



Santa Barbara County Employees' Retirement System

**GASB 67/68 Report
as of June 30, 2016**

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October 19, 2016

Board of Retirement
Santa Barbara County Employees' Retirement System
3916 State Street, Suite 210
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Dear Members of the Board:

The purpose of this report is to provide accounting and financial reporting information under GASB 67 for the Santa Barbara County Employees' Retirement System (SBCERS) and under GASB 68 for participating employers. This information includes:

- Determination of the discount rate as of June 30, 2016,
- Projection of SBCERS's Total Pension Liability from the valuation date to the measurement date,
- Note disclosures and required supplementary information under GASB 67 for SBCERS,
- Determination of collective amounts under GASB 68, and
- Schedules for the financial reporting of participating employers under GASB 68.

If you have any questions about the report or would like additional information, please let us know.

Sincerely,
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**SANTA BARBARA COUNTY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM
GASB 67 AND 68 REPORTING AS OF JUNE 30, 2016**

SECTION I – BOARD SUMMARY

The purpose of this report is to provide accounting and financial disclosure information under Government Accounting Standards Board Statements 67 and 68 for the Santa Barbara County Employees' Retirement System and the participating employers. This information includes:

- Determination of the discount rate as of June 30, 2016,
- Projection of SBCERS's Total Pension Liability from the valuation date to the measurement date,
- Note disclosures and required supplementary information under GASB 67 for SBCERS,
- Determination of collective amounts under GASB 68, and
- Schedules for the financial reporting of participating employers under GASB 68.

Highlights

The measurement date for the Santa Barbara County Employees' Retirement System (SBCERS) is June 30, 2016. Measurements are based on the fair value of assets as of June 30, 2016 and the Total Pension Liability as of the valuation date, June 30, 2015, updated to June 30, 2016. To the best of our knowledge, there were no significant events between the valuation date and the measurement so the update procedures only include the addition of service cost and interest cost offset by actual benefit payments.

The table below provides a summary of the key collective results during this measurement period.

Table I-1 Summary of Collective Results			
		Measurement Date	
		6/30/2016	6/30/2015
Net Pension Liability	\$	840,713,706	\$ 727,627,806
Deferred Outflows		(159,987,348)	(35,129,665)
Deferred Inflows		41,700,017	22,320,604
Net Impact on Statement of Net Position	\$	722,426,375	\$ 714,818,745
Pension Expense (\$ Amount)	\$	130,355,650	\$ 96,147,506
Pension Expense (% of Payroll)		39.63%	30.09%

The Net Pension Liability (NPL) increased by approximately \$113 million since the prior measurement date, primarily due to interest on the liability exceeding the investment income. There were also actuarial gains that reduced the NPL. The investment losses are recognized over five years, and the actuarial liability gains and assumption changes are recognized over the average remaining service life, which is also five years. Unrecognized amounts are reported as

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deferred inflows and deferred outflows. As of the end of the reporting year, the participating employers in SBCERS would report a Net Pension Liability of \$840,713,706, collective Deferred Inflows of \$41,700,017, and collective Deferred Outflows of \$159,987,348. Consequently, the net impact on the aggregate of participating employers' Statements of Net Position due to SBCERS would be \$722,426,375 at the end of the measurement year. In addition, any contributions between the measurement date and each individual employer's reporting date would be reported as deferred outflows to offset the cash outflow reported.

For the measurement year ending June 30, 2016, the collective annual pension expense is \$130,355,650 or 39.63% of covered-employee payroll. This amount is not related to participating employers' contributions to SBCERS (\$122,748,021), but instead represents the change in the net impact on participating employer's Statements of Net Position plus employer contributions (\$722,426,375 – \$714,818,745 + \$122,748,021). The collective pension expense is larger than the collective expense for the prior year. Volatility in pension expense from year to year is to be expected. It will largely be driven by investment gains or losses, but other changes can also have a significant impact. A breakdown of the components of the net pension expense is shown in the report.

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SECTION II – CERTIFICATION

The purpose of this report is to provide accounting and financial reporting information under GASB 67 for the Santa Barbara County Employees' Retirement System (SBCERS) and under GASB 68 for the employers that participate in SBCERS. This report is for the use of SBCERS, the participating employers, and their auditors in preparing financial reports in accordance with applicable law and accounting requirements. This report is not appropriate for other purposes, including the measurement of funding requirements for SBCERS.

In preparing our report, we relied on information (some oral and some written) supplied by SBCERS. This information includes, but is not limited to, the plan provisions, employee data, and financial information. We performed an informal examination of the obvious characteristics of the data for reasonableness and consistency in accordance with Actuarial Standard of Practice No. 23.

Future actuarial measurements may differ significantly from the current measurements 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; and, changes in plan provisions or applicable law.

To the best of our knowledge, this report and its contents have been prepared in accordance with generally recognized and accepted actuarial principles and practices that are consistent with the Code of Professional Conduct and applicable Actuarial Standards of Practice set out by the Actuarial Standards Board. Furthermore, as credentialed actuaries, we meet the Qualification Standards of the American Academy of Actuaries to render the opinion contained in this report. This report does not address any contractual or legal issues. We are not attorneys and our firm does not provide any legal services or advice.

This report was prepared for SBCERS for the purposes described herein and for the use by the plan auditor in completing an audit related to the matters herein. Other users of this report are not intended users as defined in the Actuarial Standards of Practice, and Cheiron assumes no duty or liability to any other user.



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SECTION III – DETERMINATION OF DISCOUNT RATE

The discount rate used to measure the Total Pension Liability was 7.50%.

The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that plan member contributions will continue to be made at the required rates. Employer contributions were assumed to be made in accordance with the contribution policy in effect for the June 30, 2015 actuarial valuation. That policy includes contributions equal to the actuarially determined contribution, reflecting a payment equal to annual Normal Cost, a portion of the expected Administrative Expenses, an amortization payment for the creation of Safety Plan 6 over a closed period (13 years remaining as of the June 30, 2015 actuarial valuation) and an amount necessary to amortize the Unfunded Actuarial Liability as of June 30, 2013 as a level percentage of payroll over a closed period (15 years remaining as of the June 30, 2015 actuarial valuation). Changes in the Unfunded Actuarial Liability established after June 30, 2013 amortized over separate 19 year closed periods, reflecting a five-year ramp-up and ramp-down in the amortization payment.

We have not performed a formal cash flow projection as described under Paragraph 41 of GASB Statement 67. However, Paragraph 43 allows for alternative methods to confirm the sufficiency of the Net Position if the evaluations “can be made with sufficient reliability without a separate projection of cash flows into and out of the pension plan...” In our professional judgment, adherence to the actuarial funding policy described above will result in the pension plan’s projected Fiduciary Net Position being greater than or equal to the benefit payments projected for each future period.

Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on Plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the Total Pension Liability.

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SECTION IV – PROJECTION OF TOTAL PENSION LIABILITY

The Total Pension Liability (TPL) at the end of the measurement year, June 30, 2016, is measured as of a valuation date of June 30, 2015 and projected to June 30, 2016. There were no significant events during the projection period of which we are aware. Because the TPL shown in the prior report was measured as of June 30, 2014 and projected to June 30, 2015, it will not match the amounts measured as of June 30, 2015 that are shown in this exhibit.

The table below shows the projection of the TPL at discount rates equal to the rate used for disclosure and plus and minus one percent from the rate used for disclosure.

Table IV-1			
Projection of Collective Total Pension Liability from Valuation to Measurement Date			
Discount Rate	6.50%	7.50%	8.50%
Valuation Collective Total Pension Liability, 6/30/2015			
Actives	\$ 1,546,886,358	\$ 1,304,158,872	\$ 1,108,971,604
Deferred Vested	148,982,182	125,636,460	107,401,748
Retirees	<u>1,988,622,234</u>	<u>1,801,338,699</u>	<u>1,643,455,075</u>
Total	\$ 3,684,490,774	\$ 3,231,134,031	\$ 2,859,828,427
Service Cost	91,514,892	71,218,683	56,087,607
Benefit Payments	146,657,716	146,657,716	146,657,716
Interest	237,727,971	239,557,231	239,314,681
Collective Total Pension Liability, 6/30/2016	\$ 3,867,075,921	\$ 3,395,252,229	\$ 3,008,572,999

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Note Disclosures

The table below shows the changes in the Total Pension Liability, the Plan Fiduciary Net Position (i.e., fair value of System assets), and the Net Pension Liability during the measurement year.

Table V-1 Change in Collective Net Pension Liability			
	Increase (Decrease)		
	Total Pension Liability (a)	Plan Fiduciary Net Position (b)	Net Pension Liability (a) - (b)
Balances at 6/30/2015	\$ 3,260,156,781	\$ 2,532,528,974	\$ 727,627,806
Changes for the year:			
Service cost	71,218,683		71,218,683
Interest	241,733,937		241,733,937
Changes of benefits	0		0
Differences between expected and actual experience	(31,199,455)		(31,199,455)
Changes of assumptions	0		0
Contributions - employer		122,748,021	(122,748,021)
Contributions - member		18,311,646	(18,311,646)
Net investment income		32,800,406	(32,800,406)
Benefit payments	(146,657,716)	(146,657,716)	0
Administrative expense		(5,192,807)	5,192,807
Net changes	<u>135,095,449</u>	<u>22,009,549</u>	<u>113,085,900</u>
Balances at 6/30/2016	<u>\$ 3,395,252,229</u>	<u>\$ 2,554,538,523</u>	<u>\$ 840,713,706</u>

During the measurement year, the collective NPL increased by approximately \$113 million. The service cost, interest cost, and recognition of administrative expense increased the collective NPL by approximately \$318 million while contributions, investment income, and actuarial gains decreased the collective NPL by approximately \$205 million.

There were no changes in benefits or assumptions during the year. There were actuarial experience gains during the year of approximately \$31 million.

Changes in the discount rate affect the measurement of the TPL. Lower discount rates produce a higher TPL and higher discount rates produce a lower TPL. Because the discount rate does not affect the measurement of assets, the percentage change in the NPL can be very significant for a relatively small change in the discount rate. The table on the next page shows the sensitivity of the collective NPL to the discount rate.

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Table V-2			
Sensitivity of Collective Net Pension Liability to Changes in Discount Rate			
	1% Decrease 6.50%	Discount Rate 7.50%	1% Increase 8.50%
Total Pension Liability	\$ 3,867,075,921	\$ 3,395,252,229	\$ 3,008,572,999
Plan Fiduciary Net Position	<u>2,554,538,523</u>	<u>2,554,538,523</u>	<u>2,554,538,523</u>
Collective Net Pension Liability	<u>\$ 1,312,537,398</u>	<u>\$ 840,713,706</u>	<u>\$ 454,034,476</u>
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability	66.1%	75.2%	84.9%

A one percent decrease in the discount rate increases the TPL by approximately 14% and increases the collective NPL by approximately 56%. A one percent increase in the discount rate decreases the TPL by approximately 11% and decreases the collective NPL by approximately 46%.

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Required Supplementary Information

The schedules of Required Supplementary Information generally start with information as of the implementation of GASB 67, and eventually will build up to 10 years of information. The schedule below shows the changes in collective NPL and related ratios required by GASB for the three years since implementation.

Table V-3			
Schedule of Changes in Collective Net Pension Liability and Related Ratios			
	FYE 2016	FYE 2015	FYE 2014
<u>Total Pension Liability</u>			
Service cost (MOY)	\$ 71,218,683	\$ 70,056,133	\$ 66,696,324
Interest (includes interest on service cost)	241,733,937	231,804,221	220,238,560
Differences between expected and actual experience	(31,199,455)	(27,900,755)	0
Benefit payments, including refunds of member contributions	<u>(146,657,716)</u>	<u>(137,771,219)</u>	<u>(131,100,585)</u>
Net change in total pension liability	\$ 135,095,449	\$ 136,188,380	\$ 155,834,299
Total pension liability - beginning	<u>3,260,156,781</u>	<u>3,123,968,401</u>	<u>2,968,134,102</u>
Total pension liability - ending	<u>\$ 3,395,252,229</u>	<u>\$ 3,260,156,781</u>	<u>\$ 3,123,968,401</u>
<u>Plan fiduciary net position</u>			
Contributions - employer	\$ 122,748,021	\$ 123,612,352	\$ 119,227,652
Contributions - member	18,311,646	16,622,138	14,514,010
Net investment income	32,800,406	20,840,287	328,852,388
Benefit payments, including refunds of member contributions	(146,657,716)	(137,771,219)	(131,100,585)
Administrative expense	<u>(5,192,807)</u>	<u>(4,404,342)</u>	<u>(4,288,603)</u>
Net change in plan fiduciary net position	\$ 22,009,549	\$ 18,899,215	\$ 327,204,862
Plan fiduciary net position - beginning	<u>2,532,528,974</u>	<u>2,513,629,759</u>	<u>2,186,424,897</u>
Plan fiduciary net position - ending	<u>\$ 2,554,538,523</u>	<u>\$ 2,532,528,974</u>	<u>\$ 2,513,629,759</u>
Net pension liability - ending	<u>\$ 840,713,706</u>	<u>\$ 727,627,806</u>	<u>\$ 610,338,642</u>
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	75.24%	77.68%	80.46%
Covered employee payroll	\$ 328,934,766	\$ 319,547,370	\$ 307,421,818
Net pension liability as a percentage of covered employee payroll	255.59%	227.71%	198.53%

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Because an Actuarially Determined Contribution (ADC) has been calculated historically, the full 10 years of information in the following schedule is required.

Table V-4 Schedule of Collective Employer Contributions										
	FYE 2016	FYE 2015	FYE 2014	FYE 2013	FYE 2012	FYE 2011	FYE 2010	FYE 2009	FYE 2008	FYE 2007
Actuarially Determined Contribution	\$ 122,748,021	\$ 123,612,352	\$ 119,227,652	\$ 110,582,703	\$ 108,764,094	\$ 94,436,686	\$ 84,647,133	\$ 75,902,140	\$ 69,460,616	\$ 63,395,296
Contributions in Relation to the Actuarially Determined Contribution	<u>122,748,021</u>	<u>123,612,352</u>	<u>119,227,652</u>	<u>110,582,703</u>	<u>108,764,094</u>	<u>94,436,686</u>	<u>84,647,133</u>	<u>75,902,140</u>	<u>69,460,616</u>	<u>63,395,296</u>
Contribution Deficiency/(Excess)	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ <u>0</u>
Covered-Employee Payroll*	\$ 328,934,766	\$ 319,547,370	\$ 307,421,818	\$ 302,708,314	\$ 305,757,679	\$ 306,963,226	\$ 306,524,117	\$ 307,263,503	\$ 294,163,067	\$ 287,381,657
Contributions as a Percentage of Covered-Employee Payroll	37.32%	38.68%	38.78%	36.53%	35.57%	30.76%	27.62%	24.70%	23.61%	22.06%

* Covered-Employee Payroll was based on actual pensionable payroll provided by SBCERS for FYE 2015 and after. In years prior to FYE 2015, payroll was based on payroll reported in the actuarial valuation data.

The notes below summarize the key methods and assumptions used to determine the ADC for FYE 2016.

Notes to Schedule

Valuation Date 6/30/2014
Timing Actuarially determined contribution rates are calculated based on the actuarial valuation one year prior to the beginning of the plan year

Key Methods and Assumptions Used to Determine Contribution Rates:

Actuarial cost method Entry Age
Asset valuation method Market value
Amortization method As of the June 30, 2013 actuarial valuation, the unfunded actuarial liability was amortized over a closed 17-year period as a level percentage of payroll, except for the Safety Plan 6 liability, which is amortized over a separate closed period of 14 years. Effective with the June 30, 2014 valuation, any additional sources of UAL due to actuarial gains and losses, assumptions changes, or method changes are amortized over a closed 19-year period, with a 5-year ramp up period at the beginning of the period, a 4-year ramp down at the end of the period, and 10 years of level payments as a percentage of payroll.

Discount rate 7.50% , net of investment expenses
Amortization growth rate 3.50%
Price inflation 3.00%
Salary increases 3.50% plus merit component based on employee classification and years of service
Mortality Sex distinct RP-2000 Combined Mortality Tables, with generational improvements using Scale BB

A complete description of the methods and assumptions used to determine contribution rates for the year ending June 30, 2016 can be found in the June 30, 2014 actuarial valuation report.



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Employers that participate in SBCERS are required to implement GASB 68 for their first fiscal year that commenced after June 15, 2014. The amounts reported as of their fiscal year end (their reporting date) must be based on a measurement date up to 12 months prior to their reporting date. For employers with a reporting date of June 30, their 2016 disclosures can be based on either the June 30, 2015 or 2016 measurement dates. Similarly, their 2017 disclosures can be based on either the June 30, 2016 or 2017 measurement dates.

We understand that employers participating in SBCERS elected to implement GASB 68 based on the 2014 measurement date. As a result, the GASB schedules are based on deferred inflows and outflows equal to \$0 as of June 30, 2013.

Because SBCERS is a cost-sharing multiple-employer pension plan, each employer participating in SBCERS must reflect a portion of the collective Net Pension Liability, Pension Expense and Deferred Outflows and Inflows in their financial statements. This section develops the collective amounts that are allocated to participating employers.

The impact of experience gains or losses and assumption changes on the TPL are recognized in expense over the average expected remaining service life of all active and inactive members of SBCERS. As of the measurement date, this recognition period was five years.

During the year, there was an experience gain of approximately \$31.2 million. Approximately \$6.2 million of that gain was recognized as a reduction in collective pension expense in the current year and an identical amount will be recognized in each of the next four years. Unrecognized gains from prior years were approximately \$22.3 million, of which \$5.6 million was recognized as a reduction in collective pension expense in the current year. The unrecognized experience gains from the current year and prior periods results in a deferred inflow of resources as of June 30, 2016 of approximately \$41.7 million.

The impact of investment gains or losses is recognized over a period of five years. During the measurement year, there was an investment loss of approximately \$156.7 million. Approximately \$31.3 million of that loss was recognized in the current year and an identical amount will be recognized in each of the next four years. Net unrecognized investment losses from prior periods were approximately \$35.1 million of which \$0.5 million was recognized as an increase in collective pension expense in the current year. The combination of unrecognized investment losses this year and unrecognized net investment losses from prior periods results in a collective deferred outflow of resources as of June 30, 2016 of approximately \$160.0 million.

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The table below summarizes the current balances of collective deferred outflows and deferred inflows of resources along with the net recognition over the next five years.

Table VI-1		
Schedule of Collective Deferred Inflows and Outflows of Resources		
	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$ 0	\$ 41,700,017
Changes in assumptions	0	0
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments	159,987,348	0
Total	<u>\$ 159,987,348</u>	<u>\$ 41,700,017</u>
Amounts reported as deferred outflows and deferred inflows of resources will be recognized in pension expense as follows:		
Year ended June 30:		
2017	20,064,200	
2018	20,064,199	
2019	53,050,437	
2020	25,108,494	
2021	0	
Thereafter	\$ 0	

The collective annual pension expense recognized by the participating employers can be calculated two different ways. First, it is the change in the amounts reported on the participating employers' Statements of Net Position that relate to SBCERS and are not attributable to employer contributions. That is, it is the change in collective NPL plus the changes in collective deferred outflows and inflows plus participating employer contributions.

Alternatively, annual pension expense can be calculated by its individual components. While GASB does not require or suggest the organization of the individual components shown in the table on the following page, we believe it helps to understand the level and volatility of the collective pension expense.

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Table VI-2 Calculation of Collective Pension Expense		
	Measurement Year Ending	
	2016	2015
Change in Net Pension Liability	\$ 113,085,900	\$ 117,289,164
Change in Deferred Outflows	(124,857,684)	(35,129,665)
Change in Deferred Inflows	19,379,413	(109,624,345)
Employer Contributions	<u>122,748,021</u>	<u>123,612,352</u>
Pension Expense	\$ 130,355,650	\$ 96,147,506
Pension Expense as % of Payroll	39.63%	30.09%
Operating Expenses		
Service cost	\$ 71,218,683	\$ 70,056,133
Employee contributions	(18,311,646)	(16,622,138)
Administrative expenses	<u>5,192,807</u>	<u>4,404,342</u>
Total	\$ 58,099,844	\$ 57,838,337
Financing Expenses		
Interest cost	\$ 241,733,937	\$ 231,804,221
Expected return on assets	<u>(189,542,331)</u>	<u>(188,450,758)</u>
Total	\$ 52,191,606	\$ 43,353,463
Changes		
Benefit changes	\$ 0	\$ 0
Recognition of assumption changes	0	0
Recognition of liability gains and losses	(11,820,042)	(5,580,151)
Recognition of investment gains and losses	<u>31,884,242</u>	<u>535,857</u>
Total	\$ 20,064,200	\$ (5,044,294)
Pension Expense	\$ 130,355,650	\$ 96,147,506

First, there are components referred to as operating expenses. These are items directly attributable to the operation of the plan during the measurement year. Service cost less employee contributions represents the increase in employer-provided benefits attributable to the year, and administrative expenses are the cost of operating SBCERS for the year.

Second, there are the financing expenses: the interest on the Total Pension Liability less the expected return on assets. Since the discount rate is equal to the long-term expected return on assets, the financing expense is the interest on the Net Pension Liability, adjusted for cash flow timing.

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The final category is changes. This category will drive most of the volatility in pension expense from year to year. It includes any changes in benefits made during the year and the recognized amounts due to assumption changes, gains or losses on the TPL, and investment gains or losses.

The total collective pension expense increased from the prior year by about \$34.2 million. The recognition of investment losses increased by approximately \$31.3 million, which reflects most of the increase in pension expense.

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Proportionate Shares

GASB 68 requires that the proportionate share for each employer be determined based on the “employer’s projected long-term contribution effort to the pension ... as compared to the total projected long-term contribution effort of all employers ...” Although not required as part of SBCERS’s GASB 67 reporting requirements, SBCERS is following the advice of the AICPA¹ and making a determination of each employer’s proportionate share, which will be reviewed by SBCERS’s auditor.

Proportionate shares for each participating employer are determined based on the ratio of each participating employer’s assigned Unfunded Liability amortization payments to SBCERS during the measurement year to the sum of the actual Unfunded Liability amortization payments for all participating employers. Separate amortization rates are used for General, Safety, and APCD employees. In Table VII-1a on the next page, each employer’s amortization share as of June 30, 2016 is determined by multiplying the actual pensionable payroll for the current fiscal year by the employer’s amortization rate from the most recent actuarial valuation report (the report as of June 30, 2015). The same methodology is used for calculating proportionate shares of June 30, 2015.

¹ http://www.aicpa.org/interestareas/governmentalauditquality/resources/gasbmatters/downloadabledocuments/aicpaslgep_cs_er_reporting_whitepaper.pdf

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**Table VII-1a
Determination of Employers' Proportionate Share (as of June 30, 2016)**

Employer	Unfunded Liability Amortization Rate (from the June 30, 2015 Actuarial Valuation)			Pensionable Payroll			Amortization Share (Rate x Pay)	Proportionate Share
	Safety Plan 4	Safety Plan 6	General	Safety Plan 4	Safety Plan 6	General		
Santa Barbara County	25.99%	29.50%	17.00%	\$ 47,964,794	\$ 35,966,484	220,548,252	\$ 60,569,366	92.7824%
Courts			17.00%	0	0	14,108,736	2,398,485	3.6741%
Carp-Summerland Fire	25.99%		17.00%	3,078,612	0	343,425	858,513	1.3151%
Air Pollution Control			25.32%	0	0	3,336,095	844,699	1.2939%
SBC Assoc of Govts			17.00%	0	0	1,928,739	327,886	0.5023%
Santa Maria Cemetery			17.00%	0	0	336,886	57,271	0.0877%
Summerland Sanitary			17.00%	0	0	337,744	57,416	0.0880%
Mosq Vector Mgmt			17.00%	0	0	415,307	70,602	0.1082%
Goleta Cemetery			17.00%	0	0	277,794	47,225	0.0723%
Oak Hill Cemetery			17.00%	0	0	156,669	26,634	0.0408%
Carpinteria Cemetery			17.00%	0	0	135,228	22,989	0.0352%
Total				\$ 51,043,406	\$ 35,966,484	\$ 241,924,876	\$ 65,281,086	100.0000%

**Table VII-1b
Determination of Employers' Proportionate Share (as of June 30, 2015)**

Employer	Unfunded Liability Amortization Rate (from the June 30, 2014 Actuarial Valuation)			Pensionable Payroll			Amortization Share (Rate x Pay)	Proportionate Share
	Safety Plan 4	Safety Plan 6	General	Safety Plan 4	Safety Plan 6	General		
Santa Barbara County	26.87%	30.13%	17.59%	\$ 44,464,407	\$ 38,528,886	212,371,330	\$ 60,912,456	92.8017%
Courts			17.59%	0	0	13,851,763	2,436,525	3.7121%
Carp-Summerland Fire	26.87%		17.59%	3,134,016	0	366,963	906,659	1.3813%
Air Pollution Control			23.01%	0	0	3,322,884	764,596	1.1649%
SBC Assoc of Govts			17.59%	0	0	1,858,941	326,988	0.4982%
Santa Maria Cemetery			17.59%	0	0	347,004	61,038	0.0930%
Summerland Sanitary			17.59%	0	0	328,613	57,803	0.0881%
Mosq Vector Mgmt			17.59%	0	0	407,777	71,728	0.1093%
Goleta Cemetery			17.59%	0	0	264,476	46,521	0.0709%
Oak Hill Cemetery			17.59%	0	0	160,117	28,165	0.0429%
Carpinteria Cemetery			17.59%	0	0	140,193	24,660	0.0376%
Total				\$ 47,598,423	\$ 38,528,886	\$ 233,420,061	\$ 65,637,139	100.0000%

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The table below shows the proportionate share of the collective NPL (under three discount rates), the collective deferred outflows, the collective deferred inflows, and the collective pension expense allocated to each participating employer as of June 30, 2016.

Table VII-2 Schedule of Employers' Proportionate Share of Collective Amounts at June 30, 2016								
Employer	Proportionate Share	Share of NPL @ 6.50%	Share of NPL @ 7.50%	Share of NPL @ 8.50%	Share of Deferred Outflows	Share of Deferred Inflows	Pension Expense	
Santa Barbara County	92.7824%	\$ 1,217,803,699	\$ 780,034,354	\$ 421,264,083	\$ 148,440,101	\$ 38,690,276	\$ 120,947,101	
Courts	3.6741%	48,223,937	30,888,662	16,681,681	5,878,095	1,532,100	4,789,397	
Carp-Summerland Fire	1.3151%	17,261,179	11,056,226	5,971,007	2,103,994	548,397	1,714,307	
Air Pollution Control	1.2939%	16,982,921	10,877,995	5,874,752	2,070,076	539,557	1,686,672	
SBC Assoc of Govts	0.5023%	6,592,875	4,222,905	2,280,615	803,616	209,459	654,776	
Santa Maria Cemetery	0.0877%	1,151,095	737,306	398,188	140,309	36,571	114,322	
Summerland Sanitary	0.0880%	1,155,033	739,828	399,550	140,789	36,696	114,713	
Mosq Vector Mgmt	0.1082%	1,420,165	909,652	491,265	173,106	45,119	141,045	
Goleta Cemetery	0.0723%	948,965	607,836	328,267	115,671	30,149	94,247	
Oak Hill Cemetery	0.0408%	535,515	343,011	185,246	65,275	17,014	53,185	
Carpinteria Cemetery	0.0352%	462,013	295,931	159,820	56,316	14,678	45,885	
Total	100.0000%	\$ 1,312,537,398	\$ 840,713,706	\$ 454,034,476	\$ 159,987,348	\$ 41,700,017	\$ 130,355,650	

The proportionate share allocated to each individual employer will change on each measurement date. The net effect of the change in proportion on the share of the collective NPL, collective deferred outflows, and collective deferred inflows allocated to each employer becomes a deferred outflow or inflow for that employer and is recognized over the average future working life of SBCERS's active and inactive members (five years).

Similarly, the difference between each employer's actual contributions and the employer's proportionate share of collective employer contributions becomes a deferred outflow or inflow for that employer and is recognized over the average future working life of SBCERS's active and inactive members (five years).

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The table below shows the change in proportion and the impact of that change in proportion on the proportionate share of the collective NPL, collective deferred outflows, and collective deferred inflows. It also shows any contribution differences.

Table VII-3 Schedule of Employers' Changes in Proportion and Contribution Differences									
Employer	Proportionate Shares		Impact of Change in Proportion				Contributions		
	6/30/2015	6/30/2016	Net Pension Liability	Deferred Outflows	Deferred Inflows	Net Effect	Actual	Proportionate Share	Difference
Santa Barbara County	92.8017%	92.7824%	\$ (140,432)	\$ (6,780)	\$ 4,308	\$ (137,960)	\$ 114,197,425	\$ 113,888,559	\$ 308,865
Courts	3.7121%	3.6741%	(276,499)	(13,349)	8,482	(271,631)	4,577,279	4,509,885	67,394
Carp-Summerland Fire	1.3813%	1.3151%	(481,690)	(23,256)	14,776	(473,210)	1,629,945	1,614,259	15,686
Air Pollution Control	1.1649%	1.2939%	938,640	45,317	(28,794)	922,116	1,192,461	1,588,237	(395,776)
SBC Assoc of Govts	0.4982%	0.5023%	29,833	1,440	(915)	29,308	627,209	616,563	10,645
Santa Maria Cemetery	0.0930%	0.0877%	(38,564)	(1,862)	1,183	(37,885)	103,458	107,650	(4,192)
Summerland Sanitary	0.0881%	0.0880%	(728)	(35)	22	(715)	103,582	108,018	(4,436)
Mosq Vector Mgmt	0.1093%	0.1082%	(8,004)	(386)	246	(7,863)	135,706	132,813	2,893
Goleta Cemetery	0.0709%	0.0723%	10,187	492	(312)	10,007	87,030	88,747	(1,717)
Oak Hill Cemetery	0.0429%	0.0408%	(15,280)	(738)	469	(15,011)	50,893	50,081	812
Carpinteria Cemetery	0.0376%	0.0352%	(17,463)	(843)	536	(17,156)	43,032	43,207	(175)
Total	100.0000%	100.0000%	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 122,748,021	\$ 122,748,021	\$ 0

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The table below shows the reconciliation of deferred outflows and inflows due to proportion changes for each participating employer from the prior measurement date to the current measurement date.

Table VII-4 Reconciliation of Deferred Outflows and Inflows Due to Proportion Change									
Employer	Deferred Outflows				Deferred Inflows				
	6/30/2015	Current Year		6/30/2016	6/30/2015	Current Year		6/30/2016	
		Net Effect	Recognition			Net Effect	Recognition		
Santa Barbara County	\$ 2,407,313	\$ 0	\$ 714,569	\$ 1,692,744	\$ 0	\$ (137,960)	\$ (27,592)	\$ (110,368)	
Courts	0	0	0	0	(2,207,201)	(271,631)	(708,794)	(1,770,038)	
Carp-Summerland Fire	0	0	0	0	(343,362)	(473,210)	(202,529)	(614,043)	
Air Pollution Control	106,029	922,116	218,960	809,185	(18,409)	0	(4,602)	(13,806)	
SBC Assoc of Govts	63,901	29,308	26,677	66,532	(46,912)	0	(11,728)	(35,184)	
Santa Maria Cemetery	0	0	0	0	(101,063)	(37,885)	(37,933)	(101,015)	
Summerland Sanitary	0	0	0	0	(60,467)	(715)	(17,411)	(43,772)	
Mosq Vector Mgmt	159,792	0	43,820	115,972	0	(7,863)	(1,573)	(6,290)	
Goleta Cemetery	16,567	10,007	7,397	19,177	(5,938)	0	(1,485)	(4,454)	
Oak Hill Cemetery	15,405	0	4,569	10,836	0	(15,011)	(3,002)	(12,009)	
Carpinteria Cemetery	14,347	0	4,089	10,258	0	(17,156)	(3,431)	(13,725)	
Total	\$ 2,783,353	\$ 961,431	\$ 1,020,080	\$ 2,724,704	\$(2,783,353)	\$ (961,431)	\$ (1,020,080)	\$(2,724,704)	

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The table below shows the reconciliation of deferred outflows and inflows due to proportion changes for each participating employer from the prior measurement date to the current measurement date.

Table VII-5 Reconciliation of Deferred Outflows and Inflows Due to Contribution Differences										
Employer	Deferred Outflows				Deferred Inflows					
	Current Year		Recognition	6/30/2016	Current Year		Recognition	6/30/2016		
	6/30/2015	Difference			6/30/2015	Difference				
Santa Barbara County	\$ 363,671	\$ 308,865	\$ 166,226	\$ 506,310	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	
Courts	0	67,394	13,479	53,915	(62,192)	0	(20,214)	(41,978)		
Carp-Summerland Fire	32,536	15,686	13,666	34,556	0	0	0	0		
Air Pollution Control	0	0	0	0	(291,434)	(395,776)	(161,924)	(525,286)		
SBC Assoc of Govts	0	10,645	2,129	8,516	(9,429)	0	(2,832)	(6,597)		
Santa Maria Cemetery	0	0	0	0	(5,359)	(4,192)	(2,391)	(7,160)		
Summerland Sanitary	0	0	0	0	(11,789)	(4,436)	(4,111)	(12,115)		
Mosq Vector Mgmt	0	2,893	579	2,314	(2,699)	0	(774)	(1,925)		
Goleta Cemetery	0	0	0	0	(4,945)	(1,717)	(1,769)	(4,893)		
Oak Hill Cemetery	0	812	162	650	(4,554)	0	(1,156)	(3,398)		
Carpinteria Cemetery	0	0	0	0	(3,806)	(175)	(1,071)	(2,910)		
Total	\$ 396,208	\$ 406,296	\$ 196,242	\$ 606,262	\$ (396,208)	\$ (406,296)	\$ (196,242)	\$ (606,262)		

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The table below summarizes the deferred outflows allocated to each employer for experience, assumption changes, investment returns, proportion changes, and contribution differences.

Table VII-6 Schedule of Employers' Deferred Outflows at June 30, 2016							
Employer	Proportionate Shares	Experience	Assumption Changes	Investment Return	Proportion Change	Contribution Difference	
Santa Barbara County	92.7824%	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 148,440,101	\$ 1,692,744	\$ 506,310	
Courts	3.6741%	0	0	5,878,095	0	53,915	
Carp-Summerland Fire	1.3151%	0	0	2,103,994	0	34,556	
Air Pollution Control	1.2939%	0	0	2,070,076	809,185	0	
SBC Assoc of Govts	0.5023%	0	0	803,616	66,532	8,516	
Santa Maria Cemetery	0.0877%	0	0	140,309	0	0	
Summerland Sanitary	0.0880%	0	0	140,789	0	0	
Mosq Vector Mgmt	0.1082%	0	0	173,106	115,972	2,314	
Goleta Cemetery	0.0723%	0	0	115,671	19,177	0	
Oak Hill Cemetery	0.0408%	0	0	65,275	10,836	650	
Carpinteria Cemetery	0.0352%	0	0	56,316	10,258	0	
Total	100.0000%	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 159,987,348	\$ 2,724,704	\$ 606,262	

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The table below summarizes the deferred inflows allocated to each employer for experience, assumption changes, investment returns, proportion changes, and contribution differences.

Table VII-7 Schedule of Employers' Deferred Inflows at June 30, 2016						
Employer	Proportionate Shares	Experience	Assumption Changes	Investment Return	Proportion Change	Contribution Difference
Santa Barbara County	92.7824%	\$ 38,690,276	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 110,368	\$ 0
Courts	3.6741%	1,532,100	0	0	1,770,038	41,978
Carp-Summerland Fire	1.3151%	548,397	0	0	614,043	0
Air Pollution Control	1.2939%	539,557	0	0	13,806	525,286
SBC Assoc of Govts	0.5023%	209,459	0	0	35,184	6,597
Santa Maria Cemetery	0.0877%	36,571	0	0	101,015	7,160
Summerland Sanitary	0.0880%	36,696	0	0	43,772	12,115
Mosq Vector Mgmt	0.1082%	45,119	0	0	6,290	1,925
Goleta Cemetery	0.0723%	30,149	0	0	4,454	4,893
Oak Hill Cemetery	0.0408%	17,014	0	0	12,009	3,398
Carpinteria Cemetery	0.0352%	14,678	0	0	13,725	2,910
Total	100.0000%	\$ 41,700,017	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,724,704	\$ 606,262

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The table below shows the net amount of deferred outflows and inflows to be recognized by each participating employer in each of the next five years and the total thereafter.

**Table VII-8
Schedule of Employers' Recognition of Deferred Outflows and Inflows at June 30, 2016**

Employer	Recognition for Measurement Year Ending					
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	Thereafter
Santa Barbara County	\$ 19,469,250	\$ 19,469,249	\$ 49,569,568	\$ 23,330,445	\$ 0	\$ 0
Courts	21,650	21,650	1,662,931	881,664	0	0
Carp-Summerland Fire	75,002	75,002	587,409	238,697	0	0
Air Pollution Control	312,045	312,045	746,376	430,147	0	0
SBC Assoc of Govts	115,028	115,028	263,260	134,111	0	0
Santa Maria Cemetery	(22,728)	(22,728)	27,415	13,605	0	0
Summerland Sanitary	(3,865)	(3,865)	34,871	21,065	0	0
Mosq Vector Mgmt	63,761	63,761	84,362	26,173	0	0
Goleta Cemetery	18,651	18,651	38,239	19,812	0	0
Oak Hill Cemetery	8,759	8,759	19,418	7,404	0	0
Carpinteria Cemetery	6,649	6,649	16,590	5,372	0	0
Total	\$ 20,064,200	\$ 20,064,199	\$ 53,050,437	\$ 25,108,494	\$ 0	\$ 0

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The table below shows the calculation of the pension expense for each participating employer. The calculation is shown first as the sum of the proportionate share of the collective pension expense and the amounts recognized for proportion changes and contribution differences. The right side of the table shows the calculation as the sum of the changes in NPL and deferred amounts not attributable to contributions.

Employer	Collective			Employer Pension Expense	Change in Employer			Employer Contributions	Employer Pension Expense
	Pension Expense	Change in Proportion	Contribution Difference		Net Pension Liability	Deferred Outflows	Deferred Inflows		
Santa Barbara County	\$ 120,947,101	\$ 686,977	\$ 166,226	\$ 121,800,304	\$ 104,783,380	\$ (115,267,246)	\$ 18,086,745	\$ 114,197,425	\$ 121,800,304
Courts	4,789,397	(708,794)	(6,735)	4,073,868	3,878,390	(4,627,962)	246,160	4,577,279	4,073,868
Carp-Summerland Fire	1,714,307	(202,529)	13,666	1,525,444	1,005,503	(1,620,767)	510,763	1,629,945	1,525,444
Air Pollution Control	1,686,672	214,358	(161,924)	1,739,106	2,401,858	(2,364,007)	508,793	1,192,461	1,739,106
SBC Assoc of Govts	654,776	14,948	(703)	669,022	597,863	(639,748)	83,697	627,209	669,022
Santa Maria Cemetery	114,322	(37,933)	(2,391)	73,997	60,612	(107,638)	17,566	103,458	73,997
Summerland Sanitary	114,713	(17,411)	(4,111)	93,192	98,788	(109,840)	661	103,582	93,192
Mosq Vector Mgmt	141,045	42,247	(195)	183,097	114,355	(93,204)	26,240	135,706	183,097
Goleta Cemetery	94,247	5,913	(1,769)	98,391	91,948	(93,374)	12,787	87,030	98,391
Oak Hill Cemetery	53,185	1,566	(993)	53,758	30,859	(46,285)	18,291	50,893	53,758
Carpinteria Cemetery	45,885	658	(1,071)	45,472	22,343	(39,018)	19,114	43,032	45,472
Total	\$ 130,355,650	\$ (0)	\$ (0)	\$ 130,355,650	\$ 113,085,900	\$ (125,009,089)	\$ 19,530,819	\$ 122,748,021	\$ 130,355,650

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The table below summarizes the information needed for each employer's schedules of required supplementary information.

Table VII-10 Schedule of Employers' RSI Information at June 30, 2016									
Employer	Proportionate Shares	Proportionate Share of NPL	Covered- Employee Payroll	Share of NPL as a % of Payroll	Fiduciary Net Position as % of TPL	Contractually Required Contribution	Actual Contributions	Contribution Deficiency	Contributions as a % of Payroll
Santa Barbara County	92.7824%	\$ 780,034,354	\$ 304,479,530	256.2%	75.2%	\$ 114,197,425	\$ 114,197,425	\$ 0	37.5%
Courts	3.6741%	30,888,662	14,108,736	218.9%	75.2%	4,577,279	4,577,279	0	32.4%
Carp-Summerland Fire	1.3151%	11,056,226	3,422,037	323.1%	75.2%	1,629,945	1,629,945	0	47.6%
Air Pollution Control	1.2939%	10,877,995	3,336,095	326.1%	75.2%	1,192,461	1,192,461	0	35.7%
SBC Assoc of Govts	0.5023%	4,222,905	1,928,739	218.9%	75.2%	627,209	627,209	0	32.5%
Santa Maria Cemetery	0.0877%	737,306	336,886	218.9%	75.2%	103,458	103,458	0	30.7%
Summerland Sanitary	0.0880%	739,828	337,744	219.0%	75.2%	103,582	103,582	0	30.7%
Mosq Vector Mgmt	0.1082%	909,652	415,307	219.0%	75.2%	135,706	135,706	0	32.7%
Goleta Cemetery	0.0723%	607,836	277,794	218.8%	75.2%	87,030	87,030	0	31.3%
Oak Hill Cemetery	0.0408%	343,011	156,669	218.9%	75.2%	50,893	50,893	0	32.5%
Carpinteria Cemetery	0.0352%	295,931	135,228	218.8%	75.2%	43,032	43,032	0	31.8%
Total	100.0000%	\$ 840,713,706	\$ 328,934,766	255.6%	75.2%	\$ 122,748,021	\$ 122,748,021	\$ 0	37.3%

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SBCERS Membership - Active Members as of June 30, 2015

General Members	Count	Annual Salary*	Average Age	Average Monthly Salary*	Average Vesting Service
Plan 2	10	\$684,000	57.3	\$5,700	28.2
Plan 5A	614	\$48,374,000	54.8	\$6,565	24.7
Plan 5B	390	\$38,909,000	47.9	\$8,314	11.4
Plan 5C	1,560	\$101,425,000	46.4	\$5,418	11.6
Plan 7	97	\$6,674,000	38.3	\$5,734	5.4
PEPRA	<u>636</u>	<u>\$35,691,000</u>	35.5	\$4,676	1.0
Total	3,307	\$231,757,000	45.8	\$5,840	11.9
APCD Members					
Plan 1	9	\$771,000	54.9	\$7,139	25.6
Plan 2	22	\$1,751,000	41.0	\$6,633	7.6
PEPRA	<u>9</u>	<u>\$558,000</u>	28.4	\$5,167	0.8
Total	40	\$3,080,000	41.3	\$6,417	10.1
Safety Members					
Plan 4A	63	\$7,446,000	52.5	\$9,849	22.5
Plan 4B	15	\$1,844,000	50.1	\$10,244	20.4
Plan 4C	339	\$30,619,000	42.6	\$7,527	13.3
Plan 6A	89	\$9,854,000	51.2	\$9,227	25.9
Plan 6B	309	\$28,171,000	41.7	\$7,597	11.7
PEPRA	<u>116</u>	<u>\$8,143,000</u>	31.6	\$5,850	1.1
Total	931	\$86,077,000	42.5	\$7,705	13.2
Total Active Members	4,278	\$320,914,000	45.1	\$6,251	12.1

* Based on salary data provided in the June 30, 2015 valuation data for FYE 2015.

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SBCERS Membership - Deferred Vested Members as of June 30, 2015

General Members	Count	Average Age
Plan 2	23	55.9
Plan 5A	210	54.4
Plan 5B	455	47.9
Plan 5C	278	43.4
Plan 7	23	34.1
PEPRA	<u>77</u>	35.0
Total	1066	46.9
APCD Members		
Plan 1	8	53.3
Plan 2	7	43.0
PEPRA	<u>1</u>	30.0
Total	16	47.3
Safety Members		
Plan 4A	5	46.0
Plan 4B	52	44.8
Plan 4C	39	41.1
Plan 6A	41	52.0
Plan 6B	48	38.3
PEPRA	<u>17</u>	32.2
Total	202	42.8
Total Deferred Vested	1,284	46.3

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APPENDIX A – MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

SBCERS Membership – Retired Members as of June 30, 2015

	Count	Monthly Allowances	Average Monthly Benefit
General Members			
Healthy	2,534	\$6,298,000	\$2,485
Disabled	123	257,000	2,089
Beneficiaries	<u>370</u>	<u>531,000</u>	1,435
Total	3,027	\$7,086,000	\$2,341
APCD Members			
Healthy	53	\$166,000	\$3,132
Disabled	0	0	0
Beneficiaries	<u>5</u>	<u>12,000</u>	2,400
Total	58	\$178,000	\$3,069
Safety Members			
Healthy	688	\$3,724,000	\$5,413
Disabled	121	431,000	3,562
Beneficiaries	<u>136</u>	<u>347,000</u>	2,551
Total	945	\$4,501,000	\$4,763
Total Retired Members	4,030	\$11,765,000	\$2,918

Please refer to the June 30, 2015 actuarial valuation report for a more complete summary of the data.

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APPENDIX B – ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

A summary of the actuarial assumptions and methods used to calculate the Total Pension Liability as of June 30, 2016 is provided below, including any assumptions that differ from those used in the June 30, 2015 actuarial valuation. Please refer to the June 30, 2015 actuarial valuation report for a complete description of all other assumptions. The assumptions used in this report and the June 30, 2015 actuarial valuation report reflect the results of the Experience Analysis covering the period July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2013.

Key Actuarial Assumptions

Expected Return on Assets	7.50 percent net of investment expenses as of June 30, 2015
Discount Rate	7.50 percent as of June 30, 2015
Administrative Expenses	Administrative expenses are assumed to be \$4.4 million for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, to be split between employees and employers based on their share of the overall contributions. Administrative expenses are assumed to increase by the assumed wage inflation of 3.50% each year.
Basic COLA	The cost of living as measured by the Consumer Price Index (CPI) will increase at the rate of 3.00% per year.
Post Retirement COLA	Benefits are assumed to increase after retirement at the rate of 2.75% per year for General Plans 5, Safety Plans 4, 6 and 8 (PEPRA), and APCD Plans 1 and 2; 2.0% per year for General Plans 7 and APCD Plan 8 (PEPRA), and 0% per year for General Plan 2. For General Plan 8 (PEPRA), benefits are assumed to increase at the rate of 2.0% per year if their employer had implemented General Plan 7 prior to January 1, 2013. Otherwise, benefits are assumed to increase at the rate of 2.75% per year.

APPENDIX B – ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Contribution Allocation Procedure

The contribution allocation procedure primarily consists of an actuarial cost method, an asset smoothing method, and an amortization method as described below.

1. Actuarial Cost Method

The actuarial valuation is prepared using the entry age actuarial cost method (CERL 31453.5). Under the principles of this method, the actuarial present value of the projected benefits of each individual included in the valuation is allocated as a level percentage of the individual's projected compensation between entry age and assumed exit (until maximum retirement age). For members who transferred between plans, entry age is based on original entry into the system. The normal cost for the Plan is based on the sum of the individual normal costs for each member (Individual Entry Age Method).

2. Asset Valuation Method

As of June 30, 2014, the market value of assets is used to determine the System's UAL. The actuarial value of assets is no longer applicable.

3. Amortization Method

The unfunded actuarial liability is the difference between the actuarial liability and the market value of assets. The UAL (or Surplus Funding) is amortized as a percentage of the projected salaries of present and future members of SBCERS. Effective with the June 30, 2013 valuation, the UAL as of June 30, 2013 is amortized over a closed 17-year period, except for the additional UAL attributable to the creation of Safety Plan 6, which is being amortized over a separate closed period (currently 14 years). Effective with the June 30, 2014 valuation, any new sources of UAL due to actuarial gains and losses, assumption changes, or method changes is amortized over a closed 19-year period, with five-year ramp up period at the beginning of the period, a four-year ramp down at the end of the period, and 10 years of level payments as a percentage of payroll. This new method is also known as a direct rate smoothing method.

4. Contributions

The employer (County or District) contributes to the retirement fund a percentage of the total compensation provided for all members based on an actuarial investigation, valuation, and recommendation of the actuary.

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APPENDIX C – SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

The plan provisions are the same as those summarized in the June 30, 2015 actuarial valuation report.

APPENDIX D – GLOSSARY OF TERMS

1. Actuarially Determined Contribution

A target or recommended contribution for the reporting period, determined in conformity with Actuarial Standards of Practice based on the most recent measurement available when the contribution for the reporting period was adopted.

2. Actuarial Valuation Date

The date as of which an actuarial valuation is performed. This date may be up to 24 months prior to the measurement date and up to 30 months prior to the employer's reporting date.

3. Deferred Inflow of Resources

An acquisition of net assets by a government employer that is applicable to a future reporting period. In the context of GASB 68, these are experience gains on the Total Pension Liability, assumption changes reducing the Total Pension Liability, or investment gains that are recognized in future reporting periods.

4. Deferred Outflow of Resources

A consumption of net assets by a government employer that is applicable to a future reporting period. In the context of GASB 68, these are experience losses on the Total Pension Liability, assumption changes increasing the Total Pension Liability, or investment losses that are recognized in future reporting periods.

5. Entry Age Actuarial Cost Method

The actuarial cost method required for GASB 67 and 68 calculations. Under this method, the actuarial present value of the projected benefits of each individual included in an actuarial valuation is allocated on a level basis over the earnings of the individual between entry age and assumed exit ages. The portion of this actuarial present value allocated to a valuation year is called the Service Cost. The portion of this actuarial present value not provided for at a valuation date by the actuarial present value of future service costs is called the Total Pension Liability.

6. Measurement Date

The date as of which the Total Pension Liability and Plan Fiduciary Net Position are measured. The Total Pension Liability may be projected from the Actuarial Valuation Date to the Measurement Date. The Measurement Date must be the same as the Reporting Date for the plan.

APPENDIX D – GLOSSARY OF TERMS

7. Net Pension Liability

The liability of employers and nonemployer contributing entities to employees for benefits provided through a defined benefit pension plan. It is calculated as the Total Pension Liability less the Plan Fiduciary Net Position. The Net Pension Liability is not appropriate for assessing the sufficiency of plan assets to cover the estimated cost of settling SBCERS's benefit obligations in the event of a plan termination or other similar action. However, it is an appropriate measure for assessing the need for or the amount of future contributions.

8. Plan Fiduciary Net Position

The fair or market value of assets.

9. Reporting Date

The last day of the plan or employer's fiscal year.

10. Service Cost

The portion of the actuarial present value of projected benefit payments that is attributed to the current period of employee service in conformity with the requirements of GASB 67 and 68. The Service Cost is the normal cost calculated under the entry age actuarial cost method.

11. Total Pension Liability

The portion of the actuarial present value of projected benefit payments that is attributed to past periods of employee service in conformity with the requirements of GASB 67 and 68. The Total Pension Liability is the actuarial liability calculated under the entry age actuarial cost method. This measure generally is not appropriate for estimating the cost to settle the Plan's liabilities.



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