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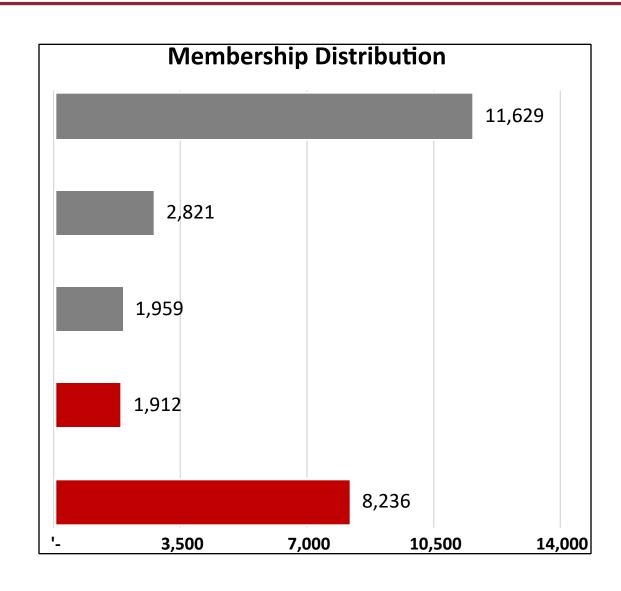
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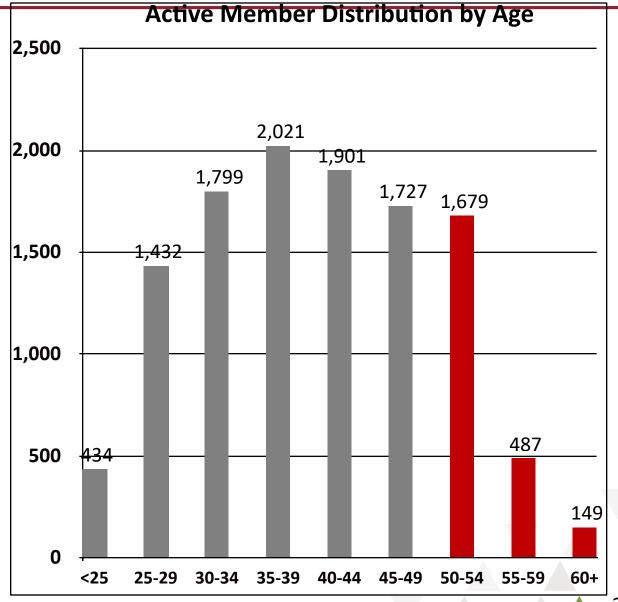
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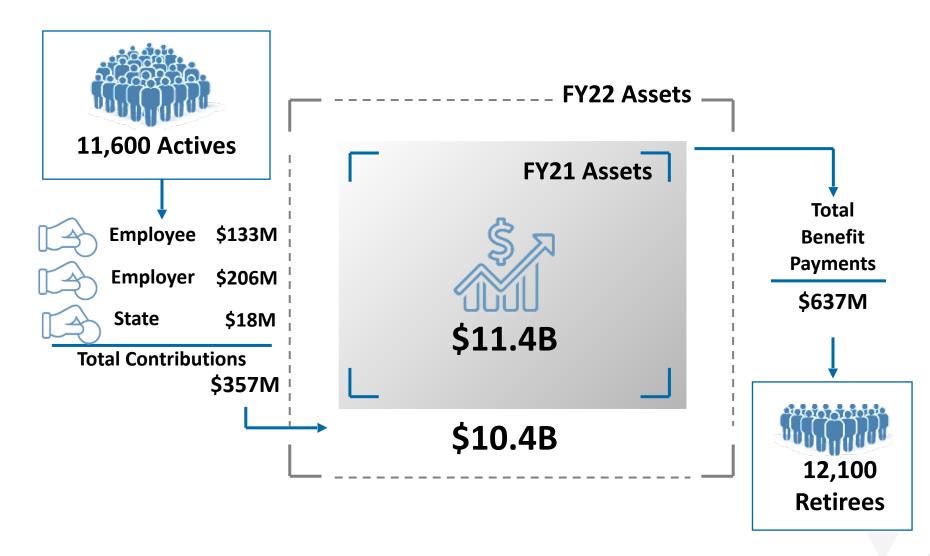


POLICE & FIRE PLAN MEMBERSHIP





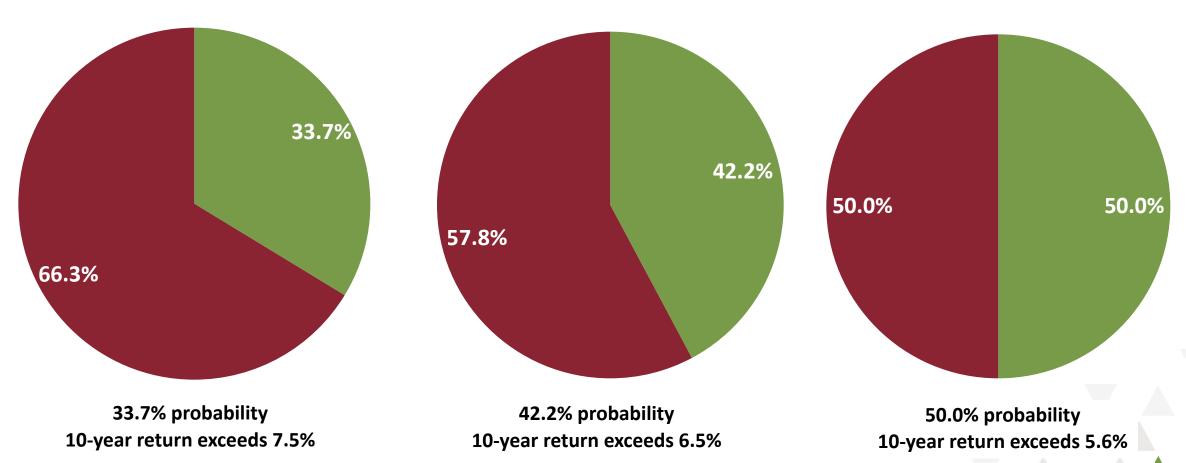
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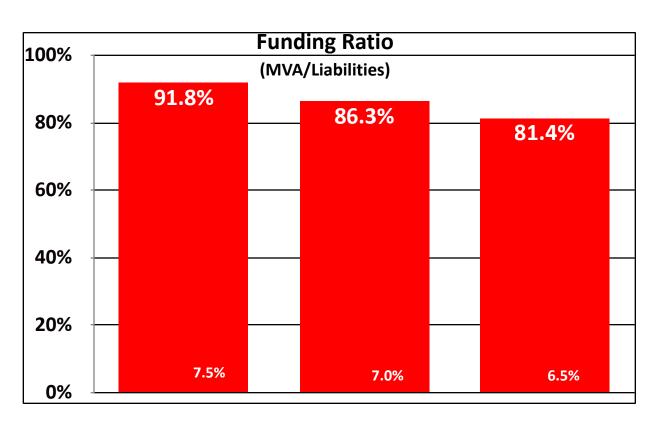
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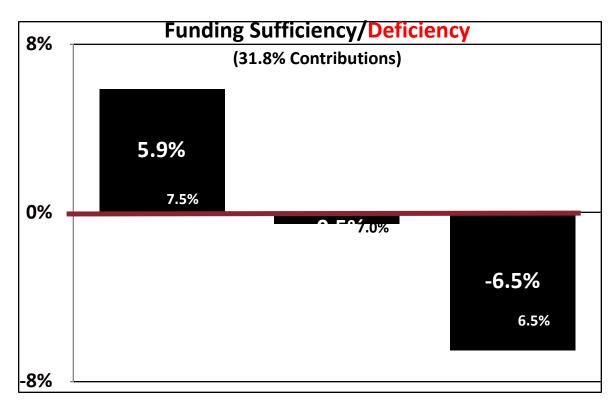
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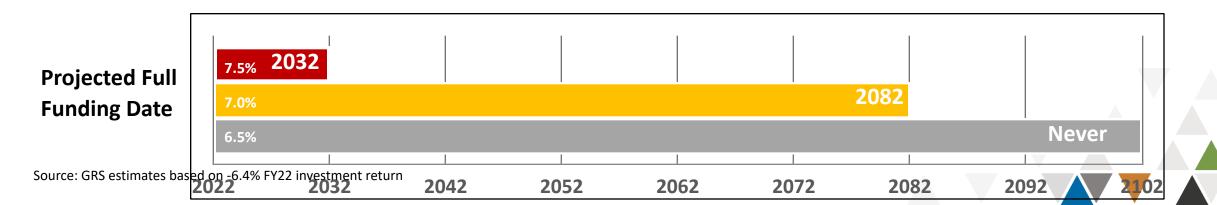




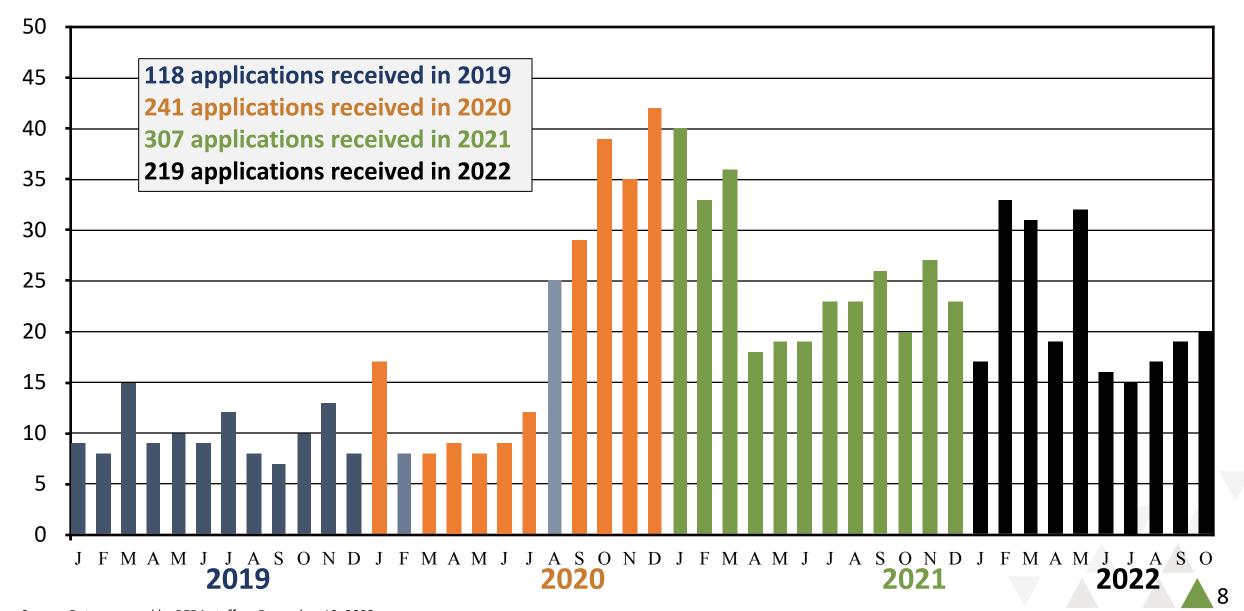
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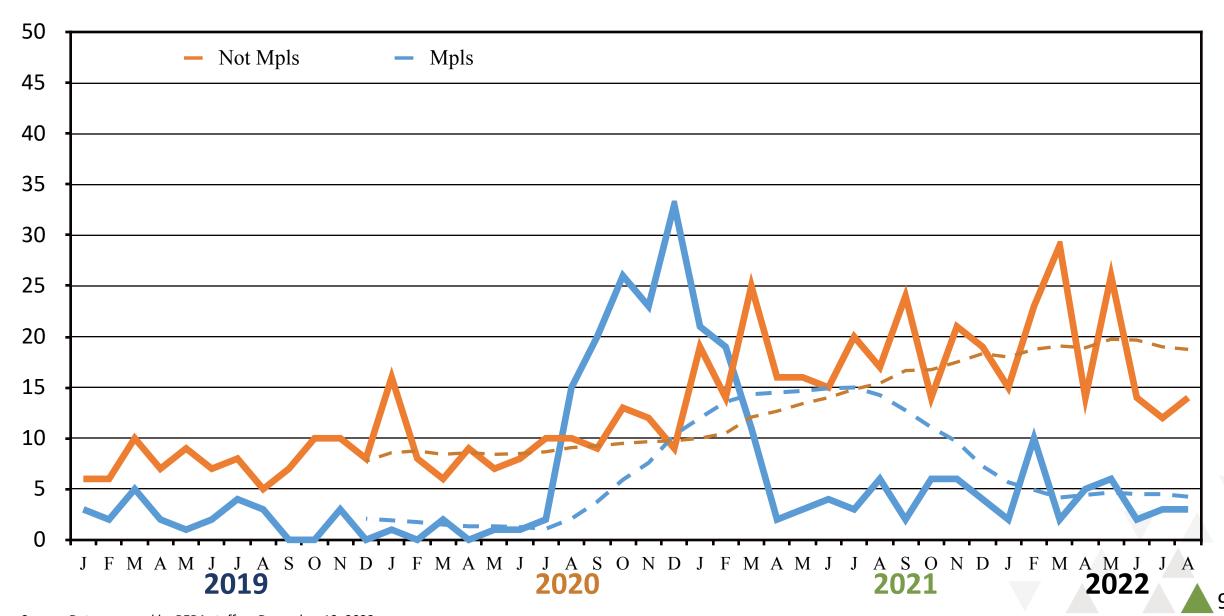


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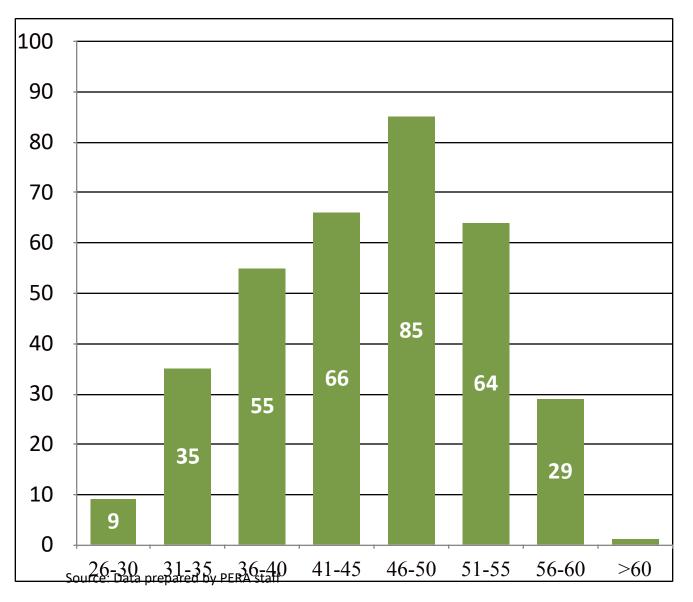


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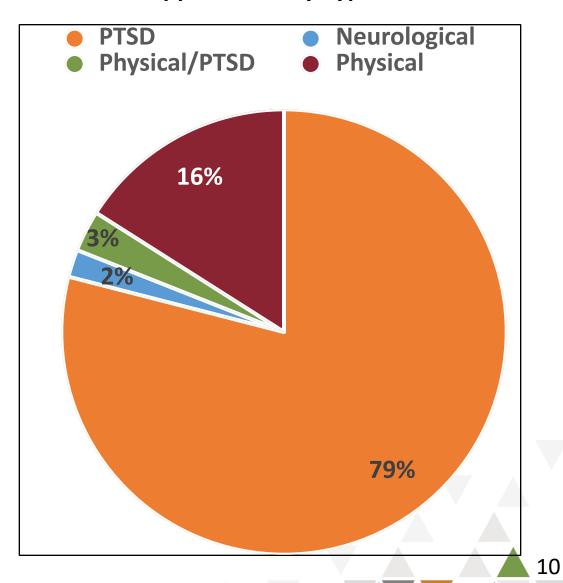


DISABILITY APPLICATIONS AGE & TYPE

Applications by Age



Applications by Type





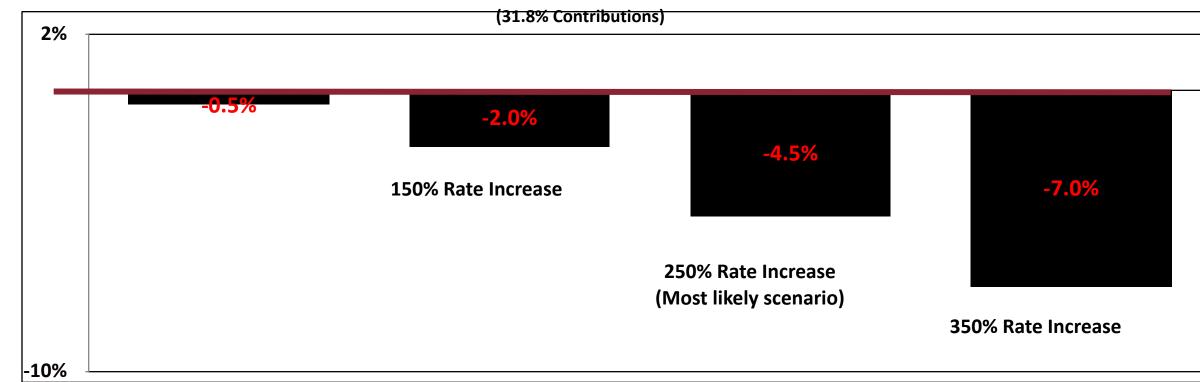
POLICE & FIRE PLAN DISABILITY ASSUMPION CHANGE

Metric	Current	Impact of Disability Rate Assumption Change		
Disability Rate Assumption	Current rates	150% Rate Increase	250% Rate Increase	350% Rate Increase
Basis for Assumption	Experience from 7/1/15 to 6/30/19	Experience from 7/1/15 to 1/31/22	Experience from 7/1/18 to 1/31/22	Experience from 7/1/20 to 1/31/22
Cost Increase (% of payroll)	N/A	1.5%	4.0%	6.5%

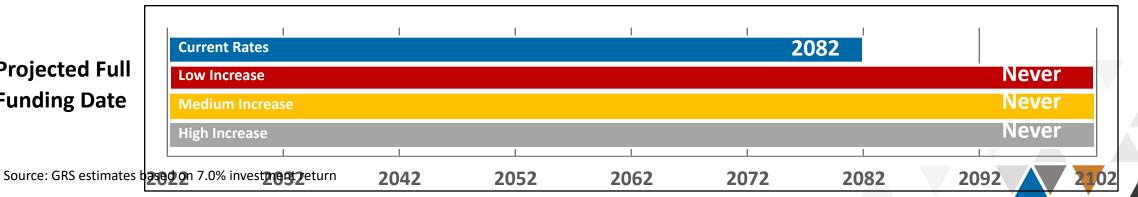


P&F 2022 ESTIMATES @7.0% W/DISABILITY RATE CHANGES

Funding Sufficiency/Deficiency







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HOW DISABILITY COSTS COMPARE TO COLA COSTS

	Impact of Disability Rate Assumption Change				
Disability Rate Assumption	150% Rate Increase	250% Rate Increase	350% Rate Increase		
Basis for Assumption	Experience from 7/1/15 to 1/31/22	Experience from 7/1/18 to 1/31/22	Experience from 7/1/20 to 1/31/22		
Cost Increase (% of payroll)	1.5%	4.0%	6.5%		

	Cost to Increase Retiree COLA from 1% to			
Postretirement Adjustment (COLA)	50% of CPI, 1.0% Min, 1.5% Max (same as General Plan)	Fixed 1.5%	100% of CPI, 1.0% Min, 2.0% Max	
Cost Increase (% of payroll)	2.1%	4.2%	6.1%	



- 1. Investment returns have been and are expected to continue to be highly volatile.
- 2. 10-year forecasts have a wide range of possible outcomes.
- 3. Disability rates continue to be higher than the current assumption.
- 4. Increased disability rates are likely to add about 4% of payroll to current cost estimates.
- 5. Cost estimates are based on total headcount remaining steady; an assumption that is now harder to meet.
- 6. The plan is not in good position to fund contribution decreases or benefit increases.
- 7. The persistently high disability rates carry significant costs that may require higher contributions and/or limit the fund's ability to provide higher COLAs in retirement.