# Other Post Employment Benefits (OPEB)





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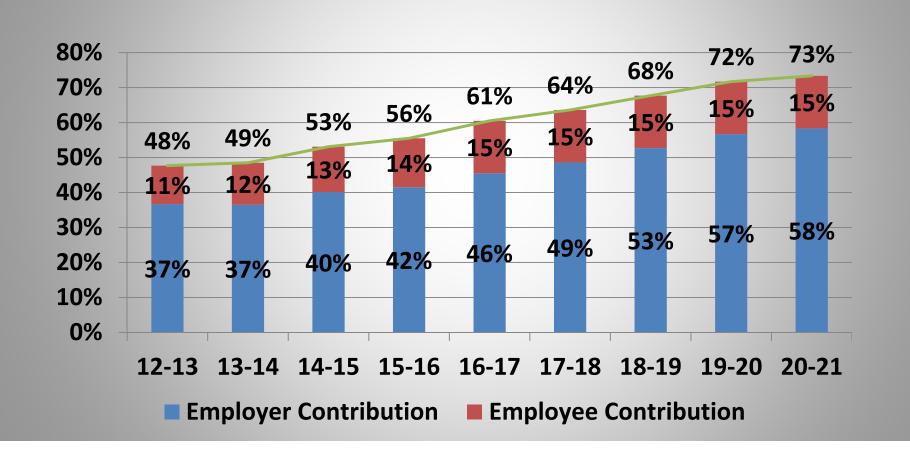
- Public Employment Retirement System (PERS)
- Pensions once an employee retires
  - 3% @ 50 Classic Public Safety Employees
    (Ex. 25 years of service x factor (3) = 75% of salary at 50 years of age)
  - 2 % @ 55 Classic Miscellaneous<sup>1</sup> Employees
    (Ex. 25 years of service x factor (2) = 50% of salary at 55 years of age)

<sup>1</sup> Miscellaneous Employees = Non-public Safety

# What is the difference between PERS & OPEB? (con't)

- Public Employees Pension Reform Act (PEPRA) 2013
   aka "Pension Reform"
  - 2.7% @ 57 Public Safety Employees
  - 2% @ 62 Miscellaneous Employees
- City can control OPEB but not PERS

## Projected PERS Rates Through 2021



### What is OPEB?

### Health Benefits After Retirement

- ➤ Miscellaneous Employees = \$122/month
- Public Safety Employees
  - Based on Hire Date
  - Full Medical, Dental Health Care into Retirement
  - Hired prior to June 2011 = Employee + Spouse
  - Hired after June 2011 = Employee Only

# How are costs determined & what do we pay?

#### in millions

	FY 13-14		F	Y 14-15	FY 15-16		FY 16-17		FY 17-18		FY 18-19		FY 19-20
Normal Cost <sup>1</sup>	\$	3,625	\$	3,677 \$	3,732	\$	3,786	\$	3,842	\$	3,898	\$	3,949
UAAL <sup>2</sup> Amortization		4,848		5,409	6,028		6,700		7,430		8,223		9,088
ARC <sup>3</sup>		8,473		9,086	9,760		10,486		11,272		12,121		13,038
Pay as you Go		2,651		2,763	3,006		3,283		3,593		3,897		4,208
Under Funding		5,822		6,323	6,754		7,203		7,679		8,224		8,830

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Normal Cost is the cost of all benefits earned for active employees

(i.e. what we should be contributing now for active employees for their retirement benefit earned this year)

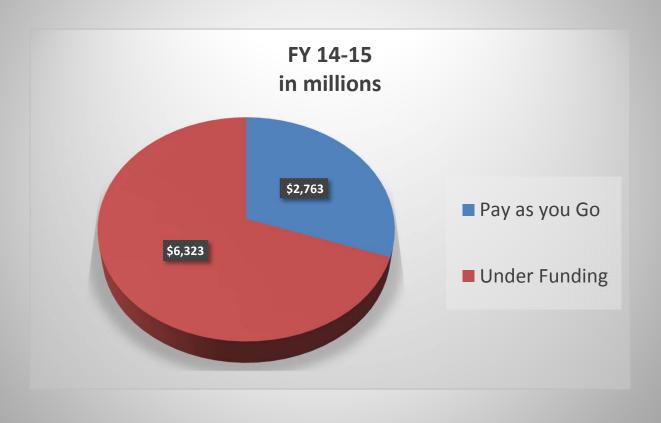
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability Amortization (cost to amortize earned benefits that have not yet been funded)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Annual Required Contribution

## **Obligation By Group**



## How are we doing?



### **Next Two Fiscal Years**





### Actions to Date to Address the Issue

- January 2014 created OPEB Trust
  - Current Balance \$2 million
  - Deposited \$300,000 last year
- No Spousal Coverage as of June 2011
- In negotiations with Safety Groups to cost share

## How Does This Affect the Budget?

 Pay-Go is charged to Each Department's Budget (found in personnel numbers)

Any Excess Funds could be deposited in Trust

## Questions



