarial valuation.



### **SUMMARY OF PRINCIPAL RESULTS**

1. MEMBER DATA	4/30/2020 Valuation	4/30/2019 Valuation	% Change
Number of:			
Active members - Tier 1 - Tier 2 - Total  Retired Members and Beneficiaries Inactive Vested Members	321 216 537 290 46	339 204 543 282 46	(5.3%) 5.9% (1.1%) 2.8% 0.0%
Total Members	873	871	0.2%
Annual Projected Salaries of Active Members  Annual Retirement Payments for Retired Members and Beneficiaries*  *Does not include supplemental benefits	\$ 29,224,300 \$ 7,972,653	\$ 28,822,590 \$ 7,577,213	1.4% 5.2%
2. ASSETS AND LIABILITIES			
Total Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$197,399,029	\$188,505,176	4.7%
Market Value of Assets	145,364,743	146,187,834	(0.6%)
Actuarial Value of Assets	154,613,128	150,112,994	3.0%
Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$ 42,785,901	\$ 38,392,182	11.4%
Funded Ratio (Actuarial Value)	78%	80%	(2.5%)
Funded Ratio (Market Value)	74%	78%	(5.1%)
3. CITY CONTRIBUTION RATES AS A PERCENT OF PAYROLL			
Total Normal Cost Member Contribution Rate Employer Normal Cost	14.91% (5.00%) 9.91%	14.79% (5.00%) 9.79%	0.8% 0.0% 1.2%
Amortization of Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability City Contribution Rate	9.36%	8.26% 18.05%	13.3% 6.8%
4. CITY CONTRIBUTION FOR FOLLOWING FISCAL YEAR	\$ 5,800,468	\$ 5,358,552	8.2%



### SECTION 2 6 SCOPE OF THE REPORT

This report."rtgrctgf "cv'y g"tgs wguv'qh''y g"U{uvgo øu'Dqctf "qh'\twuvggu. presents the results of the actuarial xcnvc\qp"qh'\y g'Ek\k\cp'Go rm{ggu\sigma}Tg\k\tgo gp\'U{uvgo 'qh'\y g'Rqr\leg Department of Kansas City, Missouri as of April 30, 2020. There were no changes to the benefit provisions or the actuarial methods from those used in the prior valuation. However, there was one change to the actuarial assumptions used in this valuation. The investment return assumption was decreased from 7.45% to 7.40% as scheduled.

Please pay particular attention to our cover letter, where the guidelines employed in the preparation of this report are outlined. We also comment on the sources and reliability of both the data and the actuarial assumptions upon which our findings are based. Those comments are the basis for our certification that this report is complete and accurate to the best of our knowledge and belief.

A summary of the findings, which result from this valuation, is presented in the previous section. Section 3 describes the assets and investment experience of the System. Sections 4 and 5 describe how the obligations of the System are to be met under the actuarial cost method in use. Section 6 includes 30-year financial projections of the system under various investment return scenarios. Section 7 discloses key maturity measurements and the key risks associated with funding the System. Section 8 includes other historical information.

This report includes several appendices:

- É Appendix A Schedules of valuation data classified by various categories of members.
- É Appendix B A summary of the current benefit structure, as determined by the provisions of governing law on April 30, 2020.
- É Appendix C A summary of the actuarial methods and assumptions used to estimate liabilities and determine contribution rates.
- É Appendix D A glossary of actuarial terms.



In many respects, an actuarial valuation can be thought of as an inventory process. The inventory is taken as of the actuarial valuation date, which for this valuation is April 30, 2020. On that date, the assets available for the payment of benefits are appraised. The assets are compared with the liabilities of the System (the present value of future expected benefit payments), which are generally in excess of assets. The actuarial process then leads to a method of determining the contributions needed by members and the city in the future to balance the System assets and liabilities.

#### **Market Value of Assets**

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#### **Actuarial Value of Assets**

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To arrive at a suitable value for the actuarial valuation, a technique for determining the actuarial value of assets is used which dampens swings in the market value while still indirectly recognizing market values. The Board adopted a new asset smoothing method effective with the April 30, 2011 valuation. Under this asset smoothing methodology, the difference between the actual and assumed investment returns on the market value of assets is recognized evenly over a five-year period. The method was implemented by resetting the actuarial value of assets at April 30, 2011 to the market value of assets.



TABLE 1

### EKKNICP 'GO RNQ[ GGUØRETIREMENT SYSTEM OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

### STATEMENT OF NET PLAN ASSETS AT MARKET VALUE

Μ	ar	ket	V	al	ue

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	April 30, 2020	April 30, 2019
Cash & Equivalents	1,208,991	2,370,451
Receivables	389,240	364,200
Stocks:		
Common & Preferred Corporate	27,124,886	21,089,917
World Equities	19,720,869	21,453,390
Foreign	8,018,666	16,051,279
Bonds:		
U.S. Government	10,417,022	13,366,552
Corporate	21,062,372	15,441,299
Asset Backed Securities	698,269	721,799
Real Estate	18,261,433	18,244,472
Partnerships and Hedge Funds	38,993,977	37,255,696
Total Assets	\$145,895,725	\$146,359,055
Accounts Payable	(530,982)	(171,221)
Net Assets Available for Benefits	\$145,364,743	\$146,187,834



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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS DURING YEAR ENDED APRIL 30, 2020

(Market Value)

1. Market Value of Assets as of April 30, 2019	\$ 146,187,834
2. Contributions:	
a. Members	\$ 1,416,742
b. City	4,849,708
c. Miscellaneous	0
d. Total	\$ 6,266,450
3. Investment Income	
a. Interest and Dividends	\$ 3,505,770
b. Net Securities Lending Income	27,258
c. Investment Expenses	(879,566)
d. Net Appreciation in Fair Value	(1,210,923)
e. Net Investment Income	\$ 1,442,539
4. Deductions	
a. Refunds of Member Contributions	\$ 173,880
b. Benefits Paid:	
(1) Retirement Benefits	8,200,456
(2) Death Benefits	9,000
(3) Partial Lump Sums	0
c. Administrative Expenses	148,744
d. Total	\$ 8,532,080
5. Net Change	\$ (823,091)
[2d] + [3e] - [4d]	
6. Market Value of Assets as of April 30, 2020 [1] + [5]	\$ 145,364,743



TABLE 3

### EKXKNICP'GO RNQ[ GGUØTGVKTGO GPV'U UVGO OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

### DEVELOPMENT OF ACTUARIAL VALUE OF ASSETS

Under the current asset smoothing method, the difference between the actual and assumed investment return on the market value of assets is recognized evenly over a five-year period. The method was implemented by resetting the actuarial value of assets at April 30, 2011 equal to the market value of assets.

	Plan Year End						
	-	4/30/2017		4/30/2018	4/30/2019	4/30/2020	
1. Market Value of Assets, Beginning of Year	\$	122,134,689	\$	132,565,840	\$ 142,605,109	\$ 146,187,834	
2. Contributions During Year		6,316,287		6,265,874	6,194,531	6,266,450	
3. Benefits and Expenses During Year		7,305,494		7,913,332	8,333,044	8,532,080	
4. Expected Net Investment Income		9,123,677		9,881,775	10,616,639	10,808,115	
5. Expected Value of Assets, End of Year		130,269,159		140,800,157	151,083,235	154,730,319	
6. Market Value of Assets, End of Year		132,565,840		142,605,109	146,187,834	145,364,743	
7. Excess/(Shortfall) of Net Investment Income	\$	2,296,681	\$	1,804,952	\$ (4,895,401)	\$ (9,365,576)	



### **TABLE 3** (continued)

### EKKNICP 'GO RNQ[ GGUØT GVKT GO GP V'U UVGO OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

1. Excess/(Shortfall) of Investment Income	
a. Year ending 4/30/2020	\$ (9,365,576)
b. Year ending 4/30/2019	(4,895,401)
c. Year ending 4/30/2018	1,804,952
d. Year ending 4/30/2017	2,296,681
e. Total	\$ (10,159,344)
2. Deferral of Excess/(Shortfall) of Investment Income	
a. Year ending 4/30/2020 (80%)	\$ (7,492,461)
b. Year ending 4/30/2019 (60%)	(2,937,241)
c. Year ending 4/30/2018 (40%)	721,981
d. Year ending 4/30/2017 (20%)	459,336
e. Total	\$ (9,248,385)
3. Market Value End of Year	\$ 145,364,743
4. Actuarial Value End of year (3) - (2e)	\$ 154,613,128
5. Ratio of Actuarial Value to Market Value	106.4%
6. Difference Between Actuarial & Market Value	\$ 9,248,385
7. Rate of Return on Actuarial Value of Assets	4.6%
8. Rate of Return on Market Value of Assets	1.1%



### **SECTION 4 6 SYSTEM LIABILITIES**

In the previous section, an actuarial valuation was compared with an inventory process, and an analysis was given of the inventory of assets of the System as of the valuation date, April 30, 2020. In this section, the discussion will focus on the commitments (future benefit payments) of the System, which are referred to as its liabilities.

Table 4 contains an analysis of the actuarial present value of all future benefits (PVFB) for contributing members, inactive members, retirees and their beneficiaries. The liabilities summarized in Table 4 include the actuarial present value of all future benefits expected to be paid with respect to each member. For an active member, this value includes the measurement of both benefits already earned and future benefits to be earned. For all members, active and retired, the value extends over benefits earnable and payable for the rest of their lives and for the lives of the surviving beneficiaries.

All liabilities reflect the benefit provisions in place as of April 30, 2020, with one exception. When certain criteria for the funded ratio and actual contributions are met, the Board has discretion to grant a COLA (it is not part of the statutory benefit structure). Even though the COLA is not guaranteed to be paid, the liabilities reflect a 2.5% annual õuko r rg"cost-of-living adjustmentö for all future years as it better reflects the expected long term liabilities.

### **Actuarial Accrued Liability**

A fundamental principle in financing the liabilities of a retirement program is that the cost of its benefits should be related to the period in which benefits are earned, rather than to the period of benefit distribution. An actuarial cost method is a mathematical technique that allocates the present value of future benefits into annual costs. In order to perform y ku'emqeckqp. 'kv'ku'pgeguuct { 'hqt 'y g'hwpf kpi 'o gy qf 'vq'odteak f qy po''y g'' present value of future benefits into two components:

- (1) That which is attributable to the past and
- (2) That which is attributable to the future.

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### PRESENT VALUE OF FUTURE BENEFITS (PVFB) AS OF APRIL 30, 2020

1. Active employees	
a. Retirement Benefit	\$ 123,447,207
b. Pre-Retirement Death Benefit	1,008,681
c. Withdrawal Benefit	2,601,169
d. Disability Benefit	4,500,736
e. Supplemental Benefit	3,836,543
f. Total	\$ 135,394,336
2. Inactive Vested Members	
a. Retirement Benefit	\$ 3,673,310
b. Supplemental Benefit	426,887
c. Total	\$ 4,100,197
3. In Pay Members	
a. Retirees	\$ 84,440,749
b. Disabled Members	1,219,033
c. Beneficiaries	3,217,439
d. Supplemental Benefit	4,472,140
e. Partial Lump Sum Payable	0
f. Total	\$ 93,349,361
4. Total Present Value of Future Benefits	
[1f] + [2c] + [3f]	\$ 232,843,894



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### ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY AS OF APRIL 30, 2020

1. Active employees	
a. Present Value of Future Benefits	\$ 135,394,336
b. Present Value of Future Normal Costs	35,444,865
c. Actuarial Accrued Liability [1a] - [1b]	\$ 99,949,471
2. Inactive Vested Members	\$ 4,100,197
3. In Pay Members	
a. Retirees	\$ 84,440,749
b. Disabled Members	1,219,033
c. Beneficiaries	3,217,439
d. Supplemental Benefit	4,472,140
e. Partial Lump Sum Payable	0
f. Total	\$ 93,349,361
4. Total Actuarial Accrued Liability $[1c] + [2] + [3f]$	\$ 197,399,029

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### **TABLE 6**

### EKKNICP 'GO RNQ[ GGUØRETIREMENT SYSTEM OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

### **DERIVATION OF SYSTEM EXPERIENCE GAIN/(LOSS)**

<u>Liabilities</u>	
1. Actuarial liability as of May 1, 2019	\$ 188,505,176
2. Normal cost for year	3,755,094
3. Assumed interest on (1) & (2)	14,323,390
4. Benefit payments during FYE 2020	(8,383,336)
5. Interest on benefit payments	(306,670)
6. Assumption Changes	1,220,896
7. Expected actuarial liability as of April 30, 2020	\$ 199,114,550
8. Actuarial liability as of April 30, 2020	\$ 197,399,029
<u>Assets</u>	
9. Actuarial value of assets as of May 1, 2019	\$ 150,112,994
10. Actual contributions	6,266,450
11. Benefit payments and expenses during FYE 2020	(8,532,080)
12. Interest on items (9), (10) and (11)	11,100,539
13. Expected actuarial value of assets as of April 30, 2020	\$ 158,947,903
14. Actual actuarial value of assets as of April 30, 2020	\$ 154,613,128
Gain / (Loss)	
15. Expected unfunded actuarial liability / (surplus)	
(7) ó (13)	\$ 40,166,647
16. Actual unfunded actuarial liability / (surplus)	
(8) ó (14)	\$ 42,785,901
17. Actuarial Gain / (Loss)	
(15) ó (16)	\$ (2,619,254)
18. Actuarial Gain / (Loss) on actuarial assets	
(14) ó (13)	\$ (4,334,775)
19. Actuarial Gain / (Loss) on actuarial liability	
(7) ó (8)	\$ 1,715,521



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### ACTUARIAL GAIN/(LOSS) ANALYSIS BY SOURCE

Source of Gain/(Loss)	Gain/(Loss) (\$M)
Retiree Mortality	(0.4)
Withdrawal	(0.3)
Retirement	0.3
Disability	0.0
Death	(0.1)
Salary	0.8
New actives	(0.1)
Actual vs Expected COLA	1.5
Other	0.0
Total Liability Gain/(Loss)	1.7
Asset Gain/(Loss)	(4.3)
Total Gain/(Loss)	(2.6)

Note: Numbers may not add due to rounding



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### PROJECTED BENEFIT PAYMENTS

The chart below shows estimated benefits expected to be paid over the next twenty years, based on the cutwo r klqpu'kugf 'kp''y ku'xcnwcklqp0'Vj g''ōCekkguö''eqnwo p''uj qy u''dgpghku''gzr gevgf ''q''dg''r ckf ''q''o go dgtu'' currently active on April 30, 20200'Vj g''ōTgktgguö''column shows benefits expected to be paid to all other members. This includes those who, as of April 30, 2020, are receiving benefit payments and inactive vested members who are entitled to a future benefit. No future members are reflected.

### Retirement, Survivor, Withdrawal and Supplemental Benefits

Year Ending			
April 30	Actives	Retirees	Total
2021	\$ 561,000	\$ 8,409,000	\$ 8,970,000
2022	1,366,000	8,471,000	9,837,000
2023	2,156,000	8,479,000	10,635,000
2024	2,890,000	8,470,000	11,360,000
2025	3,611,000	8,447,000	12,058,000
2026	4,372,000	8,484,000	12,856,000
2027	5,111,000	8,439,000	13,550,000
2028	5,865,000	8,387,000	14,252,000
2029	6,658,000	8,302,000	14,960,000
2030	7,483,000	8,213,000	15,696,000
2031	8,306,000	8,171,000	16,477,000
2032	9,160,000	8,089,000	17,249,000
2033	10,021,000	7,950,000	17,971,000
2034	10,850,000	7,823,000	18,673,000
2035	11,738,000	7,634,000	19,372,000
2036	12,666,000	7,413,000	20,079,000
2037	13,559,000	7,183,000	20,742,000
2038	14,475,000	6,946,000	21,421,000
2039	15,382,000	6,665,000	22,047,000
2040	16,264,000	6,407,000	22,671,000

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### **SECTION 5 ó CITY CONTRIBUTIONS**

The previous two sections were devoted to a discussion of the assets and liabilities of the System. A comparison of Tables 3 and 4 indicates that current assets fall short of meeting the present value of future benefits (total liability). This is expected in all but a completely closed fund, where no further contributions are anticipated. In an active system, there will almost always be a difference between the actuarial value of assets and total liabilities. This deficiency has to be made up by future contributions and investment returns. An actuarial valuation sets out a schedule of future contributions that will deal with this deficiency in an orderly fashion.

The method used to determine the incidence of the contributions in various years is called the actuarial cost method. Under an actuarial cost method, the contributions required to meet the difference between current assets and current liabilities are allocated each year between two elements: (1) the normal cost rate and (2) the unfunded actuarial accrued liability contribution rate.

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### **Description of Contribution Rate Components**

The Entry Age Normal (EAN) actuarial cost method is used for the valuation. Under that method, the pqto cn'equv'hqt "gcej" [gct hqo "gpvt [ci g'vq'cuuwo gf "gzkv'ci g'ku'c eqpuvcpv'r gtegpvci g'qh'vj g'o go dgtøu" [gct" by year projected compensation. The portion of the present value of future benefits not provided by the present value of future normal costs is the actuarial accrued liability. The unfunded actuarial accrued liability represents the difference between the actuarial accrued liability and the actuarial value of assets as of the valuation date. The unfunded actuarial accrued liability is calculated each year and reflects experience gains/losses.

In general, contributions are computed in accordance with a level percent-of-payroll funding objective although the City contributes the dollar amount from the valuation. The contribution rate based on the April 30, 2020 actuarial valuation will be used to determine the dollar amount of the actuarial required city contribution (contribution rate times expected payroll) vq"vj g"Ekxkkcp"Go r m{gguøTgvkgo gpv"U{ugo "qh" the Police Department of Kansas City, Missouri for the fiscal year ending April 30, 2022. In this context, vj g"vgto "õeqpvkkdwkqp"tcvgö"o gcpu"vj g"r gtegpvci g"y j kej "ku"cr r nkgf "vq"c"r ct kewrct "cevkxg"o go dgt "r c{tqm"vq" determine the actual city contribution amount (i.e., in dollars) for the group.

As of April 30, 2020, the actuarial accrued liability was greater than the valuation assets so an unfunded actuarial accrued liability (UAAL) exists. The UAAL as of April 30, 2017 is amortized as a level percent of payroll, over a closed 30-year period (27 years remaining as of April 30, 2020). Any new unfunded actuarial accrued liability generated as a result of actuarial experience in subsequent years will be layered and amortized over a closed 20-year period. Active member payroll is assumed to increase 3.00% per year. Note that the use of closed amortization periods will result in the System being fully funded at the end of the amortization period, if all actuarial assumptions are met.



### **Contribution Rate Summary**

In Table 9, the UAAL is projected to May 1, 2021. Table 10 shows the amortization of the UAAL bases as well as develops the UAAL Amortization Payment Rate. Table 11 develops the actuarial contribution rate for the System. A historical summary of the actual and actuarial contribution rates for the City is shown in Table 12.

The contribution rates shown in this report are based on the actuarial assumptions and cost methods described in Appendix C.



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### PROJECTED UAAL AT MAY 1, 2021

1. Actuarial Accrued Liability as of April 30, 2020	\$ 197,399,029
2. Actuarial Value of Assets	\$ 154,613,128
3. Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability as of April 30, 2020	\$ 42,785,901
4. Total Contribution Rate for FYE 2021*	23.05%
5. Normal Cost Rate	14.91%
6. Contribution Rate Applied to Fund the UAAL for FYE 2021 (4) - (5)	8.14%
7. Expected Payroll for FYE 2021	\$ 29,224,300
8. Projected UAAL on May 1, 2021 [(3) * 1.074] - [(6) * (7) * 1.074.5]	\$ 43,486,753

<sup>\*</sup> Reflects member contributions of 5.00% and City contributions of 18.05%



### EKKNICP 'GO RNQ[ GGUØT GVKT GO GP V'U UVGO OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

### **AMORTIZATION OF THE UAAL**

Amortization Base	Original Amount		Remaining Payments	Projected May 1, 2021 Balance		Annual Payment*	
2017 Legacy UAAL	\$	34,657,789	27	\$	36,234,269	\$	2,273,099
2018 Experience		(1,972,752)	18		(1,963,209)		(157,557)
2019 Assumption Changes		4,563,192	19		4,547,426		352,110
2019 Experience		603,545	19		601,460		46,571
2020 Assumption Changes		1,311,242	20		1,311,242		98,216
2020 Experience		2,755,565	20		2,755,565		206,400
Total				\$	43,486,753	\$	2,818,839

<sup>\*</sup> Payment amount reflects mid-year timing.

1. Total UAAL Amortization Payments	\$ 2,818,839
2. Expected Payroll for FYE 2022	\$ 30,101,029
3. UAAL Amortization Payment Rate	9.36%



### EKXKNICP 'GO RNQ[ GGUØT GVKT GO GP V'U UVGO OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

### **CITY CONTRIBUTION RATES**

### **Valuation Date\***

	4/30/2020	4/30/2019
Normal Cost		
Service pensions	11.45%	11.32%
Pre-retirement death pensions	0.13%	0.13%
Disability pensions	0.67%	0.66%
Termination benefits	1.90%	1.92%
Supplemental retirement benefit	0.26%	0.26%
Administrative expenses	0.50%	0.50%
Total Normal Cost	14.91%	14.79%
Total UAAL Amortization payment	9.36%	8.26%
Total Actuarial Contribution Rate	24.27%	23.05%
Member Portion	5.00%	5.00%
City Portion	19.27%	18.05%

<sup>\*</sup> The valuation results are used to determine the city contribution rate for the fiscal year ending two years later.



## TABLE 12 EKKNICP 'GO RNQ[ GGUØRETIREMENT SYSTEM OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI COMPUTED AND ACTUAL CITY CONTRIBUTIONS COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

**Fiscal Year Contributions** 

			As a % of Projected Pay		\$ Contributions		
Fiscal Year	Valuation	Projected	Annual	Reported	Annual	Projected	Actual
Beginning	Date	Annual	Required	FY City	Required	FY City	Dollar
<u>May 1</u>	April 30	<u>Payroll</u>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Contribution</b>	<b>Contribution</b>
1998	1998	\$15,295,680	6.80 %	4.38 %	\$1,040,673	\$ 669,951	\$ 674,228
1999	1999	15,430,846	7.47	5.76	1,152,018	888,817	944,475
2000	2000	17,786,369	7.08	7.14	1,259,454	1,269,947	1,286,166
2001	2001	18,831,325	7.49	7.14	1,410,466	1,344,557	1,420,668
2002	2002	21,688,988	8.12	7.14	1,761,146	1,548,594	1,567,833
2003 *	2003	22,931,521	12.84	7.14	2,944,407	1,637,311	1,601,243
2004	2003	23,963,439	12.84	7.14	3,076,906	1,710,990	1,612,080
2005 #	2004	24,088,026	14.45	9.14	3,480,720	2,201,646	2,175,167
2006	2005	24,285,644	15.87	11.14	3,854,132	2,705,421	2,681,732
2007	2006	26,073,120	16.12	13.14	4,202,987	3,426,008	3,372,411
2008	2007	26,618,596	16.24	13.14	4,322,860	3,497,684	3,470,682
2009	2008	28,127,592	14.27	13.14	4,013,807	3,695,966	3,329,727
2010	2009	28,684,028	18.87	13.14	5,412,676	3,769,081	3,185,041
2011	2010	27,181,807	18.19	13.14	4,944,371	3,571,689	3,146,124
2012 *	2011	26,248,238	19.82	13.14	5,202,401	3,449,018	3,283,458
2013	2012	26,265,640	20.40 **	16.33 **	5,358,191	4,289,179	4,122,375
2014 *#	2013	27,453,706	17.96	17.96	4,930,686	4,930,686	4,930,686
2015	2014	28,092,195	17.97	17.97	5,048,167	5,048,167	5,048,167
2016	2015	28,932,802	17.50	17.50	5,063,240	5,063,240	5,063,240
2017	2016	28,183,922	17.72	17.72	4,994,191	4,994,191	4,994,191
2018	2017	26,578,719	17.98	17.98	4,778,854	4,778,854	4,778,854
2019	2018	28,278,182	17.15	17.15	4,849,708	4,849,708	4,849,708
2020 *	2019	29,687,268	18.05	18.05	5,358,552	5,358,552	
2021 *	2020	30,101,029	19.27		5,800,468		

<sup>\*</sup> After changes in actuarial assumptions or methods.

Note: For years prior to 2011, information is shown from the prior actuary's report.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Effective September 1, 2013, the actuarial contribution rate was revised to 22.93% and the City began contributing the full city actuarial contribution rate of 17.93%.

<sup>#</sup> After changes in benefits.



#### SECTION 6 6 FINANCIAL PROJECTIONS

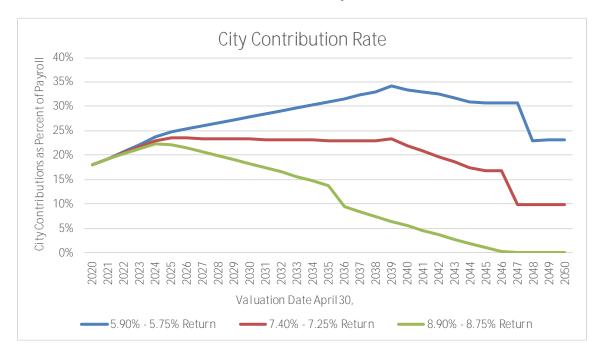
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The following three actual investment return scenarios are modeled (note the assumption does not change):

- (1) Returns grading down by 0.05% each year from 7.40% for May 1, 2020 through April 30, 2021 to 7.25% for May 1, 2023 through April 30, 2024 (current assumption),
- (2) Returns of 1.50% higher than the current assumption (8.90% grading down to 8.75%), and
- (3) Returns of 1.50% lower than the current assumption (5.90% grading down to 5.75%).

The projections assume that all actuarial assumptions, other than investment return, are met in all future years and that the City makes contributions equal to the full amount of the actuarially determined eqpvkdwkqp"cu"ecrewcvgf "d{"yj g"U{uvgo øu"cewct{."dcugf "qp"yj g"Dqctf øu"Hwpf kpi "Rqrke{ (including closed amortization periods). Note that the 2.5% COLA is assumed to be granted in all years even when the Dqctf øu"etkgtkc"ku"pqv"o gv0"These projections include estimates of future valuation results, including the unfunded actuarial accrued liability and funded ratio. It should be noted that these actuarial measurements f q"pqv"kpf kecvg"yj g"uwhkekgpe{"qh"r rcp"cuugwu"vq"ugwrg"yj g"r rcpøu"obligations nor do they, on their own, indicate future funding requirements.

### **Effect of Various Returns on City Contribution Rate**

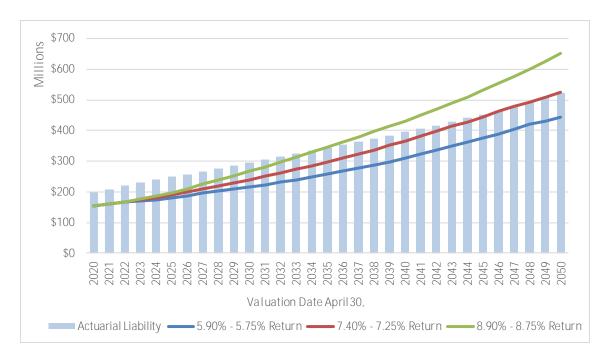




### Comparison of Projected Actuarial Assets to Actuarial Liability

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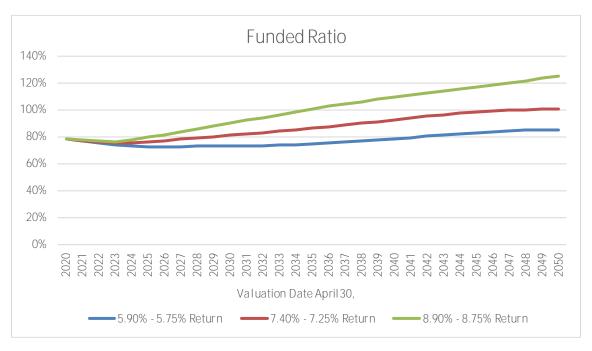






### **Funded Ratio**

The following graph shows the projected System funded ratio (ratio of actuarial value of assets to actuarial accrued liabilities) under each of the scenarios described earlier. The years shown in the chart are valuation dates (April 30 of each year).





**TABLE 13** 

## EKKNICP 'GO RNQ[ GGUØT GVKT GO GP V'U UVGO OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI PROJECTION OF VALUATION RESULTS

Projection Based on April 30, 2020 Actuarial Valuation 7.40% step down to 7.25% Investment Return Amounts in thousands											
Valuation as of April 30, (1)	Covered Payroll at Valuation (2)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) (3)	Actuarial Value of Assets (AVA) (4)	Unfunded AAL (5)	Funded Ratio Using AVA (6)	UAAL Amortization Payment Rate (7)	Normal Cost Rate (8)	Actuarial Contribution Rate (9)	Member Contribution Rate (10)	City Actuarial Contribution Rate (11)	Dollar Amount of City Contribution* (12)
2020	\$29,224	\$197,399	\$154,613	\$42,786	78.3%	9.36%	14.91%	24.27%	5.00%	19.27%	\$5,800
2021	29,786	208,194	160,871	47,323	77.3%	10.43%	15.04%	25.47%	5.00%	20.47%	6,280
2022	30,381	218.938	166,798	52,141	76.2%	11.57%	15.17%	26.74%	5.00%	21.74%	6,803
2023	31,041	229,682	172,566	57.116	75.1%	12.72%	15.31%	28.03%	5.00%	23.03%	7,363
2024	31,799	239,050	179,648	59,402	75.2%	13.23%	15.28%	28.51%	5.00%	23.51%	7,700
2025	32,633	248,428	189,115	59,314	76.1%	13.23%	15.24%	28.47%	5.00%	23.47%	7,889
2026	33,499	257,706	198,795	58,911	77.1%	13.23%	15.20%	28.43%	5.00%	23.43%	8,084
2027	34,436	267,041	208,685	58,356	78.1%	13.20%	15.17%	28.37%	5.00%	23.37%	8,289
2028	35,386	276,450	218,809	57,641	79.1%	13.19%	15.15%	28.34%	5.00%	23.34%	8,507
2029	36,408	285,923	229,174	56,750	80.2%	13.15%	15.12%	28.27%	5.00%	23.27%	8,726
2030	37,434	295,443	239,796	55,647	81.2%	13.13%	15.10%	28.23%	5.00%	23.23%	8,957
2031	38,517	304,969	250,633	54,336	82.2%	13.09%	15.08%	28.17%	5.00%	23.17%	9,192
2032	39,622	314,508	261,734	52,774	83.2%	13.06%	15.06%	28.12%	5.00%	23.12%	9,435
2033	40,765	324,117	273,163	50,954	84.3%	13.02%	15.04%	28.06%	5.00%	23.06%	9,683
2034	42,019	333,832	284,974	48,858	85.4%	12.96%	15.03%	27.99%	5.00%	22.99%	9,950
2035	43,186	343,671	297,217	46,454	86.5%	12.94%	15.02%	27.96%	5.00%	22.96%	10,213
2036	44,403	353,609	309,873	43,735	87.6%	12.92%	15.01%	27.93%	5.00%	22.93%	10,487
2037	45,673	363,688	323,036	40,651	88.8%	12.89%	15.00%	27.89%	5.00%	22.89%	10,768
2038	46,960	373,892	336,728	37,163	90.1%	13.41%	14.99%	28.40%	5.00%	23.40%	11,318
2039	48,304	384,281	351,025	33,256	91.3%	11.98%	14.98%	26.96%	5.00%	21.96%	10,926
2040	49,723	394,879	366,245	28,634	92.7%	10.88%	14.97%	25.85%	5.00%	20.85%	10,678
2041	51,214	405,705	381,514	24,192	94.0%	9.77%	14.96%	24.73%	5.00%	19.73%	10,408
2042	52,739	416,841	397,029	19,812	95.2%	8.60%	14.95%	23.55%	5.00%	18.55%	10,077
2043	54,334	428,340	412,794	15,546	96.4%	7.40%	14.94%	22.34%	5.00%	17.34%	9,704
2044	55,958	440,230	428,771	11,459	97.4%	6.90%	14.94%	21.84%	5.00%	16.84%	9,706
2045	57,637	452,528	444,908	7,620	98.3%	6.89%	14.93%	21.82%	5.00%	16.82%	9,985
2046	59,400	465,285	461,628	3,657	99.2%	-0.04%	14.93%	14.89%	5.00%	9.89%	6,051
2047	61,198	478,596	479,314	(718)	100.2%	-0.09%	14.93%	14.84%	5.00%	9.84%	6,203
2048	63,065	492,471	493,632	(1,161)	100.2%	-0.13%	14.94%	14.81%	5.00%	9.81%	6,372
2049	64,993	506,963	508,571	(1,608)	100.3%	-0.18%	14.94%	14.76%	5.00%	9.76%	6,534

<sup>\*</sup> Amounts shown are contributions in the fiscal year ending two years after the valuation date.

April 30, 2020 Actuarial Valuation

Note: Investment return assumption is assumed to be 7.40% in 2020, 7.35% in 2021, 7.30% in 2022, and 7.25% for 2023 and thereafter.



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### CITY CONTRIBUTIONS UNDER ALTERNATE SCENARIOS

Projection Based on April 30, 2020 Actuarial Valuation Board's Funding Policy (Layered Amortization of UAAL) Amounts in Thousands												
Fiscal Year End	Fiscal Year End City Contribution Amounts at Various Investment Returns											
- April 30,*	7.40% - 7.25% Return	8.90% - 8.75% Return	5.90% - 5.75% Return									
	<b>4 7</b> 000	<b>47</b> 000	<b>4.7</b> 000									
2022	\$5,800	\$5,800	\$5,800									
2023	6,280	6,246	6,317									
2024	6,803	6,684	6,919									
2025	7,363	7,114	7,606									
2026	7,700	7,268	8,119									
2027	7,889	7,217	8,538									
2028	8,084	7,149	8,971									
2029	8,289	7,069	9,431									
2030	8,507	6,976	9,921									
2031	8,726	6,859	10,432									
2032	8,957	6,720	10,969									
2033	9,192	6,562	11,529									
2034	9,435	6,379	12,117									
2035	9,683	6,164	12,731									
2036	9,950	5,938	13,382									
2037	10,213	4,168	14,052									
2038	10,487	3,833	14,754									
2039	10,768	3,486	15,491									
2040	11,318	3,120	16,518									
2041	10,926	2,731	16,638									
2042	10,678	2,335	16,921									
2043	10,408	1,920	17,154									
2044	10,077	1,488	17,274									
2045	9,704	1,041	17,304									
2046	9,706	576	17,648									
2047	9,985	89	18,225									
2048	6,051	0	18,832									
2049	6,203	0	14,485									
2050	6,372	0	14,985									
2051	6,534	0	15,504									

<sup>\*</sup>The Actuarially Determined Contribution (ADC) determined in the annual actuarial valuation is contributed in the following fiscal year. For example, the dollar amount of the ADC for fiscal year-end April 30, 2022 is based on the ADC calculated in the April 30, 2020 valuation.

Note: Projections assume a constant population and no actuarial gains and losses other than recognition of the deferred investment experience as of April 30, 2020.



Actuarial Standards of Practice are issued by the Actuarial Standards Board and are binding on credentialed actuaries practicing in the United States. These standards generally identify what the actuary should consider, document and disclose when performing an actuarial assignment. In September, 2017, Actuarial Standard of Practice Number 51, Assessment and Disclosure of Risk in Measuring Pension Obligations, (ASOP 51) was issued as final with application to measurement dates on or after November 1, 2018. This ASOP, which applies to funding valuations, actuarial projections, and actuarial cost studies of proposed plan changes, was first applicable for the April 30, 2019 actuarial valuation for the Ekxkrkep"Go r rq{ggug' Retirement System of the Police Department of Kansas City, Missouri (System).

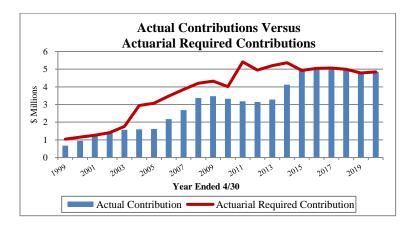
A typical retirement plan faces many different risks, but the greatest risk is the inability to make benefit payments when due. If plan assets are depleted, benefits may not be paid which could create legal and litki cwqp"tkmdqt"vj g"r mp"eqwf "dgeqo g"or c{"cu"{qw'i qö0""Vj g"vgto "otkmö"ku"o quv'eqo o qpn{"cuuqekcvgf" with an outcome with undesirable results. However, in the actuarial world, risk can be translated as uncertainty. The actuarial valuation process uses many actuarial assumptions to project how future contributions and investment returns will meet the cash flow needs for future benefit payments. Of course, we know that actual experience will not unfold exactly as anticipated by the assumptions and that uncertainty, whether favorable or unfavorable, creates risk. ASOP 51 defines risk as the potential of actual future measurements to deviate from expected results due to actual experience that is different than the actuarial assumptions.

The various risk factors for a given plan can have a significant impact ó positive or negative ó on the actuarial projection of liability and contribution rates.

There are a number of risks inherent in the funding of a defined benefit plan. These include:

- economic risks, such as investment return and price inflation;
- demographic risks such as mortality, payroll growth, aging population including impact of baby boomers, and retirement ages;
- contribution risk, i.e., the potential for volatility in contribution rates and
- external risks, such as the regulatory and political environment, are not included in ASOP 51.

There is a direct correlation between healthy, well-funded retirement plans and consistent contributions equal to the full actuarial required contribution each year. As the following graph shows, the City failed to make contributions equal to the actuarial rate from 2003 to 2014, with large shortfalls in some years. Based on legislation passed in 2013, the City has contributed the full actuarial required contribution for the past 6 fiscal years.





#### SECTION 7 ó RISK CONSIDERATIONS

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The most significant risk factor for most retirement systems, including the Ekkhcp'Go r mq {gguø'Tgktgo gpv' System of the Police Department of Kansas City, Missouri, is investment return risk because of the volatility of returns and the size of plan assets compared to payroll (see Table 15). As that Table illustrates, a difference of 10% between the actual return in a year and the assumed return results in an ultimate contribution rate increase of nearly 4% of pay over a 20-{gct"rgtkqf0"I kxgp"y g"U{uxgo øu"cti gv'cuugv' allocation and the associated standard deviation of the portfolio, a variance of 10% or more from the assumption in any given year is not unexpected (likely to occur in about one of every three years).

A key demographic risk for all retirement systems, including the Ekkkep'Go r rq {gguø'Tgktgo gpv'U{ugo " of the Police Department of Kansas City, Missouri, is improvements in mortality (longevity) greater than anticipated. While the actuarial assumptions reflect small, continuous improvements in mortality experience over time and these assumptions are refined every experience study, the risk arises because there is a possibility of some sudden shift, perhaps from a significant medical breakthrough that could quickly increase liabilities. Likewise, there is some possibility of a significant public health crisis that could result in a significant number of additional deaths in a short time period, which would also be significant, although more easily absorbed. While either of these events could happen, it represents a small probability and thus represents much less risk than the volatility associated with investment returns.

Finally, the unfunded actuarial accrued liability is amortized as a level percentage of payroll. The underlying assumption used in developing the payment schedule for UAAL payments assumes an increasing covered payroll over time which is dependent on a stable employment level, i.e., active member count remains the same. When payroll does not grow as expected, the UAAL contribution rate will be higher than expected, even if the dollar amount of the payment is the same as scheduled. As Table 18 illustrates, the growth in covered payroll over the last 11 years has been minimal compared to expected increases over that period of 3.00% to 4.00%. This trend is due to the combined impact of a smaller number of active members and relatively low salary increases. While this is less critical for the Ekkhcp'Go r mq {gguø' Retirement System of the Police Department of Kansas City, Missouri because the City contributes a dollar amount, not a percent of payroll, the lack of payroll growth does result in a payment schedule for the UAAL that allocates higher dollar amounts of contributions later in the period because it assumes payroll is increasing at a higher rate than is actually occurring.

Many of the public retirement systems in the United States were created shortly after World War II. The Ekkhcp'Go rm{gguøTgukgo gpv'U{ugo 'qh'y g'Rqnkeg'F gr ctvo gpv'qh'Mcpucu'Ek{.'O kuuqwkwas created in 1965 so it has been in existence for more than 50 years. In general, the aging of the population, including the retirement of the baby boomers, along with earlier retirement eligibility, has created a shift in the demographics of most retirement systems. This change is not unexpected and has, in fact, been anticipated in the funding of the retirement system. Even though it was anticipated, the demographic shift and maturing of the plans have increased the risk associated with funding the system. The following exhibits summarize some historical information that helps indicate how certain key risk metrics have changed over time. Many are due to the natural maturing of the retirement system, including the percentage of liability attributable to retirees and the active to retiree ratio.



#### **TABLE 15**

# EKKNICP 'GO RNQ[ GGUØTGVKTGO GPV'U UVGO OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI HISTORICAL ASSET VOLATILITY RATIOS

As a retirement system matures, the size of the market value of assets typically increases relative to the covered payroll of active members, on which the System is funded. The size of the plan assets relative to covered payroll, sometimes referred to as the asset volatility ratio, is an important indicator of the eqpwkdwkqp"tkmihqt"vjg"U(uvgo 0""Vjg"jkijgt"vjku"tcvkq."vjg"o qtg"ugpukkxg"c"r rcpøu"eqpwkdwkqp"tcvg"ku"vq" investment return volatility. In other words, it will be harder to recover from investment losses with increased contributions.

Actuarial Valuation Date	Market Value of Assets			Increase in ACR with a Return 10% Lower than Assumed*
4/30/2002	\$60,493,794	\$20,755,012	2.91	2.18%
4/30/2003	57,063,133	21,944,040	2.60	1.95%
4/30/2004	67,252,371	22,058,127	3.05	2.28%
4/30/2005	72,320,741	22,239,092	3.25	2.43%
4/30/2006	85,255,798	23,875,937	3.57	2.67%
4/30/2007	95,806,912	25,472,341	3.76	2.82%
4/30/2008	96,639,301	27,045,762	3.57	2.67%
4/30/2009	71,944,135	27,580,796	2.61	1.95%
4/30/2010	91,224,200	26,136,353	3.49	2.61%
4/30/2011	102,522,611	25,238,690	4.06	3.04%
4/30/2012	101,192,338	25,255,423	4.01	3.00%
4/30/2013	108,517,949	26,461,403	4.10	3.07%
4/30/2014	117,341,038	27,076,814	4.33	3.24%
4/30/2015	123,941,107	27,887,038	4.44	3.33%
4/30/2016	122,134,689	27,165,226	4.50	3.37%
4/30/2017	132,565,840	25,618,042	5.17	3.87%
4/30/2018	142,605,109	27,256,079	5.23	3.92%
4/30/2019	146,187,834	28,822,590	5.07	3.80%
4/30/2020	145,364,743	29,224,300	4.97	3.72%

*Note: Years prior to 2011 were provided by the prior actuary.* 

The amount of assets at April 30, 2020 is 4.97 times the covered payroll so underperforming the investment return assumption by 10.00% (i.e., earn -2.60% for one year) is equivalent to 49.7% of payroll. While the actual impact in the first year is mitigated by the asset smoothing method and amortization of the UAAL, the magnitude of the ultimate contribution increase illustrates the risk associated with volatile investment returns.

<sup>\*</sup>The impact of asset smoothing is not reflected in the impact on the Actuarial Contribution Rate (ACR). Current year assumptions are used for all years shown.

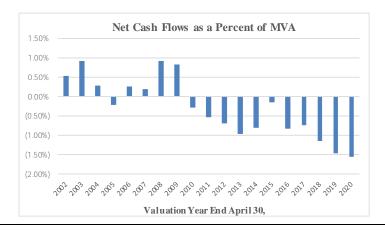


# TABLE 16 EKKNICP'GO RNQ[ GGUØRETIREMENT SYSTEM OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI HISTORICAL CASH FLOWS

Plans with negative cash flows will experience increased sensitivity to investment return volatility. Cash flows, for this purpose, are measured as contributions less benefit payments. If the System has negative cash flows and then experiences returns below the assumed rate, there are fewer assets to be reinvested to earn the higher returns that typically follow. While any negative cash flow will produce such a result, it is typically a negative cash flow of more than 5% of MVA that may cause significant concerns. The System has had negative cash flows of around 1.00% to 1.50% for the last six years, so it is not a current concern.

Year End	Market Value of Assets (MVA)	Contributions	Benefit Payments and Expenses	Net Cash Flow	Net Cash Flow as a Percent of MVA
4/20/2002	\$60,402,704	¢2 422 257	\$2,006,025	¢227 222	0.540/
4/30/2002	\$60,493,794	\$2,423,357	\$2,096,025	\$327,332	0.54%
4/30/2003	57,063,133	2,667,081	2,147,212	519,869	0.91%
4/30/2004	67,252,371	2,848,500	2,651,461	197,039	0.29%
4/30/2005	72,320,741	2,800,644	2,963,573	(162,929)	(0.23%)
4/30/2006	85,255,798	3,437,464	3,217,247	220,217	0.26%
4/30/2007	95,806,912	3,894,133	3,716,364	177,769	0.19%
4/30/2008	96,639,301	4,658,280	3,762,233	896,047	0.93%
4/30/2009	71,944,135	4,808,862	4,221,420	587,442	0.82%
4/30/2010	91,224,200	4,641,690	4,906,758	(265,068)	(0.29%)
4/30/2011	102,522,611	4,568,520	5,122,993	(554,473)	(0.54%)
4/30/2012	101,192,338	4,370,860	5,087,225	(716,365)	(0.71%)
4/30/2013	108,517,949	4,580,421	5,639,934	(1,059,513)	(0.98%)
4/30/2014	117,341,038	5,436,191	6,377,546	(941,355)	(0.80%)
4/30/2015	123,941,107	6,253,747	6,433,277	(179,530)	(0.14%)
4/30/2016	122,134,689	6,335,555	7,347,870	(1,012,315)	(0.83%)
4/30/2017	132,565,840	6,316,287	7,305,494	(989,207)	(0.75%)
4/30/2018	142,605,109	6,265,874	7,913,332	(1,647,458)	(1.16%)
4/30/2019	146,187,834	6,194,531	8,333,044	(2,138,513)	(1.46%)
4/30/2020	145,364,743	6,266,450	8,532,080	(2,265,630)	(1.56%)

Note: Years prior to 2011 were provided by the prior actuary.





# TABLE 17 CIVILIAN EMPLOYGGUØTGVKTGO GPV'U UVGO OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI LIABILITY MATURITY MEASUREMENTS

Most public sector retirement systems have been in operation for many years. As a result, they have aging plan populations, and in some cases declining active populations, resulting in an increasing ratio of retirees to active members and a growing percentage of retiree liability. With more of the total liability residing with retirees, investment volatility has a greater impact on the funding of the system since it is more difficult to restore the system financially after losses occur when there is comparatively less payroll over which to spread costs.

Projections provide the most effective way of analyzing the impact of these changes on future funding measures, but studying several key metrics from the valuation can also provide some valuable insight.

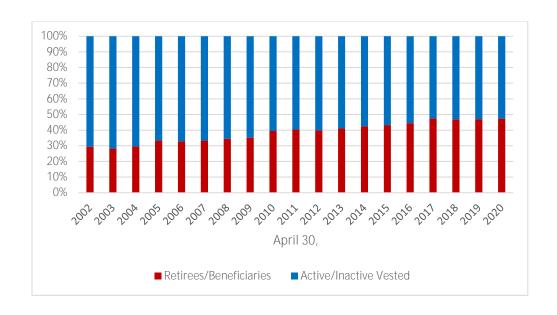
	Retiree Liability	Total Actuarial Liability	Retiree Percentage			
Year End	(a)	<b>(b)</b>	(a / b)			
4/30/2002	\$19,950,246	\$67,814,254	29.4%			
4/30/2003	23,457,419	83,044,509	28.2%			
4/30/2004	26,402,483	89,141,414	29.6%			
4/30/2005	32,330,097	97,103,806	33.3%			
4/30/2006	34,786,783	105,928,172	32.8%			
4/30/2007	36,754,725	110,394,115	33.3%			
4/30/2008	40,458,961	117,626,995	34.4%			
4/30/2009	43,984,225	124,990,468	35.2%			
4/30/2010	51,740,006	131,222,564	39.4%			
4/30/2011	55,401,727	137,040,461	40.4%			
4/30/2012	56,978,299	142,907,530	39.9%			
4/30/2013	61,173,449	148,662,779	41.1%			
4/30/2014	65,924,948	155,264,022	42.5%			
4/30/2015	69,298,850	160,470,682	43.2%			
4/30/2016	73,396,064	165,081,932	44.5%			
4/30/2017 4/30/2018	81,260,182	171,188,191	47.5%			
4/30/2018	83,042,411 88,625,831	177,116,999 188,505,176	46.9% 47.0%			
4/30/2019	93,349,361	197,399,029	47.3%			
4/30/2020	73,347,301	171,377,029	47.370			

Note: Years prior to 2011 were provided by the prior actuary.



# TABLE 17 (continued)

# EKXKNICP 'GO RNQ[ GGUØT GVKT GO GP V'U UVGO OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI





# TABLE 18 EKXKNKCP'GO RNQ[ GGUØTGVKTGO GPV'U] UVGO OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI HISTORICAL MEMBER STATISTICS

Valuation			
Date	Num	ber of	Active/
April 30,	Active	Retired	Retired
2002	599	117	5.12
2003	615	122	5.04
2004	595	123	4.84
2005	586	135	4.34
2006	610	140	4.36
2007	613	152	4.03
2008	630	158	3.99
2009	619	163	3.80
	575	186	
2010			3.09
2011	557	193	2.89
2012	549	199	2.76
2013	558	211	2.64
2014	552	224	2.46
2015	551	235	2.34
2016	526	248	2.12
2017	492	262	1.88
2018	511	272	1.88
2019	543	282	1.93
2020	537	290	1.85

Note: Years prior to 2011 were provided by prior actuary.

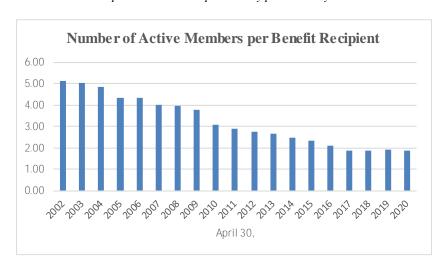


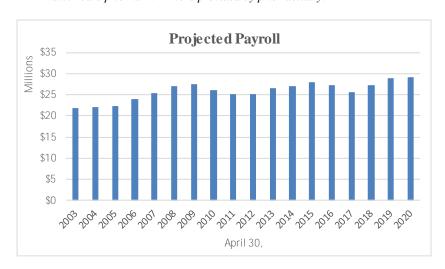


TABLE 18 (continued)

# EKXKNICP 'GO RNQ[ GGUØT GVKT GO GP V'U UVGO OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

Valuation			
	Number of		
Date	Active	Projected	Payroll
April 30,	Members	Payroll	% Incr.
2002	<b>5</b> 00	20.755.012	
2002	599	20,755,012	
2003	615	21,944,040	5.73%
2004	595	22,058,127	0.52%
2005	586	22,239,092	0.82%
2006	610	23,875,937	7.36%
2007	613	25,472,341	6.69%
2008	630	27,045,762	6.18%
2009	619	27,580,796	1.98%
2010	575	26,136,353	(5.24%)
2011	557	25,238,690	(3.43%)
2012	549	25,255,423	0.07%
2013	558	26,461,403	4.78%
2014	552	27,076,814	2.33%
2015	551	27,887,038	2.99%
2016	526	27,165,226	(2.59%)
2017	492	25,618,042	(5.70%)
2018	511	27,256,079	6.39%
2019	543	28,822,590	5.75%
2020	537	29,224,300	1.39%

Note: Years prior to 2011 were provided by prior actuary.





# TABLE 19 CIVILIAN EMRNQ[ GGUØTGVKTGO GP V'U UVGO OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

# COMPARISON OF VALUATION RESULTS UNDER ALTERNATE INVESTMENT RETURN ASSUMPTIONS (Dollars in Thousands)

This exhibit compares the key April 30, 2020 valuation results under five (5) different investment return assumptions to illustrate the impact of different assumptions on the funding of the System. Note that only the investment return assumption is changed, as identified in the heading below. All other assumptions are unchanged for purposes of this analysis.

<b>Investment Return Assumption</b>	6.90%	7.15%	7.40%	7.65%	7.90%
Contributions					
Normal Cost Rate	16.87%	15.85%	14.91%	14.04%	13.23%
UAAL Contribution Rate	12.24%	10.80%	9.36%	7.94%	6.52%
Total Actuarial Contribution Rate	29.11%	26.65%	24.27%	21.98%	19.75%
Employee Contribution Rate	(5.00%)	(5.00%)	(5.00%)	(5.00%)	(5.00%)
City Contribution Rate	24.11%	21.65%	19.27%	16.98%	14.75%
City Contribution for Following Fiscal Year (Dollars in Thousands)	\$7,257	\$6,517	\$5,800	\$5,111	\$4,440
Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$210,081	\$203,592	\$197,399	\$191,486	\$185,839
Actuarial Value of Assets	154,613	154,613	154,613	154,613	154,613
Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$55,468	\$48,979	\$42,786	\$36,873	\$31,226
Funded Ratio	74%	76%	78%	81%	83%

Note: All other assumptions are unchanged for purposes of this sensitivity analysis. Numbers may not add due to rounding.



#### **SECTION 8 ó OTHER INFORMATION**

The actuarial accrued liability is a measure intended to help the reader assess (i) a retirement plan's funded status on a going concern basis and (ii) progress being made toward accumulating the assets needed to pay benefits as due. Allocation of the actuarial present value of projected benefits between past and future service was based on service using the Entry Age Normal actuarial cost method. Assumptions, including rtqlgevgf "rc{"kpetgcugu."y gtg"yj g"uco g"cu"wugf "vq"f gvgto kpg"yj g"U{uvgo øu"rgxgrlr gtegpv'qh"rc{tqrlcppwcrl required contribution between entry age and assumed exit age. Entry age was established by subtracting credited service from current age on the valuation date. The Entry Age Normal actuarial accrued liability was determined as part of an actuarial valuation of the System as of April 30, 2020. The actuarial assumptions used in determining the actuarial accrued liability can be found in Appendix C.



#### TABLE 20

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#### SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL METHODS AND ASSUMPTIONS

Valuation Date April 30, 2020

Actuarial cost method Entry Age Normal

Amortization method for unfunded

actuarial accrued liabilities

Level-percent of payroll

Amortization period 30-year closed, beginning with the 2017

valuation for the Legacy UAAL base

20-year closed for experience bases

Asset valuation method 5-year smoothing of actual versus

expected return on market value

Actuarial assumptions:

Investment rate of return 7.40%, net of investment expenses

Projected salary increases 3.60% to 6.50%

including wage inflation at 3.00%

Cost-of-living adjustments 2.50% simple

Membership of the plan consisted of the following at April 30, 2020, the date of the latest actuarial valuation:

Retirees and beneficiaries receiving benefits 290

Terminated plan members entitled to 46

but not yet receiving benefits

Active plan members 537

Total 873



#### TABLE 21

# EKKNKCP'GO RNQ[ GGUØTGVKTGO GPV'U UVGO OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

#### SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS

	Actuarial	Actuarial	Unfunded		Active Member	UAAL as
Actuarial	Actuariai Value of	Accrued Liability	AAL	Funded	Covered	a Percentage of Active Member
Valuation	Assets	•		Ratio		
		(AAL)	(UAAL)		Payroll**	Covered Payroll
Date	(a)	(b)	(b) - (a)	(a) / (b)	(c)	[(b) - (a)] / (c)
4/30/1998	\$41,835,057	\$43,200,513	\$1,365,456	97%	\$15,295,680	9%
4/30/1999	47,593,329	48,627,168	1,033,839	98%	15,430,846	7%
4/30/2000	56,905,524	56,038,915	(866,609)	102%	17,786,369	(5%)
4/30/2001	61,895,208	62,097,908	202,700	100%	18,831,325	1%
4/30/2002	66,401,308	67,814,254	1,412,946	98%	20,755,012	7%
4/30/2003 *	68,182,691	83,044,509	14,861,818	82%	21,944,040	68%
4/30/2004 #	69,868,024	89,141,414	19,273,390	78%	22,058,127	87%
4/30/2005	72,382,548	97,103,806	24,721,258	75%	22,239,092	111%
4/30/2006	78,846,717	105,928,172	27,081,455	74%	23,875,937	113%
4/30/2007	89,110,860	110,394,115	21,283,255	81%	25,472,341	84%
4/30/2008	97,989,985	117,626,995	19,637,010	83%	27,045,762	73%
4/30/2009	86,332,962	124,990,468	38,657,506	69%	27,580,796	140%
4/30/2010	100,515,970	131,222,564	30,706,594	77%	26,136,353	117%
4/30/2011 *	102,522,611	137,040,461	34,517,850	75%	25,238,690	137%
4/30/2012	108,018,073	142,907,530	34,889,457	76%	25,255,423	138%
4/30/2013 *#	113,170,844	148,662,779	35,491,935	76%	26,461,403	134%
4/30/2014	119,075,893	155,264,022	36,188,129	77%	27,076,814	134%
4/30/2015	126,029,676	160,470,682	34,441,006	79%	27,887,038	124%
4/30/2016	130,604,532	165,081,932	34,477,400	79%	27,165,226	127%
4/30/2017	137,233,636	171,188,191	33,954,555	80%	25,618,042	133%
4/30/2018	144,206,976	177,116,999	32,910,023	81%	27,256,079	121%
4/30/2019 *	150,112,994	188,505,176	38,392,182	80%	28,822,590	133%
4/30/2020 *	154,613,128	197,399,029	42,785,901	78%	29,224,300	146%

<sup>\*</sup> After changes in actuarial assumptions or methods.

Note: Results for years prior to 2011 were taken from the prior actuary's report.

Analysis of the dollar amounts of actuarial value of assets, actuarial accrued liability, or unfunded actuarial accrued liability in isolation can be misleading. Expressing the actuarial value of assets as a percentage of the cewctlcn'ceetwgf "rkcdkkk{"r tqxkf gu''qpg''lpf leckqp''qh''y g''U{ugo øu''hwpf gf "uwwu''qp''c''i qkpi -concern basis. Analysis of this percentage over time indicates whether the System is becoming financially stronger or weaker. I gpgtcm{.''y g''i tgcvgt ''y ku'r gtegpvci g.''y g''uxtqpi gt ''y g''r rcpøu''hwpf kpi 0'Vj g''wphwpf gf ''cewctlcn'ceetwgf ''rkcdkkk{" and annual covered payroll are both affected by inflation. Expressing the unfunded actuarial accrued liability as a percentage of covered payroll approximately adjusts for the effects of inflation and aids analysis of the progress being made in accumulating sufficient assets to pay benefits when due. Generally, the smaller this percentage, y g'uxtqpi gt ''y g'r rcpøu'hwnding.

<sup>\*\*</sup> For valuation years 2001 and prior, and 2007 and later, valuation payroll includes projected increases for year following valuation. For valuation years 2002 through 2006, valuation payroll is payroll reported in data after annualization of pays for new hires.

<sup>#</sup> After change in benefit provisions.



**TABLE 22** 

# EKXKNICP 'GO RNQ[ GGUØT GVKT GO GP V'U UVGO OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

# SCHEDULE OF CITY CONTRIBUTIONS

Fiscal Year	Annual		
Ending	Required	Percent	Contribution
April 30	Contribution	Contribution	Shortfall/(Excess)
400	h 45 <b>7</b> 004	0.004	
1997	\$ 465,004	90%	\$ N/A
1998	1,035,180	44%	581,963
1999	1,040,673	65%	366,445
2000	1,152,018	82%	207,543
2001	1,259,454	102%	(26,712)
2002	1,410,461	101%	(10,207)
2003	1,761,146	89%	193,313
2004	2,944,407	54%	1,343,164
2005	3,076,906	52%	1,464,826
2006	3,480,720	62%	1,305,553
2007	3,854,132	70%	1,172,400
2008	4,202,987	80%	830,576
2009	4,322,860	80%	852,178
2010	4,013,807	83%	684,080
2011	5,412,676	59%	2,227,635
2012	4,944,371	64%	1,798,247
2013	5,202,401	63%	1,918,943
2014	5,358,191	77%	1,235,816
2015	4,930,686	100%	0
2016	5,048,167	100%	0
2017	5,063,240	100%	0
2018	4,994,191	100%	0
2019	4,778,854	100%	0
2020	4,849,708	100%	0

Note: For years prior to 2011, information shown is from the prior actuary's report.



**TABLE 23** 

# EKXKNICP 'GO RNQ[ GGUØT GVKT GO GP V'U UVGO OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

# **SOLVENCY TEST**

**Entry Age Actuarial Accrued Liabilities** 

	(1)	(2)	(3)	-			
Valuation	Active	Retirees	<b>Active Members</b>		Portion of A	ctuarial Accrued	Liabilities
Date	Member	and	(City Financed	Valuation	Cover	ed by Reported A	ssets
April 30	<b>Contributions</b>	<b>Beneficiaries</b>	Portion)	Assets	(1)	(2)	(3)
2004 #	\$ 8,218,260	\$ 26,402,483	\$ 54,520,671	\$ 69,868,024	100 %	100 %	65 %
2005	8,641,718	32,330,097	56,131,991	72,382,548	100	100	56
2006	9,373,054	34,786,783	61,768,335	78,846,717	100	100	56
2007	9,972,284	36,754,725	63,667,106	89,110,860	100	100	67
2008	10,652,040	40,458,961	66,515,994	97,989,985	100	100	70
2009	11,220,613	43,984,225	69,785,630	86,332,962	100	100	45
2010	11,328,650	51,740,006	68,153,908	100,515,970	100	100	55
2011 *	12,057,814	55,401,727	69,580,920	102,522,611	100	100	50
2012	12,623,138	56,978,299	73,306,093	108,018,073	100	100	52
2013 *#	12,957,382	61,173,449	74,531,948	113,170,844	100	100	52
2014	13,366,753	65,924,948	75,972,321	119,075,893	100	100	52
2015	13,831,974	69,298,850	77,339,858	126,029,676	100	100	55
2016	14,009,918	73,396,064	77,675,950	130,604,532	100	100	56
2017	13,748,200	81,260,182	76,179,809	137,233,636	100	100	55
2018	13,993,612	83,042,411	80,080,976	144,206,976	100	100	59
2019 *	14,253,969	88,625,831	85,625,376	150,112,994	100	100	55
2020 *	14,626,343	93,349,361	89,423,325	154,613,128	100	100	52

<sup>\*</sup> After changes in actuarial assumptions or methods.

Note: Results for years before 2011 were prepared by the prior actuary.

<sup>#</sup> After changes in benefits



# **MEMBER DATA RECONCILIATION**

April 30, 2019 to April 30, 2020

The number of members included in the valuation, as summarized in the table below, is in accordance with the data submitted by the System for members as of the valuation date.

	Active				Inactive	
	<b>Participants</b>	Retirees	Disableds	Beneficiaries	Vested	Total
Members as of 04/30/2019	543	255	6	21	46	871
New Members*	49	0	0	0	0	49
Terminations						
Refunded	(36)	0	0	0	(1)	(37)
Inactive Vested	(2)	0	0	0	2	0
Retirements						
Service	(16)	17	0	0	(1)	0
Disability	0	0	0	0	0	0
Deaths						
Cashed Out/Payments Ended	(1)	0	0	0	0	(1)
With Beneficiary	0	(1)	0	1	0	0
Without Beneficiary	0	(8)	0	(1)	0	(9)
Data Adjustments	0	0	0	0	0	0
Members as of 04/30/2020	537	263	6	21	46	873

<sup>\*</sup> Includes reappointments.



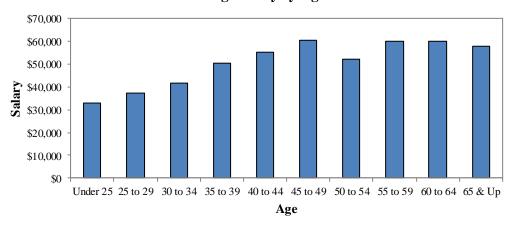
# EKKNICP 'GO RNQ[ GGUØTGVKTGO GPV'U UVGO OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI SUMMARY OF ACTIVE MEMBERS as of April 30, 2020

#### Total

_		Number		 Annual Reported Compensation*				
Age	Male	Female	Total	Male		Female		Total**
Under 25	22	14	36	\$ 697,966	\$	482,249	\$	1,180,215
25 to 29	20	32	52	721,079		1,227,505		1,948,584
30 to 34	19	31	50	741,624		1,330,092		2,071,716
35 to 39	21	44	65	1,154,699		2,112,751		3,267,450
40 to 44	19	49	68	1,012,613		2,728,372		3,740,985
45 to 49	20	46	66	1,345,780		2,649,053		3,994,834
50 to 54	17	41	58	891,015		2,137,794		3,028,809
55 to 59	29	37	66	2,015,565		1,956,580		3,972,144
60 to 64	16	36	52	1,036,363		2,092,245		3,128,608
65 & Up	5	19	24	380,207		1,003,665		1,383,872
Total**	188	349	537	\$ 9,996,910	\$	17,720,307	\$	27,717,217

<sup>\*</sup> Compensation reported in the valuation data for the prior plan year with annualization of pay for new hires.

### Average Salary by Age



Average age: 44.3 Average service: 13.1 Average salary: \$51,615

<sup>\*\*</sup> May not add due to rounding



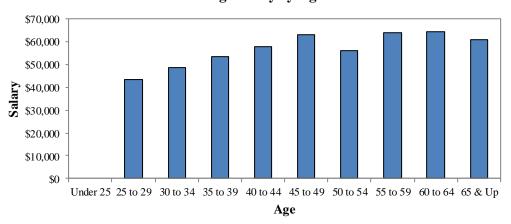
# EKKNICP 'GO RNQ[ GGUØTGVKTGO GPV'U UVGO OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI SUMMARY OF ACTIVE MEMBERS as of April 30, 2020

Tier 1

Number					Annual Reported Compensation*					
Age	Male	Female	Total		Male		Female		Total**	
Under 25	0	0	0	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0	
25 to 29	1	3	4		46,459		126,703		173,162	
30 to 34	4	5	9		180,134		258,765		438,899	
35 to 39	12	33	45		697,467		1,700,438		2,397,905	
40 to 44	14	35	49		797,490		2,038,152		2,835,642	
45 to 49	17	38	55		1,250,954		2,204,224		3,455,178	
50 to 54	13	31	44		714,542		1,759,644		2,474,186	
55 to 59	23	27	50		1,626,409		1,559,267		3,185,676	
60 to 64	14	31	45		980,248		1,905,722		2,885,970	
65 & Up	4	16	20		331,074		885,218		1,216,292	
Total**	102	219	321	\$	6,624,776	\$	12,438,135	\$	19,062,911	

<sup>\*</sup> Compensation reported in the valuation data for the prior plan year with annualization of pay for new hires.





Average age: 49.9 Average service: 20.2 Average salary: \$59,386

<sup>\*\*</sup> May not add due to rounding



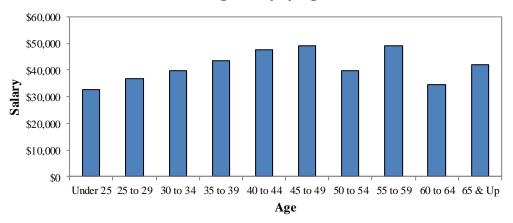
# CIVILIAN GO RNQ[ GGUØTGVKTGO GPV'U UVGO OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI SUMMARY OF ACTIVE MEMBERS as of April 30, 2020

Tier 2

_	Number					Annual Reported Compensation*				
Age	Male	Female	Total			Male		Female		Total**
Under 25	22	14	36		\$	697,966	\$	482,249	\$	1,180,215
25 to 29	19	29	48			674,620		1,100,802		1,775,422
30 to 34	15	26	41			561,490		1,071,327		1,632,817
35 to 39	9	11	20			457,232		412,313		869,545
40 to 44	5	14	19			215,124		690,219		905,343
45 to 49	3	8	11			94,826		444,829		539,655
50 to 54	4	10	14			176,473		378,150		554,623
55 to 59	6	10	16			389,156		397,312		786,468
60 to 64	2	5	7			56,115		186,523		242,638
65 & Up	1	3	4			49,134		118,447		167,580
Total**	86	130	216		\$	3,372,134	\$	5,282,172	\$	8,654,306

<sup>\*</sup> Compensation reported in the valuation data for the prior plan year with annualization of pay for new hires.

## Average Salary by Age



Average age: 36.1 Average service: 2.5 Average salary: \$40,066

<sup>\*\*</sup> May not add due to rounding



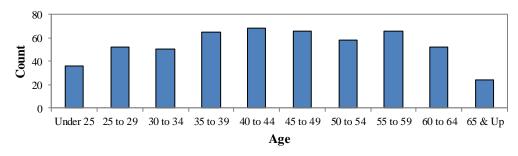
# CIVILIAN GO RNQ[ GGUØTGVKTGO GPV'U UVGO OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI DISTRIBUTION OF ACTIVE MEMBERS As of April 30, 2020

### Total

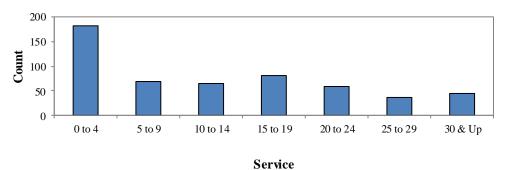
#### Years of Service

				rears or	Service			
Age	0 to 4	5 to 9	10 to 14	15 to 19	20 to 24	25 to 29	30 & Up	Total
Under 25	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	36
25 to 29	43	9	0	0	0	0	0	52
30 to 34	32	14	4	0	0	0	0	50
35 to 39	17	14	23	11	0	0	0	65
40 to 44	13	8	13	18	15	1	0	68
45 to 49	10	4	5	17	20	10	0	66
50 to 54	10	9	4	9	9	9	8	58
55 to 59	12	8	8	10	10	5	13	66
60 to 64	5	2	5	12	5	6	17	52
65 & Up	4	1	3	4	0	6	6	24
Total	182	69	65	81	59	37	44	537

# **Age Distribution**



#### **Service Distribution**



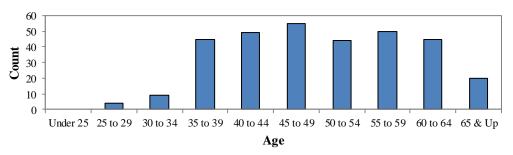


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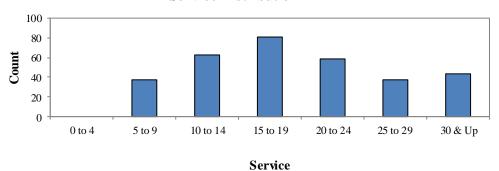
Tier 1

				Years of	Service			
Age	0 to 4	5 to 9	10 to 14	15 to 19	20 to 24	25 to 29	30 & Up	Total
Under 25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25 to 29	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	4
30 to 34	0	6	3	0	0	0	0	9
35 to 39	0	11	23	11	0	0	0	45
40 to 44	0	3	12	18	15	1	0	49
45 to 49	0	3	5	17	20	10	0	55
50 to 54	0	5	4	9	9	9	8	44
55 to 59	0	4	8	10	10	5	13	50
60 to 64	0	0	5	12	5	6	17	45
65 & Up	0	1	3	4	0	6	6	20
Total	0	37	63	81	59	37	44	321





#### **Service Distribution**



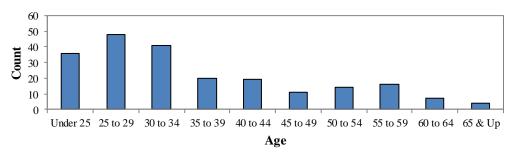


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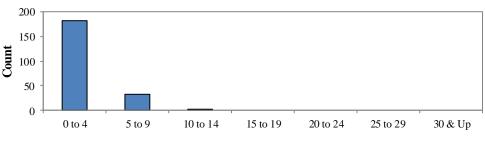
Tier 2

				Years of	Service			
Age	0 to 4	5 to 9	10 to 14	15 to 19	20 to 24	25 to 29	30 & Up	Total
Under 25	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	36
25 to 29	43	5	0	0	0	0	0	48
30 to 34	32	8	1	0	0	0	0	41
35 to 39	17	3	0	0	0	0	0	20
40 to 44	13	5	1	0	0	0	0	19
45 to 49	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	11
50 to 54	10	4	0	0	0	0	0	14
55 to 59	12	4	0	0	0	0	0	16
60 to 64	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	7
65 & Up	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Total	182	32	2	0	0	0	0	216

# **Age Distribution**



#### **Service Distribution**



Service

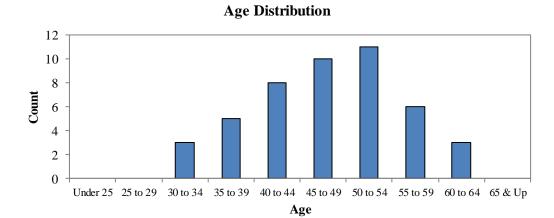


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		Number		Current Monthly Benefit at Retirement*				
Age	Male	Female	Total	Male		Female		Total**
Under 25	0	0	0	\$ 0	\$	0	\$	0
25 to 29	0	0	0	0		0		0
30 to 34	0	3	3	0		1,647		1,647
35 to 39	3	2	5	1,427		1,333		2,760
40 to 44	3	5	8	3,774		3,460		7,234
45 to 49	2	8	10	2,145		9,503		11,648
50 to 54	5	6	11	4,678		9,141		13,819
55 to 59	2	4	6	1,141		5,287		6,428
60 to 64	3	0	3	2,543		0		2,543
65 & Up	0	0	0	0		0		0
Total**	18	28	46	\$ 15,708	\$	30,371	\$	46,079

<sup>\*</sup> Does not include supplemental benefits

<sup>\*\*</sup> May not add due to rounding





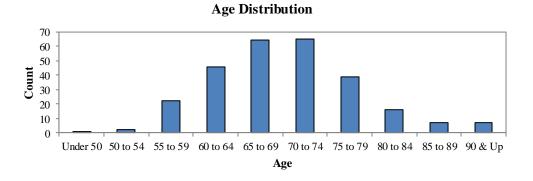
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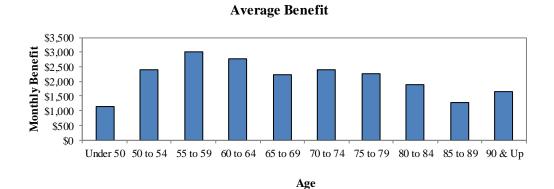
### **Healthy & Disabled Retirees**

		Number		Monthly Benefit*					
Age	Male	Female	Total		Male		Female		Total**
Under 50	1	0	1	\$	1,137	\$	0	\$	1,137
50 to 54	1	1	2		4,211		612		4,823
55 to 59	8	14	22		27,854		38,655		66,509
60 to 64	13	33	46		37,683		90,017		127,700
65 to 69	21	43	64		54,763		88,224		142,987
70 to 74	26	39	65		64,787		90,817		155,603
75 to 79	19	20	39		54,533		33,636		88,169
80 to 84	4	12	16		9,384		20,586		29,970
85 to 89	3	4	7		5,522		3,324		8,846
90 & Up	5	2	7		9,444		2,200		11,644
Total**	101	168	269	\$	269,318	\$	368,071	\$	637,389

<sup>\*</sup> Does not include supplemental benefits

<sup>\*\*</sup> May not add due to rounding







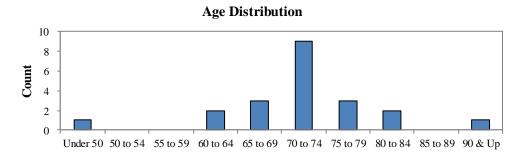
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#### **Beneficiaries**

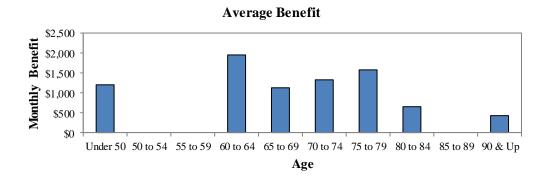
	Monthly Benefit*							
Age	Male	Female	Total	Male		Female		Total**
Under 50	0	1	1	\$ 0	\$	1,206	\$	1,206
50 to 54	0	0	0	0		0		0
55 to 59	0	0	0	0		0		0
60 to 64	1	1	2	1,429		2,461		3,890
65 to 69	0	3	3	0		3,405		3,405
70 to 74	1	8	9	259		11,710		11,969
75 to 79	0	3	3	0		4,770		4,770
80 to 84	0	2	2	0		1,328		1,328
85 to 89	0	0	0	0		0		0
90 & Up	0	1	1	0		432		432
Total**	2	19	21	\$ 1,688	\$	25,311	\$	26,999

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Age





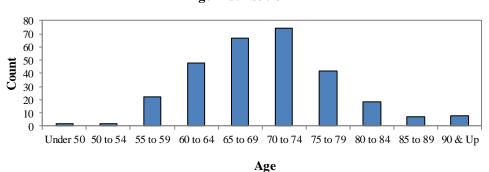
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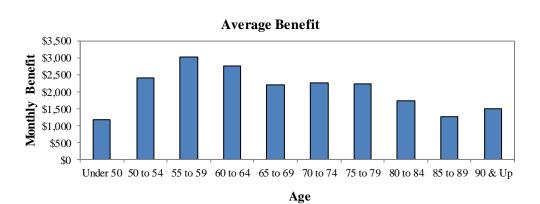
#### **Combined Retirees & Beneficiaries**

		Number		Monthly Benefit*					
Age	Male	Female	Total		Male		Female		Total**
Under 50	1	1	2	\$	1,137	\$	1,206	\$	2,343
50 to 54	1	1	2		4,211		612		4,823
55 to 59	8	14	22		27,854		38,655		66,509
60 to 64	14	34	48		39,112		92,478		131,589
65 to 69	21	46	67		54,763		91,629		146,392
70 to 74	27	47	74		65,046		102,526		167,572
75 to 79	19	23	42		54,533		38,406		92,939
80 to 84	4	14	18		9,384		21,914		31,298
85 to 89	3	4	7		5,522		3,324		8,846
90 & Up	5	3	8		9,444		2,632		12,076
Total**	103	187	290	\$	271,006	\$	393,382	\$	664,388

<sup>\*</sup> Does not include supplemental benefits

### Age Distribution





<sup>\*\*</sup> May not add due to rounding



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#### SUMMARY OF BENEFIT PROVISIONS

### **Membership**

All regularly appointed full-time civilian employees of the Kansas City, Missouri Police Department who are not eligible to receive a pension from any other City-funded retirement system, shall become members as a condition of their employment.

**Tier I member** ó A person who became a member prior to August 28, 2013 and remains a member on August 28, 2013.

**Tier II member** ó A person who became a member on or after August 28, 2013.

#### **Service Retirement**

#### Eligibility ó

Tier I member ó Later of age 65 ot 'o go dgtøu'32th anniversary of employment.

Tier II member ó Nevgt 'qh'ci g'89 'qt 'o go dgtøu'42th anniversary of employment.

Amount of Pension ó Benefit equal to 2% of Final Compensation multiplied by years of creditable service.

#### Final Compensation ó

**Tier I member** ó Average annual compensation during the two years of service with the highest salary, whether consecutive or otherwise, or during the entire period of service if less than two years.

**Tier II member** ó Average annual compensation during the three years of service with the highest salary, whether consecutive or otherwise, or during the entire period of service if less than three years.

#### **Early Retirement**

**Tier I members** ó Eligible for early retirement as follows:

- a) Beginning at age 55, if member has at least 10 years of creditable service. Pension computed as service retirement and then reduced by 0.50% for each month the benefit commences prior to the month following that in which the member turns age 60.
- b) Beginning at age 60, if member has at least 5 years of creditable service. Pension computed as service retirement and then reduced by 0.50% for each month the benefit commences prior to the month following that in which the member turns age 65.
- c) Cv'cp{ "Wo g"chygt" y g"o go dgtøu" ci g"r nwu" { gctu" qh" etgf kcble service equals or exceeds 80 (Rule of 80). Pension computed as service retirement without reduction.

**Tier II members** ó Eligible for early retirement as follows:

a) Beginning at age 62, if member has at least 5 years of creditable service. Pension computed as service retirement and then reduced by 0.50% for each month the benefit commences prior to the month following that in which the member turns age 67.



#### APPENDIX B 6 SUMMARY OF BENEFIT PROVISIONS (CONTINUED)

- b) Beginning at age 62, if a member has at least 20 years of creditable service. Pension computed as service retirement without reduction.
- c) Cv'cp{ ''wo g'chygt 'y g'o go dgtøu'ci g'r nwu''{ gctu''qhletgf kcdrg''ugtxkeg''gs wcnu''qt ''gzeggf u'': 7'\*T wrg'' of 85). Pension computed as service retirement without reduction.

#### **Deferred Retirement (Vested Termination)**

Eligibility 6 5 or more years of creditable service.

**Amount of Pension** ó Computed as service retirement but based upon service, Final Compensation and benefit formula in effect at termination of employment. Benefit may begin at early retirement age, adjusted by applicable reductions.

#### **Duty Disability**

**Eligibility** 6 A member in active service who has a total and permanent disability that prevents the member from engaging in any occupation or performing any work for remuneration or profit for the remainder of their life. The disability must be the direct result of performance of duties with the Police Department. No age or service requirement.

Amount of Pension 6 72' "qh"Hlpcn"Eqo r gpuckqp"r c{cdrg"lqt"yj g"tgo clpf gt"qh"yj g"o go dgtøu"nktg"qt"cu" long as the permanent disability continues.

Duty disability benefits may be subject to offset or reduction by amounts paid or payable under any Y qtngtuø'Eqo r gpuc kqp''rcy 0"'C"f kucdktk{ "tgktgg"y j q"ku"pqv'ci g"82"o c{ "dg"tgs wktgf "d{ "vj g"Tgktgo gpv' Board to undergo continuing eligibility reviews once every three years which may include a medical reexamination.

#### **Non-duty Disability**

*Eligibility* 6 A member in active service, with a minimum of 10 years of service, who has a total and permanent disability that prevents the member from engaging in any occupation or performing any work for remuneration or profit for the remainder of their life. Disability is not the direct result of performance of duties with the Police Department.

**Amount of pension** ó 30% of Final Compensation but in no event less than the amount the member would have been entitled to as a pension if the member had retired on the same date with equivalent age and creditable service.

A disability retiree who is not age 60 may be required by the Retirement Board to undergo continuing eligibility reviews once every three years which may include a medical re-examination.

#### **Death in Service (less than 20 years of service)**

Eligibility 6 Death of an active member with at least 5 but less than 20 years of service.

Amount of Pension 6 72' "qh'y g'o go dgtøu'ceetwgf "r gpukqp"r c{cdrg'\q'\y g'\undustkxkpi "ur qwug'hqt'\undus qwugou" lifetime. The effective date shall be the later of the first day of the mony "chwgt'\y g'o go dgtøu'f gcyj "qt'\y j cv' y qwrf 'j cxg''dggp'\y g'o go dgtøu'gctrkguv\tg\ktgo gpv\f c\vg0

Funeral Benefit - \$1,000 payable upon the death of an active member.

#### APPENDIX B Ó SUMMARY OF BENEFIT PROVISIONS (CONTINUED)

#### **Death in Service (20 or more years of service)**

*Eligibility* ó Death of an active member with 20 or more years of service.

Amount of Pension ó Uwtxkxkpi "ur qwug"o c{"grgev'y g"i tgcvgt"qh'72' "qh'y g"o go dgtøu"ceetwgf "r gpukqp" eqo o gpekpi "cu'f guetkdgf "cdqxg."qt"c"o qpy n{ "dgpghk/f gvgto kpgf "qp"c"lqkpv'cpf "uwtxkxqtøu"dcuku'htqo "y g" actuarial value of the membetøu"ceetwgf "r gpukqp"cv'f cvg"qh'f gcyj 0

Funeral Benefit - \$1,000 payable upon the death of an active member.

#### **Death After Retirement**

Eligibility ó Death of a retired member who was receiving a benefit.

Amount of Pension ó Eligible surviving spouse tgegkxgu"c"r gpukqp"gs wcn'\q'72' "qh'\j g"o go dgtøu'dgpghkv" at the time of actual retirement plus cost of living adjustments. Benefit is payable for the life of the surviving spouse. In order to be eligible, the spouse and the member must have been married at the time of retirement.

In lieu of the 50% surviving spouse death benefit, a member may elect, at the time of retirement, a reduced actuarially equivalent 100% surviving spouse annuity. In such case, the surviving spouse shall receive the same amount as the benefit being paid to the member and such benefit is payable for the life of the surviving spouse.

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Funeral Benefit - \$1,000 payable upon the death of a retired member.

#### **Non-Vested Termination**

*Eligibility* 6 Termination of employment and no pension is or will become payable.

Amount of Benefit ó Tghwpf "qh'o go dgtøu"eqpvtkdwkqpu'y ky 'kpvgtguv0

#### **Post-Retirement Benefit Increases**

Eligibility ó O go dgtu'cpf 'luxtxkxkpi 'lur qwugu'grki kdrg'kh'o go dgtøu'r gpukqp'eqo o gpegf 'd{ 'F gego dgt '53'qh' prior calendar year.

**Amount of Benefit** 6 May receive an annual cost-of-living adjustment in an amount not to exceed 3% of their respective base pension. Base pension is the pension computed under the provisions of the law at the date of retirement, without regard to cost-of-living adjustments. The COLA adjustment is normally effective with the June 1<sup>st</sup> benefit payment.

Statutes require that the Retirement Board must act upon the advice of a qualified actuary when granting cost of living adjustments. The liabilities in this report assume a 2.5% ad hoc COLA will be granted in each future year.

#### **Member Contributions**

5% of base pay.



### APPENDIX B 6 SUMMARY OF BENEFIT PROVISIONS (CONTINUED)

### **Supplemental Retirement Benefit**

Retirement on or before August 28, 2007 ó current retired and disabled members and their surviving spouses are eligible to receive the supplemental benefit of \$160 per month in addition to pension benefits.

Retirements after August 28, 2007 ó current and future retired and disabled members and their surviving spouses are eligible to receive the supplemental benefit of \$160 per month if the member had 15 years of creditable service.

### **Optional Form of Benefit Payment**

Members retiring with at least one or more years of service beyond their eligible retirement date may elect to take a portion of their benefit as a lump-sum distribution (PLOP). Members electing PLOP will receive an actuarially reduced monthly benefit for their lifetime.



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#### ACTUARIAL COST METHOD AND ASSUMPTIONS

#### **Actuarial Cost Method**

The actuarial cost method is a procedure for allocating the actuarial present value of pension benefits and expenses to time periods. The method used for the valuation is known as the Entry Age Normal actuarial cost method and has the following characteristics.

- (i) The annual normal costs for each individual active member are sufficient to accumulate the value of yi g'o go dgtøu'r gpukqp'cv'klo g'qh'tgxktgo gpv0
- (ii) Gcej "cppwcn'pqto cn'equv'ku"c"eqpuvcpv'r gtegpwci g"qh'vj g"o go dgtøu"{gct-by-year projected covered compensation.

The Entry Age Normal actwctkcn' equv' o gyi qf "cmqecvgu" yi g"cewctkcn' r tgugpv' xcnwg" qh' gcej "o go dgtøs projected dgpghku'qp'c'hgxgn'dcuku'qxgt' yi g'o go dgtøu'cuuwo gf 'r gpukqpcdng' eqo r gpucvkqp' tcvgu' dgwy ggp' yi g' entry age of the member and the assumed exit ages.

The portion of the actuarial present value allocated to the valuation year is called the normal cost. The portion of the actuarial present value not provided for by the actuarial present value of future normal costs is called actuarial accrued liability. Deducting actuarial assets from the actuarial accrued liability determines the unfunded actuarial accrued liability or (surplus).

#### **Asset Valuation Method**

The Board adopted a new asset smoothing method effective with the April 30, 2011 valuation. Under the new methodology, the difference between the actual and assumed investment return on the market value of assets is recognized evenly over a five-year period. No corridor is used with the new method. The change to a new asset smoothing method was implemented by setting the actuarial value of assets at April 30, 2011 equal to the market value of assets.

### **Actuarial Assumptions**

Valuations beginning with the April 30, 2019 actuarial valuation include assumptions and methods resulting from the experience study covering the 5-year period from May 1, 2012 to April 30, 2017.

The Board adopted a new Funding Policy at their November 8, 2016 meeting. The amortization policy for the unfunded actuarial accrued liability (UAAL) was changed from an open 30-year period (reset to 30 years each valuation) to a closed 30-year period (declining by one year each valuation), beginning with the April 30, 2017 valuation. Any new UAAL generated as a result of actuarial experience in subsequent years will be layered and amortized over a closed 20-year period.



## **Economic Assumptions**

*Investment return:* 7.40% per year, net of investment expenses, compounded annually. Contingent on Board approval, the assumption will decrease by 0.05% per year until reaching the ultimate rate of 7.25% in 2023.

Pay increase assumption: Rates for sample years of service are shown below.

	Annual Rate of Pay Increase							
Years of Service	<u>General</u> Wage Growth	Merit and Longevity	<u>Total</u>					
0-15	3.00%	3.50%	6.50%					
16-30	3.00%	1.50%	4.50%					
31+	3.00%	0.60%	3.60%					

*Price inflation:* 2.50% per year, compounded annually.

Payroll Growth Assumption: 3.00% per year, compounded annually.

## Mortality Tables:

Healthy Retirees: RP-2000 Healthy Annuitant Table with a 1-year age set forward, projected

to 2017 using Scale AA (also set forward 1 year). Future mortality improvement is projected generationally using the ultimate projection

scale of MP-2017 and reflects the 1-year age set-forward.

Disabled Retirees: RP-2000 Healthy Annuitant Table with a 5-year age set forward, projected

to 2017 using Scale AA (also set forward 5 year). Future mortality improvement is projected generationally using the ultimate projection

scale of MP-2017 and reflects the 5-year age set-forward.

Actives: RP-2000 Employee Table with a 1-year age set forward, projected to 2017

using Scale AA (also set forward 1 year). Future mortality improvement is projected generationally using the ultimate projection scale of MP-2017

and reflects the 1-year age set-forward.



# Rates of separation from active membership:

Years of Service	% of Active Members Separating Within Next Year
0	18.00%
1	16.50%
2	15.00%
3	13.50%
4	12.00%
5	10.50%
6	9.00%
7	7.50%
8	6.00%
9	5.00%
10	4.00%
11	3.00%
12	2.00%
13	2.00%
14	2.00%
15	2.00%
16	2.00%
17	1.50%
18	1.00%
19	0.50%
20+	0.00%

The rates do not apply to members eligible to retire and do not include separation on account of death or disability.

# Rates of Disability:

# % of Active Members Becoming Disabled Within

Sample Ages	Next Year	
25	0.023%	
30	0.030%	
35	0.038%	
40	0.053%	
45	0.075%	
50	0.135%	
55	0.270%	
60	0.675%	
65	3.200%	

It is assumed that 1/3 of disabilities will be duty related.



*Rates of Electing Refund upon Termination:* Vested members are assumed to elect a deferred benefit unless the refund of employee contributions exceeds the present value of the deferred benefit.

# Rates of Retirement:

	Tier 1 Members	
<u>Age</u>	Reduced	<u>Unreduced</u>
50		15%
		/ -
51-54		12%
55-59	3%	12%
60-61	10%	12%
62-64	10%	25%
65		25%
66-69		30%
70		100%

<u>Age</u>	Tier 2 Members Reduced	Unreduced
51-54		12%
55-59		12%
60-61	10%	12%
62-64	10%	25%
65	10%	25%
66	10%	30%
67-69		30%
70		100%

Inactive vested members are assumed to retire at the first unreduced retirement age.



#### APPENDIX C 6 ACTUARIAL COST METHOD AND ASSUMPTIONS (CONTINUED)

#### **Miscellaneous and Technical Assumptions**

Marriage Assumption: 85% of males and 55% of females are assumed to

be married for purposes of death-in-service benefits and death-after-retirement benefits. Males are assumed to be 3 years older than their spouses. Actual reported data is utilized for retirees and

beneficiaries.

Pay Increase Timing: Assumed to occur at the start of the fiscal year.

Pay Annualization: Reported pays for members with less than 1 year of

service were annualized for valuation purposes.

Decrement Timing: Decrements of all types are assumed to occur mid-

year.

Eligibility Testing: Eligibility for benefits is determined based upon the

age nearest birthday and service nearest whole year at the start of the year in which the decrement is

assumed to occur.

Benefit Service: Service calculated to the nearest month, as of the

decrement date, is used to determine the amount of

benefit payable.

Other: Turnover decrement does not operate during

retirement eligibility.

*Interest on Member Contributions:* None assumed.

Form of Payment: The assumed normal form of payment is a 50% joint

and survivor annuity, if married. Otherwise, a single

life annuity.

Administrative Expense: 0.50% of payroll each year. Administrative

expenses beyond this allocation and all investment expenses are assumed to be funded by investment return in excess of the actuarial assumed rate of

return.

Cost of Living Adjustment: It was assumed the Retirement Board will grant, on

average, a 2.5% cost of living adjustment each year.



#### APPENDIX D ó GLOSSARY OF TERMS

Actuarial Accrued Liability

The difference between the actuarial present value of system benefits and the actuarial value of future normal costs. Also referred to as "accrued liability" or "actuarial liability."

Actuarial Assumptions Estimates of future experience with respect to rates of mortality, disability, turnover, retirement, rate or rates of investment income and salary increases. Decrement assumptions (rates of mortality, disability, turnover and retirement) are generally based on past experience, often modified for projected changes in conditions. Economic assumptions (salary increases and investment income) consist of an underlying rate in an inflation-free environment plus a provision for a long term average rate of inflation.

**Accrued Service** 

Service credited under the system which was rendered before the date of the actuarial valuation.

Actuarial Equivalent A single amount or series of amounts of equal actuarial value to another single amount or series of amounts, computed on the basis of appropriate assumptions.

Actuarial Cost Method A mathematical budgeting procedure for allocating the dollar amount of the actuarial present value of retirement system benefit between future normal cost and actuarial accrued liability. Sometimes referred to as the "actuarial funding method."

Experience Gain (Loss)

The difference between actual experience and actuarial assumptions anticipated experience during the period between two actuarial valuation dates.

Actuarial Present Value The amount of funds currently required to provide a payment or series of payments in the future. It is determined by discounting future payments at predetermined rates of interest and by probabilities of payment.

**Amortization** 

Paying off an interest-discounted amount with periodic payments of interest and principal, as opposed to paying off with lump sum payment.

**Normal Cost** 

The actuarial present value of retirement system benefits allocated to the current year by the actuarial cost method.

Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability

The difference between actuarial accrued liability and the valuation assets.

Most retirement systems have an unfunded actuarial accrued liability. They arise each time new benefits are added and each time an actuarial loss is realized.

The existence of unfunded actuarial accrued liability is not in itself bad, any more than a mortgage on a house is bad. Unfunded actuarial accrued liability does not represent a debt that is payable today. What is important is the ability to amortize the unfunded actuarial accrued liability and the trend in its amount.



#### **KCPERS Policy**

Policy #027 - Funding Policy Adopted: November 8, 2016 Revised: September 12, 2019

The purpose of the funding policy is to state the overall funding goals for the Police Retirement System of Kansas City, Missouri and Ekkklep"Go r m{gguø"Tgklego gpv"U{uvgo "qh"vj g"Rqrkeg"F gr ctvo gpv"qh"Mcpucu" City, Missouri (KCPERS or System), the benchmarks that will be used to measure progress in achieving those goals, and the methods and assumptions that will be employed to develop the benchmarks.

#### I. Funding Goals

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- To maintain an increasing ratio of assets to actuarial liabilities and reach a funded ratio of at least 100 percent;
- To maintain adequate asset levels to finance the benefits promised to members;
- To develop a pattern of stable contribution amounts and rates as a percentage of member payroll. This goal is achieved by contribution amounts from the City of Kansas City, Missouri and rates as a percentage of payroll from members of the Systems as set out in sections 86.1000 and 86.1010RSMo. for the Police plan and sections 86.1390 and 86.1400RSMo. for the Ekkhlep'Go r m{gguơr nep0'lip'qtf gt ''q'gxcnwcy''y j gyi gt''the contribution amounts and rates are sufficient, an annual Actuarial Required Contribution Rate (ARC) will be calculated in the annual valuations of the Systems. The ARC may be referred to in the valuations as the Actuarial Determined Contribution Rate (ADC). Such valuations will be prepared in accordance with the principles of practice promulgated by the Actuarial Standards Board. The ARC will be calculated as the normal cost rate plus the amortization payment on the unfunded actuarial liability, based on the amortization methodology set out in this funding policy. The ARC will never be less than the normal cost rate determined under the Entry Age Normal funding method.
- To provide intergenerational equity for members and taxpayers with respect to KCRGTUø" contribution requirements.



#### II. Benchmarks

To track progress in achieving the previously outlined funding goals, the following benchmarks will be o gcuwtgf "cppwcm("cu"qh'y g"cewctlcn'xcnwclqp"f cvg" kj "f wg"tgeqi pkkqp" y cv'c "ukpi rg" { gctøu tguwts may not be indicative of long-term trends):

- Funded ratio ó Vj g'hwpf gf 'tcvkq. 'f ghlpgf 'cu'vj g'cewctlcn'xcnwg'qh'MERGTUø'cuugwi'f kxkf gf 'd{ "MERGTUø'cewctlcn'hcdkrkv{.'uj qwrf 'dg'kpetgcukpi 'qxgt''ko g. 'dghqtg'cf lwuvo gpwi'hqt'ej cpi gu'kp'' benefits, actuarial methods, and/or actuarial assumptions.
- **Evaluation of Contribution Amounts and Rates ó** The Retirement Board Trustees have a fiduciary responsibility to ensure the funding of the Systems by maintaining the contribution amounts and rates set out in state statutes. The Trustees recognize that the ARC will fluctuate from year to year, due to the volatility associated with investing in the financial markets. Therefore, valuation results which produce an ARC that is higher or lower than the current contribution amounts and rates will be submitted to the City for inclusion in the next budget cycle.

#### III. Actuarial Methods and Assumptions

Actuarial Assumptions: The actuarial assumptions used will be those last adopted by the Trustees based upon the cf xleg"cpf "tgeqo o gpf clkqp"qh"y g"cewct {0'C"hqto cn'uwf {"qh"MERGTUø"gzr gtkgpeg"uj cm'dg" conducted by the actuary at least every five years and the results of the study used to form the basis of the cewct {øu"tgeqo o gpf clkqpu0"Kp"cf f kkqp."y g"cewcn"gzr gtkgnce compared to the actuarial assumptions will be monitored each year in the annual actuarial valuation by including an analysis of the actuarial gain or loss by source.

**Actuarial Cost Method**: The actuarial cost method is the means by which the total present value of future benefits for current active and inactive members is allocated to each year of service, including past years. The Entry Age cost method will be used.

Asset Valuation Method<"'Vj g"o gyj qf "qh"xcrwkpi "cuuguu"ku"kpvgpf gf "vq"tgeqi pk g"c"õuo qqyj gf ö"xcrwg"qh" assets that is market related. Asset smoothing methods reduce the effect of short term volatility on contributions while still tracking the overall movement of the market value of assets by recognizing the effects of investment gains and losses over a period of years. The asset valuation method uses the difference between the actual and assumed investment return on the market value of assets, recognized evenly over a five year period. No corridor is used with this asset valuation method.

Amortization of the Unfunded Actuarial Liability (UAL): The UAL as of April 30, 2017 is amortized over a closed, 30-year period. Any new UAL generated as a result of actuarial experience in subsequent years will be separately identified as a new amortization base and amortized over a closed 20 year period. Any new UAL generated as a result of changes to benefits will be amortized over a closed 20 year period. Changes in the UAL resulting from changes in the actuarial assumptions or methods used in the valuation will be amortized over a period not to exceed 25 years, as determined by the Board upon the recommendation of the actuary. All amortization payments will be developed using the level percent of payroll methodology.



#### IV. Other

Actuarial Audit: The Trusvggu'o c{"j cxg"cp"cwf kdhlMERGTUø'cewctlcn'xcnwcdqp"tguwnu"eqpf weyf "d{" an independent actuary periodically, as determined by the Trustees. The purpose of such a review is to provide a critique of the reasonableness of the actuarial methods and assumptions in use and to verify the resulting actuarially computed liabilities and contribution rates.

**Benefit Changes**: An actuarial cost study shall be completed before any change to the benefit structure is made.

**Actuarial Projections**: The funded status of KCPERS will be monitored on a regular basis, both on a snapshot basis in the actuarial valuation and on a projected basis. The Trustees will periodically have projections of funded status performed to assess the current and expected future progress toward the overall funding goals of KCPERS.

# V. Funding Policy Review

It is expected that the funding policy may need to be amended in future years as the funding of the Retirement Systems is a dynamic process which is dependent on a number of variables. Therefore, the funding policy will be reviewed annually following the annual actuarial valuation and amended as necessary by the Trustees.