

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES
FIREFIGHTERS' PENSION & RELIEF FUND
BOARD MEETING
Wednesday, October 7, 2026
5710 General Haig Street
New Orleans, LA 70124
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ROLL CALL

COMMUNICATIONS

None

REVIEW & ACCEPT MINUTES

Board Meeting for Wednesday, September 9, 2026

REFUND OF CONTRIBUTIONS

Albert Lindsey, Jr. – Firefighter with 6 years of service. Requesting refund of contributions.

CHANGE OF BENEFICIARY

Keith A. Frederick, Henry T. Schorr

DROP WITHDRAWAL

None

The Board of Trustees hereby reserves its right to enter executive session pursuant to R.S. 42:17 (A) (1) for discussion of the character or professional competence of the juridical entities identified in agenda items below and to review medical documentation and reserve privacy rights to members and widows for Service-Connected Disability Pension applications. The Board of Trustees hereby further reserves its right to enter executive session pursuant to R.S. 42:17 (A) (2) for discussion of strategy or negotiations with respect to actual litigation, where an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the litigating position of NOFF in any judicial matters related to agenda item above; all pertinent notification has been provided.

R. S. 11:3376 DISABILITY APPLICANTS

None

REGULAR RETIREMENT APPLICANTS

None

REVERSE DROP APPLICANTS

None

DROP APPLICANTS

Marco J. Iverson – New Fund Captain – Age:52 with 30 years of Total Creditable Service. Application for Deferred Retirement Option Plan effective September 1, 2026.

Anthony Hardy – New Fund Captain – Age:57 with 30 years of Total Creditable Service. Application for Deferred Retirement Option Plan effective September 1, 2026.

PLOP APPLICANTS

None

WIDOW'S APPLICANTS

None

DEPENDENT CHILD APPLICANTS

None

APPLICATIONS PENDING

None

REPORTS OF DEATH:

Pensioners:

Joseph W. Gibson, Jr. (Old Fund): died September 21, 2026 at the age of 84 with no wife nor minor children. Date of employment: October 26, 1967 with 13 years of service. He spent 45 years on pension.

Widows

Violet D. LaBruzzo (Old Fund): died May 15, 2026 at the age of 95, preceded in death by her husband, Richard LaBruzzo. Her benefits began January 1, 2000 with 26 years on benefit.

Becki A. Vincent (Old Fund): died August 26, 2026 at the age of 65, preceded in death by her husband, Arby Vincent, Jr. Her benefits began February 1, 1999 with 27 years on benefit.

Cheryl Ann Washington (New Fund): died May 26, 2026 at the age of 62, preceded by her husband, Robin Washington. Her benefits began December 1, 2023 with 2 years and 5 months on benefit.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Funding – September 2026	New Fund	Old Fund
Appropriations	\$3,955,000.00	\$ 824,000.00
Employee Contributions	368,638.22	-
Monthly Benefit Totals	2,565,599.80	678,003.77
DROP/PLOP Payments	480,885.40	-

Active Suppression

Total as of August 31, 2026	615
Additions (New Hires/Rehires)	0
Reductions (Resignations/Retirees)	4
Total as of September 30, 2026	611

Retirees Recipients (Payroll)	New Fund	Old Fund
Member Retirees (Regular, Disability, etc.):		
Total as of August 31, 2026	670	114
Additions	1	0
Reductions	0	0
Total as of September 30, 2026	671	114

Benefit Recipients (Spouses, Children, Parents, etc.):	New Fund	Old Fund
Total as of August 31, 2026	185	176
Additions	0	0
Reductions	0	-1
Total as of September 30, 2026	185	175

OLD BUSINESS

SEB information from City

Payroll priority of FF Pension Contributions vs. other voluntary withholdings

NEW BUSINESS

Aon presentation

Cooperative Endeavor Agreement: Update on negotiations with the City of New Orleans and the New Orleans Firefighters Association Local 632 on an amendment to the Cooperative Endeavour Agreement between the parties.

Disability Appeal Hearing: John Styron has requested to appeal the Board's decision which denied his disability application. A hearing date should be set up.

LEGAL

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2027 Budget

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