

INTERIM GASB 74/75 ACTUARIAL VALUATION Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2024

STATE OF INDIANA Conservation and Excise Police

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This report summarizes the GASB actuarial valuation for the State of Indiana Conservation and Excise Police 2023/24 fiscal year. To the best of our knowledge, the report presents a fair position of the funded status of the plan in accordance with GASB Statement No. 74 (Financial Reporting for Post-Employment Benefit Plans Other Than Pension Plans) and GASB Statement No. 75 (Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Post-Employment Benefits Other Than Pensions).

The information presented herein is based on the actuarial assumptions and substantive plan provisions summarized in this report and participant information furnished to us by the Plan Sponsor. We have reviewed the employee census provided by the Plan Sponsor for reasonableness when compared to the prior information provided but have not audited the information at the source, and therefore do not accept responsibility for the accuracy or the completeness of the data on which the information is based. When relevant data may be missing, we may have made assumptions we feel are neutral or conservative to the purpose of the measurement. We are not aware of any significant issues with and have relied on the data provided.

The discount rate, other economic assumptions, and demographic assumptions have been selected by the Plan Sponsor with the concurrence of Nyhart. In our opinion, the actuarial assumptions are individually reasonable and in combination represent our estimate of anticipated experience of the Plan. All calculations have been made in accordance with generally accepted actuarial principles and practice.

Future actuarial measurements may differ significantly from the current measurements presented in this report 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;
- increases or decreases expected as part of the natural operation of the methodology used for these measurements (such as the end of an amortization period); and
- changes in plan provisions or applicable law.

We did not perform an analysis of the potential range of future measurements due to the limited scope of our engagement.

To our knowledge, there have been no significant events prior to the current year's measurement date or as of the date of this report that could materially affect the results contained herein.



Neither Nyhart nor any of its employees has any relationship with the plan or its sponsor that could impair or appear to impair the objectivity of this report. Our professional work is in full compliance with the American Academy of Actuaries "Code of Professional Conduct" Precept 7 regarding conflict of interest. The undersigned meet the Qualification Standards of the American Academy of Actuaries to render the actuarial opinion contained herein.

Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us.

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Detailed Actuary's Notes

The following assumption changes have been made since last year's full valuation, which was for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023:

Interim year valuation results have been projected from the prior year's valuation with adjustments for actual medical/Rx claims and enrollment experience for the 24 months ending May 2024 (with 70% weight on the most recent 12 months) and premium rate changes from 2024 to 2025. Pre-65 plan costs were lower than expected (5.4% actual trend compared to 7.5% assumed). The medical premium for the post-65 Medicare Advantage plan was \$362.51 effective January 1, 2024 and \$454.62 effective January 1, 2025. Dental costs were higher than expected, and vision costs were lower than expected. Making this change resulted in a significant increase in liabilities, due to costs being higher than in prior years and retiree contributions remaining flat.

Medical/rx trend rates have been updated to an initial rate of 8.00%/6.50% decreasing by 0.50%/0.25% per year to an ultimate rate of 4.50% for pre-65/post-65 benefits. Dental trend rates are 4.00% annually and vision trend rates are 3.00% annually. This change caused an increase in liabilities.

Retiree Contributions

A comparison of monthly retiree contributions effective on January 1, 2024 and January 1, 2025 as determined by CEP are as shown below.

	E	Eff. January 1, 20)24	Ef	ff. January 1, 2	2025
	Single	Member + Spouse	Incremental Spouse Cost	Single	Member + Spouse	Incremental Spouse Cost
Pre-Medica	re					
Medical	\$ 347.15	\$ 674.45	\$ 327.30	\$ 347.15	\$ 674.45	\$ 327.30
Dental	\$ 42.50	\$ 85.00	\$ 42.50	\$ 42.50	\$ 85.00	\$ 42.50
Vision	\$ 7.79	\$ 15.58	\$ 7.79	\$ 7.79	\$ 15.58	\$ 7.79
Total	\$ 397.44	\$ 775.03	\$ 377.59	\$ 397.44	\$ 775.03	\$ 377.59
<u>Post-Medica</u>	are					
Medical	\$ 100.03	\$ 200.06	\$ 100.03	\$ 100.03	\$ 200.06	\$ 100.03
Dental	\$ 42.50	\$ 85.00	\$ 42.50	\$ 42.50	\$ 85.00	\$ 42.50
Vision	\$ 7.79	\$ 15.58	\$ 7.79	\$ 7.79	\$ 15.58	\$ 7.79
Total	\$ 150.32	\$ 300.64	\$ 150.32	\$ 150.32	\$ 300.64	\$ 150.32



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Summary of Results

Presented below is the summary of GASB 74/75 results for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024.

	As of	⁻ June 30, 2023	As oj	f June 30, 2024
Total OPEB Liability	\$	51,098,527	\$	62,532,803
Actuarial Value of Assets		(36,387,797)		(43,825,073)
Net OPEB Liability	\$	14,710,730	\$	18,707,730
Funded Ratio		71.2%		70.1%

	For	FY 2022/23	For	FY 2023/24
OPEB Expense	\$	(249,707)	\$	589,114
Annual Employer Contribution	\$	6,475,697	\$	4,029,811

As of June 30, 2022	As of June 30, 2023	As of June 30, 2024
Discount Rate	6.20%	6.20%
Expected Return on Assets	6.20%	6.20%



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Schedule of Changes in Net OPEB Liability and Related Ratios

OPEB Liability		FY 2023/24		FY 2022/23		FY 2021/22		FY 2020/21		FY 2019/20
Total OPEB Liability										
Total OPEB liability – beginning of year	\$	51,098,527	\$	48,748,166	\$	52,984,041	\$	49,274,689	\$	76,898,620
Service cost		1,317,304		1,059,221		1,185,007		1,130,554		2,367,309
Interest		3,224,403		3,000,725		3,310,210		3,092,201		2,646,881
Changes of benefit terms		0		0		0		0		0
Changes in assumptions		1,890,948		1,555,342		0		2,447,468		(23,750,835)
Differences between expected and actual experience		5,832,791		(404,716)		(7,150,188)		(1,882,593)		(7,899,725)
Benefit payments		(831,170)		(2,860,211)		(1,580,904)		(1,078,278)		(987,561)
Net change in total OPEB liability	\$	11,434,276	\$	2,350,361	\$	(4,235,875)	\$	3,709,352	\$	(27,623,931)
Total OPEB liability – end of year	\$	62,532,803	\$	51,098,527	\$	48,748,166	\$	52,984,041	\$	49,274,689
Plan Fiduciary Net Position										
Plan fiduciary net position – beginning of year	\$	36,387,797	\$	30,434,863	\$	32,137,546	\$	27,172,098	\$	23,722,678
Contributions – employer		4,029,811		6,475,697		4,824,539		4,301,093		4,166,567
Contributions – active employees		0		0		0		0		0
Net investment income		4,392,779		2,432,025		(4,814,815)		1,856,428		347,133
Benefit payments		(831,170)		(2,860,211)		(1,580,904)		(1,078,278)		(987,561)
Trust administrative expenses		(154,144)		(94,577)		(131,503)		(113,795)		(76,719)
Net change in plan fiduciary net position	\$	7,437,276	\$	5,952,934	\$	(1,702,683)	\$	4,965,448	\$	3,449,420
Plan fiduciary net position – end of year	\$	43,825,073	\$	36,387,797	\$	30,434,863	\$	32,137,546	\$	27,172,098
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Net OPEB Liability – end of year	\$	18,707,730	Þ	14,710,730	\$	18,313,303	≯	20,846,495	Þ	22,102,591
Plan fiduciary net position as % of total OPEB liability		70.1%		71.2%		62.4%		60.7%		55.1%
Covered employee payroll ¹	\$	20,101,557	\$	19,582,618	\$	21,144,839	\$	20,598,966	\$	18,165,798
Net OPEB liability as % of covered payroll		93.1%		75.1%		86.6%		101.2%		121.7%

¹ FY 2023/24 covered payroll is estimated based on covered payroll for FY 2022/23 increased by the payroll growth inflation assumption (2.65%).



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Schedule of Changes in Net OPEB Liability and Related Ratios

OPEB Liability	FY 2018/19	FY 2017/18
Total OPEB Liability		
Total OPEB liability – beginning of year	\$ 60,902,667	\$ 56,023,950
Service cost	1,840,364	1,794,865
Interest	2,410,074	2,035,351
Changes of benefit terms	2,112,887	0
Changes in assumptions	6,222,558	(3,386,967)
Differences between expected and actual experience	4,353,479	5,738,944
Benefit payments	(943,409)	(1,303,476)
Net change in total OPEB liability	\$ 15,995,953	\$ 4,878,717
Total OPEB liability – end of year	\$ 76,898,620	\$ 60,902,667
Plan Fiduciary Net Position		
Plan fiduciary net position – beginning of year	\$ 20,235,818	\$ 15,175,762
Contributions – employer	4,020,900	6,240,555
Contributions – active employees	0	0
Net investment income	492,902	213,433
Benefit payments	(943,409)	(1,303,476)
Trust administrative expenses	(83,533)	(90,456)
Net change in plan fiduciary net position	\$ 3,486,860	\$ 5,060,056
Plan fiduciary net position – end of year	\$ 23,722,678	\$ 20,235,818
Net OPEB Liability – end of year	\$ 53,175,942	\$ 40,666,849
Plan fiduciary net position as % of total OPEB liability	30.8%	33.2%
Covered employee payroll	\$ 17,722,730	\$ 16,842,290
Net OPEB liability as % of covered payroll	300.0%	241.5%



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Schedule of Employer Contributions

The Actuarially Determined Contributions (ADC) shown below prior to FY 2016/17 are based on the Annual Required Contribution (ARC) calculated in prior GASB 45 actuarial valuations as shown in the Plan Sponsor financial statements.

	FY 2023/24	FY 2022/23		FY 2021/22	FY 2020/21	FY 2019/20
Actuarially Determined Contribution (ADC)	\$ 2,616,183 ²	\$ 2,611,156	\$	2,920,350	\$ 2,933,739	\$ 5,599,619
Contributions in relation to the ADC ³	4,029,811	6,475,697		4,824,539	4,301,093	4,166,567
Contribution deficiency / (excess)	\$ (1,413,628)	\$ (3,864,541)	\$	(1,904,189)	\$ (1,367,354)	\$ 1,433,052
Covered employee payroll	\$ 20,101,557	\$ 19,582,618	\$	21,144,839	\$ 20,598,966	\$ 18,165,798
Contribution as a % of covered employee payroll	20.0%	33.1%		22.8%	20.9%	22.9%
	FY 2018/19	FY 2017/18	_	FY 2016/17	FY 2015/16	FY 2014/15
Actuarially Determined Contribution (ADC)	\$ 3,774,197	\$ 3,831,452	\$	3,348,809	\$ 3,312,731	\$ 3,123,622
Contributions in relation to the ADC ⁴	4,020,900	6,240,555		3,717,824	3,575,032	2,436,777
Contribution deficiency / (excess)	\$ (246,703)	\$ (2,409,103)	\$	(369,015)	\$ (262,301)	\$ 686,845
Covered employee payroll	\$ 17,722,730	\$ 16,842,290	\$	16,471,677	\$ 14,497,000	\$ 15,106,000
Contribution as a % of covered employee payroll	22.7%	37.1%		22.6%	24.7%	16.1%

² Refer to the Actuarially Determined Contributions section for the calculation details.

³ Includes employer contribution for pay-go cost and (any) pre-funding contributions deposited into the OPEB Trust.



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OPEB Expense

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OPEB Expense	FY 2023/24	FY 2022/23
Discount rate as of beginning of fiscal year	6.20%	6.20%
Discount rate as of end of fiscal year	6.20%	6.20%
Service cost	\$ 1,317,304	\$ 1,059,221
Interest	3,224,403	3,000,725
Changes of benefit terms	0	0
Projected earnings on OPEB plan investments	(2,349,004)	(1,994,468)
Reduction for contributions from active employees	0	0
OPEB plan administrative expenses	154,144	94,577
Current period recognition of deferred outflows / (inflows) of resources		
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$ (561,816)	\$ (1,395,072)
Changes in assumptions	(2,159,530)	(2,429,665)
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on OPEB plan	963,613	1,414,975
investments	500,010	.,,
Total current period recognition	\$ (1,757,733)	\$ (2,409,762)
Total OPEB expense	\$ 589,114	\$ (249,707)



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Deferred Outflows / (Inflows) of Resources

Deferred Outflows / (Inflows) of Resources represents the following items that have not been recognized in the OPEB Expense:

- 1. Differences between expected and actual experience of the OPEB plan
- 2. Changes of assumptions
- 3. Difference between projected and actual earnings in OPEB plan investments

The initial amortization period for the first two items noted above is based on the average future service to retirement while the difference between projected and actual earnings in OPEB plan investment is amortized over five years. All balances are amortized linearly on a principal only basis and new bases will be created annually for each of the item above.

Differences between expected and actual experience for FYE	Init	tial Balance	Initial Amortization Period	Annu	al Recognition	Jnamortized ance as of June 30, 2024
June 30, 2018	\$	5,738,944	8	\$	717,368	\$ 717,368
June 30, 2019	\$	4,353,479	8	\$	544,185	\$ 1,088,369
June 30, 2020	\$	(7,899,725)	7	\$	(1,128,532)	\$ (2,257,065)
June 30, 2021	\$	(1,882,593)	7	\$	(268,942)	\$ (806,825)
June 30, 2022	\$	(7,150,188)	6	\$	(1,191,698)	\$ (3,575,094)
June 30, 2023	\$	(404,716)	6	\$	(67,453)	\$ (269,810)
June 30, 2024	\$	5,832,791	7	\$	833,256	\$ 4,999,535

Changes in assumptions for FYE	I.	nitial Balance	Initial Amortization Period	Annua	al Recognition	Inamortized ance as of June 30, 2024
June 30, 2018	\$	(3,386,967)	8	\$	(423,371)	\$ (423,370)
June 30, 2019	\$	6,222,558	8	\$	777,820	\$ 1,555,638
June 30, 2020	\$	(23,750,835)	7	\$	(3,392,976)	\$ (6,785,955)
June 30, 2021	\$	2,447,468	7	\$	349,638	\$ 1,048,916
June 30, 2022	\$	0	6	\$	0	\$ 0
June 30, 2023	\$	1,555,342	6	\$	259,224	\$ 1,036,894
June 30, 2024	\$	1,890,948	7	\$	270,135	\$ 1,620,813



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Deferred Outflows / (Inflows) of Resources - Continued

Net difference between projected and actual earnings in OPEB plan investments for FYE	Ini	tial Balance	Initial Amortization Period	Annu	al Recognition	Unamortized lance as of June 30, 2024
June 30, 2020	\$	473,863	5	\$	94,771	\$ 0
June 30, 2021	\$	(76,828)	5	\$	(15,366)	\$ (15,364)
June 30, 2022	\$	6,902,368	5	\$	1,380,474	\$ 2,760,946
June 30, 2023	\$	(437,557)	5	\$	(87,511)	\$ (262,535)
June 30, 2024	\$	(2,043,775)	5	\$	(408,755)	\$ (1,635,020)

As of fiscal year ending June 30, 2024	Defe	rred Outflows	Dej	ferred Inflows
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$	6,805,272	\$	(6,908,794)
Changes in assumptions		5,262,261		(7,209,325)
Net difference between projected and actual earnings in OPEB plan investments		848,027		0
Total	\$	12,915,560	\$	(14,118,119)

Annual Amortization of Deferred Outflows / (Inflows)

The balances as of June 30, 2024 of the deferred outflows / (inflows) of resources will be recognized in OPEB expense in the future fiscal years as noted below.

FYE	Balance
2025	\$ (1,852,501)
2026	\$ (2,131,144)
2027	\$ (312,105)
2028	\$ 886,407
2029	\$ 1,103,391
Thereafter	\$ 1,103,393



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Sensitivity Results

The following presents the net OPEB liability as of June 30, 2024, calculated using the discount rate assumed and what it would be using a 1% higher and 1% lower discount rate.

- The current discount rate is 6.20%.
- The 1% decrease in discount rate would be 5.20%.
- The 1% increase in discount rate would be 7.20%.

As of June 30, 2024	Net O	PEB Liability
1% Decrease	\$	28,003,502
Current Discount Rate	\$	18,707,730
1% Increase	\$	11,135,193

The following presents the net OPEB liability as of June 30, 2024, using the health care trend rates assumed and what it would be using 1% higher and 1% lower health care trend rates.

- The current health care trend rate starts at an initial rate of 8.00%/6.50% (pre-65/post-65) decreasing by 0.50%/0.25% annually to an ultimate rate of 4.50%.
- The 1% decrease in health care trend rates would assume an initial rate of 7.00%/5.50% (pre-65/post-65) decreasing by 0.50%/0.25% annually to an ultimate rate of 3.50%.
- The 1% increase in health care trend rates would assume an initial rate of 9.00%/7.50% (pre-65/post-65) decreasing by 0.50%/0.25% to an ultimate rate of 5.50%.

As of June 30, 2024	Net	OPEB Liability
1% Decrease	\$	9,951,350
Current Health Care Trend Rates	\$	18,707,730
1% Increase	\$	29,750,018



Asset Information

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Asset Information

Asset Breakdown	FY 2022/23	FY 2023/24
Assets		
Cash, cash equivalents, and Non-pension Investments	\$ 4,317,043	\$ 7,704,688
Securities lending cash collateral	0	0
Total cash	\$ 4,317,043	\$ 7,704,688
Receivables		
Contributions	\$ 0	\$ 0
Investment Income receivable	2,698	3,067
Total receivables	\$ 2,698	\$ 3,067
Investments		
Mutual Funds – Fixed Income	\$ 11,166,409	\$ 11,405,924
Mutual Funds – Equity	18,112,029	24,805,396
Debt Securities	0	0
Partnerships / Joint Ventures	2,892,967	0
Total investments	\$ 32,171,405	\$ 36,211,320
Total assets	\$ 36,491,146	\$ 43,919,075
Liabilities		
Payables		
Investment management fees	\$ 0	\$ 0
Benefits Payable	103,349	94,002
Total liabilities	\$ 103,349	\$ 94,002
Net position restricted to OPEB	\$ 36,387,797	\$ 43,825,073



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Asset Information

Asset Reconciliation	FY 2022/23	FY 2023/24
Additions		
Contributions received		
Employer	\$ 6,475,697	\$ 4,029,811
Employee	0	0
Total contributions	\$ 6,475,697	\$ 4,029,811
Investment income		
Net increase in fair value of investments	\$ 2,432,025	\$ 4,098,682
Other	0	294,097
Investment expense, other than from securities lending	0	0
Securities lending income	0	0
Securities lending expense	0	0
Net investment income	\$ 2,432,025	\$ 4,392,779
Total additions	\$ 8,907,722	\$ 8,422,590
Deductions		
Benefit payments (net of retiree contributions)	\$ (2,860,211)	\$ (831,170)
Administrative expenses	(94,577)	(154,144)
Other	0	
Total deductions	\$ (2,954,788)	\$ (985,314)
Net increase in net position	\$ 5,952,934	\$ 7,437,276
Net position restricted to OPEB		
Beginning of year	\$ 30,434,863	\$ 36,387,797
End of year	\$ 36,387,797	\$ 43,825,073



Actuarially Determined Contributions

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3,214,595

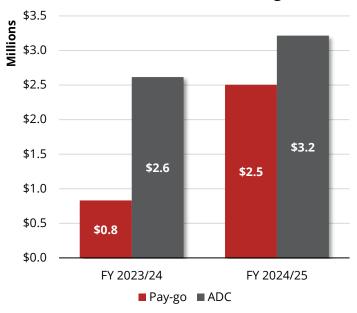
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The Actuarially Determined Contributions calculated below are recommended target contributions and assumes that the Plan Sponsor has the ability to contribute these amounts on an annual basis. The Plan Sponsor has the responsibility to decide how much it should contribute after considering its other needs and the OPEB participants' needs.

	FY 2023/24	FY 2024/25
Discount rate	6.20%	6.20%
Payroll growth factor used for amortization	N/A	N/A
Actuarial cost method	ry Age Normal vel % of Salary	ry Age Normal evel % of Salary
Amortization type	Level Dollar	Level Dollar
Amortization period	23 years	22 years
Actuarial accrued liability (AAL) – beginning of year	\$ 51,098,527	\$ 62,532,803
Actuarial value of assets – beginning of year	(36,387,797)	(43,825,073)
Unfunded AAL – beginning of year	\$ 14,710,730	\$ 18,707,730
Normal Cost	\$ 1,317,304	\$ 1,538,492
Amortization of UAAL	1,146,145	1,488,434
Total normal cost plus amortization	\$ 2,463,449	\$ 3,026,926
Interest to the end of year	152,734	187,669
Actuarially Determined Contribution – Preliminary	\$ 2,616,183	\$ 3,214,595
Expected benefit payments ⁴	831,170	2,503,563

\$

Cash vs Accrual Accounting



Actuarially Determined Contribution (ADC) is the target or recommended contribution to a defined benefit OPEB plan, which if paid on an ongoing basis, will provide sufficient resources to fund future costs for services to be earned and liabilities attributed to past services. This is typically higher than the pay-as-you-go cost because it includes recognition of employer costs expected to be paid in future accounting periods.

Actuarially Determined Contribution – Final⁵

⁴ Actual for FY 2023/24

⁵ Set to be the greater of the preliminary ADC and expected benefit payments.



Projection of GASB Results

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Projection of GASB Results

The Total OPEB Liability (TOL) is expected to change on an annual basis as a result of expected and unexpected events. Under normal circumstances, it is generally expected to have a net increase each year. Below is a list of the most common events affecting the total OPEB liability and whether they increase or decrease the liability.

Expected Events

- Increases in TOL due to additional benefit accruals as employees continue to earn service each year
- Increases in TOL due to interest as the employees and retirees age
- Decreases in TOL due to benefit payments

Unexpected Events

- Increases in TOL when actual premium rates increase more than expected. A liability decrease occurs of the reverse happens.
- Increases in TOL when more new retirements occur than expected or fewer terminations occur than anticipated. Liability decreases occur when the opposite outcomes happen.
- Increases or decreases in TOL depending on whether benefits are improved or reduced.

Projection of Total OPEB Liability (TOL)	FY 2023/24	FY 2024/25
TOL as of beginning of year	\$ 51,098,527	\$ 62,532,803
Normal cost as of beginning of year	1,317,304	1,538,492
Exp. benefit payments during the year	(831,170)	(2,503,563)
Interest adjustment to end of year	3,224,403	3,895,977
Exp. TOL as of end of year	\$ 54,809,064	\$ 65,463,709
Actuarial Loss/(Gain)	7,723,739	TBD
Actual TOL as of end of year	\$ 62,532,803	\$ TBD

Projection of Actuarial Value of Assets (AVA)	FY 2023/24	FY 2024/25
AVA as of beginning of year	\$ 36,387,797	\$ 43,825,073
Exp. employer contributions during the year ⁶	4,029,811	5,903,563
Exp. benefit payments during the year	(831,170)	(2,503,563)
Exp. investment income ⁷	2,349,004	2,815,301
Exp. Trust administrative expenses	(154,144)	(185,649)
Exp. AVA as of end of year	\$ 41,781,298	\$ 49,854,725
Differences between expected and actual experience	2,043,775	TBD
AVA as of end of year	\$ 43,825,073	\$ TBD

⁶ Employer contribution for 2023/24 is based on actual employer contribution made into the Trust. FY 2024/25 expected employer contribution is based on the expected pay-go cost plus the average Trust contribution in the past five years, rounded to the nearest hundred thousand.

⁷ Fiscal year 2023/24 expected investment income is based on a 6.20% asset return and 2024/25 expected investment income is calculated based on a 6.20% asset return.



Discussion of Discount Rates

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Under GASB 74, the discount rate used in valuing OPEB liabilities for funded plans as of the Measurement Date must be based on the longterm expected rate of return on OPEB plan investments that are expected to be used to finance future benefit payments to the extent that (a) they are sufficient to pay for the projected benefit payments and (b) the OPEB plan assets are invested using a strategy that will achieve that return. When the OPEB plan investments are insufficient to cover future benefit payments, a yield for 20-year tax-exempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA /Aa or higher (or equivalent quality on another rating scale) must be used.

For the current valuation:

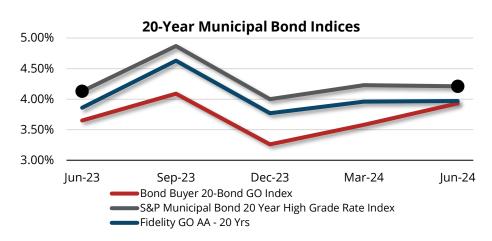
1. The long-term expected rate of return on OPEB plan investment is 6.20%. This was developed in consultation with the group's asset advisor using a building-block approach in which expected future rates of returned are developed for each major asset class. The expected future nominal rates of return as provided by the entity's investment advisor are shown below. Inflation is expected to be 2.00%. The best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in the OPEB Plan's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2024 are summarized in the following table.

Asset Class	Target Allocation	L/T Expected Real ROR (JP Morgan)
Broad US Equity	45%	7.35%
Global ex-US Equity	15%	7.45%
Domestic Fixed	23%	4.25%
Short Duration	5%	3.80%
Cash Equivalents	2%	2.75%
Hedge Funds	10%	5.55%

2. The discount rate used when the OPEB plan investments are insufficient to pay for future benefit payments are selected from the range of indices as shown in the table below, where the range is given as the spread between the lowest and highest rate shown.

Yield as of	June 30, 2023	June 30, 2024
Bond Buyer Go 20-Bond Municipal Bond Index	3.65%	3.93%
S&P Municipal Bond 20-Year High Grade Rate Index	4.13%	4.21%
Fidelity 20-Year Go Municipal Bond Index	3.86%	3.97%
Bond Index Range	3.65% - 4.13%	3.93% - 4.21%
Actual Discount Rate Used	4.13%	4.21%

The final equivalent single discount rate used for this year's valuation is 6.20% as of June 30, 2023 and 6.20% as of June 30, 2024, with the expectation that the CEP will continue to contribute at least the Actuarially Determined Contribution each year.





Summary of Key Actuarial Assumptions

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For a complete summary of actuarial methods and assumptions, refer to the GASB 75 actuarial valuation report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023.

Measurement Date	For fiscal year ending June 30, 2024, a June 30, 2024 measurement date was used.
Actuarial Valuation Date	July 1, 2023
	Liabilities as of June 30, 2024 are based on an actuarial valuation date of July 1, 2023 with results actuarially projected to June 30, 2024, with adjustments for actual premium and plan cost changes. Liabilities as of June 30, 2023 are based on an actuarial valuation date of July 1, 2023 with no adjustments.
Discount Rate	6.20% as of June 30, 2024 and 6.20% as of June 30, 2023 for accounting disclosure purposes. 6.20% as of June 30, 2024 and June 30, 2023 for calculating the Actuarily Determined Contributions.
	Refer to the Discussion of Discount Rates section for more information on selection of the discount rate.
	The discount rate was chosen by the plan sponsor based on the information provided in the "Discussion of Discount Rates" section above.
Payroll Growth	2.65% for general wage inflation plus the following merit and productivity increases which are based on the assumptions approved from the Indiana Public Retirement System (INPRS) 2020 Experience Study.
	YOS CEP
	0 2.25%
	5 1.00%
	9+ 0.00%
Inflation Rate	2.00% per year
	The inflation rate is based assumptions approved from the Indiana Public Retirement System (INPRS) 2020 Experience Study and future expectations.



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Cost Method

Allocation of Actuarial Present Value of Future Benefits for services prior and after the Measurement Date was determined using Entry Age Normal Level % of Salary method where:

- Service Cost for each individual participant, payable from date of employment to date of retirement, is sufficient to pay for the participant's benefit at retirement; and
- Annual Service Cost is a constant percentage of the participant's salary that is assumed to increase according to the Payroll Growth.

Health Care Trend Rates	FYE	Pre-65	Post-65 ⁸	
	2025	8.00%	6.50%	
	2026	7.50%	6.25%	The initial trend rate was based on a combination of employer history, national trend surveys, and professional judgment. The ultimate trend rate was selected based on historical medical CPI information.
	2027	7.00%	6.00%	
	2028	6.50%	5.75%	
	2029	6.00%	5.50%	
	2030	5.50%	5.25%	
	2031	5.00%	5.00%	
	2032	4.50%	4.75%	
	2033+	4.50%	4.50%	

Dental costs are assumed to increase by 4.00% in the future and vision costs are assumed to increase by 3.00% in the future.

⁸ Post-65 trend rates do not include adjustments for the impact of changes to the Medicare Advantage program under the Inflation Reduction Act beginning in 2025 due to uncertainty about the impact of these changes on overall plan costs in the future. In addition, carriers are not providing sufficient detail on the Medicare Advantage premium development which would enable us to perform addition analysis on the trend. We also assume that Medicare will remain solvent and the incoming administration will not make changes to Medicare that may impact costs.



Summary of Key Actuarial Assumptions

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Models

ProVal	Valuation software developed by Winklevoss Technologies, LLC. This software is widely used for the purpose of performing postretirement medical valuations. We coded the plan provisions, assumptions, methods and participant data summarized in this report, and reviewed the liability and cost outputs for reasonableness. We are not aware of any weakness or limitations in the software and have determined it is appropriate for performing this valuation.
HealthMAPS 2021 Manual	Rating manual developed by WTW. 2021 aging factors are used to develop per capita costs by age for plans with limited credible exposure to develop plan-specific factors. We are not aware of any weakness or limitations in the factors and have determined they are appropriate for performing this valuation.