

**CITY OF NORTH PORT  
FIREFIGHTERS' PENSION - LOCAL OPTION TRUST FUND**

**SECTION 112.664, FLORIDA STATUTES COMPLIANCE  
DETERMINED AS OF THE  
OCTOBER 1, 2022 VALUATION DATE**



July 19, 2023

VIA E-MAIL

Mr. David Carroll  
492 River Hills Drive  
Max Meadows, VA 24360

Re: City of North Port Firefighters' Pension - Local Option Trust Fund  
Section 112.664, Florida Statutes Compliance

Dear David:

Please find enclosed the annual disclosures that satisfy the October 1, 2022 financial reporting requirements made under Section 112.664.

Our office will submit this information electronically to the Department of Management Services. However, it is important for you to be aware that this report must also be made available on the Plan or Plan Sponsor's website, if such website exists. A deadline for this website publication is not made clear in the law.


In addition to the enclosed report, the Plan or Plan Sponsor's website must provide a link to the Division of Retirement's Actuarial Summary Fact Sheet for the Plan, and also report the previous five years' assumed and actual rates of return, along with their respective asset allocations. The Board should contact its Investment Consultant for this information.

With respect to the reporting standards for defined benefit retirement plans or systems contained in Section 112.664(1), F.S., the actuarial disclosures required under this section were prepared and completed by me or under my direct supervision and I acknowledge responsibility for the results. To the best of my knowledge, the results are complete and accurate, and in my opinion, meet the requirements of Section 112.664(1), Florida Statutes, and Rule 60T-1.0035, Florida Administrative Code.

If there are any questions, concerns, or comments about any of the items contained in this report, please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully submitted,

Foster & Foster, Inc.

By:   
Douglas H. Lozen, EA, MAAA  
Enrolled Actuary #23-7778

Enclosures

cc via email: Paul Donnelly, Board Attorney

When reviewing the following schedules, please note the following:

- 1) The purpose of producing this report is solely to satisfy the requirements set forth by Section 112.664, Florida Statutes, and is mandatory for every Florida public pension fund, excluding the Florida Retirement System (FRS).
- 2) None of the schedules shown have any impact on the funding requirements of the Plan. These schedules are for statutory compliance purposes only.
- 3) In the schedules that follow, the columns labeled “ACTUAL” represent the final recorded GASB 67/68 results. The columns labeled “HYPOTHETICAL” illustrate what the results would have been if different assumptions were used.
- 4) It is our opinion that the Plan’s actual assumptions utilized in the October 1, 2022 Actuarial Valuation Report, as adopted by the Board of Trustees, are reasonable individually and in the aggregate, and represent our best estimate of future Plan experience.
- 5) The “Number of Years Expected Benefit Payments Sustained” calculated in Section II: Asset Sustainability should not be interpreted as the number of years the Plan has left until it is insolvent. This calculation is required by 112.664, Florida Statutes, but the numeric result is irrelevant, since in its calculation we are to assume there will be no further contributions to the Fund. As long as the Actuarially Determined Contribution is made each year the Plan will never become insolvent.

SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN NET PENSION LIABILITY  
FISCAL YEAR SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

|   | ACTUAL               | HYPOTHETICAL         |
|---|----------------------|----------------------|
| Discount Rate:  | 6.75%                | 4.75%                |
| <u>Total Pension Liability</u>                                |                      |                      |
| Service Cost  | 1,007,552            | 1,669,973            |
| Interest  | 4,204,163            | 3,914,985            |
| Changes of Benefit Terms                                      | -                    | -                    |
| Differences Between Expected and Actual Experience            | 613,506              | 1,221,844            |
| Changes of Assumptions  | 4,000,894            | 6,167,448            |
| Benefit Payments, Including Refunds of Employee Contributions | (3,018,499)          | (3,018,499)          |
| Net Change in Total Pension Liability                         | 6,807,616            | 9,955,751            |
| Total Pension Liability - Beginning                           | 60,561,162           | 78,138,970           |
| Total Pension Liability - Ending (a)                          | <u>\$ 67,368,778</u> | <u>\$ 88,094,721</u> |
| <u>Plan Fiduciary Net Position</u>                            |                      |                      |
| Contributions - Employer                                      | 789,693              | 789,693              |
| Contributions - State   | 340,753              | 340,753              |
| Contributions - Fund Repayment to State for Overpayment       | (432,493)            | (432,493)            |
| Contributions - Employee                                      | 428,610              | 428,610              |
| Net Investment Income   | (9,073,913)          | (9,073,913)          |
| Benefit Payments, Including Refunds of Employee Contributions | (3,018,499)          | (3,018,499)          |
| Administrative Expenses                                       | (84,813)             | (84,813)             |
| Net Change in Plan Fiduciary Net Position                     | (11,050,662)         | (11,050,662)         |
| Plan Fiduciary Net Position - Beginning                       | 65,404,889           | 65,404,889           |
| Plan Fiduciary Net Position - Ending (b)                      | <u>\$ 54,354,227</u> | <u>\$ 54,354,227</u> |
| Net Pension Liability - Ending (a) - (b)                      | <u>\$ 13,014,551</u> | <u>\$ 33,740,494</u> |

## PROJECTION OF THE NUMBER OF YEARS ASSETS WILL SUSTAIN BENEFIT PAYMENTS

Table 1  
Plan Assumptions: Discount Rate = 6.75%

| Fiscal Year<br>Beginning 10/1 | Projected Beginning<br>Fiduciary Net Position | Projected Total<br>Contributions | Projected Benefit<br>Payments* | Projected<br>Administrative<br>Expense | Projected Investment<br>Earnings | Projected Ending<br>Fiduciary Net Position |
|-------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|--|
| 2022                          | 54,354,227                                    | -                                | 4,442,676                      | -                                      | 3,518,970                        | 53,430,521                                 |
| 2023                          | 53,430,521                                    | -                                | 2,720,925                      | -                                      | 3,514,729                        | 54,224,325                                 |
| 2024                          | 54,224,325                                    | -                                | 2,847,206                      | -                                      | 3,564,049                        | 54,941,168                                 |
| 2025                          | 54,941,168                                    | -                                | 3,061,120                      | -                                      | 3,605,216                        | 55,485,264                                 |
| 2026                          | 55,485,264                                    | -                                | 3,286,375                      | -                                      | 3,634,340                        | 55,833,229                                 |
| 2027                          | 55,833,229                                    | -                                | 3,414,272                      | -                                      | 3,653,511                        | 56,072,468                                 |
| 2028                          | 56,072,468                                    | -                                | 3,583,137                      | -                                      | 3,663,961                        | 56,153,292                                 |
| 2029                          | 56,153,292                                    | -                                | 3,730,414                      | -                                      | 3,664,446                        | 56,087,324                                 |
| 2030                          | 56,087,324                                    | -                                | 3,939,211                      | -                                      | 3,652,946                        | 55,801,059                                 |
| 2031                          | 55,801,059                                    | -                                | 4,134,064                      | -                                      | 3,627,047                        | 55,294,042                                 |
| 2032                          | 55,294,042                                    | -                                | 4,320,588                      | -                                      | 3,586,528                        | 54,559,982                                 |
| 2033                          | 54,559,982                                    | -                                | 4,449,958                      | -                                      | 3,532,613                        | 53,642,637                                 |
| 2034                          | 53,642,637                                    | -                                | 4,690,543                      | -                                      | 3,462,572                        | 52,414,666                                 |
| 2035                          | 52,414,666                                    | -                                | 4,756,996                      | -                                      | 3,377,441                        | 51,035,111                                 |
| 2036                          | 51,035,111                                    | -                                | 4,834,291                      | -                                      | 3,281,713                        | 49,482,533                                 |
| 2037                          | 49,482,533                                    | -                                | 4,891,690                      | -                                      | 3,174,976                        | 47,765,819                                 |
| 2038                          | 47,765,819                                    | -                                | 4,903,804                      | -                                      | 3,058,689                        | 45,920,704                                 |
| 2039                          | 45,920,704                                    | -                                | 4,898,562                      | -                                      | 2,934,321                        | 43,956,463                                 |
| 2040                          | 43,956,463                                    | -                                | 4,864,036                      | -                                      | 2,802,900                        | 41,895,327                                 |
| 2041                          | 41,895,327                                    | -                                | 4,824,314                      | -                                      | 2,665,114                        | 39,736,127                                 |
| 2042                          | 39,736,127                                    | -                                | 4,776,924                      | -                                      | 2,520,967                        | 37,480,170                                 |
| 2043                          | 37,480,170                                    | -                                | 4,722,882                      | -                                      | 2,370,514                        | 35,127,802                                 |
| 2044                          | 35,127,802                                    | -                                | 4,652,980                      | -                                      | 2,214,089                        | 32,688,911                                 |
| 2045                          | 32,688,911                                    | -                                | 4,576,983                      | -                                      | 2,052,028                        | 30,163,956                                 |
| 2046                          | 30,163,956                                    | -                                | 4,487,143                      | -                                      | 1,884,626                        | 27,561,439                                 |
| 2047                          | 27,561,439                                    | -                                | 4,383,345                      | -                                      | 1,712,459                        | 24,890,553                                 |
| 2048                          | 24,890,553                                    | -                                | 4,271,981                      | -                                      | 1,535,933                        | 22,154,505                                 |
| 2049                          | 22,154,505                                    | -                                | 4,146,906                      | -                                      | 1,355,471                        | 19,363,070                                 |
| 2050                          | 19,363,070                                    | -                                | 4,014,109                      | -                                      | 1,171,531                        | 16,520,492                                 |
| 2051                          | 16,520,492                                    | -                                | 3,872,635                      | -                                      | 984,432                          | 13,632,289                                 |
| 2052                          | 13,632,289                                    | -                                | 3,721,921                      | -                                      | 794,565                          | 10,704,933                                 |
| 2053                          | 10,704,933                                    | -                                | 3,565,313                      | -                                      | 602,254                          | 7,741,874                                  |
| 2054                          | 7,741,874                                     | -                                | 3,403,428                      | -                                      | 407,711                          | 4,746,157                                  |
| 2055                          | 4,746,157                                     | -                                | 3,237,046                      | -                                      | 211,115                          | 1,720,226                                  |
| 2056                          | 1,720,226                                     | -                                | 3,067,077                      | -                                      | -                                | -  |

\*All DROP and Share Balances paid in 2022.

Number of Years Expected Benefit Payments Sustained: 34.56

This projection assumes no further contributions, assumes no further benefit accruals, and assumes Market Value of Assets earn 7.80% interest.

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## PROJECTION OF THE NUMBER OF YEARS ASSETS WILL SUSTAIN BENEFIT PAYMENTS

Table 2  
Hypothetical Assumptions: Discount Rate = 4.75%

| Fiscal Year<br>Beginning 10/1 | Projected Beginning<br>Fiduciary Net Position | Projected Total<br>Contributions | Projected Benefit<br>Payments* | Projected<br>Administrative<br>Expense | Projected Investment<br>Earnings | Projected Ending<br>Fiduciary Net Position |
|-------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|--|
| 2022                          | 54,354,227                                    | -                                | 4,442,676                      | -                                      | 2,476,312                        | 52,387,863                                 |
| 2023                          | 52,387,863                                    | -                                | 2,720,925                      | -                                      | 2,423,802                        | 52,090,740                                 |
| 2024                          | 52,090,740                                    | -                                | 2,847,206                      | -                                      | 2,406,689                        | 51,650,223                                 |
| 2025                          | 51,650,223                                    | -                                | 3,061,120                      | -                                      | 2,380,684                        | 50,969,787                                 |
| 2026                          | 50,969,787                                    | -                                | 3,286,375                      | -                                      | 2,343,013                        | 50,026,425                                 |
| 2027                          | 50,026,425                                    | -                                | 3,414,272                      | -                                      | 2,295,166                        | 48,907,319                                 |
| 2028                          | 48,907,319                                    | -                                | 3,583,137                      | -                                      | 2,237,998                        | 47,562,180                                 |
| 2029                          | 47,562,180                                    | -                                | 3,730,414                      | -                                      | 2,170,606                        | 46,002,372                                 |
| 2030                          | 46,002,372                                    | -                                | 3,939,211                      | -                                      | 2,091,556                        | 44,154,717                                 |
| 2031                          | 44,154,717                                    | -                                | 4,134,064                      | -                                      | 1,999,165                        | 42,019,818                                 |
| 2032                          | 42,019,818                                    | -                                | 4,320,588                      | -                                      | 1,893,327                        | 39,592,557                                 |
| 2033                          | 39,592,557                                    | -                                | 4,449,958                      | -                                      | 1,774,960                        | 36,917,559                                 |
| 2034                          | 36,917,559                                    | -                                | 4,690,543                      | -                                      | 1,642,184                        | 33,869,200                                 |
| 2035                          | 33,869,200                                    | -                                | 4,756,996                      | -                                      | 1,495,808                        | 30,608,012                                 |
| 2036                          | 30,608,012                                    | -                                | 4,834,291                      | -                                      | 1,339,066                        | 27,112,787                                 |
| 2037                          | 27,112,787                                    | -                                | 4,891,690                      | -                                      | 1,171,680                        | 23,392,777                                 |
| 2038                          | 23,392,777                                    | -                                | 4,903,804                      | -                                      | 994,692                          | 19,483,665                                 |
| 2039                          | 19,483,665                                    | -                                | 4,898,562                      | -                                      | 809,133                          | 15,394,236                                 |
| 2040                          | 15,394,236                                    | -                                | 4,864,036                      | -                                      | 615,705                          | 11,145,905                                 |
| 2041                          | 11,145,905                                    | -                                | 4,824,314                      | -                                      | 414,853                          | 6,736,444                                  |
| 2042                          | 6,736,444                                     | -                                | 4,776,924                      | -                                      | 206,529                          | 2,166,049                                  |
| 2043                          | 2,166,049                                     | -                                | 4,722,882                      | -                                      | -                                | -  |

\*All DROP and Share Balances paid in 2022.

Number of Years Expected Benefit Payments Sustained: 21.46

This projection assumes no further contributions, assumes no further benefit accruals, and assumes Market Value of Assets earn 5.80% interest.

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ACTUAL AND HYPOTHETICAL CONTRIBUTIONS APPLICABLE TO THE FISCAL YEAR  
ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

Valuation Date: 10/1/2022

|  | ACTUAL      | HYPOTHETICAL |
|--|-------------|--------------|
| Investment Rate of Return:                   | 6.75%       | 4.75%        |
| Minimum Required Contribution (Fixed \$)     | \$1,659,274 | \$3,524,332  |
| Minimum Required Contribution (% of Payroll) | 43.00%      | 91.32%       |
| Expected Member Contribution                 | 422,901     | 418,810      |
| Expected State Money                         | 250,000     | 250,000      |
| Expected Sponsor Contribution (Fixed \$)     | \$986,373   | \$2,855,522  |
| Expected Sponsor Contribution (% of Payroll) | 25.56%      | 73.91%       |

**ASSETS**

|                              |            |            |
|------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Actuarial Value <sup>1</sup> | 60,236,608 | 60,236,608 |
| Market Value <sup>1</sup>    | 54,354,227 | 54,354,227 |

**LIABILITIES**

Present Value of Benefits

Actives

|                         |            |            |
|-------------------------|------------|------------|
| Retirement Benefits     | 29,720,452 | 43,256,896 |
| Disability Benefits     | 246,473    | 337,629    |
| Death Benefits          | 110,800    | 135,839    |
| Vested Benefits         | 5,626,693  | 8,658,994  |
| Refund of Contributions | 0          | 0          |

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|------------------|------------|------------|
| Service Retirees | 25,180,102 | 31,221,841 |
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| DROP Retirees <sup>1</sup> | 562,863 | 716,482 |
|----------------------------|---------|---------|

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|---------------|-----------|-----------|
| Beneficiaries | 1,342,197 | 1,700,474 |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|

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| Disability Retirees | 1,368,666 | 1,685,489 |
|---------------------|-----------|-----------|

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|-------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Terminated Vested | 5,923,404 | 7,864,446 |
|-------------------|-----------|-----------|

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| Share Plan Balances <sup>1</sup> | 1,723,017 | 1,723,017 |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|

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|--------|------------|------------|
| Total: | 71,804,667 | 97,301,107 |
|--------|------------|------------|

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| Present Value of Future Salaries | 25,700,189 | 27,962,657 |
|----------------------------------|------------|------------|

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| Present Value of Future<br>Member Contributions | 2,724,220 | 2,964,042 |
|---|-----------|-----------|

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|-------------------|---------|-----------|
| Total Normal Cost | 742,803 | 1,296,800 |
|-------------------|---------|-----------|

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| Present Value of Future<br>Normal Costs (Entry Age Normal) | 4,917,921 | 9,479,476 |
|--|-----------|-----------|

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| Total Actuarial Accrued Liability (EAN) <sup>1</sup> | 66,886,746 | 87,821,631 |
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| Unfunded Actuarial Accrued<br>Liability (UAAL) | 6,650,138 | 27,585,023 |
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ACTUAL AND HYPOTHETICAL CONTRIBUTIONS APPLICABLE TO THE FISCAL YEAR  
ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

Valuation Date: 10/1/2022

|  | <u>ACTUAL</u>  | <u>HYPOTHETICAL</u> |
|--|----------------|---------------------|
| Investment Rate of Return:                     | 6.75%          | 4.75%               |
| <b><u>PENSION COST</u></b>                     |                |                     |
| Normal Cost <sup>2</sup>                       | 807,802        | 1,396,634           |
| Administrative Expenses <sup>2</sup>           | 85,897         | 85,066              |
| Payment Required To Amortize UAAL <sup>2</sup> | <u>765,575</u> | <u>2,042,632</u>    |
| Minimum Required Contribution                  | \$1,659,274    | \$3,524,332         |

<sup>1</sup> The asset values and liabilities include accumulated DROP and Share Plan Balances as of 9/30/2022.

<sup>2</sup> Contributions developed as of 10/1/2022 displayed above have been adjusted to account for assumed salary increase and interest components.