







Public Hearing Item 14

Receive Government Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 75 Accounting and Financial Reporting for Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB)

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What is GASB



Established in 1984, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the independent, private-sector organization, that establishes accounting and financial reporting standards for U.S. state and local governments that follow Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP)



What is GASB 75



- In July 2004, GASB issued Statements No. 43 & 45, financial reporting requirements for OPEB
- To be implemented with FY 2009-2010 financials
- Record current year OPEB obligations on financial statements
- District has complied since FY 2009-2010 financial statements



What is GASB 75



- In June 2015, GASB issued Statement No. 75, revising financial reporting requirements for OPEB
- To be implemented with FY beginning June 15, 2017 financials
- Record total OPEB obligations on financial statements
- District complied with FY 2017-2018 financial statements





District provides healthcare premium to retirees as follows:

Tier 1 employees (prior to July 1, 2013)

- <15 years = \$540/month
- >15 years = \$1,332 in 2021 (escalated 3% each year)

Tier 2 employees (after July 1, 2013)

■ \$540/month





OPEB Liability

■ The portion of the actuarial present value of projected benefit payments that is attributable to past periods of employee service as of the measurement date





Fiduciary Net Position

The actual amount of assets held in the pension trust for a plan as of the measurement date (Also called the market value of assets)

Net OPEB Liability

■ The difference between the OPEB Liability and the Fiduciary Net Position as of the measurement date





Net OPEB Liability (3-years):

Measurement Date	06/30/2020	06/30/2021	06/30/2022
NOL	\$4,116,712	\$4,533,952	\$5,056,238
Change		+\$417,240	+\$522,286
Disc. Rate	2.45%	1.92%	3.69%
Fund Status	4.86%	6.62%	7.91%
Fund Amount	\$200,000	\$300,000	\$400,000





Change in liability:

\$522,286 (2022)



- Discount rate changed 1.92% to 3.69%
- Net change between current year expenses less contributions (census/premiums/healthcare trends/medicare part B reimbursements)





What has the District done:

■ Created reserve to address unfunded OPEB liability beginning 2018-2019; As of 06/30/2022, total of \$400,000

Current FY 2022-2023 Budget includes additional \$100,000



Recommendation



 Staff recommends receiving Government Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 75 postemployment benefits other than pension valuation report



For More Information



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www.mpwmd.net

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