

President's Message

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In my first meeting as a member of the Pension Board I learned that we have continuing issues with the way some pension benefits have been calculated. I don't want anyone to panic as these problems do not come close to the size and scope as a result of the misguided audit. Laura Hall, our benefits administrator, is investigating these issues and will notify affected retirees, by letter, as to any problem and remedy. If you receive a letter and have questions you can call Laura or me I am relieved that we, finally, have such a responsible and knowledgeable administrator to help make sure our benefits are correct.

On a happier note, it appears as though we will be getting the support, we need for our Peer Support Program. We need to have our program melded with the Peer Support of the Department. We are working to that end.

I hope you are all healthy and safe. Remember to sign up for lunch and we will see you there.